

It has been 3 months since the UK election. The 56 SNP MPs shook Westminster with their verve, their tweets, their passion *and* their maiden speeches. The party, and Nicola Sturgeon, stayed true to their word. They have projected a unified and particularly Scottish voice never heard before in Westminster. There is no doubt that 'brand Scotland', complete with responsible social and cultural values has been exported and espoused as never before.

And there, unfortunately, the fairy tale ends.

The Unionist agenda, so ably abetted by consistent Labour party abstentions, has drowned out the SNP voice and further marginalised the poor, the disabled and ensured that Westminster's insidious attacks against the *hoi polloi* cannot be stopped.

Where do we Scots go from here?

On Aug 16th 1967 Dr. Martin Luther King said “In short, over the last ten years the Negro decided to straighten his back up (*Yes*), **realizing that a man cannot ride your back unless it is bent.** (*Yes, That's right*). We made our government write new laws to alter some of the cruellest injustices that affected us. **We made an indifferent and unconcerned nation rise from lethargy** and subpoenaed its conscience to appear before the judgement seat of morality on the whole question of civil rights. We gained manhood in the nation that had always called us "boy." **The deep rumbling of discontent in our cities is indicative of the fact that the plant of freedom has grown only a bud and not yet a flower.**”

“Wee White Blossom” indeed.

When will the “*Flower of Scotland*” bloom – if ever?

When will being called “Nazi” or a “vile Nationalist” when we ask for freedom be the last straw?

When will we straighten our spines and forever consign to history's annals Westminster's notion that *our civil and human right* to assert our sovereignty is not only inevitable, but a recognised United Nations basic Human right? To be *who we are* – *Scottish*.

Why do we wait?

Again, where do we Scots go from here?

From some there are calls for a second independence referendum. However, Nicola Sturgeon continues to stand by her public stance running up to May 7th, that she intends to “unify” the Scottish people and use the 56 SNP MPs to better the lives of *all* Scots.

It must be a hard fact to realize the Unionists in Scotland will never, ever support Independence. They will never, ever back improving the lot of their fellows. They are *forever* bound to the ideals of division and poverty *their* parties stand for.

The SNP voice in Westminster and in Scotland cannot influence the almost 600 Unionist MPs or their minions in Scotland, it is an exercise in futility. An effort expended with no hope of gain. A voice unheeded.

Where do we Scots go from here?

In late July 2015 David Cameron stated there would be no further opportunities for the Scots to vote on their right to freedom while he was prime minister. The arrogance. That he actually believes he is the arbiter of an entire people's freedom.

Even *if* Westminster agrees to permit a second Independence vote, who in Scotland will trust the results?

With Scotland sitting on vast oil and gas reserves off it's West Coast, who *actually believes* that Westminster will relinquish it's colonial grip on us and lose this vast economic wealth it has so ably drained from Scotland's *North Sea* for 40 years? *Who believes a vote is the answer?*

In world history it has always been the people who have *taken to the streets* and rallied and called for their freedom.

It is not Westminster's nor Nicola Sturgeons place to tell the Scottish Nation a vote is how we have to state our claim to freedom. Who does that? Who does that! No one.

The Union will be dissolved when the Scottish people say it is dissolved, be it by a vote or a mass demonstrations in our city streets.

Will that dissolution and declaration of sovereignty come from Holyrood and the SNP , or, from a group of freedom loving individuals?

Will it be Nicola Sturgeon and a majority vote in Holyrood or Scottish intellectuals and business people. Will it be Scots cast from the same mould as peaceful freedom fighters like the Czech writer Václav Havel, or Dr. Martin Luther King, or like Lech Wałęsa of Solidarity in Poland, Mahatma Gandhi, or Nelson Mandela?

Who will the Independent Scottish “founding fathers” be?

Who in the Scottish Independence movement will raise their voices and stand tall?

When will the Scots straighten their backs and stop their colonial masters in Westminster clinging there?

Mr. Cameron, you cannot stop the inevitable without the use of force and that you cannot do. The rUK would become a pariah state and your U.N. security council seat would be forfeit.

The Unionists who live in Scotland are welcome to stay. Since September 2014 the Scots have become more critically aware of social and cultural needs and we *are an inclusive and progressive people*. Every person who loves Scotland and chose to make their home in Scotland can stay and make it an even *better place to live* post Independence.

Independence will only further Scotland's fiscal, cultural and social wealth for the benefit of *all living within her borders*. If Unionism is more important to some than that, there is always the remainder-UK (rUK) for those who value submissive political need before real world freedoms and a healthy society.