

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910465047503321
Autore	Rose Lisle A.
Titolo	Farewell to prosperity : wealth, identity, and conflict in postwar america // Lisle A. Rose ; jacket design, Kristie Lee ; interior design and composition, Mindy Basinger Hill
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Columbia, Missouri : , : University of Missouri Press, , 2014 ©2014
ISBN	0-8262-7323-8
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (492 p.)
Disciplina	973.92
Soggetti	Electronic books. United States Politics and government 1945-1989 United States Economic conditions 1945-
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Description based upon print version of record.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.
Nota di contenuto	Preface -- 1. Schism in the soul -- 2. Flush times -- 3. Cold War imprisonment -- 4. Jacob's ladder -- 5. Troubles in the making -- 6. Varieties of dissent -- 7. Liberal overreach -- 8. Volte face -- 9. Back to the future -- 10. Conservative overreach -- Notes -- Select bibliography -- Index.
Sommario/riassunto	Money and race have composed the master narratives of American history. But the civil rights impulse of the past fifty years with its vigorous supporting scholarship has elevated the importance of the latter while unwarrantedly eclipsing the central place of the former. Yet it was the demands of a capitalist order grounded in a money economy run by white male Protestants that until quite recently made racial (and many would argue gender) oppression so attractive and, in some cases, and in one region, imperative. From the outset, life in the United States has been defined by a blind embrace of business and commerce, a rabid quest for wealth, and a persistent economic overreach enveloped in a widespread obsession with evangelical religion and personal salvation.

2. Record Nr.	UNINA9910967996303321
Titolo	Transatlantic divide : comparing American and European society // editor, Alberto Martinelli
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Oxford, : Oxford University Press, 2007
ISBN	1-383-03437-0 1-281-14875-X 9786611148751 0-19-152543-X 1-4356-1387-2
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (364 p.)
Collana	Oxford scholarship online
Altri autori (Persone)	MartinelliAlberto
Disciplina	306.09409045
Soggetti	Social history - 20th century United States Civilization 1945- European Union countries Civilization 20th century United States Social conditions 1945- European Union countries Social conditions 20th century United States Politics and government 20th century European Union countries Politics and government 20th century United States Economic conditions 1945- European Union countries Economic conditions 20th century
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Formerly CIP. Previously issued in print: 2007.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.
Nota di contenuto	CONTENTS; LIST OF FIGURES; LIST OF GRAPHS; LIST OF TABLES; ABBREVIATIONS; 1 The European Union and the United States as two variants of Western modernity; 2 The economic sphere; 3 Inequality; 4 Family; 5 Politics and institutional architectures; 6 Welfare; 7 Value change; 8 Religion; 9 Cities; 10 The American and the European models of society: not so different after all; Appendix with a synthetic picture of the most relevant trends; BIBLIOGRAPHY; NOTES ON CONTRIBUTORS; INDEX

The United States of America and the European Union are the two strongest economic powers in the contemporary world. This volume describes, interprets, and analyzes the key social trends in the EU and the USA over the last 50 years.

---