



Hillsdale College Lecture Series “Introduction to the Constitution” Class Schedule, Spring 2020

The new, updated Constitution Lecture Series delves into our founders’ reasoning when they created our revolutionary government. We will look at: (1) how the founders’ principles apply today, (2) how their original intent has been altered, and (3) how the very nature of our republic has been changed over time. We’ll compare today’s progressive principles to those of our founders, and you will see that man’s innate nature means that progressive principles are doomed to failure. Class materials will help you build your own personal library that you can share with others.

We will meet on Wednesdays from 10 AM to Noon at the Touchmark at the Ranch (Next to the Finn Restaurant). The 12 Lectures are divided into two, six-week sessions with a two-week break between sessions.

Session 1

January 15	Lecture 1	The Theory of the Declaration and the Constitution
January 22	Lecture 2	Natural Rights and the American Revolution
January 29	Lecture 3	Majority Tyranny and the Necessity of the Union
February 5	Lecture 4	Consent of the Governed and the Separation of Powers
February 12	Lecture 5	To Secure these Rights": Property, Morality, and Religion
February 19	Lecture 6	Slavery and the Roots of the Secession Crisis

Break

February 26	Break
March 4	Break

March 2020

March 11	Lecture 7	Secession and Civil War
March 18	Lecture 8	The Progressive Rejection of the Founding
March 25	Lecture 9	The New Deal and the Rise of the Administrative State
April 1	Lecture 10	The Administrative State Today
April 8	Lecture 11	Post-Sixties Liberalism and Contemporary Politics
April 15	Lecture 12	A Path to Restoration

If you are unable to attend any classes, you can stay current by watching that week’s lecture online at home. Each week, you’ll receive an email with class materials. Please be aware that classes fill quickly. For more information, please contact Sharon Zipperman at RWOPConstitution@gmail.com, or call (858) 442-4239.

To register for class, please send the name of the participant(s), a phone number (preferably one that can receive text messages) and an email address where you wish to receive your class information. If you are registering for others, the same information is needed for each participant. Class size is limited, so don’t delay!

“Introduction to the Constitution”

Study the greatest political document ever
written to understand your freedoms

The U.S. Constitution is the key to securing liberty for all Americans -- yet very few know what it says and what freedoms it protects. Join likeminded people to study the Constitution and its supporting documents with Lectures from the political science faculty at Hillsdale College. These same professors teach this course on the Hillsdale College campus.

Our Constitution is under assault by those who would change our form of government. Education is critical to saving our republic. Be prepared for the challenges ahead in order to keep freedom alive. Join our lively discussion on important topics:

- Learn how to talk to others about the history of our country
- Confidently answer questions about our republic and how we operate
- Understand why our founding fathers constructed our Constitution as they did
- Discover what makes our form of government so unique
- Study the roots of progressivism and its LIES that threaten our republic
- See how our history books *and our dictionaries* are being rewritten to further the progressive agenda
- Karl Marx vs. our Founding Fathers: who is right about the Nature of Man?



Steve and Sharon Zipperman will facilitate the DVD Lectures and deliver relevant material, broadening your understanding of today's challenges to our Constitution.

WHEN:

Two Six-Week sessions with a two-week break between the sessions:
Lectures 1-6: Wednesdays, January 15 through February 19, 2020, 10 am - Noon
Break: February 26 and March 4
Lectures 7-12: Wednesdays, March 11 through April 15, 2020, 10 am - Noon

WHERE:

Touchmark at the Ranch (Next to the Finn Restaurant)
3150 Touchmark Blvd, Prescott, AZ 86301

To Register:

Contact Sharon at RWOPConstitution@gmail.com or (858) 442-4239

\$20 per person voluntary donation to cover expenses is requested

"Knowledge will forever govern ignorance; and a people who mean to be their own governors must arm themselves with the power which knowledge gives."

James Madison

