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President's Message

Dear Members & Associates,

Please note: We will not be accepting credit cards at our next luncheon meeting on March 14th, 2023.

We ask that as many of you who are able, would please **prepay for your luncheon online at: Mrwf.com. *We will ONLY be accepting cash or checks at our meeting on March 14th.**

We would like to thank Stanislaus County District Attorney Jeff Laugero, for giving us great information and updating us on his tireless efforts to hold criminals accountable. It's refreshing to know that Jeff is working together with multiple law enforcement entities to keep our community safe.

I'd like to thank all of you who have donated items for our Share the Purse drawing – your generosity is appreciated!

I can hardly believe that this coming year is an election year – we need ALL of you to be involved!

Remember – each one of you holds value. Be thinking *now* of how you can be involved: there are a myriad of ways that you can help. You'll be hearing more about this – so don't sit back. It's time to stand up and do the work so we can place more Republicans in office!!

Pray now for an unbeatable & unwavering Republican president in 2024!

Julie Carroll, President





Next Meeting: March 14th, 2023

Time: 11:30

Masonic Center of Modesto

*800 Rose Ave, Modesto

*COST: \$22 per person

*RSVP (209) 567-3399 or

ModestoRWF@gmail.com

****RSVP REQUIRED!! NO LATER than the Saturday PRIOR!**

Board of Directors:

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NOTICE:

NO CREDIT CARDS WILL BE ACCEPTED AT THE
MARCH LUNCHEON MEETING!!!

****CHECKS AND CASH WILL BE ACCEPTED**

You can pay for your membership

Or your lunch on our website:

Modestorwf.com

Upcoming

Dates/Events:

March 12th – Daylight Savings

March 14th – MRWF Luncheon meeting

March 17th – St Patrick's Day

Membership:

Renewal = 36

New = 10

Associate = 9

*Now faith is confidence in
what we hope for and assurance
about what we do not see.*

~Hebrews 11:1 NIV

MARCH FEATURED SPEAKER:
REPUBLICAN PARTY OF STANISLAUS COUNTY CHAIRMAN

JOEL CAMPOS



Joel Campos, Chairman of the Republican Party of Stanislaus County, has lived in Modesto for most of his life. Joel graduated from Thomas Downey High School in 2007. He then attended Modesto Junior College and CSU Stanislaus, graduating in 2012 with a bachelor's degree in geography. After graduating from CSU Stanislaus, Joel went on to earn a master of urban planning degree from San Jose State University.

In 2012, Joel joined the California Army National Guard (CARNG). Although formally a water treatment specialist, Joel has served in many roles in the CARNG, including 3 years on the state Honor Guard team, and an Iraq deployment as a Chinook helicopter crewmember. He was promoted through the ranks and currently serves as the First Sergeant of a national guard unit in Benicia, CA.

In his civilian life, Joel works as an associate regional planner at the San Joaquin Council of Governments in downtown Stockton. He enjoys helping the local jurisdictions plan, fund, and implement transportation projects.

Joel also serves on the Stanislaus Union School District Measure Y Bond Oversight Committee, and on Modesto's Equity Commission.

After 3 years as a member and ex-officio, in January 2023, Joel was voted in as the Chair of the Republican Party of Stanislaus County. Joel is excited to serve in this new role, and looks forward to doing what he can to get Republicans elected to office



What's happened to America.

Members and associate members of Modesto republican women,

This 4th of July in 2023 will celebrate 246 years of independence and freedom - 246 years this country's been free. This country protects the freedom of everyone domestic and international. This great country defends the weak countries to keep them free and to live a normal life. This is what America is about. This is why everyone liked to come to this great country legally - to enjoy the freedom that's been given to us by so much blood and sacrifice of our military. To keep us free and enjoy the life we have - that was old America.

Today America is being controlled by the communist and socialist administration called government. This administration is giving everything away to every country - and they forget about the American people, forget about our veterans who sacrificed to defend this freedom, forget about families who can't find formula for their babies. In all my life, I never thought one day America would be another Middle Eastern country where we cannot find formula and food for our people. President Biden is helping every other country to protect *their* borders, and he likes to give Ukrainian people a pension from American taxpayers, when we have our own problems in this country. Since he took over, our northern and southern borders are now open, the homeless issue is in every state, and drugs have killed so many young men and women in our country. I have only one question: does Biden and his administration care about the American people? The people who pay for everything in this country? The city of Palestine, Ohio has been under attack of toxic chemicals for over 2 weeks - and no one has bothered to visit and check on the innocent people who live there. Is this the America that we dream about ladies and gentlemen? It's really sad that crime is up in every state because of liberal district attorneys and attorney generals in some blue states. The victims do not have any rights anymore - the criminals have more rights. Is this the America you fought for? Are we going to sit and listen to government lies, and continue to watch government destroy this great country?

We can have the America we love back! We cannot give up on this freedom - we can fight, and we can keep control of the House, Senate, and White House. We can help our local law enforcement and our military. We can be LOUD - every single one of us can call our congressmen and let them know how we feel: send them e-mails and VOTE!! This way we can have our country back!!

My pain is beyond what anyone can know, because when I came to America 44 years ago, I was looking for the American dream and freedom. Now I'm afraid that the dream is gone. Our own administration is selling this country to China, to communists, and to liberals. I ask everyone to pray to have our country back. Pray for our law enforcement - they've been attacked left and right. Pray for our military. Pray for our freedom - God given freedom.

America today and for Ever

God bless America

Lydia Kanno

CFRW Treasurer





PRAY FOR OUR SERVICE MEMBERS DEPLOYED AROUND THE WORLD



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From the NFRW Armed Services Committee

As we begin 2023, America's military forces remain vigilant and deployed around the world on Navy ships and foreign bases, projecting power and hindering a potential adversary from establishing a threatening military presence in the area.

Currently the number of established bases are assessed to be around 800 in number, located in 177 countries and staffed by approximately 200,000 active troops with the potential to be "in harm's way" with little or no notice. Deployed forces continually train and exercise procedures to be prepared for any contingency.

Sometimes, spiritual intervention is called upon during the darkest hours of battle, as was reported during the Battle of Lepanto (1571) where prayer was a decisive element of the victory. Prayer continues to sustain and protect our military forces especially when deployed even today. Let us always keep American deployed troops in our prayers, that they will achieve their intended missions and return safely to us once again. God Bless America!



INFORMATION YOU SHOULD KNOW:

Fascism vs Communism vs Socialism

	Fascism	Communism	Socialism
Ideology	Far Right	Far Left (with Far Right tactics)	Far Left
Religion	Religious fundamentalism	Viewed as "the opium of the people"	Separation of church and state
Private Ownership	Allowed if it benefits the state	Not allowed; all property collectivized	Collective ownership over factors of production
Government Control	Authoritarian	Authoritarian	Central planning
Individual Freedom	Limited (as it serves the state)	None	Government serves the needs of the individual
Foreign Policy	Self-sufficient and nationalist	Spreads influence across national borders	International organization
Social Hierarchy	Rigid class structure	classlessness	Focus on helping the oppressed and vulnerable
Stance Toward Capitalism	Anti	Anti	Anti
Can Coexist With Democracy?	No; replaces democracy through electoral process	No; overturns democracy in revolution	Yes; becomes democratic socialism



MODESTO REPUBLICAN WOMEN FEDERATED MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

MEMBERSHIP IS FOR ONE YEAR, FROM JANUARY TO JANUARY

(Please Print)

NAME: _____ PHONE #: _____

SPOUSE'S NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

E-MAIL: _____

Type of Membership:

☐ New: \$37.⁰⁰

☐ Renewal: \$37.⁰⁰

☐ Associate: \$25.⁰⁰

How do you prefer to receive your newsletter: ☐ E-Mail

For more information call or email MRWF at **209.567.3399** or **ModestoRWF@gmail.com**.

- ★ Please make checks payable to: Modesto Republican Women Federated (MRWF) and mail it to: **MRWF at P.O. Box 1111, Modesto CA 95350**
- ★ You do not have to attend meetings to be a member or associate
- ★ Your membership dues will help support and further the Republican Cause

BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP IN REPUBLICAN WOMEN FEDERATED

Hear influential political and current event speakers ★ Participate in educational discussions ★ Work for the Republican Party ★ Meet candidates and work on their campaigns to help get them elected ★ Learn leadership skills ★ Become effective in influencing legislation ★ Develop new friendships with like-minded citizens ★ Find an avenue of involvement in the political process



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