



A Journey Through the Story of Hemp

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As most of us know, most of the history in America has been skewed to meet whatever agenda or "pot of gold" is currently on the table. Understand that the history of Hemp is no different.

Hemp cultivation has been traced back to Central Asia in regions currently known as China and Taiwan, between 8000 and 2800 B.C.E. The Yangshao culture began weaving Hemp producing clothes as early as 4000 B.C.E. Cultivation eventually spread during the Middle Ages and was practiced in Africa, Europe, and South America. Hemp is one of the world's first agricultural crops initially used in pottery, food, and as medicine in both the seed and oil forms.

Hemp was an essential ingredient in so many products that British colonies were compelled by law to grow Hemp. Its durable fibers made it a necessity.

The Pilgrims stocked every Mayflower with plenty of hemp seeds, knowing how vital hemp fiber was to the ropes and sails used for their voyages and the many other functional building materials produced from Hemp.



History claims the first traces of Hemp found in North America between 1906 and 1611 came from English settlers. The first Mayflower got to Jamestown in 1620. We also know the dates of the slave trade go back to the 1400s and 1500s, which may explain the inconsistency as to when Hemp arrived in the U.S. Convenient lies???

American farmers began growing Hemp. It became a widely used ingredient in commerce, producing high-quality rope, canvas, clothing, paper, fuel for lamps, etc. By the mid-1600, 's Hemp was an essential staple to the economy of the northeast U.S.

Notably, the declaration of independence was written on hemp paper, and the first U.S. president, George Washington, grew Hemp on his estate.

U.S. History

Fast forward to 1914, and Hemp has become a highly divided yet versatile crop. Their Industrial Hemp is used for food, textiles, medicine, building materials, skincare, etc., and Cannabis has a psychoactive component that makes users feel high. In 1930 under President Hoover, the Federal Bureau of Narcotics was established. Cannabis would soon get renamed as marijuana and eventually be branded as toxic for the community. In 1937 the Marijuana Tax Act was established, and the government began taxing hemp farmers. Part of the Act declared marijuana illegal. Hemp continued to be grown but at a much slower pace. A mild resurgence at the end of World War II didn't last long. Finally, in 1970, the Controlled Substance Act listed marijuana on the same schedule 1 narcotic list as heroin and LSD. The law did not differentiate between Hemp and Cannabis, so Hemp was also determined to be illegal. F.Y.I.: No one has ever overdosed and died from Cannabis. The 13-year prohibition of alcohol ended in 1933.

The government did tons of studies on Cannabis. President, I am not a crook. Nixon was looking for negative statistics, but there weren't any downsides to report. With no scientific proof, the government created fear saying people who used marijuana became sexually promiscuous, acted irrationally, and committed violent crimes. Media campaigns were published to control the thoughts of the public.

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Andrew Mellon - March 1855 - August 1937 (Banker, U.S. Treasury Secretary, Alcoa, trialed for tax fraud, major shareholder at Dupont) - Dupont had patents to manufacture plastics from petroleum products. Dupont is known for its synthetic textiles still today.

William R. Hearst - April 1863 - August 1951 (Hearst Communications, Newspaper publisher, 2-time Congressman, Miner, Rancher, and Forest owner. Known for being a newspaper publisher.

Hemp is natural and can be grown anywhere in the world without much water and, more critically, without pesticides. It can be used for animal feed, meaning fewer chemicals in your food. One acre of Hemp provides as much oxygen as 25 acres of forest. You can produce far more paper with Hemp than with trees. Hemp grows in 4 months and can make biodegradable plastic and biofuel. Other trees take generations to grow to maturity. Clothes made with Hemp are incredibly durable and environmentally friendly.



2022 Hemp/Cannabis is finally free in most states here in the U.S.

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Jimi Hendrix