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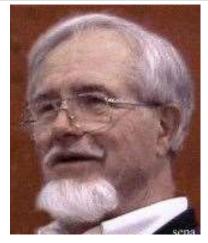
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Hilton Ulysses Brown III was an active member of the Humanist Community from 1990 until 2016. He was our treasurer much of that time and opened his house for board meetings, the book group, the video group and other events.

I met Hilton and his wife Flora in 1989 when they became clinic defense volunteers for Planned Parenthood Mar Monte in San Jose. I introduced him to the Humanist Community, and he took to it immediately.

Those of us who knew Hilton feel that we're better because it. He led by example with kindness, dedication, and with the respect he showed everyone.

Donations from the Humanist Community in memory of Hilton Brown are being made to Planned Parenthood Mar Monte (PPMM). To participate call PPMM at 1-800-430-4902. Mention that it's part of the Humanist Community program

A Victory for Schools

The AHA achieved a major victory for church-state separation in Oklahoma. AHA legal staff reached a settlement with Marvetta Public Schools in a landmark case involving forced religious education of preschool- and elementary-aged children. Not only did the school admit wrongdoing and pay damages, but they agreed to issue a public statement recognizing the constitutional violation of the program and affirming that it will not be reinstated. Furthermore, school administrators in Oklahoma will now receive training on how to avoid violating the First Amendment and school districts statewide will be educated on their responsibilities under the Establishment Clause.

No idea is above scrutiny and no people are beneath dignity.

- Maajid Jawaz

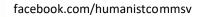
Our illustrated newsletter Calendar is on page 2 of this newsletter.

Humanist Forums

Forums are held Sundays at 11:00AM at the Mountain View Community Center at 201 S. Rengstorff Avenue, and simultaneously on Zoom, you can get the Zoom location from meetup.com/humanistcommunity.



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EVENTS

May 2023

Sunday



11:00 AM Sunday Forum It's Time to Let Coal Die

video and discussion

14 11:00 AM Sunday Forum Political Dynamics and the Future of Democracy Michael Abramson

Mother's Day

21 11:00 AM Sunday Forum Sex and Sensibility video and discussion

28 11:00 AM Sunday Forum America's Great Divide video and discussion

Monday



7:PM

Board

Meeting

Aembers Welcome

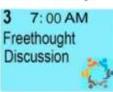
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Food Stamps

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Tuesday



10 7:00 AM

17 7:00 AM

Freethought

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Book

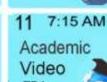
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Book

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Wednesday





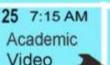
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Academic

Video

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7:00 AM Freethought Book



11: AM Acting With Energy and Meaning Ethical Culture

Saturday



