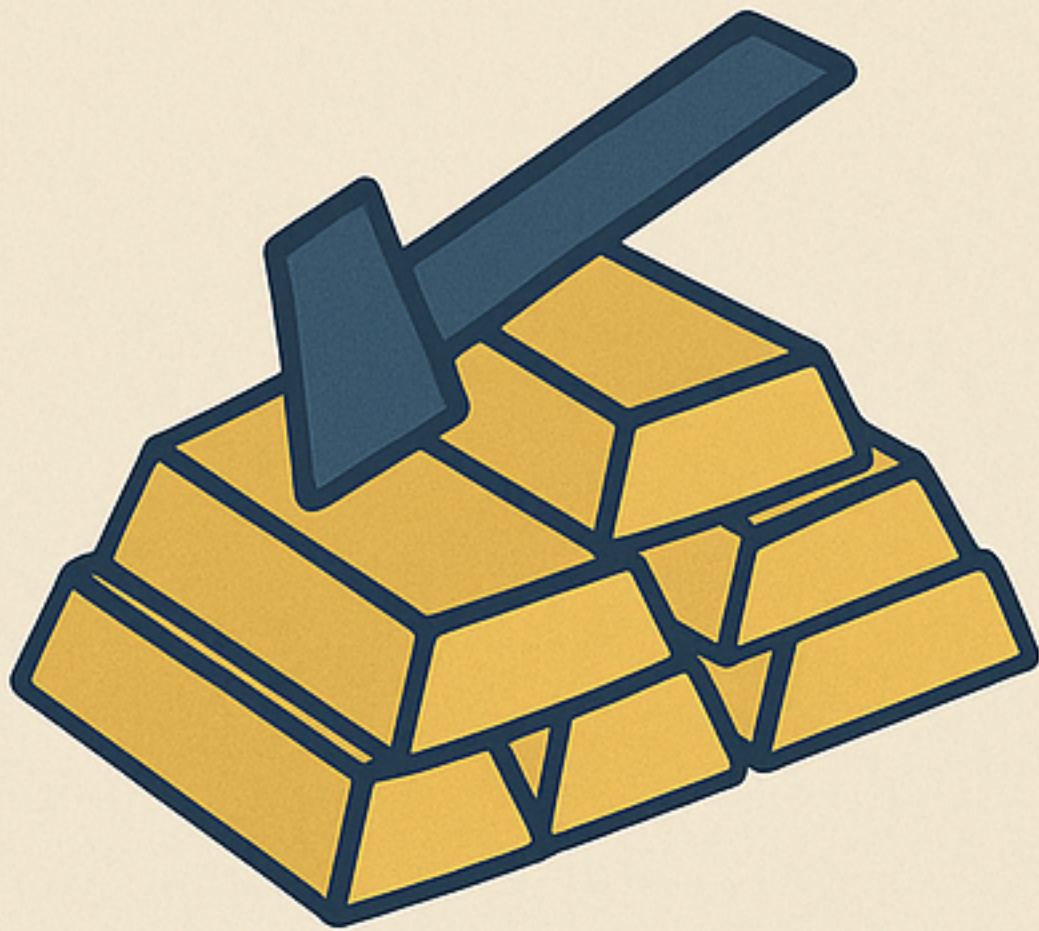
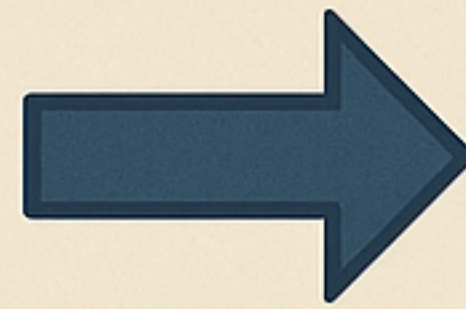


THE END OF THE GOLD STANDARD

THAT KILLED THE WORTH OF U.S. MONEY



IN 1971, THE UNITED STATES ABANDONED THE GOLD STANDARD, CUTTING THE TIE BETWEEN THE DOLLAR AND GOLD



THE PURCHASING POWER OF THE DOLLAR HAS PLUMMETED SINCE THE END OF THE GOLD STANDARD