



The common law is the law of God written by Him (**10 Commandments**) on the conscience of every man and woman It is the sacred duty of every freeborn man to defend that law and his own liberty before and over every obligation, yea even obligation to the state All men and women who were the victims of a crime in Anglo-Saxon England were expected to raise their "hue and cry" and apprehend the criminal; and upon hearing their cry, every able-bodied man in the community was expected to do the "utmost in his power" (pro toto posse suo) to chase and apprehend the accused as a "posse". Every man was thereby personally responsible for the law and for the safety of the entire community.

"The aim of Common Law is to re-establish direct relations of mutual aid among men and women by placing justice and the law within their reach again. And that devolution of power will simultaneously disestablish all hierarchical corporate institutions as a power over people. "A process so profound can only be enacted from the grassroots, by many men and women who have relearned freedom and use it to take action in their own communities to govern themselves as their own judge, jury and Sheriffs the Common Law is a catalyst and a means towards achieving this political and spiritual end."

The Purpose and Skills of a Common Law Sheriff For over a thousand years in England, the traditional job of the Sheriff was to detain those harming others, bring them into local "shire" courts for judgment and enforce the sentence of those courts. In the United States, that tradition is still alive in locally elected Sheriffs who are answerable to the people through elections.

The traditional role of the Sheriff in protecting the community and its courts was not performed alone, but alongside his **appointed Deputies** and a vigilant populace. It was understood that everyone in the community had a **responsibility to keep the peace** and stop wrongdoers. Every man and woman had the right to arrest and detain those who were a threat to their liberty and Well-being.

Accordingly, a Common Law Sheriff can deputize anyone to assist him, including other **police officers** of the old regime. This is very important to do, especially in the early phase because the strength of their statutory corrupt system is our adversary against itself.

Mission Statement, Code of Ethics and Personal Oath The Mission Statement governing all Common Law Sheriffs and the deputy sheriffs reads as follows: Our Mission as servants of the men and women of Australia is to defend and act as sworn agents of the Common Law and its Courts, to enforce the law impartially and fairly, to protect the innocent and all victims of crime and oppression, and to partner and work actively with all men and women to defend their peace and liberties, and uphold the right of all living men and women under Gods law.

I resolve to lead my personal life with the utmost honesty and integrity, so that my words and deeds are in harmony with my Oath. I will practice restraint, understanding and courage in every situation, always mindful of the needs and rights of others, and of my solemn Oath as an Officer of the Common Law Court Australia international.

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