I AM A REPUBLICAN BECAUSE...

I BELIEVE...

That the proper function of government is to do for the people those things that have to be done but cannot be done, or cannot be done as well, by individuals, and that the most effective government is government closest to the people.

I BELIEVE...

That good government is based upon the individual and that each person's ability, dignity, freedom and responsibility must be honored and recognized.

I BELIEVE...

That free enterprise and the encouragement of individual initiative and incentive have given this nation an economic system second to none.

I BELIEVE...

That sound money management should be our goal.

I BELIEVE...

In equal rights, equal justice and equal opportunity for all, regardless of race, creed, age, sex or national origin.

I BELIEVE...

We must retain those principles of the past worth retaining, yet always be receptive to new ideas with an outlook broad enough to accommodate thoughtful change and varying points of view.

I BELIEVE...

That Americans value and should preserve their feeling of national strength and pride, and at the same time share with people everywhere a desire for peace and freedom and the extension of human rights throughout the world.

FINALLY, I BELIEVE...

That the Republican Party is the best vehicle for translating these ideals into positive and successful principles of government.





Throughout most of this century, Liberal Democrats were in control of the legislative process in Florida and in Washington, DC. With Republicans leading Congress and the Legislature, we are returning to the policies that made America great. The differences in governance reflect the core differences between the two parties.

CRIME

REPUBLICANS BELIEVE that the needs of communities and law-abiding citizens must take priority over those of criminals.

Liberal Democrats have an extremist record of placing the rights of criminals above all, including freeing violent criminals on legal technicalities.

NATIONAL DEFENSE

REPUBLICANS BELIEVE that the only way to live free from foreign aggression is to maintain peace through strength.

Liberal Democrats would unilaterally disarm. They impose their agenda by continually voting to divert defense funds to expand social programs.

EDUCATION

REPUBLICANS BELIEVE that students must be challenged to learn in a school environment that is safe for students and teachers. Parents must be offered more opportunities for school choice and the massive bureaucracy must be reduced.

Liberal Democrats have foisted discredited social experiments upon our schools which has dumbed-down the curriculum. Together with left-wing union bosses, they fight school choice and attempts to reduce the bloated education bureaucracy.

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TAXES

REPUBLICANS BELIEVE that Americans should keep more of what they earn through lower taxes and that tax policy should not suppress incentive by penalizing success.

Liberal Democrats relentlessly propagandize the failed premise that America can tax its way to prosperity. They wage class warfare against successful Americans through regressive taxes.

SPENDING

REPUBLICANS have long believed that government should not spend more than it takes in and have consistently fought for a balanced budget.

Liberal Democrats have a sad history of spending taxpayers' money to expand government bureaucracy and fighting against a balanced budget.

MEDICARE/SOCIAL SECURITY

REPUBLICANS BELIEVE that the seniors' safety net must be preserved for today's beneficiaries and for the millions who will need it tomorrow.

Liberal Democrats shamelessly scare and frighten our seniors, acting as if noting needs to be done, offering no solutions to a true problem.

GOD

REPUBLICANS BELIEVE, as the founding fathers before us, that God was a major factor in the creation of this nation and that efforts to remove Him from society altogether must be reversed.

Liberal Democrats are aligned with extreme left-wing elements that God should be totally excluded from public utterances.

Hundred of elected Democrats and thousands of Americans have switched to the Republican Party since Bill Clinton became president. If you are not yet a member of the Republican party, call your county party or call (850) 222-7920 and join the team. If you are already a Republican, help a friend to make the right choice.

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