



CHAPTER 3 QUESTIONS

1. – Why did American Revolutionaries proclaim a *Declaration of Independence*?
2. – What is the legal value of the *Declaration of Independence*?
3. – What is the connection between federalism and the *Declaration of Independence*?
4. – What are the *Articles of Confederation* and why were they drafted?
5. – What form of government is established by the *Articles of Confederation*?
6. – What form of government is established by the Constitution of the United States?
7. – How is power organized in the Constitution of the United States?
8. – What individual rights are explicitly embraced in the Constitution of the US?
9. – Identify in the constitutional text itself the characteristics described by Prof. Fioravanti.
10. – Why was *The Federalist* published?
11. – What was the goal intended by the authors of *The Federalist*?
12. – Identify briefly the events leading up to the drafting, ratification and adoption of the present Constitution of the United States.
13. – Draw a diagram of the government of the United States.