

Chapter 1 : Meet the Faculty

Meet Brandon Straka, a gay former liberal encouraging others to #WalkAway from Democrats Brandon Straka became a conservative-media darling after posting a video about "walking away" from the left.

Leader Over the past 10 years it has become harder for millions of Canadians to get ahead. I have a different plan, to invest immediately in jobs and growth and lower taxes for the middle-class. My vision of our country is a place where everyone has a shot at success because we have the confidence and leadership to invest in Canadians. This vision is very much shaped by my experiences, and the influences upon me – Trudeau and Sinclair, father and mother, French and English, East and West. Teacher After graduating from McGill in with a B. That summer, in a quiet moment of reflection on a hillside, I realized my next step: I would become a schoolteacher. This would be my way of having a positive influence in the world. After years of teaching on the West Coast, I decided that it was time to return home to Quebec. I loved Vancouver, had a great group of friends, loved the mountains and the ocean, but at thirty, I was starting to feel that it was time to settle down and possibly start a family. My co-host for the evening was a charming Quebec TV and radio host. We had a great time chatting that night, and by the end of the gala I knew she was a very special woman. A few months later, at the end of August, I was walking up Boulevard Saint-Laurent when a voice passing in the other direction offered a cursory "Salut, Justin. It took a few weeks of chatting by email and phone, but I was persistent. Sophie finally agreed to a dinner date. We went to the Khyber Pass, on Duluth, for Afghan food, and talked about a hundred different things, returning often to my brother Michel, my father, and shared memories from the s. As our first date drew to a close, I felt a giddy sense that Sophie would be the last woman I ever dated. It took her a few weeks to realize I was serious, and a few more to agree with me. We have been together ever since. In February of , Sophie sat me down and showed me something that would change my life: All my life I had wanted more than anything to become a dad. Sophie and I had wanted kids almost since the day we got married. I felt pure excitement and anticipation. Xavier James Trudeau was born October 18, , the day my dad would have turned eighty-eight. His middle name was a nod to my Grampa Sinclair. He would grow strong and athletic, fearless on the field and in the water, but shy in new situations with new people. Ella was luminous and peaceful, but with a will, determination, and quick mind that soon had her running circles around the rest of the household. Well, no big surprise: Five years later our third child, Hadrien, entered the world and continues to add more joy to our lives every day. It prompts a few simple questions: Is the time I spend away from my family worth it? Was I building a better future for them, focused on serving the world they would grow up in? Advocate By , I was getting called upon more and more often to speak at conferences and various events on youth or environmental issues. I was also on the board of the Canadian Avalanche Foundation, where I promoted avalanche safety through events at ski resorts across the West, pressured provincial governments in B. I also began to feel that a generational change was approaching, one that might open up new possibilities. It was against this backdrop that I made my first steps into politics. So much of politics is fleeting and ephemeral. Justin Trudeau Leader My career as a politician began in a parking lot. A grocery store parking lot, to be precise, directly across the street from a shawarma restaurant and a barbershop. It was just me with a clipboard, approaching strangers to ask if they would pay ten dollars to purchase a Liberal Party membership. It was the opening days of the nomination battle to choose the candidate who would carry the Liberal banner in Papineau once the election was called. I was in the fight armed with limited money, barely any retail-politics experience, a couple of friends as volunteers, and a staff of one, who happened to be my wife. I felt I had gotten to know the people of the riding and their concerns. Thanks to the support of people I had met during those months, I won on the first ballot that evening, taking of 1, ballots casts. From late through the first half of , I continued to campaign enthusiastically in Papineau. During the election campaign of that year, my days began at seven, when I stood outside one of the nine metro stations in the riding handing leaflets to commuters rushing to catch their morning trains. When morning rush hour ended I began mainstreeting at stores and restaurants throughout the riding. Lunch was usually shared with volunteers in the campaign office to help keep them motivated. On election night, I was elected to win

Papineau by a narrow margin. It was hard work, but I loved every minute of it. Most of all, I loved the interaction with the people of Papineau. Like many Canadian adventures, my campaign for Leadership of the Liberal Party began around a campfire. A group of close friends, advisers, and family was gathered at Mont Tremblant in July of I said a few words about what I hoped we would accomplish over the course of the weekend. I talked about how it was very important that we come out of our gathering with a shared sense of purpose. I asked everyone to answer a simple but important question: It was a heartening conversation. When it was my turn to answer the question, I concluded very simply that I believed this country was better than its current government. Canadians are broad minded and big hearted, fair and honest, hard working, hopeful, and kind. I said Canada had some big issues to tackle, but none bigger than those we had successfully wrestled in the past. Too many people were being left out and left behind in Mr. Soon after I made up my mind to run, I recognized this leadership campaign would be different. We would have to draw in the passengers, build the train as we rode it, and lay most of the track at the same time. This is where the idea of hope and hard work started to take shape. We needed both a solid work plan and the positive outlook to build the numbers and momentum that would draw in the kinds of people required to get the job done. Over the course of my leadership, I would come back to the same issues over and over again: These were the pillars upon which we wanted to build our campaign, and a program for governing this country. On election night, Canadians told us they shared that vision, and entrusted the Liberal Party with a majority government “ with seats in every province and territory across the country. I am deeply grateful to have this opportunity to serve you ” and every Canadian across our great country. I am committed to leading an open, honest government that is accountable to Canadians, lives up to the highest ethical standards, brings our country together, and applies the utmost care and prudence in the handling of public funds. Thank you for taking this journey with me, and thank you for putting your trust in our team. We are dreamers, innovators, builders. We know that in Canada, better is always possible. And we deserve a government that knows that too. Justin Trudeau Read time remaining: Get the shorter version.

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CNN's Don Lemon made national headlines just recently when he refused to cover Susan Rice, and the matter of her unmasking of names of those tied to President Donald Trump. He said it was a non.

Hollywood celebrities are losing their minds and Alyssa Milano is only one of many. Here are just a few of the major meltdown moments: Cant wait for November! You can get mad and also get even. You can do both. We are stronger than this bullshit. We can fight and fight and we may not see the results right away, but we will see them. Our daughters will see them. Ford risked everything to tell the truth about this privileged Kavanaugh goon. Avenge her in November. We men need to remain vocal af about the fact that we do indeed care about and recognize and respect you women and that we will continue to fight for decency for all Americans. How the Democrats got outplayed on Kavanaugh https: I personally vow to be as gentle as I can be now. Even if Brett Kavanaugh is innocent â€” which I do not believe â€” ALL he had to do to bolster the appearance of judicial fitness was to keep his cool for just a few hours. Only a few hours of even-tempered composure. He is unfit for the sobriety of this job. They use their celebrity status and blue checkmarks to push their liberal agenda. Nothing is more obnoxious than famous people telling us average people how to vote and what politicians will improve our lives. Do these people live paycheck to paycheck? Stop trying to be the champion of every minority group. We have minds and the ability to make our own decisions. After all, what happened to being an individual? And the greatest gift our Founding Fathers gave us was the power to elect those who run our nation. Welcome to our wonderful Republic, liberal America.

Chapter 3 : Conservative vs. Liberal Beliefs

A conservative encounters an elitist liberal. A pleasant conversation ensues. This is that conversation. Watch more conversations with a liberal at: <http://>

Copyright revised StudentNewsDaily. We all want the same things in life. We want freedom; we want the chance for prosperity; we want as few people suffering as possible; we want healthy children; we want to have crime-free streets. The argument is how to achieve them! Liberals believe in government action to achieve equal opportunity and equality for all. It is the duty of the government to alleviate social ills and to protect civil liberties and individual and human rights. Believe the role of the government should be to guarantee that no one is in need. Liberal policies generally emphasize the need for the government to solve problems. Conservatives believe in personal responsibility, limited government, free markets, individual liberty, traditional American values and a strong national defense. Believe the role of government should be to provide people the freedom necessary to pursue their own goals. Conservative policies generally emphasize empowerment of the individual to solve problems. And check out our page: In the United States, liberals are referred to as the left or left-wing and conservatives are referred to as the right or right-wing. In alphabetical order

Abortion Liberal A woman has the right to decide what happens with her body. A fetus is not a human life, so it does not have separate individual rights. The government should provide taxpayer funded abortions for women who cannot afford them. Women have the right to affordable, safe and legal abortions, including partial birth abortion. Conservative Human life begins at conception. Abortion is the murder of a human being. An unborn baby, as a living human being, has separate rights from those of the mother. Taxpayer dollars should not be used for the government to provide abortions. The head is then removed from the uterus.

Affirmative Action Liberal Due to prevalent racism in the past, minorities were deprived of the same education and employment opportunities as whites. The government must work to make up for that. America is still a racist society, therefore a federal affirmative action law is necessary. Due to unequal opportunity, minorities still lag behind whites in all statistical measurements of success. Conservative Individuals should be admitted to schools and hired for jobs based on their ability. It is unfair to use race as a factor in the selection process. Reverse-discrimination is not a solution for racism. Some individuals in society are racist, but American society as a whole is not. Preferential treatment of certain races through affirmative action is wrong.

Death Penalty Liberal The death penalty should be abolished. Imprisonment is the appropriate punishment for murder. Every execution risks killing an innocent person. Economy Liberal A market system in which government regulates the economy is best. Government must protect citizens from the greed of big business. Unlike the private sector, the government is motivated by public interest. Government regulation in all areas of the economy is needed to level the playing field. Conservative The free market system, competitive capitalism, and private enterprise create the greatest opportunity and the highest standard of living for all. Free markets produce more economic growth, more jobs and higher standards of living than those systems burdened by excessive government regulation. Vouchers take money away from public schools. Government should focus additional funds on existing public schools, raising teacher salaries and reducing class size. Conservative School vouchers create competition and therefore encourage schools to improve performance. Vouchers will give all parents the right to choose good schools for their children, not just those who can afford private schools. It is necessary and ethical for the government to fund embryonic stem cell research, which will assist scientists in finding treatments and cures for diseases. An embryo is not a human. The tiny blastocyst embryos used in embryonic stem cell research has no human features. Embryonic stem cells have the potential to cure chronic and degenerative diseases which current medicine has been unable to effectively treat. Embryonic stem cells have been shown to be effective in treating heart damage in mice. Conservative Support the use of adult and umbilical cord stem cells only for research. It is morally and ethically wrong for the government to fund embryonic stem cell research. Human life begins at conception. The extraction of stem cells from an embryo requires its destruction. In other words, it requires that a human life be killed. Adult stem cells are derived from umbilical cords, placentas, amniotic fluid, various tissues and organ systems like skin

and the liver, and even fat obtained from liposuction. Embryonic stem cells have not been successfully used to help cure disease. Energy Liberal Oil is a depleting resource. Other sources of energy must be explored. The government must produce a national plan for all energy resources and subsidize partially pay for alternative energy research and production. Support increased exploration of alternative energy sources such as wind and solar power. Support government control of gas and electric industries. Conservative Oil, gas and coal are all good sources of energy and are abundant in the U. Oil drilling should be increased both on land and at sea. Increased domestic production creates lower prices and less dependence on other countries for oil. Support increased production of nuclear energy. Wind and solar sources will never provide plentiful, affordable sources of power. Support private ownership of gas and electric industries. A person has a right to die with dignity, by his own choice. A terminally ill person should have the right to choose to end pain and suffering. It is wrong for the government to take away the means for a terminally ill person to hasten his death. It is wrong to force a person to go through so much pain and suffering. Legalizing euthanasia would not lead to doctor-assisted suicides of non-critical patients. Permitting euthanasia would reduce health care costs, which would then make funds available for those who could truly benefit from medical care. Conservative Neither euthanasia nor physician-assisted suicide should be legalized. It is immoral and unethical to deliberately end the life of a terminally ill person euthanasia , or enable another person to end their own life assisted suicide. The goal should be compassionate care and easing the suffering of terminally ill people. Legalizing euthanasia could lead to doctor-assisted suicides of non-critical patients. If euthanasia were legalized, insurance companies could pressure doctors to withhold life-saving treatment for dying patients. Many religions prohibit suicide and euthanasia. These practices devalue human life. Proposed laws to reduce carbon emissions in the U. Many reputable scientists support this theory. Conservative Change in global temperature is natural over long periods of time. Proposed laws to reduce carbon emissions will do nothing to help the environment and will cause significant price increases for all. Gun Control Liberal The Second Amendment does not give citizens the right to keep and bear arms, but only allows for the state to keep a militia National Guard. Individuals do not need guns for protection; it is the role of local and federal government to protect the people through law enforcement agencies and the military. Additional gun control laws are necessary to stop gun violence and limit the ability of criminals to obtain guns. More guns mean more violence. Conservative The Second Amendment gives citizens the right to keep and bear arms. Individuals have the right to defend themselves. There are too many gun control laws “ additional laws will not lower gun crime rates. What is needed is enforcement of current laws. Gun control laws do not prevent criminals from obtaining guns. More guns in the hands of law-abiding citizens mean less crime. Full text of the Second Amendment to the U. Every American has a right to affordable health care. The government should provide equal health care benefits for all, regardless of their ability to pay. Conservative Support competitive, free market health care system. All Americans have access to health care. The debate is about who should pay for it.

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Meet The Liberals Who Want To Be Your Next Governor By Matt Kittle - February 9, Andy Gronik, Badgercare, Bob Harlow, Citizen Action of Wisconsin, Democrats, Health Care, Kelda Roys, Liberals, Mahlon Mitchell, Matt Flynn, Michele Doolan, Mike McCabe, Obamacare, Tony Evers.

Stephanie Merrick Follow stelisew February 7, The ratings are based on roll-call votes from and compared on an ideological scale. Votes on noncontroversial issues and issues that fall along regional lines were not included. Below are the ten most liberal senators in The ratings were decided based on votes in the Senate. Schatz, Schumer, and Murphy all received the same scores on economic, social, and foreign policy issues. The three are 93 percent more liberal than the rest of the Senate on economic issues, 73 percent more liberal on social issues, and 71 percent more liberal on foreign policy issues. They received a composite liberal score of Brian Schatz was elected in to fill the term of Daniel Inouye, who passed away in late Prior to his term in the Senate, Schatz served as lieutenant governor of Hawaii and in the Hawaii state house. Additionally, he was the chairman of the Hawaii Democratic Party from Schatz is up for reelection in Chuck Schumer was first elected to the Senate in Schumer has spent 40 years in elected office, serving in the New York state assembly from and then the United States House from to Chris Murphy is the junior senator from Connecticut and was elected in He is currently the youngest person in the Senate. Murphy is up for reelection in Mazie Hirono is more liberal on economic issues than 92 percent of the Senate. She is 73 percent more liberal on social issues and 71 percent more liberal on foreign policy issues. She received a composite liberal score of Hirono is serving her first term in the Senate. Hirono will be up for reelection in Tie Barbara Mikulski, Kirsten Gillibrand, Al Franken, Maria Cantwell, Richard Blumenthal, Tammy Baldwin These six senators are 82 percent more liberal than the rest of the Senate on economic issues, 73 percent more liberal on social issues, and 71 percent more liberal on foreign policy issues. They received a composite ranking of Barbara Mikulski is serving her 5th term in the U. Kirsten Gillibrand was appointed to the Senate in Gillibrand had cast conservative votes on gun issues while serving in the House of Representatives. However, she modified several of her positions that were out of step with the party after meeting with Democratic leadership. Gillibrand is serving her first full term, which will expire in Al Franken is the junior senator in Minnesota. He was elected in Prior to his political career, Franken was a comedy writer and radio talk show host. He wrote for Saturday Night Live after graduating college until , when he decided to pursue a career as a political commentator. Franken is up for reelection in Maria Cantwell is serving her third term, having been elected in Cantwell previously served in the U. House from to , and the Washington state House from She will be up for reelection in Richard Blumenthal was elected in to his first term in the Senate. Blumenthal served in both the Connecticut state House and state Senate. He is up for reelection in Tammy Baldwin was elected to her first term in the Senate in She has a consistently liberal voting record. Her win in the Democratic primary is attributed to her support of abortion rights. Baldwin is up for reelection in

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Meet the Liberals, Part One: Since Mark Viverito was the city council member for the area, she was there to make a little dedicatory speech which she made in English praising the theater company for everything they had done for the community. When we were done, I went and stood there as well, just to look up and down the street and get some air. Anyway, we were both standing there, and this guy comes walking up in bad shape. I saw him from the corner, weaving a little bit while he walked. He had dark skin, and some kind of a West Indian accent, and he had obviously just shot heroine. Anyone who understood anything about history, anything about social realities, colonialism, imperialism, racism, slavery, oppression, anything about life, someone with the wisdom and insight of, say, my four year old daughter, would have felt sorry for this guy, and angry about the conditions that had him in that condition. Melissa, on the other hand, was looking after him with utter disgust. Where are the police? Boy, Melissa got my attention that day. Real wages are dropping and profits are soaring, but liberals want workers to be quiet and go to work and do their jobs and vote democrat, and corporations will agree to be more generous Why would corporations do that unless workers force them to? Millions of migrant workers have been forced out of their own countries by free trade agreements that give every advantage to US corporations, and liberals want migrants to stay where they are and they want corporations to provide more and better paying jobs in the US. Why would immigrants or corporations act like that? How would the market stop gentrification and displacement? That makes sense, when you look at the way they all end up rich after they leave office; rich or in jail. If you look at what she says, Melissa is a little hard to understand. She worked as an organizer for SEIU, but she has all kinds of capital invested. I was also right in my guess about her perfectly pronounced Englishâ€”she went to le Escuela San Jorge, in San Juan, one of the most prestigious private schools in Puerto Rico, and she grew up in El Condado, which is something like growing up on the Upper East Side, only anyone who has the money can move to the Upper East Side. Some leftists say the same thing about people like Lenin and Marx. Melissa is a good example of a rich person looking out for her own interests. Somehow she managed to get a reputation as a progressive, just like our current mayor; maybe we should look at the record to see what progressive means to them. First of all, in a district where just about every single resident rents their apartment, Melissa has taken thousands and thousands of dollars of campaign donations from landlords. First she voted for the Columbia University expansion, which will move Columbia further uptown, and help push the Dominican community out of Washington Heights. That vote was even uncomfortable for liberalsâ€”a lot of council members refused to vote because the vote was rushed onto the agenda weeks before it was scheduled. This plan again used eminent domain; you remember eminent domain? But in this case, and in the case of Columbia, the city has used eminent domain to force people out of their homes and businesses so that other, richer businesses could invest there. They will also, of course, rent ground floor space to friendly small businesses like Gap and H and M, so that your dollars, instead of going back into your community, can contribute to fires, building collapses, and unbelievable exploitation in Bangladesh, the Dominican Republic, and Thailand. The reason that I thought about Melissa, and decided to write about her after all these years, was a moving and sensitive portrait of her that I recently read. When the building collapsed a few weeks ago, on th Street, the heart of her district and El Barrio, Melissa got directions on how to get up there and rushed uptown to be photographed at the scene, looking concerned. Anyone would be a little worn out. What stopped me cold was this quote: Meet the Liberals is a feature that will appear occasionally in this blog, so we can get to know the nicer and more sympathetic of the people who exploit us Advertisements.

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The group, A Strong Canada, was inspired by MacLean's writer Scott Gilmore, husband of Liberal Environment Minister Catherine McKenna.. During the recent CPC leadership campaign, when the party seemed to be leaning towards choosing Kevin O'Leary or Maxime Bernier, Gilmore tried to create a strange Red Tory counter movement.

But there is one contingent of liberals who take a very different view. They believe, cheerfully, that Trump is nothing less than the second coming of campaign finance reform. He has pulled back the curtain. David Donnelly, president of the nonpartisan group Every Voice, a leading nonprofit that advocates for campaign finance laws, agreed. And the truth is that he is emblematic of the problem itself. A spokesperson for Trump could not be reached for comment. Trump realDonaldTrump July 28, Then came the debates, where Trump cleverly positioned satellite candidates around Planet Donald by recounting how he had purchased their fealty. I give to everybody. When they call, I give. And you know what? When I need something from them, two years later, three years later, I call them, and they are there for me. A politician not beholden to these crony funders. How much trust could candidates gain just by proposing election reform? But the billionaire may still have a few pleasant surprises left to hand reformers. Indeed, Trump has yet to propose any concrete solutions of his own, Potter and other reformers note but has only held himself up as immune to corruption on account of his billionaire status. But that itself only underlines the outstanding issue, Potter said. Elect me, because I can afford to self-finance. Yet reformers agreed that Trump or rather, his voters show little sign of cooling off. This article has been updated to reflect that Lessig said he would "link up" with Trump only if Trump promised to tackle campaign finance reform and then return to his life as an entertainer. Ben Wofford is a researcher at Politico Magazine. Aaron Mak and Isabelle Taft contributed reporting. This article tagged under:

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Liberal to it's core. Commentator, Chuck Todd's wife, is a political consultant for the Democratic Party. NBC is owned by COMCAST, and it's president and CEO, Brian L. Roberts, is a golf buddy of ex-President Obama, who lobbied successfully for Comcast Time Warner Merger during Obama's run.

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Liberals are constantly telling us that women are fragile creatures who need to be nurtured and protected by the government in one breath but then, in another breath, they demand equality.