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If You Are in His Inner Circle, You Need to Ask Yourself One Thing

Breaking Free from Joel Johnson's Web of Deception

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You're here because you trusted Joel Johnson.

Because he made you feel like you were on the right side of something.

Maybe he made you feel **special**.

Maybe he made you feel like **one of the few who "truly understand" him.** Maybe he made you feel **like you were fighting some great battle by his side**.

But now, look at what just happened.

- He lied to you.
- He manipulated you into believing in a false reality.
- And when faced with the truth, he didn't defend himself—he tried to erase the evidence.

Does that sound like an honest man to you?

Or does it sound like a desperate fraud, doing everything in his power to keep you from seeing the truth?

1. You Were Never an Equal—You Were a Pawn

If you are in Joel's inner circle, you might feel a deep sense of loyalty to him.

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You think you know him. You believe he is misunderstood. You want to stand by him.

But ask yourself:

What has your loyalty ever gotten you?

Because loyalty goes both ways-

And Joel Johnson has never been loyal to anyone but himself.

- The moment you question him, you become his next enemy.
- The moment you stop serving his needs, you are discarded.
- The moment you see through his lies, **he will turn on you.**

And when that happens, he will use the same tactics on you that he is using on me right now.

2. Look at His Pattern—It's Only a Matter of Time

Joel Johnson has done this before.

- To former business partners.
- To close friends.

To supporters who got too close to the truth.

And when those people saw through him, he turned them into villains.

The playbook is always the same:

- 1. First, he praises you.
 - He showers you with validation.
 - He makes you feel like an insider.
 - He makes you feel like you're one of the few people who truly "get" him.

2. Then, he uses you.

- He gets you to fight his battles.
- He gets you to spread his narrative.
- He gets you emotionally invested in his version of reality.
- 3. And finally—he turns on you.
 - The moment you question him.
 - The moment you hesitate.
 - The moment you refuse to do what he wants.

And suddenly, you become just another "enemy" in his story.

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Just like me. Just like so many others before you.

3. He Didn't Just Lie to Me—He Lied to You

Joel didn't just deceive the people he calls his enemies.

He deceived YOU.

He told you that I was the liar.

He told you that I was the bully.

He told you that I was the one who couldn't be trusted.

And yet, when the truth started coming out-what did he do?

- Did he prove me wrong? No.
- Did he counter my evidence? No.
- Did he stand by his own words? No.

Instead, he tried to erase my work.

Because he knew he couldn't fight the truth—so he silenced it instead.

Does that sound like the actions of a man who has nothing to hide?

4. The One Question You Need to Ask Yourself

You are standing at a crossroads.

And there is only **one** question that matters:

If he were truly the victim... If he were actually on the right side of things... If he were really being unfairly targeted...

Would he need to shut down the conversation entirely?

Would he need to manipulate the system to silence me?

Would he need to control what you are allowed to see and believe?

Of course not.

Because the truth speaks for itself.

But Joel is not innocent.

That's why he needs to control everything you hear. That's why he needs to frame every disagreement as an attack. That's why he needs to manipulate his supply network into defending him at all costs.

Because if you ever wake up to the truth— He loses everything.

5. What Happens When You Stop Playing His Game?

Here's the hard truth:

Joel doesn't actually care about you.

He never has.

You are a tool to him.

A source of validation.

A reinforcement of his ego.

A shield he can hide behind when people start seeing through him.

But the moment you refuse to play along-

He will discard you just like he has discarded everyone before you.

So, ask yourself:

Are you going to wait until it happens to you?

6. Your Next Step

You don't need to speak out. You don't need to confront him. You don't need to do anything—**except open your eyes.**

Because Joel Johnson is not who he told you he was.

And the moment you see the truth for yourself—he loses all his power over you.

That's how you win.

What Comes Next

- This is Article #3 in this series.
- Next up: "The Takedown Wasn't Just About Me-It Was About Controlling You"
- Prepare to see what Joel doesn't want you to see

The Takedown Wasn't Just About Me-It Was About Controlling You

Joel Johnson has a very big problem right now. And it's not me. It's you. Because if you saw the evidenceif you questioned even one thing about his story-the illusion would break. And that? That is his worst...





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