

Lecture # 10: The Women's Movement (A Brief US History)

- I. Mary Wollstonecraft (c. 1780's/90's) *A Vindication of the Rights of Women* (1792)
- II. Early US Society
 - A. Tocqueville's Observations
- III. Seneca Falls (1848)
- IV. Post-Civil War
 - A. Women's Suffrage (framed against universal male suffrage; link to Temperance Movement)
 1. XIX Amendment to US Constitution (1919)
 - B. 1920's "Sexual Revolution"
- V. Reproductive Rights
 - A. Margaret Sanger, et. al.
 - B. The Pill (late 1950's); *Griswold*
 - C. *Roe v. Wade* (1973)
- VI. Modern Feminism
 - A. Betty Friedan: *The Feminine Mystique* (1961)
 - B. 1960's and the "Sexual Revolution"
 - C. 1970's
 1. "Bra-Burners"
 2. The Equal Rights Amendment
 3. Separatism vs. Pragmatism; "Difference" vs. Equalitarian
- VII. "Post-Modern" Feminism (aka "Who Stole Feminism?")