

LEARNING FROM THE LESSONS OF TIME



NO MATTER WHAT THE HEADLINES SAY...

The Crash: After a Wild Week on Wall Street, is the World Different?

Will You Ever Be Able to Retire?

The New Hard Times

Is the U.S. Going Broke?

America's Banks: Awash in Troubles

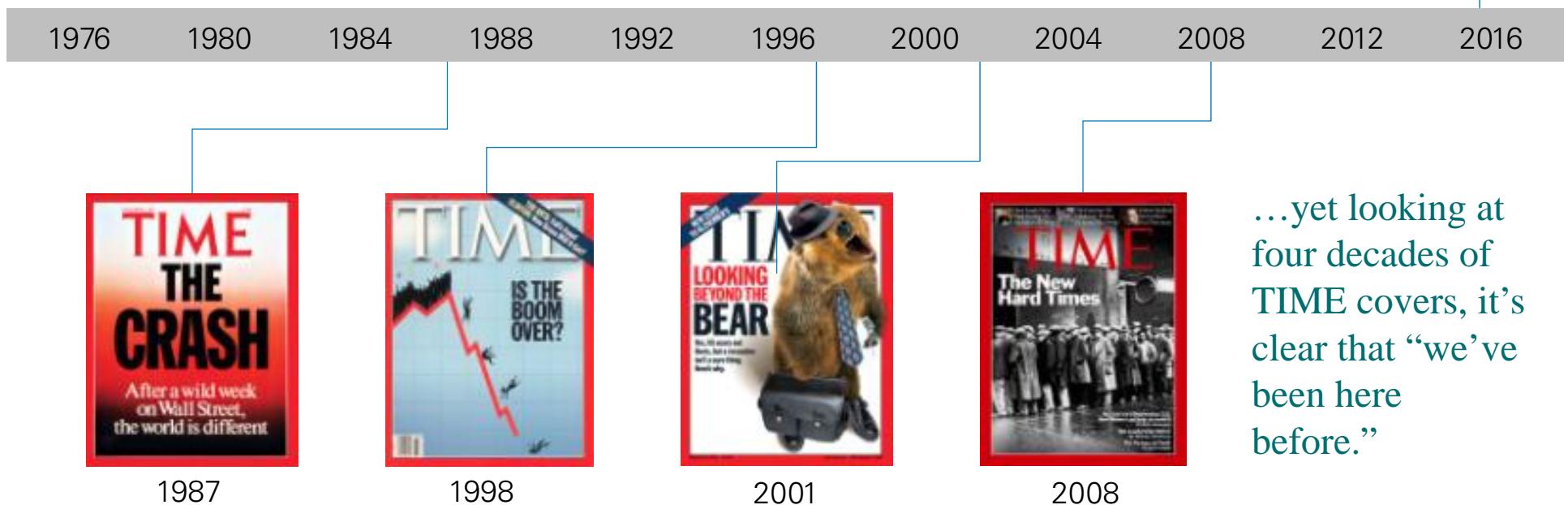
The Economy: Is There Light at the End of the Tunnel?

What Ever Happened to the Great American Job?

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THE DATES MAY CHANGE, BUT THE HEADLINES STAY THE SAME...

Today's headlines may **FEEL** like something
totally new...

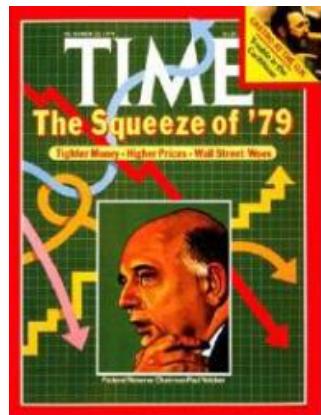


...yet looking at
four decades of
TIME covers, it's
clear that "we've
been here
before."

RECESSION AND MARKET FEARS



1979



“Drastic interest rate hikes from the Fed put the squeeze on credit and the markets, while consumers waited in line for gas.”¹

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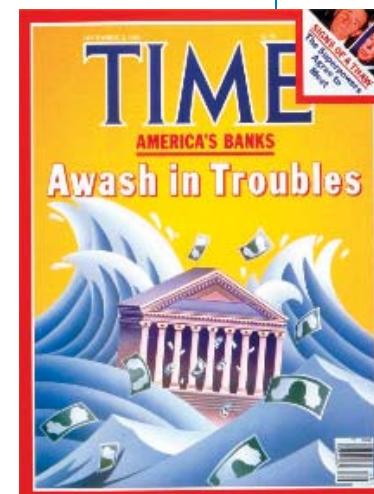
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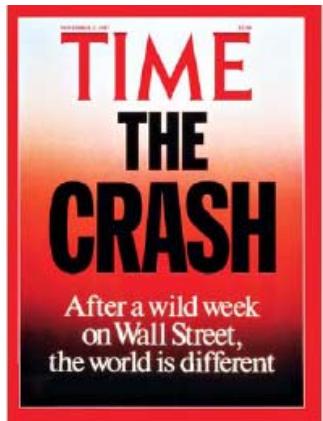


1984

¹ “The Squeeze of 1979: Tighter Money, Higher Prices, Wall Street Woes,” October 22, 1979

² “Banking Takes A Beating,” by William Blaylock, Adam Zagorin, Stephen Koepp, TIME, December 3, 1984.

1987



“Black Monday’s 22.6% one-day drop in the Dow terrified investors.”³

1986

1988

1990

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1996

“Banks and insurance firms are tottering beneath huge portfolios of bad real estate mortgages”⁴



1990

³ Source: FactSet, based on the performance of the Dow Jones Industrial Average on October 19, 1987. The DJIA is a widely followed measurement of the stock market. The average is comprised of 30 stocks that represent leading companies in major industries. These stocks, widely held by both individual and institutional investors, are considered to be all blue-chip companies.

⁴ “All Shook Up,” by John Greenwald, Time, October 15, 1990.

1992



“...the job drought, the debt hangover, the defense-industry contraction, the savings and loan collapse, the real estate depression, the health-care cost explosion and runaway federal deficit...”⁵

1992

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2008

Global financial turmoil (and a declining Dow) fuel concerns about the economy



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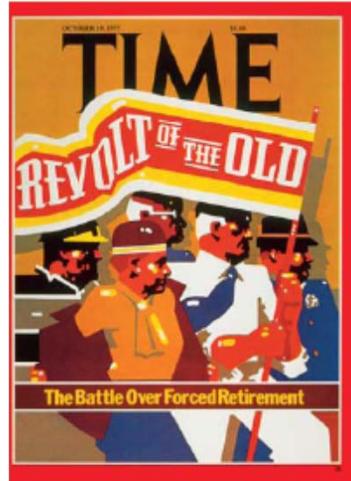
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⁵ "The Long Haul," by S.C. Gwynne Washington, *Time*, September 28, 1992

FINANCIAL SECURITY



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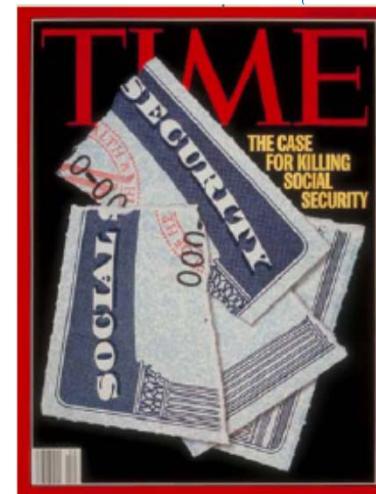
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1982



1995



2008

“All sorts of people who never thought they would be on the jobless lines... are looking for jobs and not finding them”⁶



“It is doubly troublesome that the ranks of the jobless are growing at a time when many of the cushions softening the pain of unemployment have been deflated”⁷

“Americans are more worried about their financial future than at any other time since the turbulent 70’s”⁸

⁶ “Jobs in the Age of Insecurity,” by George J. Church, *Time*, Nov. 22, 1993.

⁷ Unemployment On the Rise,” by James Kelly, *Time*, Feb. 8, 1982.

⁸ “Everyone, Back in the Labor Pool,” by Daniel Kadlec, *Time*, July 29, 2002.

ETHICS



1976



2009



1976

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2012



1986



2002

“The implosion of the huge Texas energy firm and sudden loss of retirement funds for thousands of employees and pensioners opened up all the pathways to Scandal-land...”⁹

⁹ “Enron Spoils the Party,” by Michael Duff and John F. Dickerson, *Time*, February 4, 2002.

1986



“The whirlwind of activity seems more like a new variation on Mark Twain’s Gilded Age — a time of reckless speculation and profiteering. Amid the hubbub of buying and selling, a host of probing question are being asked about the stock market and its relationship to U.S. capitalism in general.”¹⁰

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¹⁰ “Manic Market,” *Time*, November 10, 1986.



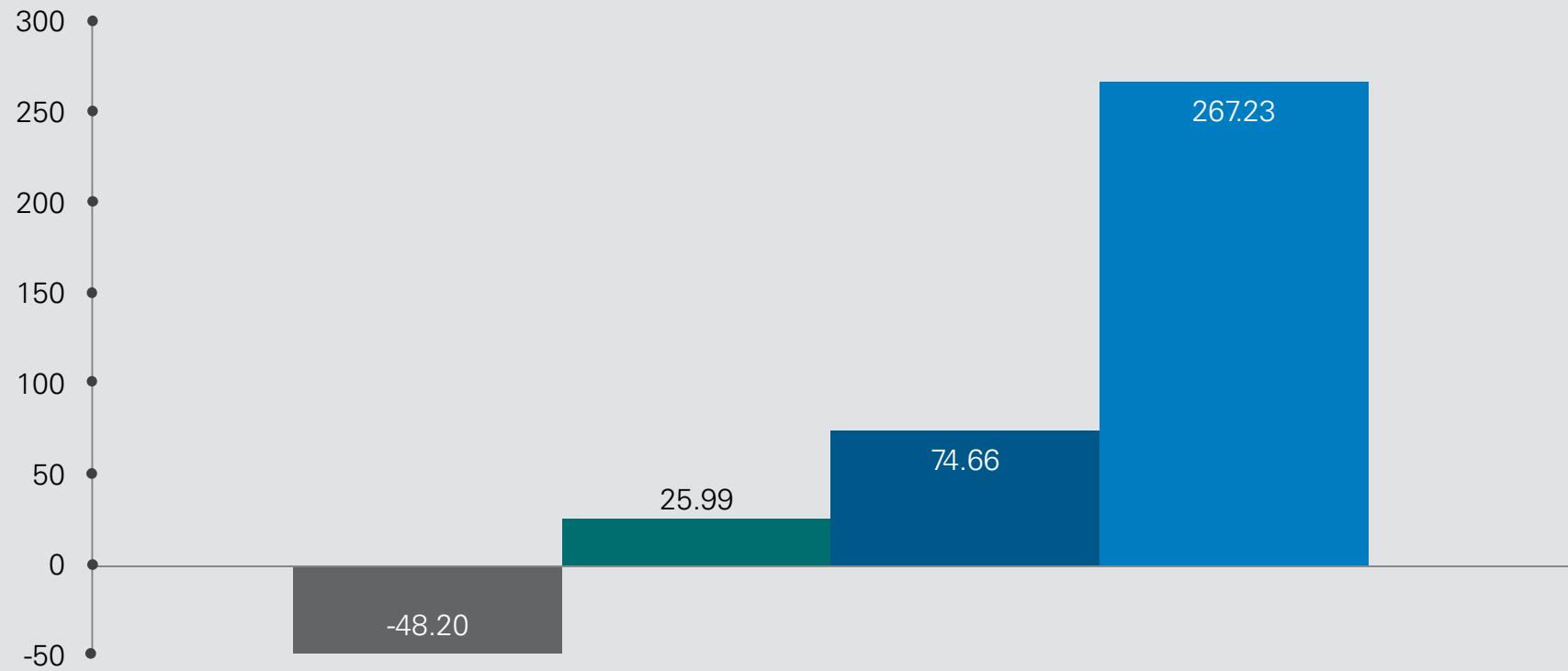
*“Nothing we can do can
change the past, but
everything we do
changes the future.”*

-Ashleigh Brilliant

FOR EVERY BEAR, THERE'S A BULL...

Cumulative total returns of the S&P500 (%) following the 1973-1974 bear market

■ Peak-to-trough (market high to market low) ■ 1-year after end ■ 5-years after end ■ 10-years after end

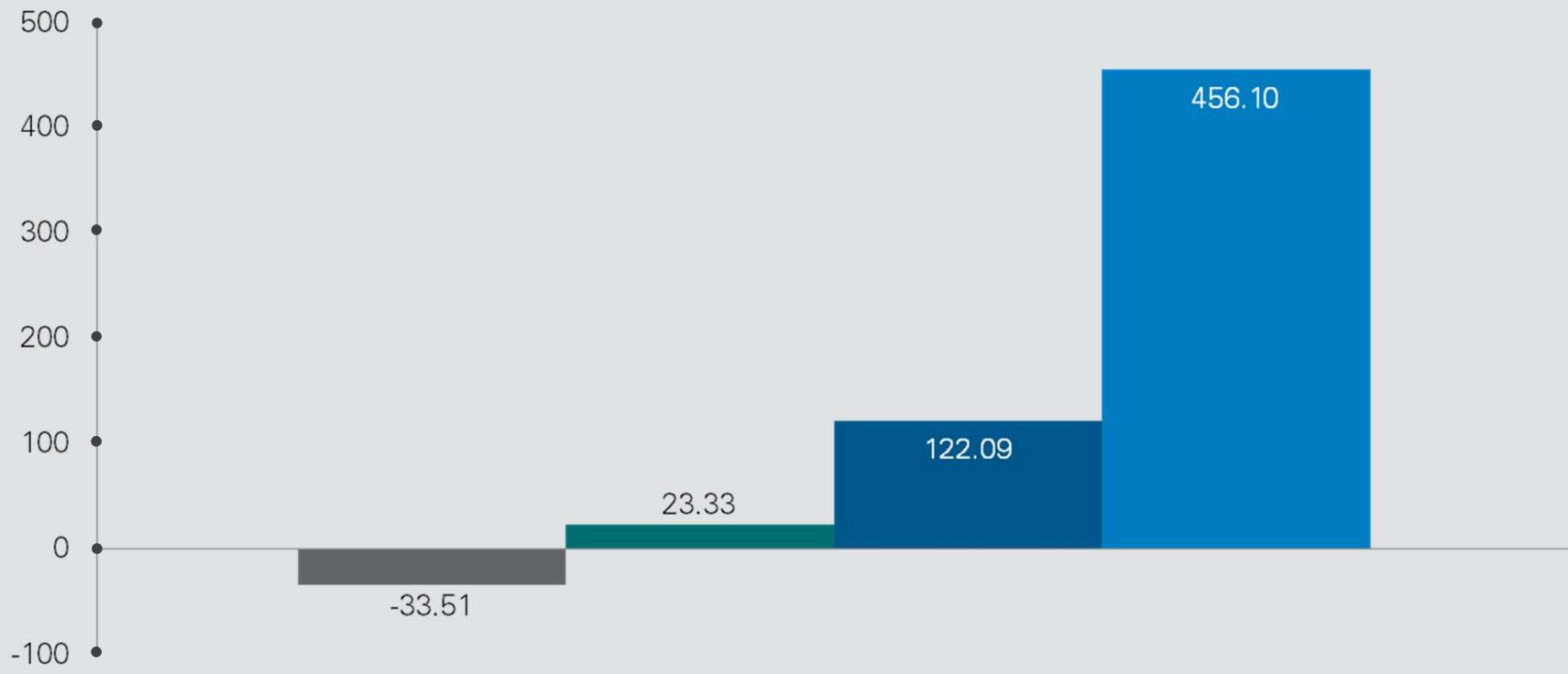


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For every bear, there's a bull...

Cumulative total returns of the S&P500 (%) following the 1987 market crash

■ Peak-to-trough (market high to market low) ■ 1-year after end ■ 5-years after end ■ 10-years after end

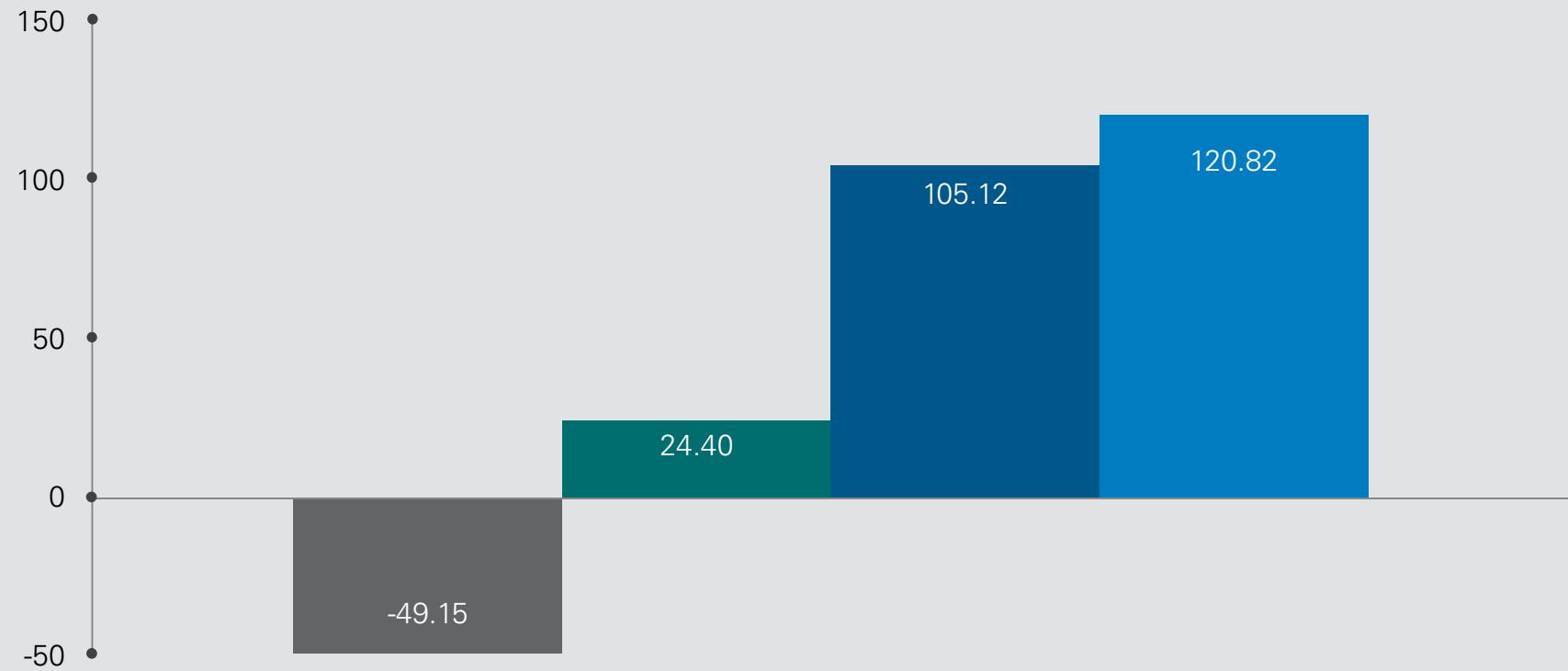


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For every bear, there's a bull...

Cumulative total returns of the S&P500 (%) following the 2000–2002 bear market

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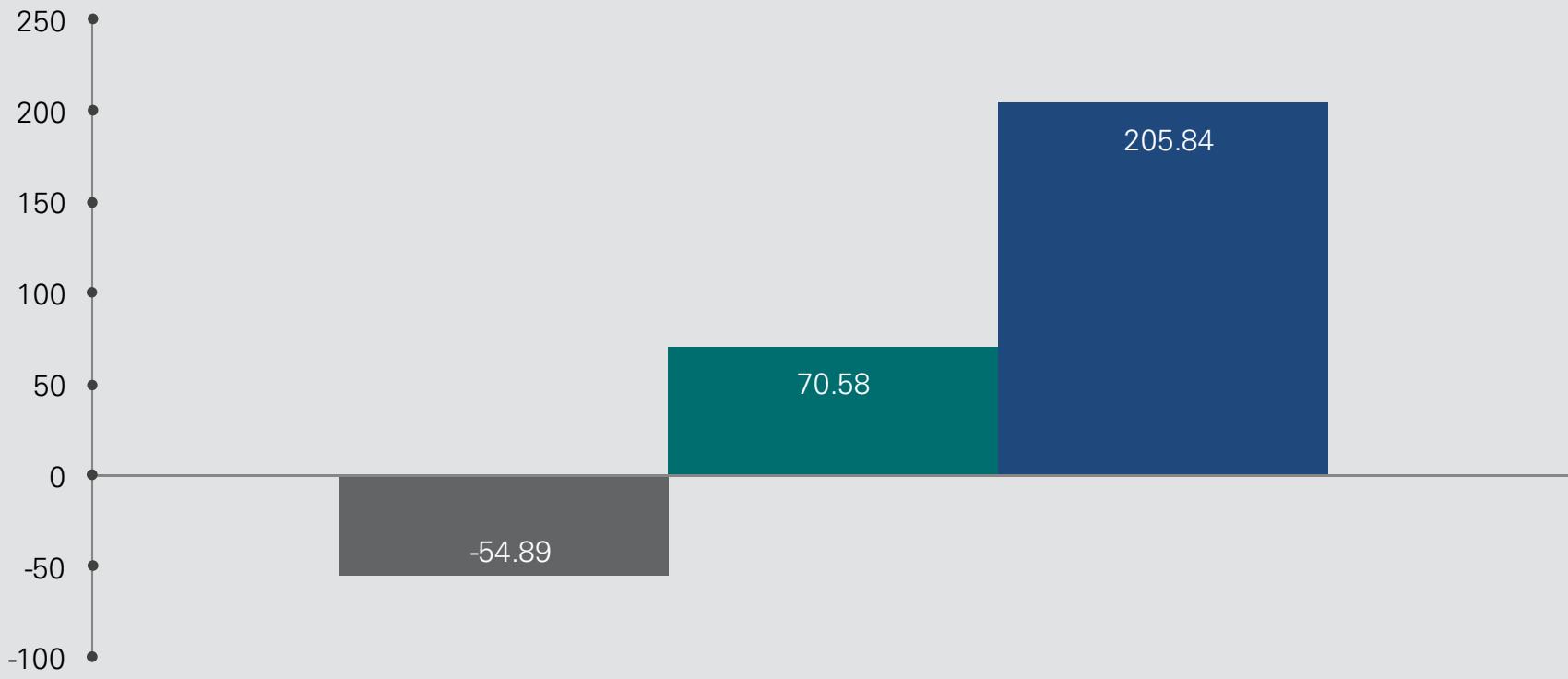


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For every bear, there's a bull...

Cumulative total returns of the S&P500 (%) following the 2007–2009 bear market

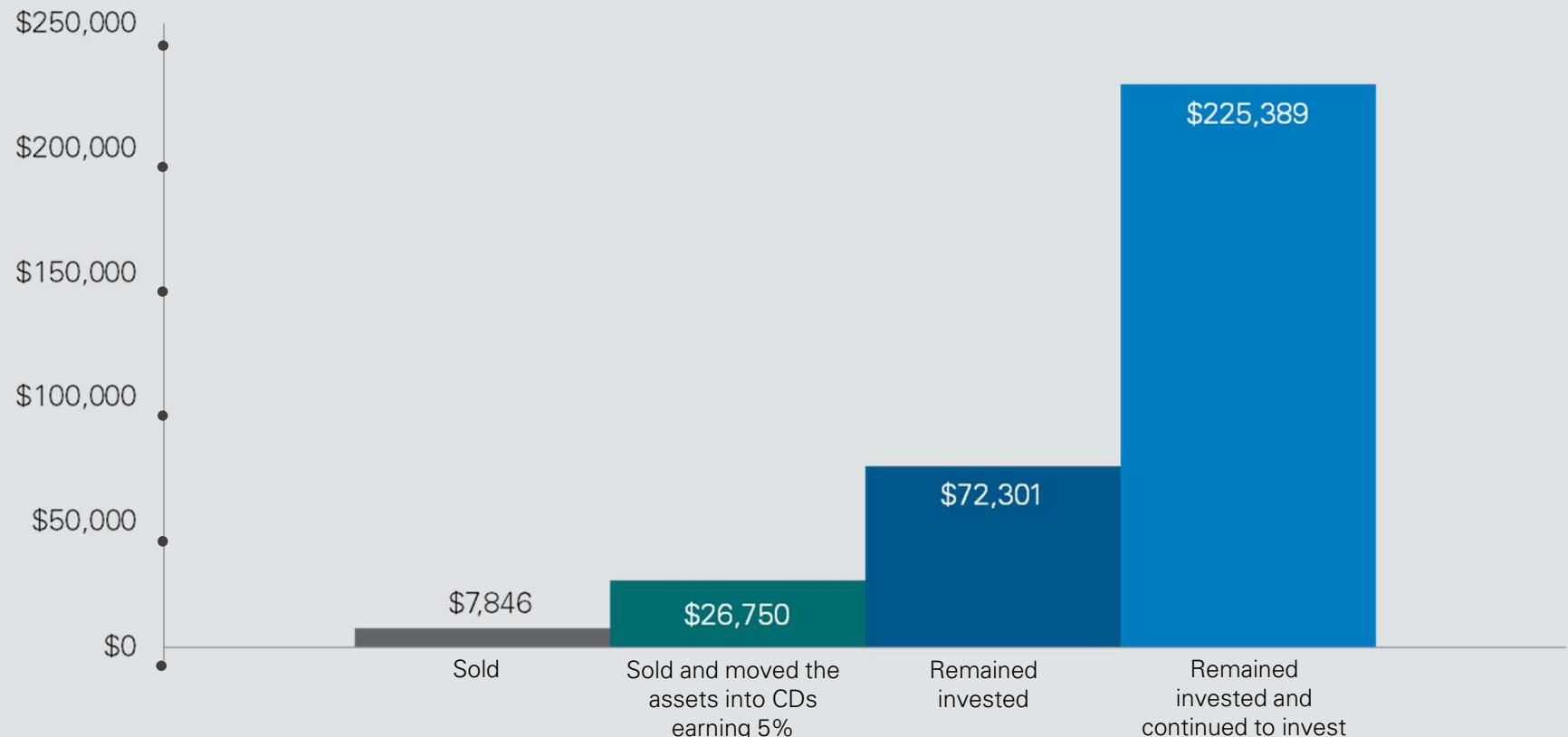
■ Peak-to-trough (market high to market low) ■ 1-year after end ■ 5-years after end



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STAYING IN THE MARKET: A TALE OF FOUR INVESTORS

A \$10,000 investment at the peak of the '87 market...and what happened based on four reactions to the October '87 crash through the next twenty years (year-end 2007)



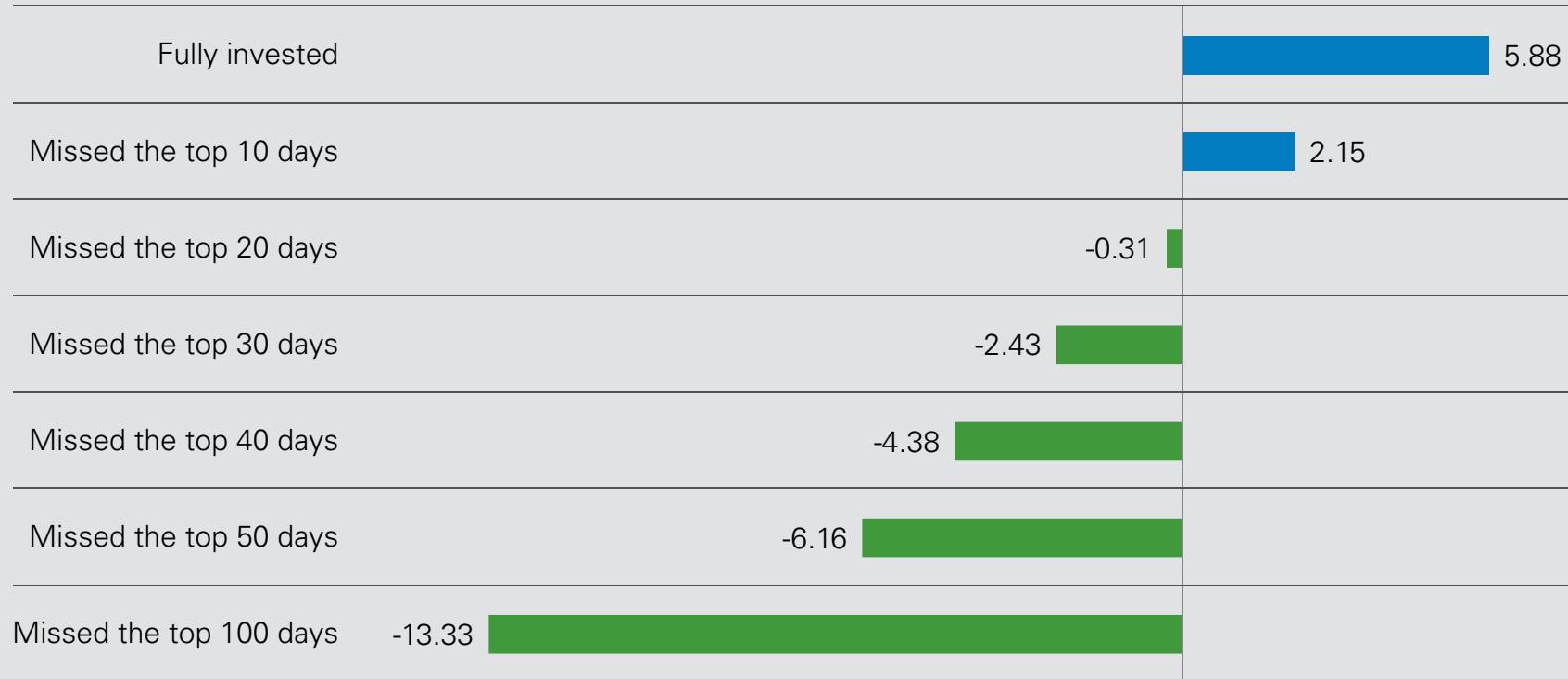
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STAYING IN THE MARKET: IT'S TIME, NOT TIMING

Market Returns (%)

S&P 500 Index from January 2, 1997 – December 31, 2016

Price-only performance



Sources: Morningstar Direct as of 12/31/16. All investments involve risks, including loss of principal. The chart provided is for illustrative purposes only and represents an unmanaged index in which investors cannot directly invest.

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PRINCIPLES THAT HAVE STOOD THE TEST OF TIME

- Recognize that the issues that worry investors today aren't necessarily new
- Stay focused on the big picture
- Don't let emotions drive your decisions
- Understand your tolerance for risk
- Stay invested
- Be diversified*
- Work closely with a trusted financial advisor

*Diversification does not ensure a profit or protect against a market loss.



*“The more things
change, the more they
remain the same.”*

-Jean-Baptiste Alphonse Karr

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Time magazine cover images* used in this presentation include:

- "The Big Payoff: Lockheed Scandal: Graft Around the Globe" February 23, 1976
- "Revolt of the Old: The Battle Over Forced Retirement," October 10, 1977
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- "We've Got More Work to Do," November 19, 2012
- "Majority Rule." October 14, 2013
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- "Make America Solvent Again," April 25, 2016

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