



Thank you for checking out *“The Constitution”*. We hope that you have as much fun exploring this product as we had putting it together. Learning is a lifelong process, and there is endless material to explore. We like to check out the world. If you do too, then let us share our explorations with you.

a description . . .

“The Constitution” is an electronic document—a sort of book—that includes illustrations, fancy fonts & formatting, and a feature called “Hypertext”.

Hypertext lets the author create connections between related areas of the material. This is used here to interconnect the United States Constitution and its amendments. This document uses the Windows™ Help Reader (winhelp.exe) as an interface.

The Constitution includes:

- the Declaration of Independence,
- the complete Constitution of the United States, with Hypertext links from articles to amendments
- over one thousand search terms into these documents

This makes *The Constitution* a do-it-yourself study guide to the U.S. Constitution, and an introduction to the American Revolution!

installing The Constitution

The most difficult part is figuring out where to put this product. You probably don't have a directory for books and magazines on your hard disk. (May we suggest you create one?) Once you move the files to where you want them to stay, you may run Const in one of three ways:

1. Use Run: [**const.exe**] from the program manager or file manager File Run menu option. (This is known as the UGLY method, as it provides an uncomfortable reminder of DOS.)
2. Find **const.exe** with the file manager and double-click it.
3. Create a nice icon entry in one of your Program manager folders. Goodness knows, the author spent a lot of time designing that nifty little Icon. Besides, it's the right thing to do for the kids.

Be sure to check out the Bookmark, Printing, and Annotation capabilities of the Help viewer. These make the viewer an excellent platform for research and reference.

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Please give some thought to paying for this product. Everything in life seems to boil down to a tradeoff between time and money. Help us by making our time worth something. Thanks!

—The Editor