

# Sunday Liberty Pole

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This "Liberty Pole" is one of hundreds erected in America as a symbol of the colonials' resistance to British tyranny. The poles were often 100' tall serving as places to meet or post political news. The Sons of Liberty erected the first one on May 21, 1766 in Boston. Historical records indicate these poles existed across America, especially in MA, PA, NJ, NY and GA.

## National:



Louisiana AG Challenges DOJ on Sanctuary Cities; 5/10/2016 at Immigration Reform: OK. How about that rule-of-law thangy? [http://immigrationreform.com/2016/05/10/louisiana-ag-calls-out-obamas-justice-department/?utm\\_source=ET&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=Top.50.5062016](http://immigrationreform.com/2016/05/10/louisiana-ag-calls-out-obamas-justice-department/?utm_source=ET&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=Top.50.5062016)

Seniors on SS Could Lose their Gun Rights--just like Some Veterans; 5/6/2016 by S. Noble at Independent Sentinel: Guess the Nazis weren't the only Socialists with an SS arm. What's that 2A part about "...shall not be infringed"? (MN) <http://www.independentsentinel.com/its-official-millions-of-social-security-recipients-could-lose-their-gun-rights/>

Federal Compliance Regulations costs \$1.8 Trillion; 5/4/2016 at Competitive Enterprise Institute. Legalized plunder without representation. (MN) <https://cei.org/content/federal-regulation-cost-reaches-1885-trillion>

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## National (continued):

### President Obama's "Smart Diplomacy" (Political Commentary/VIDEO);

5/5/2016 by Bill Whittle at Truth Revolt (David Horowitz Freedom Foundation): Sadly funny.  
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Lhcz\\_WIZpvA](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Lhcz_WIZpvA)

**West Point Cadets: Controversial  
Raised-Fist Photo;** 5/11/2016 at TheGrio on  
AOL News: History or Black-power? West Point  
clears cadets.

<http://www.aol.com/article/2016/05/11/west-point-clears-cadets-who-raised-fists>

5/11/2016 by Sarah Larimer at The Washington  
Post: No rules broken. No, just looks  
dishonorable. <http://www.msn.com/en-us/news/us/west-point-cadets-pictured-in-fist-raising-photo-did-not-break-any-rules-inquiry-finds/ar-BBsOH4Q?ocid=ansmsnews11>

## In Case You Missed It:

**Top 3 Worst Cities for Middle Class  
Nationwide are in the Golden State;**  
3/8/2016 by Stephen Frank at California Political  
Review: The middle-class is getting shrink-  
wrapped in Fresno, Los Angeles and Stockton.  
<http://www.capoliticalreview.com/capoliticalnewsandviews/worst-cities-for-the-middle-class-top-three-fresno-los-angeles-stockton/>

**Ted Nugent's 20 Reasons to Vote for  
Trump Goes Viral;** 4/3/2016 by Dean James  
at Intellihub: Maybe the company you  
don't keep matters? <https://www.intellihub.com/ted-nugents-20-reasons-to-vote-for-trump-goes-viral-liberals-terrified/>

**Survey: Montanans Want Their Land  
Back from Feds;** 3/28/2016 by Marjorie  
Haun at Montana Watch (Watchdog. org):  
Mismanagement is key issue.  
<http://watchdog.org/260666/montana-public-lands-survey/>

**Obama 'clowns' around in Photo at  
Nuke Summit (Photo);** 4/2/2016 by  
Carmine Sabia at BizPac Review: Guess you  
don't to ACT age 35 to be President.  
<http://www.bizpacreview.com/2016/04/02/clown-obama-flashes-peace-sign-world-leaders-photo-nuclear-summit-see-reaction-324146>

**Belgian Prisons: a Breeding Ground for  
Jihad;** 3/27/2016 by Steven Mufson in the  
Washington Post: Who knew prison was a  
religious classroom?  
[http://www.washingtonpost.com/world/europe/how-belgian-prisons-became-a-breeding-ground-for-islamic-extremism/2016/03/27/ac437fd8-f39b-11e5-a2a3-d4e9697917d1\\_story.html](http://www.washingtonpost.com/world/europe/how-belgian-prisons-became-a-breeding-ground-for-islamic-extremism/2016/03/27/ac437fd8-f39b-11e5-a2a3-d4e9697917d1_story.html)

**Welfare State 'Wolf' Hides amid  
Church Charities (Commentary);**  
8/10/2014 by Allan Wall at VDARE: So, when is  
a church charity NOT Big Brother with a halo?  
(DW) <http://www.vdare.com/articles/memo-from-middle-america-refugee-industry-profiteering-so-gross-even-time-magazine-has-noticed>

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## California/Los Angeles:



Sacramento Democrats scrap 'Transparency' Bills after SEIU Unmasked; 5/5/2016 by Katy Grimes at Union Watch: Assemblywoman Shannon Grove strikes out. (DW) <http://unionwatch.org/california-democrats-kill-union-transparency-bills-after-cpa-exposes-seiu-spending/>

CA Transparency Initiative poised to be on November Ballot; 5/5/2016 by Matt Fleming at California Watch Dog: Read the fine print on this one--and sponsors. <https://calwatchdog.com/2016/05/05/transparency-measure-appears-headed-ballot/>

LA County Proposes Tax Hikes: Lyins, Cronies and Bares? 5/10/2016 by Stephen Frank at California Political Review: Higher taxes? Watch your ballot. <http://www.capoliticalreview.com/capoliticalnewsandviews/los-angeles-county-adds-to-2016-tax-orgy/>

CA Tax Revenues Drop: Minimum Wage won't Help; 5/10/2016 by Stephen Frank at California Political Review: <http://www.capoliticalreview.com/capoliticalnewsandviews/canary-in-california-tunnel-california-tax-revenues-continue-to-drop/>

## Eagle Action Corner:



### **ARMED FORCES DAY, MAY 21**

Grab your friends, a U.S. flag and a poster honoring our military services to join, "Protecting Freedom," a statewide project by [www.catpg.org](http://www.catpg.org) to inspire patriots to cast their CA primary voter for our Constitution and American values. Watch "**Just a Common Soldier**" (VIDEO) to inspire you to join us (DB): [https://www.youtube.com/embed/eEs4ke7cdNQ?feature=player\\_detailpage%22](https://www.youtube.com/embed/eEs4ke7cdNQ?feature=player_detailpage%22) SFV Patriots Sidewalk Rally: Saturday, May 21 from 1 to 2:30 p.m. at the Encino Armed Forces Center, 6033 Balboa Blvd., Encino, CA 91316 Staging/parking area: A public park adjacent--just south of the Center.

### **CA Voter Information:**

**To vote Republican, you must be registered Republican!**

#### **Registration (Postmarked) Deadlines:**

May 23, 2016 for June 7 Presidential Primary  
Oct. 24/2016 for Nov. 8 National Election

#### **CA Secretary of State Online Voter Registration**

<http://registertovote.ca.gov/>

#### **L.A. County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk:**

<http://lavote.net/home/voting-elections/voter-registration/register-to-vote/register>

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## The Highlight Reels:

Trump's Media Strategy Circa 2008  
(VIDEO)

<http://americanspotlight.com/news/video-from-2008-shows-trump-figuring-out-his-strategy-to-dominate-the-media/>

Constitution on College Campuses:  
Shredding our Founding Document  
(VIDEO); 11/03/2015 at Campus Reform (by  
Project Veritas): In case you keep missing this  
point.

<http://www.campusreform.org/Video/?ID=6946>

Truth about the CA Drought: Farms or  
Famine (VIDEO) "Dead Harvest" chronicles the  
truth about dying farms and Sacramento water  
policies: The Golden State's reality show on man-  
made disasters. Take 30 minutes. Outstanding!  
<http://familiesprotectingthevalley.com/DeadHarvest-i-134-134.html>

*Editor's Note: This is a primer will repeat until SFVP  
July meeting featured speaker: Kole Upton of FPV.*

13 Facts about Jerusalem

(VIDEO/History); 5/8/2016 at Israel Video  
Network; [http://www.israelvideonetwork.com/the-13-indisputable-facts-about-jerusalem-you-probably-should-know/?omhide=true&utm\\_source=MadMimi&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_content=The+13+indisputable+facts+about+Jerusalem+you+probably+should+know&utm\\_campaign=20160508\\_m131367821\\_05%2F08+Today%27s+Israel+Connection%3A+The+13+indisputable+facts+about+Jerusalem+you+probably+should+know&utm\\_term=Jerusalem-undisputable-facts-email\\_png\\_3F1462694188](http://www.israelvideonetwork.com/the-13-indisputable-facts-about-jerusalem-you-probably-should-know/?omhide=true&utm_source=MadMimi&utm_medium=email&utm_content=The+13+indisputable+facts+about+Jerusalem+you+probably+should+know&utm_campaign=20160508_m131367821_05%2F08+Today%27s+Israel+Connection%3A+The+13+indisputable+facts+about+Jerusalem+you+probably+should+know&utm_term=Jerusalem-undisputable-facts-email_png_3F1462694188)

George Carlin on PC that avoids the  
Crippled, Ugly or Stupid

(VIDEO/Commentary); 11/1/2015 on You  
Tube: Insightful political critique with a bite:  
Power and absurd simultaneously.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hkhUivqzWv0>

Voter Fraud Documented (VIDEO)

4/6/2016 Posted on You Tube: Electronic voter  
fraud easily done. Stunning. (RIDM)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fldWsgcYG78&feature=youtu.be>

Just One Word: "Mom." (VIDEO) In

case you missed these two on Mother's Day

<http://biggeekdad.com/2016/04/mom/>

Al Jolson: Remembering Mother's Day (VIDEO)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oBrd6CVyU1A&feature=youtu.be>

"Skylight" Time-lapse Film by

photographer Chris Pritchard (VIDEO)

Recommend a glass of wine with cheese.

<http://biggeekdad.com/2016/02/our-beautiful-skylight/>



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**At the Hearth:** Our Editorial Page.



Obama Orders Transgender School Potties (Commentary); 5/13/2016 by Tad Cronn at Constitution: So PC finally goes TP with DC LGBT order. (TC) <http://constitution.com/obama-administration-orders-schools-go-transgender-else/>

History Lesson: Racism, Democrats and the Big Lie (Historic Commentary); 3/28/2013 by Michael Walsh at PJ Media. Remember when elementary schools knew this? <https://pjmedia.com/michaelwalsh/2013/03/28/history-lesson>

Hillary Says Unborn Have no Constitutional Rights (Video); 4/4/2016 by Bethany Blankley at the Constitution: OK, consider them unregistered Democrats? <http://constitution.com/babies-dont-exist-womb-dont-constitutional-rights/>

**Report Suspected Los Angeles-area Terrorist Activity: 1-877-A-THREAT or IWatchLA.org**

Myths, Lies and Capitalism (VIDEO) Arthur Brooks at Prager University <https://www.prageru.com/courses/economics/myths-lies-and-capitalism>

Ten Reasons I Switched to Trump (Commentary); 5/6/2016 John Andrews at Townhall: Fasten your seat belts. (RDS) [http://townhall.com/columnists/johnandrews/2016/05/06/ten-reasons-i-switched-to-trump-n2158776?utm\\_source=thdaily&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=nl&newsletterad=](http://townhall.com/columnists/johnandrews/2016/05/06/ten-reasons-i-switched-to-trump-n2158776?utm_source=thdaily&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=nl&newsletterad=)

Climate Change: The Inconvenient Facts (Commentary); 2/26/2016 by Rep. Lamar Smith at The Daily Signal (Heritage Foundation) [http://dailysignal.com/2016/02/26/the-inconvenient-facts-the-media-ignores-about-climate-change/?utm\\_source=heritagefoundation&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=saturday&mkt\\_tok=eyJpIjoiWIRZMVIqQTFObVV6WkRNMSIsInQiOiI5YWVrb2R0VWxFTGlyVXZwVmJjaFVqd1IvZGozN0FOX C96MU54UFJRSRVNTU92ZDRyOTIPT29KT0dvMjBQVjFXMXk3Q2ZjeTIQb0dpZWg4STFFUGU0Qjd3NU5jZmlnQVc4cXlpVzVPeVMzbiJBNWVlY1VQa0FDa05kQUhjUVIsTFwvIn0%3D](http://dailysignal.com/2016/02/26/the-inconvenient-facts-the-media-ignores-about-climate-change/?utm_source=heritagefoundation&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=saturday&mkt_tok=eyJpIjoiWIRZMVIqQTFObVV6WkRNMSIsInQiOiI5YWVrb2R0VWxFTGlyVXZwVmJjaFVqd1IvZGozN0FOX C96MU54UFJRSRVNTU92ZDRyOTIPT29KT0dvMjBQVjFXMXk3Q2ZjeTIQb0dpZWg4STFFUGU0Qjd3NU5jZmlnQVc4cXlpVzVPeVMzbiJBNWVlY1VQa0FDa05kQUhjUVIsTFwvIn0%3D)

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