

Biblical Roots of the U.S. Constitution

Three branches of government:

Isaiah 33:22 For the LORD is our judge, the LORD is our lawgiver, the LORD is our king.

Separation of powers:

Jeremiah 17:9 “The heart is deceitful above all *things*, and desperately wicked: who can know it?” Thus, we balance the Executive by Legislative and Judicial oversight; the Legislative by Executive and Judicial oversight, The Judicial by Legislative and Executive oversight; and all three of those powers are accountable to “We the People,” through voting in honest elections, through service on Grand Juries and through service on trial juries.

Elections at national, state and local level:

Exodus 18:21 “Moreover thou shalt provide out of all the people able men, such as fear God, men of truth, hating covetousness; and place *such* over them, *to be* rulers of thousands, *and* rulers of hundreds, rulers of fifties, and rulers of tens.”

Qualifications of the President:

Article II, Section One

Deuteronomy 17:15 “Thou shalt in any wise set *him* king over thee, whom the LORD thy God shall choose: *one* from among thy brethren shalt thou set king over thee: thou mayest not set a stranger over thee, which is not thy brother.”

Personal responsibility:

Article III, Section Three, Paragraph 3 “. . .no attainder. . .except during the life of the person. . .”

Ezekiel 18:20 “The soul that sinneth, it shall die. The son shall not bear the iniquity of the father, neither shall the father bear the iniquity of the son: the righteousness of the righteous shall be upon him, and the wickedness of the wicked shall be upon him.”

Criminal charges:

Article II, Section Three, Paragraph 2, need for two or more witnesses.

Deuteronomy 17:6 “At the mouth of two witnesses, or three witnesses, shall he that is worthy of death be put to death; *but* at the mouth of one witness he shall not be put to death.”

Tax Exemptions:

Ezra 7:24 “We certify you, that touching any of the priests and Levites, singers, porters, Nethinims, or ministers of this house of God, it shall not be lawful to impose toll, tribute, or custom, upon them.”

Immigration structured:

Article 1, Section 8, Paragraph 4: “. . .uniform rule of naturalization. . .”

Leviticus 19:34 “The stranger that dwelleth with you shall be unto you as one born among you, and thou shalt love him as thyself; for ye were strangers in the land of Egypt: I *am* the LORD your God.”