



“Jack Kemp, An American Idealist”

A lecture by

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Kondracke, a national commentator and journalist of nearly 50 years, will discuss the life and political career of Jack Kemp. Kemp served nine terms in Congress as a representative from New York and as Secretary of Housing and Urban Development under the George H. W. Bush administration. He is known as a leading advocate of supply-side economics, and co-sponsored the law that resulted in the 1981 tax cuts under President Ronald Reagan. Kemp was the first lawmaker to popularize “enterprise zones” to encourage development in underserved urban neighborhoods. The Kemp Chair in Political Economy is part of the Kemp Legacy Project at the Library of Congress, and the Manuscript Division houses the papers of Jack Kemp. Kondracke is a graduate and trustee of Dartmouth College. His career has included positions at Roll Call, the New Republic, Newsweek and the Wall Street Journal. He is a Fox News commentator and was a regular panelist on “The McLaughlin Group” and ABC’s “This Week. He is author of the best-selling “Saving Milly: Love, Politics and Parkinson’s Disease.”

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