

VOTE CAMPAIGN
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In 1776...1 vote gave America the English Language instead of German...Proving that every vote does count...Each of us has the power of one...How will you use yours...??

In 1820...1 vote lost the re-election bid of James Monroe...The power of one...How will you use yours...??

In each of two state congressional delegations crossing the party line gave Thomas Jefferson the Presidency in 1800, after receiving a tie in the Electoral College...The power of one... what will you do with yours..??

In 1845...1 vote by Edward A. Hannigan admitted Texas as the 28th state in the union... The power of one...what will you do with yours..??

In 1958 ratified the Alaskan purchase paving the way for the admission of America's largest state...Alaska was purchased by the United States from Russia for 7.2 million dollars... The power of one...what will you do with yours..??

In 1868... just 1 vote shy, saved President Andrew Johnson's term during his impeachment...Not only was disgrace avoided, but a miscarriage of justice as well...history has shown that Johnson was a victim of politics...The actual tally was 35 to 19...just 1 vote shy of the 2/3'ds majority needed to oust him out of office... The power of one...what will you do with yours..??

In 1993...1 vote saved the International Space Station Project in the U.S. House... The power of one...what will you do with yours..??

In 2005, in a late night vote...1 vote passed (CAFTA) Central America Free Trade Agreement...an extension of (NAFTA)... The power of one...what will you do with yours..??

In 2006...1 vote short failed a constitutional amendment to the U.S. Constitution that would have banned the burning or otherwise desecrating the American Flag... The power of one...what will you do with yours..??

In 1836...1 more vote in the Electoral College would have kept the Vice Presidential race from being decided by the Senate... The power of one...what will you do with yours..??

In 1846...1 vote was the margin in the U.S. Senate that approved President Polk's request for a declaration of War against Mexico... The power of one...what will you do with yours..??

In 1899...1 vote authorized the annexation of the Philippines, Guam and Puerto Rico... The power of one...what will you do with yours..??

One vote per precinct, in one state elected Woodrow Wilson President in 1912... The power of one...what will you do with yours..??

In 1941...1 vote extended the tour of duty of the selective Service Act before World War II...just 4 months before Pearl Harbor was attacked...The term was extended from one year to two and a half years... The power of one...what will you do with yours..??

In 1919...1 vote in the U.S. Senate passed the resolution to amend the constitution to say that the right vote should not be withheld on the basis of sex... The power of one...what will you do with yours..??

In 1968...1 vote per precinct in three states would have made Hubert Humphrey President instead of Richard Nixon... The power of one...what will you do with yours..??

In 2004...1 vote in the U.S. Senate passed the Unborn Victims of Violence Act... The power of one...what will you do with yours..??

In 1994...1 vote by a U.S. House member broke a tie enacting a law banning specific classes of assault weapons... The power of one...what will you do with yours..??

In 1993...1 vote by the Vice President approved the President's budget that included the largest tax increase in American History... The power of one...what will you do with yours..??

If you do not vote, by default you cast your vote against the person or proposal you would prefer...When you do not vote, that vote is one less the opposition has to overcome... The power of one...what will you do with yours..??

In 1824...1 vote in the House of Representatives defeated front runner Andrew Jackson and elected John Quincy Adams as the nation's 6th President... The power of one...what will you do with yours..??

In 1923...members of the then recently formed revolutionary political party met to elect a leader in a Munich, Germany beer hall...By a majority of 1 vote; they chose an ex-soldier named Adolph Hitler to become the Nazi Party leader... The power of one...what will you do with yours..??

In 1649...1 vote literally cost King Charles I of England his head...The vote was 67 against and 68 for... The power of one...what will you do with yours..??

The word of the week is VOTE...a noun...a formal expression of preference or choice made in an election...Your vote counts...Make sure you use it...it's your right... it's your privilege...

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