Crafton Hills College POLIT-100 Prof. Hellerman ASSIGNMENT #4

Do not forget to include your name and class day and time (M10, M1, T10, F9).

DOUBLE SPACED (single-spaced papers will **NOT** be accepted): **12-pt. or 14 pt. font, please**.

Answer the questions in order, NUMBERED and LETTERED in the prescribed format below. Yes, you <u>MUST</u> do it that way. <u>YOU</u> <u>AUTOMATICALLY FAIL THE WHOLE ASSIGNMENT IF YOU</u> <u>DON'T!</u>

Write an answer for each of the following questions (again, numbered, in order, <u>according to prescribed format</u>):

APPLY <u>the three main criteria</u> (re: Lecture #16) that many historians and political scientists use to determine what makes for a great, good and/or successful president (applied retrospectively; that is, many years after he has left office) **to**

- I. <u>One president from either the 19th or 20th Century</u> that you consider great, good and/or successful who generally met <u>all</u> <u>three of the main criteria</u>, noting some of his accomplishments that qualify <u>specifically under each criteria</u>:
 - 1. Responding to Crisis (or Crises)
 - 2. Utilizing the Office for Leadership and Good Public Policy
 - 3. Leaving the Nation Better Off
- II. One president from either the 19th or 20th Century that you consider weak, poor and/or unsuccessful and why he may be considered a failure <u>specifically under the same criteria as above, and why:</u>
 - 1. (Not) Responding to Crisis (or Crises)

- 2. (Not) Utilizing the Office for Leadership and Good Public Policy
- 3. (Not) Leaving the Nation Better Off

DO NOT CITE: George Washington, Abraham Lincoln, Theodore Roosevelt, Franklin D. Roosevelt, Warren G. Harding or William Henry Harrison; nor ANY PRESIDENT OF THE 21st Century! (Anyone who cites any of these aforementioned presidents and/or G.W. Bush, Barack Obama, or Donald Trump <u>will automatically fail the entire assignment!)</u>

IMPORTANT:

*****Full source citation in a **<u>BIBLIOGRAPHY/WORKS CITED</u>** <u>SECTION is required for all the sources used for this assignment.</u>

*******HOWEVER:** YOU DO NOT HAVE TO USE FOOTNOTES OR ENDNOTES FOR EACH CITATION (though you may do so, if so you choose). Just **BE CONSISTENT** and <u>make sure to cite web sources</u> <u>properly</u>.

<u>ChatGPT ADDENDUM</u>: Run your topic for each president through ChatGPT and include what you get w/ your assignment. (Yes, you can use ChatGPT as a starting point for research, but you still must write your own paper.)

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