GREAT TRUTHS

1. In my many years I have come to a  conclusion that one useless man is a
shame, two is a law firm and  three or more is a congress.

- **John Adams**

2. If you don't read the newspaper you  are uninformed, if you do read the
newspaper you are  misinformed.

- **Mark Twain**

3. Suppose you were an idiot.. And suppose you  were a member of Congress.
But then I repeat myself.

- **Mark  Twain**

4. I contend that for a nation to try to tax  itself into prosperity is
like a man standing in a bucket and trying  to lift himself up by the
handle.
 **- Winston  Churchil**

5. A government which robs Peter to pay Paul  can always depend on the
support of Paul.

- **George Bernard  Shaw**

6. A liberal is someone who feels a great debt  to his fellow man, which
debt he proposes to pay off with your  money.

- **G. Gordon Liddy**

7. Democracy must be something more than two  wolves and a sheep voting on
what to have for dinner.

- J**ames  Bovard, Civil Libertarian (1994)**

8. Foreign aid might be defined as a transfer  of money from poor people in
rich countries to rich people in poor  countries.

- **Douglas Casey, Classmate of Bill Clinton at  Georgetown University**

9. Giving money and power to government is  like giving whiskey and car
keys to teenage boys.

- **P.J.  O'Rourke, Civil Libertarian**

10. Government is the great fiction, through  which everybody endeavors to
live at the expense of everybody  else.

- **Frederic Bastiat, French  economist(1801-1850)**

11. Government's view of the economy could be  summed up in a few short
phrases: If it moves, tax it.. If it keeps  moving, regulate it. And if it
stops moving, subsidize it.

**-  Ronald Reagan (1986)**

12. I don't make jokes. I just watch the  government and report the facts.

- **Will Rogers**

13. If you think health care is  expensive now, wait until you see what it
costs when it's  free!

- **P.J. O'Rourke**

14. In general, the art of government consists  of taking as much money as
possible from one party of the citizens to  give to the other.

- **Voltaire (1764)**

15. Just because you do not take an  interest in politics doesn't mean
politics won't take an interest in  you!

- **Pericles (430 B.C.)**

16. No man's life, liberty, or property is  safe while the legislature is
in session.

- **Mark Twain  (1866)**

17. Talk is cheap... except when Congress does  it. **- Anonymous**

18. The government is like a baby's alimentary  canal, with a happy
appetite at one end and no responsibility at the  other.

**- Ronald Reagan**

19. The inherent vice of capitalism is the  unequal sharing of the
blessings. The inherent blessing of socialism  is the equal sharing of
misery.

- **Winston  Churchill**

20. The only difference between a tax man and  a taxidermist is that the
taxidermist leaves the skin.

 **Mark  Twain**

21. The ultimate result of shielding men from  the effects of folly is to
fill the world with fools.

**- Herbert  Spencer, English Philosopher (1820-1903)**

22. There is no distinctly Native American  criminal class... save Congress.

- **Mark Twain**

23. What this country needs are more  unemployed politicians.

- **Edward Langley, Artist  (1928-1995)**

24. A government big enough to give you  everything you want, is strong
enough to take everything you  have.

- **Thomas Jefferson**

25. We hang the petty thieves and appoint the  great ones to public office.

- **Aesop**