## The Wealth Conspiracy-Charts



Chart 4.1

| Year | Beginning Year Balance | Investment \% Gain/Loss | Investment \$ Gain/Loss | Retirement Dollars Withdrawn | Ending Year Balance |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | \$100,000 | 5\% | \$5,000 | -\$5,000 | \$100,000 |
| 2 | \$100,000 | 5\% | \$5,000 | -\$5,000 | \$100,000 |
| 3 | \$100,000 | -35\% | -\$35,000 | -\$5,000 | \$60,000 |
| 4 | \$60,000 | 5\% | \$3,000 | -\$5,000 | \$58,000 |
| 5 | \$58,000 | 15\% | \$8,700 | -\$5,000 | \$61,700 |
| 6 | \$61,700 | -15\% | -\$9,255 | -\$5,000 | \$47,445 |
| 7 | \$47,445 | 5\% | \$2,372 | -\$5,000 | \$44,817 |
| 8 | \$44,817 | 15\% | \$6,723 | -\$5,000 | \$46,540 |
| 9 | \$46,540 | 20\% | \$9,308 | -\$5,000 | \$50,848 |
| 10 | \$50,848 | 30\% | \$15,254 | -\$5,000 | \$61,102 |
|  |  | *50\% total equates to a $5 \%$ average |  |  |  |

Chart 4.2

| Year | Beginning <br> Year <br> Balance | Investment <br> Return Percent <br> Gain/Loss | Investment $\$$ <br> Gains/Loss | Retirement <br> Dollars <br> Withdrawn | Ending <br> Year <br> Balance |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | $\$ 100,000$ | $4 \%$ | $\$ 4,000$ | $-\$ 5,000$ | $\$ 99,000$ |
| 2 | $\$ 99,000$ | $4 \%$ | $\$ 3,960$ | $-\$ 5,000$ | $\$ 97,960$ |
| 3 | $\$ 97,960$ | $4 \%$ | $\$ 3,918$ | $-\$ 5,000$ | $\$ 96,878$ |
| 4 | $\$ 96,878$ | $4 \%$ | $\$ 3,875$ | $-\$ 5,000$ | $\$ 95,754$ |
| 5 | $\$ 95,754$ | $4 \%$ | $\$ 3,830$ | $-\$ 5,000$ | $\$ 94,584$ |
| 6 | $\$ 94,584$ | $4 \%$ | $\$ 3,783$ | $-\$ 5,000$ | $\$ 93,367$ |
| 7 | $\$ 93,367$ | $4 \%$ | $\$ 3,735$ | $-\$ 5,000$ | $\$ 92,102$ |
| 8 | $\$ 92,102$ | $4 \%$ | $\$ 3,684$ | $-\$ 5,000$ | $\$ 90,786$ |
| 9 | $\$ 90,786$ | $4 \%$ | $\$ 3,631$ | $-\$ 5,000$ | $\$ 89,417$ |
| 10 | $\$ 89,417$ | $4 \%$ | $\$ 3,577$ | $-\$ 5,000$ | $\$ 87,994$ |
|  |  | $* 40 \%$ | total equates to a <br> $4 \%$ average |  |  |

*Simple math not counting compounding effects. (Table Sources: www.TheWealthConspiracy.com)

Top U.S. Marginal Tax Rate
Chart 5.1

(Source: TCP Urban Institute \& Brookings Institution)


Chart 5.3

| Amount Added to the Debt for Each President |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Barack Obama | $\$ 7.917$ trillion | $68 \%$ increase |
| George W. Bush | $\$ 5.849$ trillion | $101 \%$ increase |
| Bill Clinton | $\$ 1.396$ trillion | $32 \%$ increase |
| George H.W. Bush | $\$ 1.554$ trillion | $54 \%$ increase |
| Ronald Reagan | $\$ 1.86$ trillion | $186 \%$ increase |
| Jimmy Carter | $\$ 299$ billion | $43 \%$ increase |
| Gerald Ford | $\$ 224$ billion | $47 \%$ increase |
| Richard Nixon | $\$ 121$ billion | $34 \%$ increase |
| Lyndon B. Johnson | $\$ 42$ billion | $13 \%$ increase |
| John F. Kennedy | $\$ 23$ billion | $8 \%$ increase |
| Dwight Eisenhower | $\$ 23$ billion | $9 \%$ increase |

(Source: Historical Tables, U.S. Treasury Department)


# Cumulative U.S. National Debt as a Percentage of GDP 

Chart.5. 5


| Sobering Numbers Regarding the U.S. Budget |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| U.S. Tax Revenue | $\$ 3,315,000,000,000$ |
| Fed Budget | $\$ 3,907,000,000,000$ |
| New Debt (spent more than budgeted) | $\$ 1,650,000,000,000$ |
| National Debt | $\$ 19,955,000,000,000$ |
| Recent Budget Cuts | $\$ 38,500,000,000$ |

Chart 5.7

## The Same Numbers with Eight Zeros Removed <br> To Compare with a Household Budget

| Household Income | $\$ 33,150$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| Household Budget | $\$ 39,070$ |
| New Debt (spent more than budgeted) | $\$ 16,500$ |
| Household Debt | $\$ 199,550$ |
| Recent Expense Cuts | $\$ 385$ |

Chart 6.1

|  | After Tax Savings |  | Roth IRA |  | Traditional IRA |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Year | Balance | Cumulative Fees | Balance | Cumulative Fees | Balance | Cumulative Fees |
| 1 | \$7,200 | \$72 | \$7,200 | \$72 | \$10,000 | \$100 |
| 2 | \$14,728 | \$219 | \$14,832 | \$220 | \$20,600 | \$306 |
| 3 | \$22,600 | \$445 | \$22,922 | \$450 | \$31,836 | \$624 |
| 4 | \$30,830 | \$754 | \$31,497 | \$765 | \$43,746 | \$1,062 |
| 5 | \$39,436 | \$1,148 | \$40,587 | \$1,170 | \$56,371 | \$1,626 |
| 6 | \$48,435 | \$1,632 | \$50,222 | \$1,673 | \$69,753 | \$2,323 |
| 7 | \$57,843 | \$2,211 | \$60,436 | \$2,277 | \$83,938 | \$3,162 |
| 8 | \$67,681 | \$2,888 | \$71,262 | \$2,990 | \$98,975 | \$4,152 |
| 9 | \$77,967 | \$3,667 | \$82,737 | \$3,817 | \$114,913 | \$5,301 |
| 10 | \$88,722 | \$4,554 | \$94,902 | \$4,766 | \$131,808 | \$6,619 |
| 11 | \$99,968 | \$5,554 | \$107,796 | \$5,844 | \$149,716 | \$8,117 |
| 12 | \$111,727 | \$6,671 | \$121,464 | \$7,059 | \$168,699 | \$9,804 |
| 13 | \$124,022 | \$7,912 | \$135,951 | \$8,418 | \$188,821 | \$11,692 |
| 14 | \$136,877 | \$9,280 | \$151,308 | \$9,931 | \$210,151 | \$13,793 |
| 15 | \$150,318 | \$10,784 | \$167,587 | \$11,607 | \$232,760 | \$16,121 |
| 16 | \$164,373 | \$12,427 | \$184,842 | \$13,455 | \$256,725 | \$18,688 |
| 17 | \$179,068 | \$14,218 | \$203,133 | \$15,487 | \$282,129 | \$21,509 |
| 18 | \$194.434 | \$16,162 | \$222,521 | \$17,712 | \$309,057 | \$24,600 |
| 19 | \$210,500 | \$18,267 | \$243,072 | \$20,143 | \$337,600 | \$27,976 |
| 20 | \$227,299 | \$20,540 | \$264,856 | \$22,791 | \$367,856 | \$31,655 |
| End of new deposits. Beginning of withdrawals. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 21 | \$197,664 | \$22,517 | \$240,748 | \$25,199 | \$338.727 | \$35,042 |
| 22 | \$166,677 | \$24,184 | \$215,192 | \$27,351 | \$307,851 | \$38,120 |
| 23 | \$134,278 | \$25,526 | \$188,104 | \$29,232 | \$275,122 | \$40,872 |
| 24 | \$100,401 | \$26,530 | \$159,390 | \$30,826 | \$240,429 | \$43,276 |
| 25 | \$64,979 | \$27,180 | \$128,954 | \$32,115 | \$203,655 | \$45,312 |
| 26 | \$27,942 | \$27,460 | \$96,691 | \$33,082 | \$164,674 | \$46,959 |
| 27 | \$(10,784) | \$27,352 | \$62,492 | \$33,707 | \$123,355 | \$48,193 |
| 28 |  |  | \$26,242 | \$33,969 | \$79,556 | \$48,988 |
| 29 |  |  | \$(12,184) | \$33,848 | \$33,129 | \$49,320 |
| 30 |  |  |  |  | \$(16,083) | \$49,159 |

(Source: www.TheWealthConspiracy.com)

IUL Crediting with 12\% Cap Versus Raw Stock Market
Chart 8.1


Chart 8.2

| A: $\$ \& P$ 500 with $100 \%$ participation annual credited interest, <br> excluding dividends, and a growth cap' of $12.50 \%$ |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | From | To | Average return with <br> growth cap |
| 10 Year | Dec 2007 | Dec 2016 | $7.41 \%$ |
| 15 Year | Dec 2002 | Dec 2016 | $7.62 \%$ |
| 20 Year | Dec 1997 | Dec 2016 | $7.55 \%$ |
| 25 Year | Dec 1992 | Dec 2016 | $7.77 \%$ |
| 30 Year | Dec 1987 | Dec 2016 | $7.70 \%$ |

Chart 8.3

| H: S\&P 500 <br> Low Volatility (2-year) with $110 \%$ Participation ${ }^{2}$ Annual Credited Interest, <br> excluding dividends, and a growth cap of uncapped |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 10 Year | From | To | Average return with <br> growth cap |
| 15 Year | Dec 2007 | Dec 2016 | $8.51 \%$ |
| 20 Year | Dec 2002 | Dec 2016 | $8.87 \%$ |
| 25 Year | Dec 1997 | Dec 2016 | $7.94 \%$ |
| 26 Year | Dec 1992 | Dec 2016 | $9.05 \%$ |

Chart 8.4

| K: S\&P 500 High Cap with $100 \%$ participation annual credited interest, <br> excluding dividends, and a growth cap of $14.50 \%$ |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | From | To | Average return with <br> growth cap |
| 10 Year | Dec 2007 | Dec 2016 | $8.20 \%$ |
| 15 Year | Dec 2002 | Dec 2016 | $8.28 \%$ |
| 20 Year | Dec 1997 | Dec 2016 | $8.32 \%$ |
| 25 Year | Dec 1992 | Dec 2016 | $8.60 \%$ |
| 30 Year | Dec 1987 | Dec 2016 | $8.52 \%$ |

