

We the People

of the United States, in order to form a more perfect Union, establish Justice, insure domestic Tranquillity, provide for the common Defence, promote the general Welfare, and secure the Blessings of Liberty to ourselves and our Posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America.

Article 1.

Section 1. All legislative Powers herein granted shall be vested in a Congress of the United States, which shall consist of a Senate and House of Representatives.

Section 2. The House of Representatives shall be composed of Members chosen every second Year by the People of the several States, and the Electors in each State shall have the Qualifications requisite for Electors of the most numerous Branch of the State Legislature.

No Person shall be a Representative who shall not have attained to the Age of twenty five Years, and seven Years, and been seven Years a Citizen of the United States, and who, when elected, shall not, when elected, be an Inhabitant of that State in which he shall be chosen.

Representatives and direct Taxes shall be apportioned among the several States which may be included within this Union, according to their respective Numbers, which shall be determined by adding to the whole Number of free Persons, including those bound to Service for a Term of Years, and including also not bound, three fifths of all other Persons. The actual Enumeration shall be made within three Years after the first Meeting of the Congress of the United States, and within every subsequent Term of Years which may be prescribed by Law.

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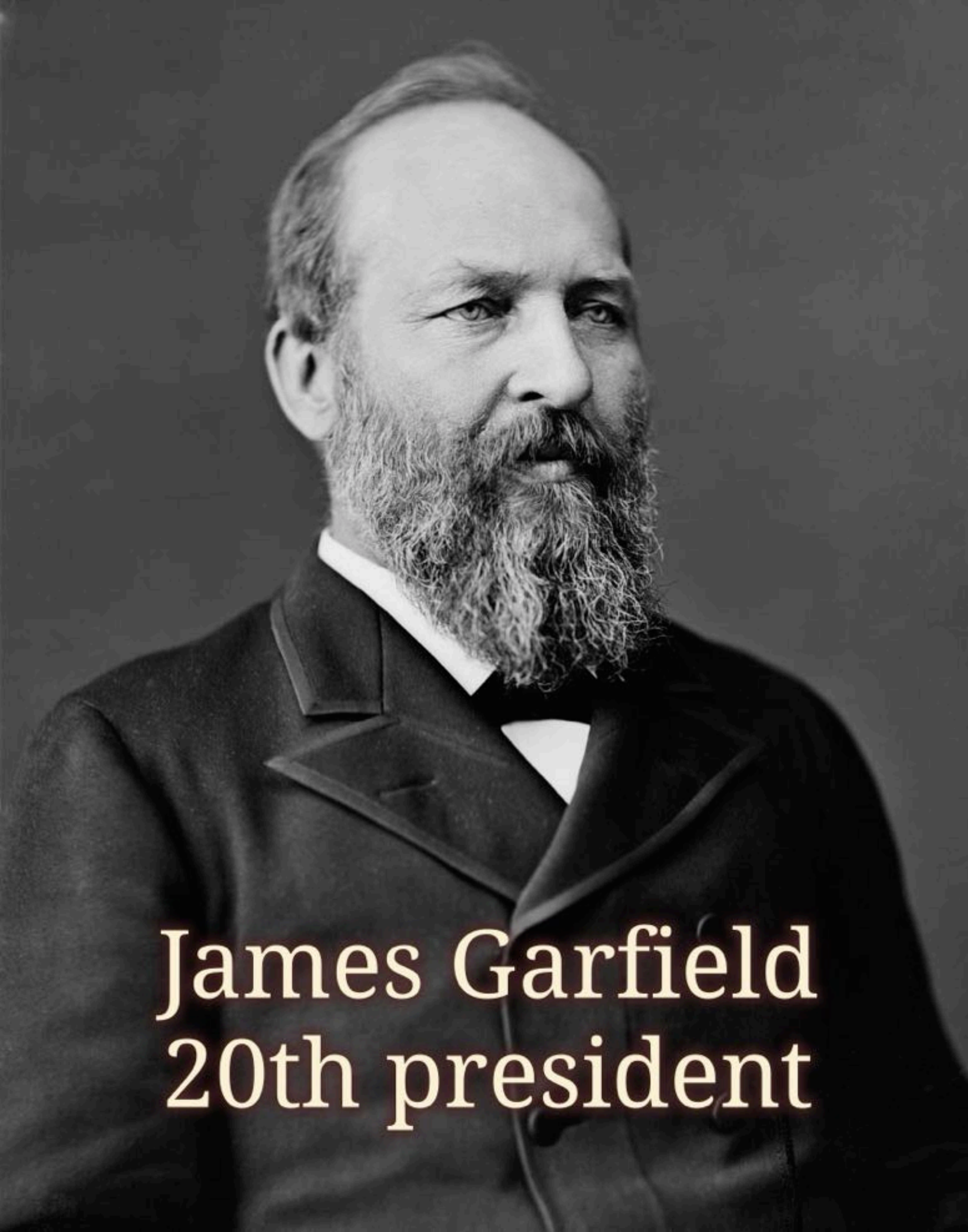
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Immediately after they shall be assembled in Consequence of the first Election, they shall be divided as equally as may be into three Clases. The Seats of the Senators of the first Class shall be vacated at the Expiration of the second Year, of the second Class at the Expiration of the fourth Year, and of the third Class at the Expiration of the sixth Year, so that one third may be chosen every second Year; and if Vacancies happen by Resignation, or otherwise, during the Course of any such Term, the Electors in that State shall fill such Vacancies.

When Vacancies happen in the Representation from any State the Executive Authority thereof shall issue Writs of Election to fill such Vacancies. The House of Representatives shall choose their Speaker and other Officers; and shall have the sole Power of Impeachment.

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James Garfield
20th president

“Now more than ever the people are responsible for the character of their Congress. If that body be ignorant, reckless, and corrupt, it is because the people tolerate ignorance, recklessness, and corruption.”



If it be intelligent, brave,
and pure, it is because
the people demand
these high qualities to
represent them in the
national legislature. . . .



If the next centennial does not find us a great nation . . . it will be because those who represent the enterprise, the culture, and the morality of the nation do not aid in controlling the political forces."

9 “Then they will deliver you to tribulation, and will kill you, and ***you will be hated*** by all nations ***because of My name.***

Matthew 24:9–13

10 “At that time *many will fall away* and will *betray* one another and *hate* one another.

11 “Many *false prophets* will arise
and will *mislead* many.

12 “Because lawlessness is increased, *most people’s love will grow cold.*

13 “But the one who endures to the end, he will be saved.

Between 25-40 million
Christians do not vote in
General elections.

Reasons: apathy, no good
choice, vote will make no
difference, cheating)

A Christian remaining silent
on his/ her vote is as the
one who hides his talent
instead of sowing it.

30 *“He who is not with Me is against Me; and he who does not gather with Me scatters.”*

Matthew 12:30



Silence in the face of evil is itself evil:
God will not hold us guiltless. Not to
speak is to speak. Not to act is to
act.

— *Dietrich Bonhoeffer* —

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The Church represents the highest authority on earth.

When the church is in the majority, nothing can happen in that nation without its consent.

We must take our God-given
responsibility to engage in
governing without becoming
entangled with a political
spirit.

The nation in which we have
been sovereignly born is a
Constitutional Republic. Our
Highest Law is designed to
restrain Governmental
Authority.

The Scriptures were written
in the context of Kings and
Emperors. We must
interpret the Word in the
context of our current
governing structure.

Leadership that fails to honor the parameters in which they have sworn to govern are partners with the Spirit of Lawlessness.

The church is not called to
"pick sides," but we are
called to hold those in
power to account for their
fruits and their actions.

The political spirit requires
a choosing between factions.

The Holy Spirit calls all to
turn from evil toward the
Living God.

Rather than judge those in public office by their words, we should pay attention to what they do when they have power.

A government leader who fails to care for all of the people they have sworn to serve has now become an instrument of evil.

1 Now we request you, brethren, with regard to the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and our gathering together to Him,

2 Thessalonians 2:1–12

2 that you not be quickly shaken from your composure or be disturbed either by a spirit or a message or a letter as if from us, to the effect that the day of the Lord has come.

3 Let no one in any way deceive you,
for *it will not come* unless the
apostasy comes first, and the *man of*
lawlessness is revealed, the son of
destruction,

4 who *opposes* and *exalts* himself above every so-called god or object of worship, so that he takes his seat in the temple of God, *displaying himself as being God.*

5 Do you not remember that while I was still with you, I was telling you these things?

6 And you know what restrains him now, so that in his time he will be revealed.

7 For *the mystery of lawlessness is already at work*; only *he who now restrains* will do so until he is taken out of the way.

8 Then that lawless one will be revealed whom the Lord will slay with the breath of His mouth and bring to an end by the appearance of His coming;

9 that is, the one whose coming is in accord with the activity of Satan, with all power and signs and false wonders,

10 and with *all the deception of wickedness* for those who perish, because they did not receive the love of the truth so as to be saved.

11 For this reason God will send upon them *a deluding influence so that they will believe what is false,*

12 in order that they all may be
judged who did not believe the truth,
but took pleasure in wickedness.

SIGNS OF LAWLESSNESS:

Failure to honor the freedoms specifically protected by the Bill of Rights.

SIGNS OF LAWLESSNESS:

Centralizing Power
rather than honoring the
Separation of Powers.
(Overreach)

SIGNS OF LAWLESSNESS:

Unequal scales of
Justice

"rules for thee, not
for me"

SIGNS OF LAWLESSNESS:

Failure to enforce Laws,

particularly those
designed to protect us.

(Border, rioters &
looters)

SIGNS OF LAWLESSNESS:

Devaluing of human life.

Failing to give basic protection to the most

helpless among us.

SIGNS OF LAWLESSNESS:

An exalting of sin to
religious levels of
conviction.

"Pride"

Sowing cultural division
and chaos based on race,
gender, and other
immutable characteristics.

("Critical Theory")

1 Righteous are You, O LORD, that I would
plead *my* case with You; Indeed I would
discuss matters of justice with You: *Why*
has the way of the wicked prospered? Why
are all those who deal in treachery at ease?

Jeremiah 12:1–5

2 You have planted them, they have also taken root; They grow, they have even produced fruit. You are near to their lips But far from their mind.

3 But You know me, O LORD; You see me; And You examine my heart's *attitude* toward You. Drag them off like sheep for the slaughter And set them apart for a day of carnage!

4 How long is the land to mourn And the
vegetation of the countryside to wither?
For the wickedness of those who dwell in
it, Animals and birds have been snatched
away, *Because men have said, “He will not
see our latter ending.”*

5 “If you have run with footmen and they have tired you out, Then how can you compete with horses? If you fall down in a land of peace, How will you do in the thicket of the Jordan?”

What to do?

Pray diligently
VOTE!!!

Speak up when evil is
obvious.

23 But refuse foolish and ignorant speculations, knowing that they produce quarrels.

2 Timothy 2:23–26

24 The Lord's bond-servant must not be quarrelsome, but be kind to all, able to teach, patient when wronged,

25 with gentleness correcting those who are in opposition, if perhaps God may grant them repentance leading to the knowledge of the truth,

26 and they may come to their senses *and escape* from the snare of the devil, having been held captive by him to do his will.

What to do?

Don't let your love
go cold.