

## BUDGET PRIORITIES:

*A Government Shopping List & Rambling Commentary*

- + One Class D Stealth Submarine
- + Two MX Fighters - armed with the latest technology
- + Three Type X Multiple Nuclear Devices
- + Four Super Spy Satellites

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- Enough food for billions
  - Education for those in substantial need
  - Adequate housing for the elderly
  - A planet moving towards harmony.

How's the equation come out?

Don't wait to see -

Actively share your views  
& voice your concerns  
Refuse to be co-opted  
by a system fostering  
indifference & greed.

Make your conscience the bottom line  
& demonstrate compassion while we still have time.

**Sam:** The dollar sign – it's at the center of America's psyche.

**Ted:** Yep. Where ta spend money: that's what politics 'z all about.

**Terri:** Looking at this poem, there is something almost Christian about the way this author talks about 'conscience'.

**Kris:** It is quaintly archaic. . . by the time most Americans reach 30, they're conscientious only when convenient.

**Tim:** To be conscientious about all issues takes a tremendous amount of energy.

- T Newfields

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