

THE PODCASTS:

1 BUILD A LUCRATIVE LAW PRACTICE (AND LOVE IT!)

About the podcast: This is an introduction to the making of a successful and very satisfying law practice by shining the light of American philosophy on how we go about lawyering. This unique perspective is free from the fretting, dreading and bragging over one's illusion-filled standing on the invisible Scoreboard (i.e. "what about me and my wins/losses" and the unending need for approval?). Here from this novel approach one does not only own the bottom line but can answer/address even rise above, when necessary, the subjective experience i.e. what it feels like win, lose or draw to be an American-citizen lawyer. Scoreboard must be put in it's place and here is a good time and a good place to start.

2 LAWYER HAPPINESS: FROM SCOREBOARD TO STEWARDSHIP

About the podcast: After more than 40 years and almost 200 jury trials what is abundantly clear is that trial work under the lights of Scoreboard i.e. "winning isn't everything it's the only thing" is both bankrupt and weakens our perspective/commitment. This podcast is an introduction to an American philosophical point of view emphasizing the means by which we go about lawyering and by doing so one can experience a profound shift in the source of one's satisfaction, fulfillment and strength. This is why we became lawyers in the first place to contribute to the Stewardship of America and not live out our lives at the effect or under the thumb of the bankrupt American Scoreboard.

3 IS YOUR LAW PRACTICE ON THE RIGHT SIDE OR WRONG SIDE OF HISTORY?

About the podcast: You might be asking "who cares?" But what if the answer to the question is just as important to your satisfaction as the unseen water is to the satisfaction of a fish. What if our unexamined perspective shows up to us much the same as water shows up to a fish? And what if everything we do is viewed through the lens of an unchallenged perspective called Scoreboard i.e. winning isn't everything it's the only thing, the source of much useless fretting, dreading and/or bragging. A colossal waste of time. This podcast is an introduction to a perspective of historical relevance by which one begins to shift the focus of one's law practice away from Scoreboard and towards the aspiration of our Founders. John Adams admonished each and every American citizen to make a good use of our freedom or he would repent in heaven that he ever took half the pains to preserve it. Unlike Scoreboard this Stewardship is on the right side of history. (See John Adam's letter to Abigail on April 26 1777)

4 HOW TO RISE ABOVE THE ZILCH, NADA, ZERO, NOTHING VERDICT?

About the podcast: To this day my first no cause years and years ago still sits in the top 10 of most traumatic moments ever. However after almost 200 jury trials I can say with some conviction that once the initial shock wore off as well as the long walk across the parking lot to my car what really hurt and lingered was not the “no cause” but the repetitive self antagonism over my loss of standing on the Scoreboard. This podcast is designed to enable you to begin to see how we play Scoreboard and that another possibility or perspective exists enabling us to have much bigger and far more satisfying fish to fry. “Yes” we have to win our fair share of trials but “no” we do not have to define who we are with our wins and losses. The ends do not justify the means by which we go about our profession. In fact it is the means by how we practice that justifies and creates our satisfaction and fulfillment. Scoreboard, emphasizing ends over means, is simply obsolete and all wrong.