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Delightful Proverb

PRESIDENT-LAJUANA GILLETTE

July is the month we celebrate the birth of the United States of America, the freest nation on earth.

On July 4th 1776 the Second Continental Congress unanimously adopted the Declaration of Independence, announcing the colonies' separation from Great Britain. We were now going to rule ourselves.



The Constitution was signed in Philadelphia on September 17, 1787 after many heated discussions. They had called a Convention of States to revise the Articles of Confederation but soon decided to completely redesign the government. And our constitution was born. We need to fight to keep it.

We are in danger of losing everything the Founders stood for and sacrificed for; everything our young people have bled and died for, and the danger is coming from within. The representatives of the Democrat party who are in charge in Washington DC are guilty of treason. They have opened our gates to a foreign invasion and are allowing our country to be at risk of being taken over by these illegals. The government is supposed to protect this country. That's their main job! That's the main job of the President!

So, let's make sure we elect Donald Trump as our President.

God bless America, LaJuana Gillette President 2023

MEETING INFORMATION

Date: August 7, 2023

Place: Shugrue's Bridgeview Room

Time: Social 5:00, Dinner 6:00, Cost: \$25

Menu: Chef Salad, Ranch Dressing, Dessert: Key Lime Pie



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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

July 29 MCRCC Annual Republican Hualapai Picnic. Tickets are available at Headquarters.

July 31 9:30 Board Meeting

August 7 5 PM Social Hour, 6 PM Monthly Dinner Meeting, Shugrue's Bridgeview Room.

August 12 12-2 District III PC Meet & Greet at 10 Day Doors, (Old Kmart building)

August 28 9:30 Board Meeting

Sept 17 3-7 PM Kari Lake Book Signing at Aquatic Center. More info will follow

Sponsored by the LH Republican Men's Club

Oct 19-21 AzFRW Convention in Tucson, AZ..... Consider Attending See bottom of page 4

October 28 London Bridge Days Parade Start time is 10:00

Nov 11 10 AM Veteran's Day Parade,

Nov 11 3-7 PM America First BBQ @ Stonebridge Christian Church, 2700 Jamaica

1ST VICE-PROGRAM

Speakers: US Senator, Paul Gosar

MEMBERSHIP STEFANIE MICHELS

Our numbers continue to grow! Great job inviting people to our dinner meetings.

The more people we get involved the more we can keep our city RED!

Welcome to:

Our New Voting Member, **Debi Ramert**Our New Associate Member, **Joan Dzuro**Our current Membership is:

Voting, 128 - Associate, 38

GINNY BUCKALEW CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

I hope your summer has been good and that you might have even been able to escape the heat for a bit. I won't be going anywhere this summer. Just trying to stay in and keep cool!! I am sad to report that one of our members, Christine Simmons, passed away suddenly this month. I have sent our condolences to her family. Otherwise I have not heard of anyone else who I need to contact. Please let me know if you hear of a member who is ill. I will see you at our next LBRW meeting.

Ginny Buckalew 928-232-0240



RESERVATIONS-MARILOU PERFETTI



We are now using our website to make reservations for our dinner meetings. The website address is <code>lbrwc.com</code> To get to the reservations page, you click on <code>meetings</code>, then choose the meeting date you want to make your reservations for. You may pay online with a credit or debit card. The price for dinner is \$25. Or you may pay at the door with cash or check. You still have to "checkout" with this option but there will be no charge until you show up at our meeting. <code>Please remember</code>, a reservation made is a reservation paid. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. I will be happy to help you and answer any questions you have. 928 486-4033

WAYS & MEANS LYNNE LAWHORN

"26 Club"

The 3 <u>July</u> drawing winners were:

\$250, Vicki Vuoso

\$ 50 each Rick barton Lynne Lawhorn

WRITTEN BY A 21-YEAR-OLD FEMALE.

This was written by a 21-year-old female who gets it. It's her future she's worried about, and this is how she feels about the social welfare big government state that she's being forced to live in. These solutions are just common sense in her opinion.

This was in the Waco Tribune Herald, Waco, TX.

PUT ME IN CHARGE . . .

Put me in charge of food stamps. No cash for Ding Dongs or Ho Ho's, just money for 50-pound bags of rice and beans, blocks of cheese and all the powdered milk you can haul away. If you want steak and frozen pizza, then get a job.

Put me in charge of Medicaid. Then, we'll test recipients for drugs, alcohol and nicotine. If you want to use drugs, alcohol or smoke, then get a job.

Put me in charge of government housing. Ever live in a military barracks? You will maintain our property in a clean and good state of repair. Your "home" will be subject to inspections anytime and possessions will be inventoried. If you want a plasma TV or Xbox 360, then get a job and your own place.

In addition, you will either present a check stub from a job each week or you will report to a "government" job. It may be cleaning the roadways of trash, painting and repairing public housing, whatever we find for you. We will sell your 22-inch rims and low profile tires and your blasting stereo and speakers and put that money toward the "common good."

Before you write that I've violated someone's rights, realize that all of the above is voluntary. If you want our money, accept our rules. Before you say that this would be "demeaning" and ruin your "self-esteem," consider that it wasn't that long ago that taking someone else's money for doing absolutely nothing was demeaning and lowered self-esteem.

If we are expected to pay for other people's mistakes we should at least attempt to make them learn from their bad choices. The current system rewards them for continuing to make bad choices.

I love this one..

AND while you are on Gov't subsistence, you no longer can VOTE! Yes, that is correct. For you to vote would be a conflict of interest. You will voluntarily remove yourself from voting while you are receiving a government welfare check. If you want to vote, then get a job.

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Happy August Birthdays

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Virginia Taylor	03
Christina Spurlock	06
Allen Tyson	06
Don Oberbeck	09
Dinah Lutz	10
Sandra Faubion	11
Edie Grover	11
Patty Bartlett	12
Lorelei Sprott	12
Ellie Baudino	16
Liz Goad	17
Joan Garnett	18
Lisa Bogan	21
Sharon Poppen	22
Janice Gould	23
Sue Fauglid	29
Micki Quier	29





SPOTLIGHT MEMBER: LINDA IRA

Hi, I'm Linda Ira. I was born in Des Moines, Iowa and am the middle child of five. I met my husband, Dave Ira, at Staves Church where both our families attended. We served as Youth Fellowship leaders and were friends for years before marrying when I was 20 in 1968. Dave was a 2nd Lieutenant in the Marine Corps at the time and left for a 13-month stint in Viet Nam just 3 days after our wedding. During his time in Viet Nam, I lived at home with my parents until he returned. He was then stationed at the Marine Barracks on the Navy Shipyard in Vallejo, CA where we lived for a



year. When he got out of the service in 1970, we purchased our first home in Des Moines, Iowa for a whopping \$18,600! It was 1800 square feet plus porches. We felt we were part of the American dream. We have two beautiful daughters, Sheila and Joy, and four grandchildren. They all live in California.

I was a stay-at-home mom until my girls went to school and then worked several jobs. One was at a pre-school. I sold Sarah Coventry Jewelry (a home party plan) where I supervised 18 girls. I was also manager for Friedmans Microwave Store, even teaching microwave cooking classes at the store as well as evening classes at the College twice a week. When the girls were in high school, I provided child-care in our home for four years for up to 6 preschoolers.

We moved to Lake Havasu City in 1991 for the great weather and low humidity. Dave served as general contractor during the construction of our home. He even ran the backhoe to dig out the basement! We lived in our motorhome during the construction.

We attend Calvary Baptist Church, where I serve in Heart-to-Heart ministry (a non-profit organization that donates handmade messenger bags and backpacks filled with personal hygiene items, stuffed animals, pjs, books – all age and gender specific for those children who are taken from their homes and are being placed in foster care).

I am very involved in the community: serving at times on the boards of the Marine Corps League Auxiliary, P.E.O. (Philanthropic Educational Organization) and Republican Women.

I like to travel in our RV, sew (especially quilting), bake, read, play cards, board games, bunco, and entertain in our home.

I support the Republican Party and share in their beliefs and policies. I will continue to do what I can for our Club and to make America great again!!!!

2023 AzFRW Biennial Convention Registration

Join us on October 19, 20, & 21 for the Arizona Federation of Republican Women 2023 Biennial Convention at Casino Del Sol in Tucson, Arizona. We are working on what is going to be another fabulous line-up of programs and speakers and you don't want to miss it. **Early Bird Registration is \$235.00 and ends July 31.** Late registration dates are August 1 through August 31 and costs \$270.00. Final Registration takes place between September 1 and September 15 and is \$300. Registration CLOSES at midnight on September 15. Questions? Contact Cheryl Pelletier, Arrangements Chair, at 480-406-9227 or arrangements@azfrw.com. Please note your hotel reservation is your responsibility. See you at Casino Del Sol in Tucson.

LBRW will pay the \$235 registration fee that includes food. You will need to pay for your Hotel Room.

Rate: \$159.00 plus 12.1% Occupancy fee in Del Sol Tower

✓ Rates are based up to double occupancy

\$139.00 plus 12.1% Occupancy fee in Estrella Tower

Rates are based up to double occupancy

An additional \$10 per person fee will be added for each additional adult occupying the room.

If you are interested in attending, it is VERT IMPORTANT that you make your decision SOON and get registered and get your Hotel reservation ASAP.

Call Pam Ford for more details 928 486-4033

July 16, 2023

God's Children Are Not for Sale: Why the Left Hates Sound of Freedom, By Lauri B. Regan

I recently went to see the movie Sound of Freedom. It was the first time I had gone to a movie theater since before Covid and it was well worth the wait for such a superb and important film. I was curious about a number of things including whether, in the midst of a heatwave (and rumors that AMC Theaters were sabotaging the air-conditioning in theaters showing the film), the theater would be air-conditioned and why the left has been so distraught over a movie about child sex trafficking – a seemingly nonpartisan issue about which all people of good conscience should be concerned.

I am happy to report that the theater, in West Nyack, NY, was air-conditioned and comfortable. I'm also happy to report that other than the first two rows, every seat was occupied. In fact, when I went to purchase the ticket, the 6:30pm and 7:30pm showings were completely sold out other than the first two rows, so I attended a 9:15pm showing.

And leftists won't be pleased to hear that the composition of the audience was "representative" of the country's demographics, i.e., it was quite diverse. In fact, the vast majority of the audience was Hispanic (my guess with the amount of Spanish I heard is first generation), Black, and much of the audience was likely 30 and under, although there were definitely people a bit older as well (I spotted only one white man who appeared to be older than 50). These are people the left thinks they own.

I did not spot one QAnon-supporting, white supremacist or MAGA-touting Republican. At \$16 for a ticket, I found the demographics interesting, although once the movie began and I realized it took place almost entirely in Central America with all of the children being trafficked from those countries, it made sense. And despite the diversity of the audience, people laughed in unison at the one or two appropriate places (it was not a fun or funny movie) and clapped appropriately including when a pedophile was arrested and at the end of the movie.

As to why the left has done everything in its power to sabotage the movie, including Disney Studios reportedly shelving it for five years, there is absolutely nothing whatsoever political in *Sound of Freedom*, a mostly (the film-makers did take some artistic license) true story of child sex-trafficking. I watched the film looking for scenes, statements, or anything else that could have been deemed offensive to someone on the left and couldn't find one. In fact, there was nothing at all patriotic about the film including not one American flag -- which we know offends the left -- nor was there any criticism of Democrats' or the Biden administration's immigration failures.

This has led me to conclude three things about why the left hates the movie. The first point is obvious: one of Biden's first moves upon entering office was to open our southern border, which has resulted in far greater numbers of children who are being trafficked for sex and slavery. Several months ago, whistleblowers appeared before Congress to testify about Biden acting as a "middleman" in a multi-billion-dollar child trafficking operation. And Tim Ballard, the DHS agent whom the story was about and who started Operation Underground Railroad in order to save children from this terrible atrocity, and Jim Caviezel, the actor who portrayed Ballard, have spoken extensively on the topic.

While Biden, Secretary Mayorkas, and the complicit mainstream media have been lying to Americans about our border remaining secure, the numbers, videos, and individual stories tell the truth. And that's the problem; *Sound of Freedom* tells a story that the left doesn't want you, average American citizen, to hear.

The problem with sabotaging such an important story is that there are young lives at stake, and they need our help. Child trafficking is a huge industry and people of good moral conscience need to act in order to save them. At the end of the film the following statements appear just before the credits:

Human trafficking is a 150 billion dollar-a-year business. The United States is one of the top destinations for human trafficking and is among the largest consumers of child sex.

There are more humans trapped in slavery today than any other time in history – including when slavery was legal. Millions of these slaves are children.

It's very easy to put one's head in the sand and ignore the painful realities that evil exists in our world. Or as someone in the film notes, "It's too ugly for polite conversation." Sound of Freedom doesn't allow for ostriches to sit back and ignore these children. Which is tragically ironic since liberals claim to care so much about certain children (i.e. media lies about innocent Palestinian children murdered at the hands of Nazi-like Israelis) while ignoring the plight of those pouring across the border from Latin America and simultaneously indoctrinating America's children into a world of drag queens and transgenderism. No wonder the left doesn't want Americans to become aware of how pervasive the problem is lest Biden (the guy who exhibits pedophilia tendencies of his own) be forced to act.

During the credits, Caviezel spends about two minutes talking to the audience making an appeal to everyone to tell the story and help market the movie sharing the unimaginable roadblocks to getting the film released and stating:

We don't have big studio money to market this movie, but we have you. And the baton has now been passed to you. You are the storytellers that can get people to come see this film in theaters. Sound of Freedom is a hero's tale but I'm not talking about the character I play. It's the heroic brother and sister in this film that work to save each other. They are the true heroes. The most powerful person in this world is the storyteller. Together, we have a chance to make these two kids and the countless children that they represent, the most powerful people in the world by telling the story in a way that only the cinema can do. For a couple of months while Sound of Freedom is in theaters these kids can be more powerful than the cartel kingpins or presidents or congressmen or even tech billionaires. We believe this movie has the power to be a huge step forward toward ending child trafficking. But it will only have that effect if millions of people see it."

He then put up a QR code to scan in order to help Angel Studios "pay it forward" by purchasing a ticket for someone else. For those interested in making a donation for others to see the film, you can go to Pay it Forward for Sound of Freedom | Angel Studios. As of this writing there were well over five million tickets sold (they had a goal of two million).

Which brings me to my second conclusion: the left hates straight, white, male heroes. And while the children are the real heroes in this story, Caviezel fits that bill, his powerful presence portraying Ballard is felt throughout the film's entirety and Ballard's work in saving children is truly heroic. The left can't stand that; hence why movies featuring superheroes and Disney princesses are being remade with Black, gay and nonbinary representations, while every movie with a straight, White, male hero is attacked as a QAnon-, MAGA-, white supremacist-supporter or a right-wing conspiracy theorist.

Notwithstanding these attacks, Sound of Freedom is doing quite well at the box office as is often the case with a well-made film telling an important story. American Sniper starring Bradley Cooper, 13 Hours about Benghazi, and Top Gun Maverick featuring Tom Cruise back in his patriotic role all come to mind as movies the left panned, but Americans loved.

Finally, the left hates religion, likely because it instills morals which often lead people to do the right thing. Sound of Freedom is not a religious movie, but there are a few references to God that I'm sure annoyed atheistic leftists who are anything but morally driven to do the right thing. At one point one of the characters was explaining why he helps save children and he stated, "When God tells you what to do you cannot hesitate." I venture a guess that most people on the left don't hear God let alone have Him guide them throughout their lives or they wouldn't support puberty blockers, castration, and mastectomies for children, abortion on demand up to delivery, and the legalization of cannabis and other toxic drugs for instance.

But thankfully many good people do in fact follow their conscience and recognize evil and those people are going to see this movie, are encouraging others to do so, and are hoping to help all of God's children hear the sound of freedom. And as Ballard's character says at the end of the film, Amen.





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2023 Membership Application or Renewal Form

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	Badge	\$15	London Bridge Republican Women Badge Please circle one: Magnetic or clip-on or pin-on.		
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Signatur	e	•	Date		

My signature certifies that I am a registered Republican.

Yes! I'm here to help and want to make a difference! I am interested in the following areas:



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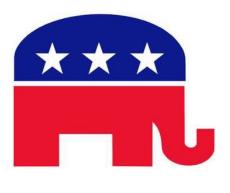
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If a task is once begun,

Never leave it till it's done;

Be the labor great or small,

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