



Catch the Burning Flag captures the passion and oratory of Henry Hyde's commitment to the rule of law. The book is very readable, a brief 188 pages with an Introduction by Henry Hyde and a Forward by Robert Novak. Each of the five chapters begin with Hyde's random observations on the speeches that follow.

Topics range from Term Limits, Impeachments, China, Iran-Contra, Partial Birth Abortion, to Twenty-First Century government. One could also pick up the book, open randomly, pick a paragraph: you would find thoughtful insights.

Henry Hyde's introduction concludes: Some may consider the speeches in this book ideological. I like to think of them as thoughtful. I don't want to preach to the choir; I do not want to preach at all. I do ask for a hearing, because even my advanced middle age, as I begin my ninth decade, has not altered my commitment to the causes and principles that shaped the speeches which follow.

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