



- ✓ The U. S. government should defend Americans and their property in America and let the U. S. taxpayer off the hook for the defense bill of wealthy countries like Germany and Japan.

### What Americans Want

Americans want, and deserve, a political system which respects them as unique individuals; as people who can make their own plans, who can take responsibility for themselves, who are compassionate, and who can and will solve their own problems if allowed to do so.

### Most Americans, after some thought, prefer the Libertarian option in politics.

Most people in their private, non-governmental, affairs deal with each other on the libertarian premise of mutual respect. You don't threaten your neighbors with fines or jail just because they choose careers or lifestyles different than yours.

**Let's hold government to the same standard.** Protect us and our rights, and give us the respect we deserve.

### Time for Action!

We hope you can see the benefits of living in the America envisioned by the founders and by their political heirs, today's Libertarians. If so, use the attached form to request more information — or to join the Libertarian Party!



YOUR NEW CHOICE IN POLITICS

JOIN THE  
LIBERTARIAN  
PARTY!



- YES!** I want to become a member of the Libertarian Party. I have enclosed \$25. I'll receive 12 monthly issues of *LP News* and a membership card. **The Libertarian Party is the party of principle.** To publicly affirm what we believe—and to ensure that our party never strays from our principles—we ask our members to proudly sign this statement:
  - > I do not believe in or advocate the *initiation* of force as a means of achieving political or social goals.

SIGNATURE REQUIRED FOR MEMBERSHIP ONLY

- More information.** Please send me a complete information package about the Libertarian Party.

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ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ WORK PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

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Total payment enclosed \$

- Check/money order enclosed. (No corporate checks, please.)  
Or: Please bill my  Visa  MasterCard.

ACCT. # \_\_\_\_\_ EXPIRES \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE FOR CREDIT CARD PAYMENT

Please make checks payable to:

**THE LIBERTARIAN PARTY**

2610 Virginia Avenue, NW, Suite 100 ♦ Washington DC 20037  
Telephone: (202) 333-0008

To request an information package or to join immediately:

**1-800-ELECT-US**  
**www.lp.org**

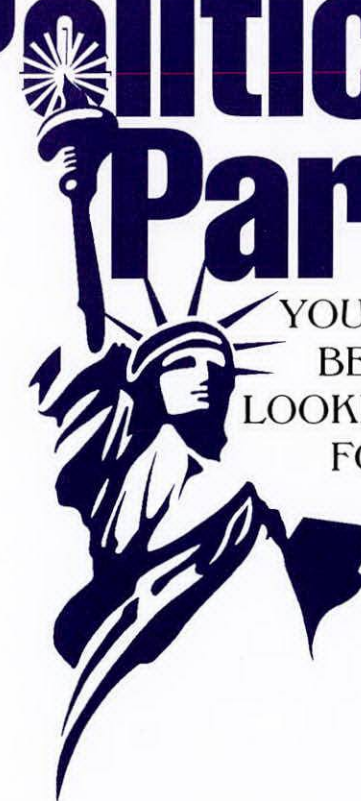
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# WHAT IS THE Libertarian Party?

**T**he Libertarian Party is *your* representative in American politics. It is the *only* political organization which respects you as a unique and competent individual.

## America's Heritage

Libertarians believe in the American heritage of liberty, patriotism and personal responsibility. Libertarians recognize the responsibility we all share to preserve this precious heritage for our children and grandchildren.

## Free And Independent

Libertarians believe that being free and independent is a great way to live. We want a system which encourages all people to choose what *they* want from life; that lets them live, love, work, play and dream *their own way*.

## Caring For People

The Libertarian way is a *caring, people-centered* approach to politics. We believe

each individual is unique. We want a system which respects the individual and encourages us to discover the best within ourselves and develop our full potential.

## Principled; Consistent

The Libertarian way is a *logically consistent* approach to politics based on the moral principle of self-ownership. Each individual has the right to control his or her own body, action, speech and property. Government's only role is to help individuals defend themselves from force and fraud.

## Personal Tolerance

The Libertarian Party is for all who don't want to push other people around and don't want to be pushed around themselves. Live and let live is the Libertarian way.

## America's Third Largest Political Party

The Libertarian Party is America's third largest and fastest growing political party. Libertarians engage in a variety of projects, working for *everyone's* liberty on *every* issue.

The Libertarian Party was created in December of 1971 by people who realized that the politicians had strayed from America's original libertarian foundation, with disastrous results. Their vision was the same as that of America's founders; a world

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where individuals are free to follow their own dreams in their own ways, a world of peace, harmony, opportunity, and abundance.

**Libertarians are practical; we know we can't make the world perfect. But, it can be better.** Libertarians will keep working to create a better, freer society for everyone. As William Allen White said: "Liberty is the only thing you cannot have unless you are willing to give it to others."

## Why Not Stick With the Establishment?

The politicians in Washington and our state capitals have led us *away* from the principles of individual liberty and personal responsibility which are the only sound foundation for a just, humane, and abundant society.

Government at all levels is too expensive, too large, woefully inefficient, arrogant, intrusive and downright dangerous. Democratic and Republican politicians have created the status quo and do not intend to change it.

## Consider the Libertarian Option

- ✓ Substantially reduce the size and intrusiveness of government and cut all taxes.
- ✓ Let peaceful, honest people offer their goods and services to willing consumers without a hassle from government.
- ✓ Let peaceful, honest people decide for *themselves* what to eat, drink, read, or smoke and how to dress, medicate themselves or make love, without fear of criminal penalties.