

# Gender Bending a Square Circle

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Chico Marx once asked, “Who are you going to believe? Me - or your own two eyes?” That question is being asked again as gender fluidity is the topic of the day. It is the latest byproduct of the Sexual Revolution. As of today, Facebook has 71 choices for gender options. Not long ago, this would have been considered a prank. Today, it is unchallengeable Truth. To question such thinking is to be Transphobic or worse, a Hater. The speed and tactics of Transgenderism can be compared to the blitzkrieg. Lightning strikes, quick victories, intimidation, a sense of inevitable. In response this essay is a groundwork for Resistance, covering the history, science and repercussions of transgenderism.

The Sexual Revolution started in the 1960s, bringing with it profound cultural changes. It wetted the skids where Truth is whatever an individual wishes it to be. Its philosophy is that no objective, unchangeable, permanent Truth exists. There is no objective reality. People are basically a bundle of needs. In fact, My Needs are Truth. Therefore sexual acts and roles of virtually any type are given the Badge of Normal. Enter Transgenderism, a philosophy at war with the physical world.

In opposition, science tells us there are five factors that determine the biological sex of a person. The first is differences in chromosomes. Men have one X and Y chromosomes while women have two X. A second marker is reproductive glands. Men’s is the testicle, producing sperm. Women’s is the ovary and it produces eggs. A third marker is hormones. Women primarily produce estrogen, men testosterone. Hormones impact body growth and sex drive. Fourth, there are different secondary characteristics such as body hair, breasts, Adam’s apple, etc. Finally external genitalia; male and female.

There are three things a person can do to transition from one sex to another. First, they can just act out a gender of choice by altering clothes, hair style, makeup and mannerisms. A second method is hormone therapy. This therapy can alter secondary physical characteristics, allowing somebody to more easily pass as another gender. The third option is surgery, swapping out reproductive parts. Using medicine, transgender people experience increased risk of chronic diseases and mental health issues<sup>1</sup>.

Age and race fluidity are on the horizon. Yes it is true! Recently a 5’9 white male visited the University of Washington campus. He approached students with a number of Transgender propositions. At one point he proposed he was a 6’5 Chinese woman. Not one of these highly educated students at this elite University (the leaders of tomorrow) would say he was wrong<sup>2</sup>.

It is one thing for a man to claim to be a woman. It is another to insist others must agree. But on this, they must. As such, Transgenderism is radioactive in schools, universities and politics. Laws and Orwellian speech policies are being brewed to require universal conformity.

Such laws represent legal fiction, much like a Square Circle. In 1837 Hans Anderson wrote The Emperor’s New Clothes. In it, two tailors convince the king they have made an invisible garment. Everybody is cowed into accepting. To disagree is to be ostracized. Finally a child cries out, “But he isn’t wearing anything at all!” In our day, the elites are again bullying the masses. Science, Reason, Common Sense are not permitted (keep moving, nothing to see here). But the emperor isn’t wearing any clothes.



Chico Marx asking us who we will believe

<sup>1</sup> <https://www.vumc.org/lgbti/key-transgender-health-concerns> (accessed on June 1, 2018)

<sup>2</sup> <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xfO1veFs6Ho> (accessed on June 1, 2018)