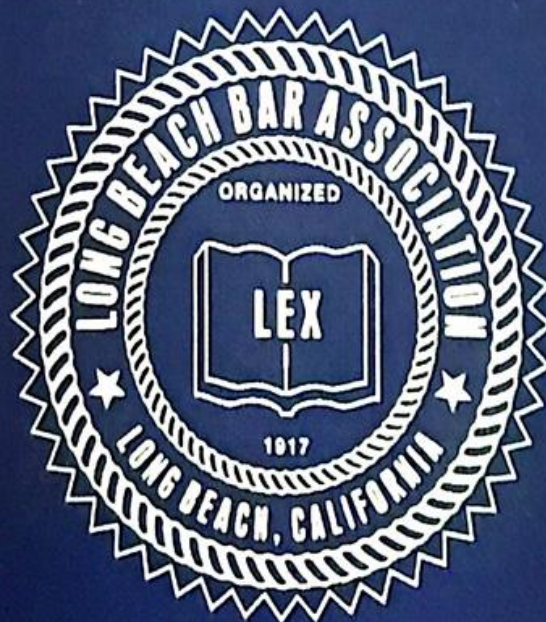


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Each generation must act to save the United States Constitution from being trivialized or ignored in pursuit of some transient or politically defined "greater good". Lawyers are called to lead this fight.

Our country is divided about what needs protection. Former Supreme Court Justice Robert Jackson's oft quoted words concerning the danger of "converting the constitution into a suicide pact", diametrically opposes Patrick Henry's famous cry "Give me liberty or give me death". Yet both views resonate over public airwaves and into the halls of Congress. Many see an unfolding word scenario in which our founding document provides unacceptable protection for those who would annihilate us. Others see that we are destroying the very foundation of our nation in order to protect it.

Lawyers swear an oath to defend and uphold the Constitution. Sadly, many lawyers lose sight of its "macro-law" importance due to their respective "micro-law practices". This myopia is dangerous.

We offer the enclosed ready reference pocket edition of this precious document to you with a goal in mind; that your respect for the Constitution be rekindled, and that our generation's striving for liberty and justice triumph over the drift towards an authoritarian state. Many have sacrificed all for this Ideal.

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