**MODERN AMERICA LECTURE**

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS TO THE BEST OF YOUR ABILITY.

1. What had been happening in America that made Conservatives upset?
2. What happened to the political parties moving into the 1980’s?
3. Who did working class people blame America’s problems on?
4. What were the main points that would come to characterize Conservative Ideology?
5. Who was Jerry Falwell?
6. What was the Iran Hostage Crisis?
7. Who was Ronald Reagan and was his vision for America?
8. What is Reaganomics or “Trickle-Down” economics?
9. What was the Iran-Contra Affair?
10. What is meant by “Culture Wars” and what were some of the main topics?
11. Are these “Culture Wars” still going on today?
12. How long has immigration been an issue in America, have attitudes changed over time?
13. Who was George H.W. Bush?
14. What is significant about the Persian Gulf War of 1991?
15. What are some of the main Domestic Policy issues that occurred during the 1990’s?
16. Who was Bill Clinton?
17. What was the “Contract with America”?
18. Describe the Clinton Impeachment.
19. What are the main points of the Election of 2000?
20. Who was George W. Bush?
21. What was the impact of the United States as a result of Globalization?
22. What happened on 9.11.2001?
23. What was the impact of 9/11?
24. Why did President Bush invade Iraq in 2003?
25. Who became President in 2008? How many terms did he serve?