1996 National Election Studies
Post-Election Survey

Respondent Booklet

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100° VERY WARM OR FAVORABLE FEELING

85° QUITE WARM OR FAVORABLE FEELING

70° FAIRLY WARM OR FAVORABLE FEELING

60° A BIT MORE WARM OR FAVORABLE THAN COLD FEELING

50° NO FEELING AT ALL

40° A BIT MORE COLD OR UNFAVORABLE FEELING

30° FAIRLY COLD OR UNFAVORABLE FEELING

15° QUITE COLD OR UNFAVORABLE FEELING

0° VERY COLD OR UNFAVORABLE FEELING

DON'T RECOGNIZE NAME
1. AGREE STRONGLY
2. AGREE SOMEWHAT
3. NEITHER AGREE NOR DISAGREE
4. DISAGREE SOMEWHAT
5. DISAGREE STRONGLY
GOVERNMENT HELP FOR BLACKS

1 2 3 4 5 6 7

GOVERNMENT SHOULD MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO HELP BLACKS

GOVERNMENT SHOULD NOT MAKE SPECIAL EFFORT TO HELP BLACKS
1. BY LAW, PRAYERS SHOULD NOT BE ALLOWED IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

2. THE LAW SHOULD ALLOW PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO SCHEDULE A TIME WHEN CHILDREN CAN PRAY SILENTLY IF THEY WANT TO.

3. THE LAW SHOULD ALLOW PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO SCHEDULE A TIME WHEN CHILDREN, AS A GROUP, CAN SAY A GENERAL PRAYER NOT TIED TO A PARTICULAR RELIGIOUS FAITH.

4. BY LAW, PUBLIC SCHOOLS SHOULD SCHEDULE A TIME WHEN ALL CHILDREN WOULD SAY A CHOSEN CHRISTIAN PRAYER.
1. AGREE STRONGLY
2. AGREE SOMewhat
3. NEITHER AGREE NOR DISAGREE
4. DISAGREE SOMewhat
5. DISAGREE STRONGLY
1. SHOULD NOT BE CUT
2. SHOULD BE CUT BY 10%
3. SHOULD BE CUT BY 15%
4. SHOULD BE CUT BY 20%
5. SHOULD BE CUT BY 30%
6. SHOULD BE CUT BY MORE THAN 30%
01. POOR PEOPLE  
02. ASIAN-AMERICANS  
03. LIBERALS  
04. THE ELDERLY  
05. BLACKS  
06. LABOR UNIONS  
07. FEMINISTS  
08. SOUTHERNERS  
09. BUSINESS PEOPLE  
10. YOUNG PEOPLE  
11. CONSERVATIVES  
12. HISPANIC-AMERICANS  
13. WOMEN  
14. WORKING-CLASS PEOPLE  
15. WHITES  
16. MIDDLE-CLASS PEOPLE  
17. MEN
The government in Washington ought to reduce income differences between rich and poor.

The government shouldn't concern itself with reducing this income difference between rich and poor.
1. A GREAT DEAL
2. QUITE A BIT
3. SOME
4. VERY LITTLE
5. NONE
1. A CONTINUATION OF THE TWO-PARTY SYSTEM OF DEMOCRATS AND REPUBLICANS

2. ELECTIONS IN WHICH CANDIDATES RUN AS INDIVIDUALS WITHOUT PARTY LABELS

3. THE GROWTH OF ONE OR MORE PARTIES THAT COULD EFFECTIVELY CHALLENGE THE DEMOCRATS AND REPUBLICANS
1  2  3  4  5

POLITICAL PARTIES IN THE UNITED STATES CARE ABOUT WHAT ORDINARY PEOPLE THINK

POLITICAL PARTIES IN THE UNITED STATES DON'T CARE ABOUT WHAT ORDINARY PEOPLE THINK
POLITICAL PARTIES ARE NECESSARY TO MAKE OUR POLITICAL SYSTEM WORK

POLITICAL PARTIES ARE NOT NEEDED IN THE UNITED STATES
1  2  3  4  5

MEMBERS OF CONGRESS KNOW WHAT ORDINARY PEOPLE THINK

MEMBERS OF CONGRESS DON'T KNOW MUCH ABOUT WHAT ORDINARY PEOPLE THINK
IT MAKES A DIFFERENCE WHO IS IN POWER

IT MAKES NO DIFFERENCE WHO IS IN POWER
VOTING CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE TO WHAT HAPPENS