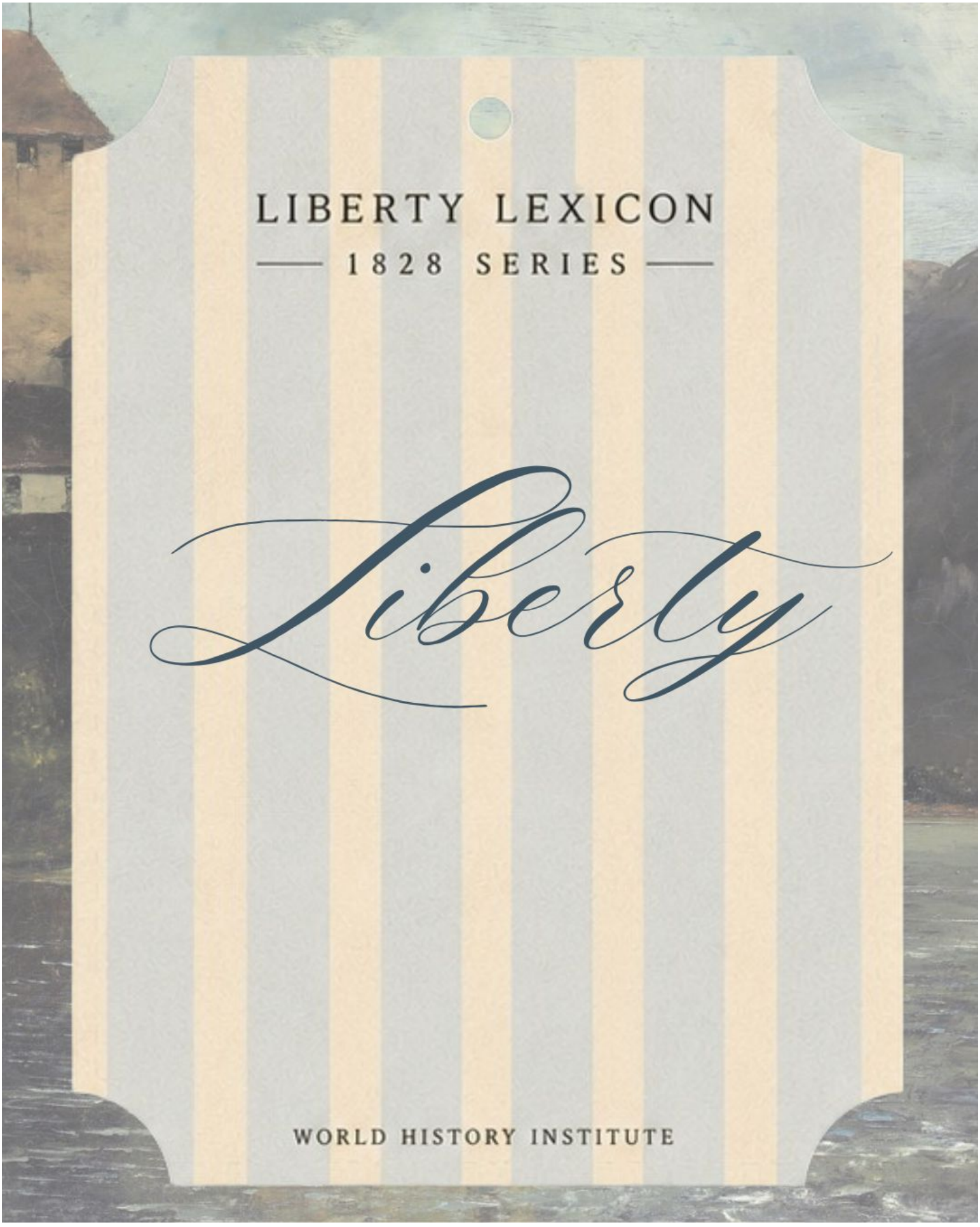

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Liberty

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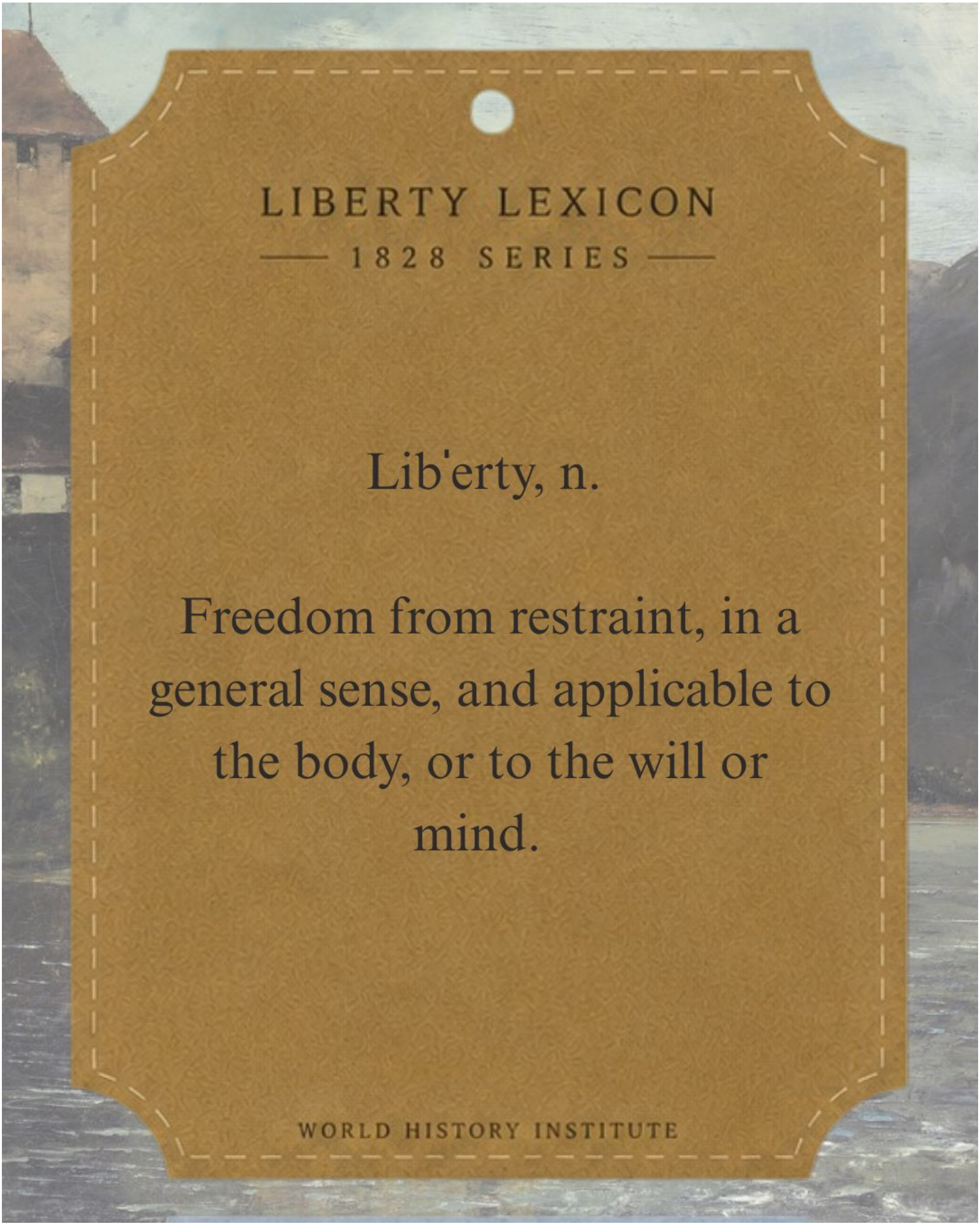

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Freedom from restraint, in a general sense, and applicable to the body, or to the will or mind.

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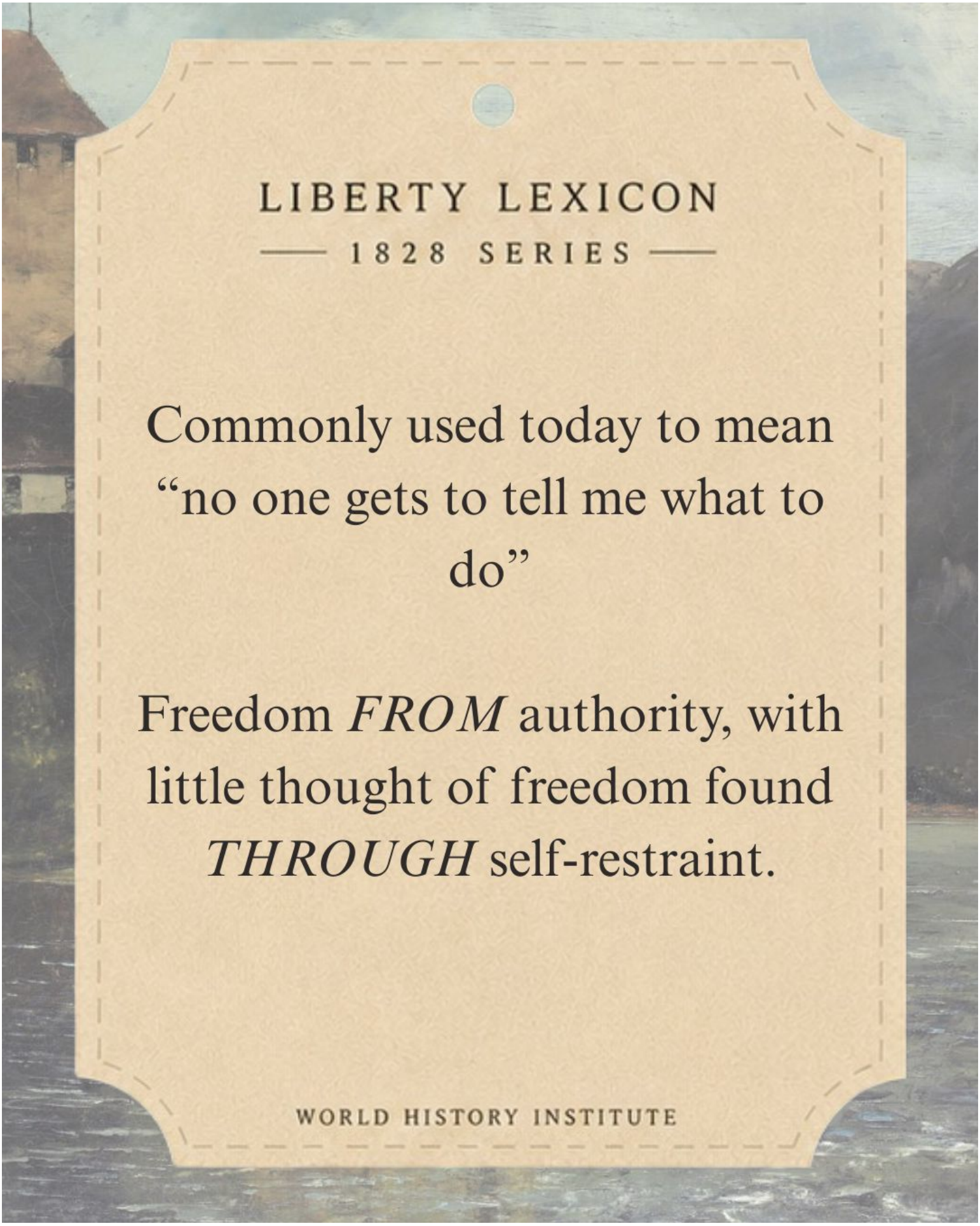

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Commonly used today to mean "no one gets to tell me what to do"

Freedom *FROM* authority, with little thought of freedom found *THROUGH* self-restraint.

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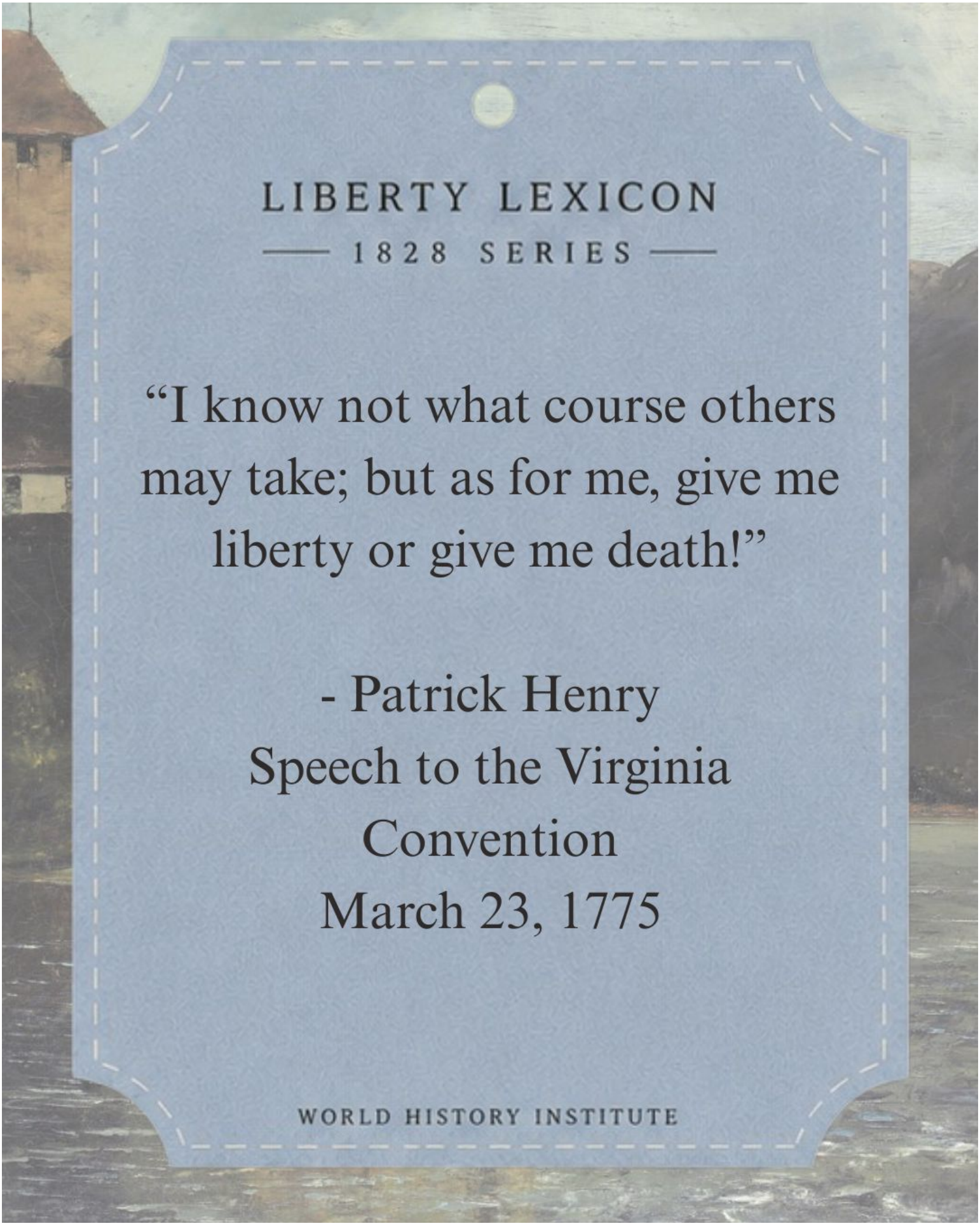

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"I know not what course others may take; but as for me, give me liberty or give me death!"

- Patrick Henry
Speech to the Virginia Convention
March 23, 1775

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