

# **We are Losing Our Constitution, and Our Country**

**The United States of America came into existence unlike any other nation in history—through the ratification of a document drafted by representatives of “We the People.”**

**Brilliant solutions to the trials and errors of countless prior generations were embodied in that brief document. The rule of law replaced the rule of men. All citizens were equal before that law, regardless of their wealth or status. Rights would be protected but NOT granted by government, in recognition of their source as divine, not human. Government officials would serve by the will of the people, not by inheritance or privilege. Government powers were strictly limited to those listed (enumerated) in that document, and further limited by dividing them among three separate-but-equal branches, each with power to check the other two.**

**Ratification was followed by two centuries of more trial and error in the continual struggle “to form a more perfect union” by living up to those principles. During that time, America—with all its flaws—became the freest, most prosperous on earth, and the greatest force for good of any nation in history.**

**But today, all of these many blessings we inherited—our Constitution, our individual liberty, our culture, our nation itself—are threatened with extinction as the rule of law is thrown aside for the rule of emotionalism.**

**That threat is not from any external force—no foreign power could ever destroy our nation—but entirely from within. If our constitutional republic is to survive, we must be willing to confront our opponents and utterly defeat them in the arena of ideas. Failure to do so is to be forever disgraced as the generation that betrayed its children and lost the nation.**

**For this reason, the Champions of Liberty program has been instituted, equipping military veterans to fulfill their lifelong oath to “defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic.”**

**After a careful screening process, Champions of Liberty undergo an intensive, one-week course in Washington, D.C. on America’s great heritage, history, and founding principles of government. They will receive advanced training on how to defend and advance these values in writing, speaking, debating and media interviews. Participants will also be steeped in current major**

**issues and threats to our constitutional republic, and how to resist and defeat those opponents with civility and confidence. This intense initial training is followed up with a national network fostering continual communication, education, discussion, debate, feedback, recruitment, and opportunities to advance our mission.**

**The training for the initial course is especially beneficial for veterans who wish to become leaders in returning Constitutional Fidelity within their community or teachers/professors; as well as those in media, community leadership, and other nation-shaping roles—anything that will empower Champions of Liberty to succeed in the greatest rescue mission in history, saving our nation!**