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**THE TOKOLOSSIE IS WATCHING YOU**

“Zuma’s latest utterances in Mpumalanga, is a clear illustration of how politicians use the Christian card in order to win the votes of the Christian majority in South Africa. This man, who was ordained, by some misguided church as a ‘pastor’ has now unequivocally shown that his allegiance is not to the God of the Bible, but it is to the god of ancestral worship, witchdoctors and muti-killings” so says Rev Theunis Botha Leader of the Christian Democratic Party and acting chairman of the Christian Democratic Alliance.

“His threat that anyone who dared to leave the ANC would be exposed and even made sick or killed by the ‘ancestors’, is nothing less than the intimidation of the superstitious rural voters he was addressing in Tonga near Komatipoort.”

“He was in effect telling these poor and uneducated people that who they vote for is not a secret as the ANC is told by the ‘ancestors’ where they make their cross on the Ballot-paper in the privacy of the polling-booth. What lengths of deception these secular-humanist politicians will go to in order to retain or extend their power-base.”

**Die tokkelossie hou jou dop**

“Pres. Zuma se jongste uitlatings in Mpumalanga is ‘n duidelike illustrasie van hoe politici die Christelike kaart speel om stemme te werf onder die land se Christenmeerderheid. Zuma is deur ‘n misplaaste kerk as ‘pastoor’ aangewys maar het nou ondubbelsinnig dat sy verbintenis nie is met die God van die Bybel nie, maar met die god van voorvaderaanbidding, toordokters en muti-slagtings,” aldus ds. Theunis Botha, leier van die Christen-Demokratiese Party (CDP) en waarnemende voorsitter van die Christen-Demokratiese Alliansie (CDA).

“Sy dreigement dat enigeen wat dit sou durf waag om die ANC te verlaat hulle blootstel daaraan dat die voorvadergeeste hulle sal siek en selfs doodmaak is niks minder nie as die intimidasie van bygelowige landelike kiesers wat hy by Tonga naby Komatipoort toegesprek het.”

“In wese maak hy hierdie arm, onopgeleide mense wys dat hul stemme nie ‘n geheim is nie, aangesien die ‘voorvaders’ die ANC sal inlig vir wie hulle in die privaatheid van die stemburo gestem het. Ons kan maar net wonder tot watter uiterstes hierdie sekulêr-humanistiese politici sal gaan om aan bewind te bly of hul magstyd te verleng.”