

— Deuteronomy 17.18-20 —
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Progressivism

Deuteronomy 17.18 “Also it shall be, when he sits on the throne of his kingdom, that he shall write for himself a copy of this law in a book, from the one before the priests, the Levites. 19 And it shall be with him, and he shall read it all the days of his life, that he may learn to fear the LORD his God and be careful to observe all the words of this law and these statutes, 20 that his heart may not be lifted above his brethren, that he may not turn aside from the commandment to the right hand or to the left, and that he may prolong his days in his kingdom, he and his children in the midst of Israel.”

* A case can be made that the Progressive movement ...

* The Progressive movement goes back at least to ...

* By the early 1900s, the movement produced two presidents ... who were followed in the 1930s-40s by ...

* Progressivism was the first political movement in American history that featured as a core tenet ...

* What does the preface to the Declaration of Independence talk about, and what was the Progressives' problem with it?

* Progressives saw the founding documents as ...

* What did Progressives believe about individual rights?

* To Progressives, the highest realization of man was ...

* To Progressives, what was the key to democracy, and what was its relationship to socialism?

* Why were the Founders against democracy?

* How did Benjamin Franklin define democracy?

* What are some examples of democratic excesses under the Articles of Confederation?

* What kind of government does the Constitution guarantee?

* Progressives were heavily influenced by ... who saw history as inexorably progressing toward ...

* How did Hegel view the State?

* Hegel's view is a common thread among ...

* One of former President Obama's favorite phrases was ...

* Progressives believed that humanity had ...

* GK Chesterton said that “the most practical and important thing about a man is ...”

* Progressivism is really a different ... involving a different view of what four things?

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* Progressivism was greatly aided by its partner ...

* Liberal Christianity opposed orthodox Christianity on what grounds?