

Issues Today Quarterly Summary
3rd Quarter, 2020

1. Coronavirus
2. Health
3. Youth
4. Education
5. Crime
6. Big Government
7. Defunding the Police
8. Unemployment
9. Fraud
10. Homeless

There were a total of 37 issues covered this quarter.

Issues Today 20-27

Date Aired: 7/5/20 Time Aired: 6am
Length: 28 Min.

1. Dainte Johnson, Founder and President of Black Conservative Federation

He commented on the Black Lives Movement. He also talked about police defunding.

Issues covered:

1. Racism
2. Police Defunding

2. Clint Salter, Entrepreneur and Author

He gave some tips on how parents can help to select a virtual summer camp for their kids. He also talked about the need for productive activities for youth.

Issues covered:

1. Youth
2. Education

3. Gerald Celente, Founder of Trend Journal Forecast

He gave some predictions for health trends in the country. He also commented on the Coronavirus pandemic.

Issues covered:

1. Coronavirus
2. Health

Issues Today 20-28

Date Aired: 7/12/20 Time Aired: 6pm
Length: 28 Min.

1. Danielle McCoy, VP and Fair Lending Officer Fannie Mae

She detailed what help is available for people having financial problems because of Coronavirus. She also commented on state efforts to help mortgage owners.

Issues covered:

1. Economy
2. Coronavirus

2. Jennifer Bracerias, Director of Independent Law Center

She commented on the "defund the police" movement. She also talked about growing crime and looting in the United States.

Issues covered:

1. Defund Police
2. Crime

3. Dr. Holly Phillips, Medical Expert for RX Saver

She gave some tips on how to save money on health procedures. She also talked about innovative medical techniques.

Issues covered:

1. Coronavirus
2. Healthcare Costs

Issues Today 20-29

Date Aired: 7/19/20 Time Aired: 6pm
Length: 28 Min.

1. Cynthia Fisher, Founder of Patientrights.org

She discussed new legislation that would make hospital and medical costs more transparent. She also talked about the need for better medical education for the public.

Issues covered:

1. Health Costs
2. Education

2. William Craig, Retired US Navy Submarine Officer and Geopolitical Analyst

He analyzed the political situation between the United States and North Korea. He also talked about the growing problem of cybercrime.

Issues covered:

1. North Korea Tensions
2. Cybercrime

3. Dr. Diana Wiley, Marriage and Family Therapist

She discussed how to improve relationships during the Coronavirus. She also commented on growing divorce rates.

Issues covered:

1. Coronavirus
2. Divorce

Issues Today 20-30

Date Aired: 7/24/20 Time Aired: 6pm
Length: 28 Min.

1. Keisha Lonon, Victim Rights Advocate

She discussed the growing problems of sexual abuse and domestic violence. She also talked about new standards that should be adopted.

Issues covered:

1. Sexual Abuse
2. Domestic Violence

2. Zach Boren, Senior Policy Program Manager, Center for Labor, Human Services and Population

He commented on new efforts to revive apprenticeship programs in the country. He also talked about their efforts to recruit more businesses and students as young as 16.

Issues covered:

1. Youth
2. Education

3. Katherine Gehl, Author of "The Politics Industry"

She detailed ways to change the political landscape. She also talked about starting change at the local level and increasing to federal elections.

Issues covered:

1. Political Culture
2. Big Government

Issues Today 20-31

Date Aired: 8/2/20 Time Aired: 6pm
Length: 28 Min.

1. Ernie Hudson, Actor and Cancer Prevention Advocate

He gave his personal story of cancer survival. He also talked about ways the public can get more information about cancer prevention.

Issues covered:

1. Health
2. Youth

2. Gene Sperling, Former Obama Administration Chief Economist and Author

He discussed the need for economic equality. He also talked about how everyone should have access to paid sick leave.

Issues covered:

1. Economy
2. Unemployment

3. Paul Skousen, Former Intelligence Officer and Author

He described how some individual rights have eroded because of Coronavirus. He also commented on the state of the economy.

Issues covered:

1. Coronavirus
2. Economy

Issues Today 20-32

Date Aired: 8/9/20 Time Aired: 6pm
Length: 28 Min.

1. Eric Tyson, Personal Finance Writer and Counselor

He detailed ways parents can save money on college tuition. He also commented on rising college costs.

Issues covered:

1. Education
2. College Costs

2. Sam Peters, Founder of Law Enforcement Loyalty PAC

He discussed the defund the police movement. He also talked about The Black Lives Matter and Antifa demonstrations.

Issues covered:

1. Defund the Police
2. Black Lives Matter

3. George Geary, Chef and Author

He detailed how the public can make popular fair foods at home. He also commented on the process to obtain the recipes.

Issues covered:

1. Consumerism
2. Youth

Issues Today 20-33

Date Aired: 8/16/20 Time Aired: 6pm
Length: 28 Min.

1. Dr. John Lott, President of Crime Prevention Research Center

He commented on efforts that states are taking to increase gun control. He also detailed myths about legislation.

Issues covered:

1. Gun Control
2. Crime

2. Dr. Nir Barzilai, Founder of Institute for Aging Research

He gave some tips on how people can build up their immune systems naturally. He also talked about how seniors can be more healthy.

Issues covered:

1. Coronavirus
2. Seniors

3. Dr. John Jaquish, Medical Health and Fitness Researcher

He discussed the safety of gyms during Coronavirus. He also touted home fitness programs.

Issues covered:

1. Coronavirus
2. Health

Issues Today 20-34

Date Aired: 8/23/20 Time Aired: 6pm
Length: 28 Min.

1. Robert Katzburg, Former Federal Prosecutor and Author

He described the growing problem of vanishing juries in federal legal cases. He also talked about the diminishing power of judges in adjudicating cases.

Issues covered:

1. Legal System
2. Crime

2. Dr. Enric Sala, Ecologist and Author

He discussed how environmental projects are good for the economy. He also talked the need for better education on climate change.

Issues covered:

1. Environment
2. Economy

3. Brian Blasé, Economist and Former White House Advisor

He commented on why healthcare price transparency is important. He also talked about efforts on the federal level to get laws to protect consumers.

Issues covered:

1. Medical Costs
2. Health

Issues Today 20-35

Date Aired: 8/30/20 Time Aired: 6pm
Length: 28 Min.

1. Lisa Conyers, Consultant to Private Clients

She discussed the growing problem of crony capitalism. She gave some examples of projects that are helping huge corporations.

Issues covered:

1. Taxes
2. Big Government

2. Pete Hutchinson, President of Landmark Legal Foundation

He commented on the growing controversy of mail-in voting. He also talked about the Coronavirus pandemic.

Issues covered:

1. Fraud
2. Big Government

3. Dr. Richard Arrivello, Chief Medical Officer of In-house Physicians

He answered the question as to whether corporate events are safe to attend. He also discussed the effects of a lack of conventions on the economy.

Issues covered:

1. Coronavirus
2. Economy

Issues Today 20-36

Date Aired: 9/6/20 Time Aired: 6am
Length: 28 Min.

1. Dr. Andrea Klemes, Chief Medical Officer of MDVIP

She commented on the growing increase of depression because of the Coronavirus. She also talked about ways patients can deal with it.

Issues covered:

1. Coronavirus
2. Depression

2. Dr. Laura Cheever, Administrator with Ryan White Comprehensive AIDS Resource Program

She discussed the status of HIV/AIDS in the country. She also talked about the Ryan White program that helps patients with bills.

Issues covered:

1. AIDS
2. Health

3. Scott Dow, Founder of AMERICA.U.COM

He talked about the growing trend of on-line education. He also discussed why some of the home schooling changes will be permanent.

Issues covered:

1. Education
2. Coronavirus

Issues Today 20-37

Date Aired: 9/13/20 Time Aired: 6pm
Length: 28 Min.

1. Richard Bell, Election Analyst and Attorney

He discussed the state of voting rights in the nation. He also talked about potential voter fraud.

Issues covered:

1. Voting Rights
2. Fraud

3. Rob Badger, Nita Winter, Conservation Photographers

They commented on how the public can become citizen scientists. They also talked about the importance of family time in the outdoors.

Issues covered:

1. Climate Change
2. Youth

3. Maribel Alonso, Food Safety Specialist with USDA

She gave some tips on keeping children's lunches safe. She also gave some general food safety tips.

Issues covered:

1. Youth
2. Food Safety

Issues Today 20-38

Date Aired: 9/20/20 Time Aired: 6pm
Length: 28 Min.

1. Samantha Batko, Senior Research Associate, Urban Institute

She discussed new approaches to homelessness. She also discuss the effects of homelessness on the economy.

Issues covered:

1. Homelessness
2. Economy

2. Ed Mann, Radio Executive and Author

He commented on his book about the radio industry. He also talked about the empowerment of women in the industry.

Issues covered:

1. Women
2. Unemployment

3. Howard Gottlieb, Founder of Read-a-Thon

He detailed a school fund-raising program that promotes youth reading. He also bestowed the merits of on-line programs.

Issues covered:

1. Literacy
2. Youth

Issues Today 20-39

Date Aired: 9/27/20 Time Aired: 6pm
Length: 28 Min.

1. Laura Gomez, Researcher and Author

She discussed racism toward Latinos in the U.S. She also talked about past workers programs and how they also contributed to discriminatory actions.

Issues covered:

1. Immigration
2. Education

2. Monica Sanders, Director of William Anderson Fund for Hazard Mitigation

She detailed how people can better plan for emergencies. She also talked about to-go kits and what should be included in them.

Issues covered:

1. Emergency Preparedness
2. Youth

3. Murray Wadsworth, Prostate Cancer Researcher and Author

He talked about prostate cancer and how early diagnosis is so important. He also discussed new treatments.

Issues covered:

1. Health
2. Communication