

Notes on the Barnhardt article on Women's Suffrage

Included is the full text of the article I read on Saturday, by Ann Barnhardt on Women's Suffrage. It's a great article, bringing up many factors that deserve careful consideration.

There is a lot of this article I do not agree with; I believe she is focused on this one aspect of societal deterioration and misses quite a few other contributing factors. Among those factors are migration within the US due to the Dust Bowl, impacting community cohesion; use of propaganda especially by the FDR administrations; proliferation of mass media by radio (who is the Prince of the Power of the Air? – hint; he's not a good guy); degradation of the currency as a prime *function* (not side effect, function) of the Federal Reserve Banking System; and the de-coupling of the privilege of voting from the payment of taxes.

As was stated early on Saturday – if you only ever listen to, or consider, that which you are already in agreement with, you will never learn anything! You may disagree with what Ann says 100%. You can still get a kick out of her humor, and you can hone and refine your own reasons for holding your beliefs by forming rebuttals to her hypothesis in your own mind. “Yes, you make a good point here, but it seems to me that you've missed this,” or “I disagree because.” Have fun considering her arguments, and picking them apart!