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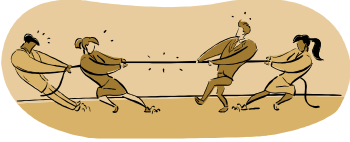
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We are at war, there is no doubt. We are engaged in a world wide war against terror. It is an organized, well funded, coordinated attack against the western world, primarily the United States. The U S was attacked by a visible organization called the Taliban, but is really against the fundamentalist Islamic faction headed by Osama Bin Laden and other Clerics of Islam, a false belief system originally begun 365 years after Christ by Mohammed who was an illiterate camel driver, who found a way, as did many other charlatans over the centuries, to turn religion into a profitable system for his own benefit and lustful teachings. Simply put, we are engaged in a war of Biblical proportions, with the Bible believing Christians as the focus group of the hate and murderous intent of the entire Islamic system. This war is fought on three levels: First, between 'us and them' on a personal level, and since many Christians don't give credence to the magnitude of this war, neither do many Muslims. Second it is the United States that exhibits the fruit of our past Christian roots in our freedom of worship, free speech, guaranteed rights and prosperity, along with our coalition who, while primarily living in a post-Christian Europe, still benefit from the Christian teachings once held in those nations. Third it is a war between those who follow our Heavenly Father, a God of love and compassion against the great adversary, the devil who deals in repression, death, and a suppression of the common person who takes worship to himself by a false belief system who worships a mountain god named Allah. Allah is a false god, and is not just another name for our Jehovah God who is the only self-existent one. Terrorist acts are accepted, even cheered in Mosques across the world, by every Moslem whether an active terrorist or not, their Koran calls for the killing of those who resist their efforts, including women and children who refuse to accept their domination, and the most brutal torture and beheading of anyone who raises a weapon against them. One Islamic cleric recently vowed an intense offensive in the coming months causing many casualties among U S and Coalition forces that would bring us "intense pain" and another swore the Moslem population would grow until it overwhelmed the rest of the world by sheer numbers, thus forcing the world to live under the severe, vicious Islamic law, or in the words of their leaders, until "Every Moslem is dead." There is no alternative, WE ARE AT WAR1 *I'm Vance, and I'm thinking right!*



Team Work Takes Tenacity

"When the righteous are in authority the people rejoice, but when the wicked rule the people mourn." Proverbs 29:2 As Edmund Burke said, "All that is necessary for the triumph of evil is for good men to do nothing." Jesus is our team Director. We need teamwork to win, in Jesus' Name, we win.

+ + + APRIL MEETINGS+ + +

CENTRAL PINELLAS: Meeting, APRIL 1, 10:00 AM

We meets every first Saturday of month at Panera Bread, Bardmoor Shopping Center, Bryan Dairy and Starkey Rd. Co-Chair: Vance Lackore, 776-7194, vlackore@tampabay.rr.com Co-Chair: Ron Scheffler, 595-6971 rmscheffler@cfaith.com

North Pinellas: Meeting, Tuesday, April 4 at 6:30 pm
Change back this meeting: Palm Harbor Public Library, Nebraska Road@ Riviera Road, Palm Harbor,
Director: John Hicks, 785-2066, nobnoj@msn.com

St. Pete: Meeting Thursday, April 13, at 7:00 pm
Fifth Ave Baptist Church Bldg. @, 4926 7th Ave. North
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◆◆◆ MARCH MEETING HIGHLIGHTS ◆◆◆

North Pinellas: Thank You Pastor Dave Madasz and Curlew Baptist Church for having us meet at your church. Question was asked; "Is Christian Coalition part of the Republican Party, is this so? Answer: NO. In the beginning 1988, Pat Robertson ran for president, and had offices in all 50 states. This coalition of Christians became the Christian Coalition, dedicated to assisting Christians become knowledgeable Citizen/Voters.

US Constitutional law, and Conservative efficient government.. Democrats often do not believe the same way on these most important things. We really appreciate our Republican friends and pray they stay strong in these areas.

Christian Coalition Mission. *

1. Inform Christians about timely and pending legislation; and proper response.
2. Defend Marriage and Family Values.
3. Return tax funded Public Education to local and parental control.
4. Protect Religious Freedom.
5. Protect communities from further expansion of Gambling.
6. Protect innocent life.
7. Punish Criminals and defend victim's rights.
8. Publish and distribute non-partisan Voter Guides.

*reprinted from Christian Coalition, Pinellas newsletter, November 2001.

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Non-Partisan Voter Guides Prior to election questionnaires are sent to candidates. Statements ask for an answer: **Support, Oppose, FTR.**, and must be signed by the candidate to be used.. In the 2000 and 2002 Election Christian Coalition of Pinellas distributed over 100,000 printed VG's. State and National Candidate V/G's were printed and sent us by Christian Coalition of Florida, and Pinellas was handled locally by us. In 2002 many people voted early or by absentee ballot and needed the information sooner, or, many Churches asked us to e-mail the information and they could use their own print shop to have them available sooner and reprint them to make sure they did not run out.

100,000 sounds like a lot, and there are 611,000 voters

The purpose of Non-Partisan Voter Guides is to allow Citizen/Voters the honest opportunity to judge candidates for themselves, and not be told to vote for a candidate because someone endorses them.

100,000 is a lot for us and was only possible for us because we had a wonderful volunteer team. You know who you are; heartfelt thanks for your diligence.

When Jesus brings Spring we often think of a return to nice weather, the start of baseball season, and the blessed celebration of Easter and our Lord's resurrection. But unfortunately, Spring also brings in one large problem: Spring Break. Many students (high school and college) descend upon our great state of Florida to "let loose." But that phrase has turned into code for engaging in hedonistic behavior, with adverse consequences on the communities which host Spring Break and on the students themselves.

According to some studies, 20% of girls get pressured into having sex and 10% report being sexually assaulted. A large majority of students polled admitted to excessive binge-drinking on more than one occasion during Spring Break. (Which can have severe long-term negative consequences on developing minds.) Finally, many students, also have mentioned the ease with which it is to find illegal narcotics of every type. Not too mention, that with the advent of the internet, this behavior is increasingly finding its way into the public domain for the world to see.

But let us remain steadfast, because the ultimate carpenter for humanity, Jesus Christ, has told us to "walk in wisdom towards those who are outside, redeeming the time." (Colossians 4:5 NKJV) We must offer our young people something constructive and Christ-like to do while "outside" on Spring Break. There is a strong desire from many parents and students to have a "missions oriented Spring Break." For example, some students have used their Spring Break this year to go to New Orleans and help with the rebuilding efforts. I am calling for our great state of Florida to develop a formal program to allow students to come here and perform public service projects. (Ex: help at a homeless shelter, work with at risk youth, etc.,etc.) I have personally spoken to a number of students and parents in various parts of the U.S. and throughout the state of Florida and they were very enthusiastic about the idea. In addition, the number of Christian colleges around the country whose students would take part in this would number in the thousands(bringing more tourists and not stressing the municipalities who host them).

So I am asking for all of us to work with our local and state officials to help our young people "go into the world and preach the gospel to every creature' fulfilling the Great Commission; thus repairing so many broken Springs.
God Bless America,
Mr. John Giotis

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American Minute [mail ..(a) AmericanMinute.com]
March 15, 1984, the Senate voted down voluntary silent prayer in public schools. President Ronald Reagan responded: "I am deeply disappointed that, although a majority of the Senate voted for it, the school prayer amendment fell short."

In a radio address, February 25, 1984, President Reagan said: "Sometimes I can't help but feel the First Amendment is being turned on its head...Up to **80%** of the **American people support voluntary prayer**. They understand what the founding fathers intended. The First Amendment of the Constitution was not written to protect the people from religion; that Amendment **was written to protect religion from government tyranny**...But now we're told our children have no right to pray in school. Nonsense. The pendulum has swung too far toward intolerance against genuine religious freedom. It is time to redress the balance."

Ronald Reagan told the Alabama State Legislature, March 15, 1982: "To those who cite the First Amendment as reason for excluding God from more and more of our institutions...may I just say: the First Amendment was not written to protect the people of this country from religious values; it (the First Amendment) was written to protect religious values from government tyranny."
(Ed.note: As usual Pres.R. Reagan had it right; Courts wrong; making new law from the bench. Congress gave us political lip service instead of Congressional oversight of Courts. Also I got to vote for President R. Reagan twice.)

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Capitol Hill Prayer Partners, chpp ..(a) patriot.net
NATIONAL WAVE SAYS GOODBYE TO ABORTION
In recent weeks there appears to be a ground-swell rising up across the nation in the favor of life. The death culture advocates of abortion are on the ropes and they know it. The Planned Parenthood website decries what it sees as a national trend of state legislatures moving to ban abortion: "At the state level, more than 850 choice-related bills have been introduced or carried over in the first two months of the 2006 legislative session. The current wave of state abortion bans is a serious, direct threat to our most basic, fundamental rights — one that has severe repercussions for all Americans."

The leftist National Organization for Women, referring to the recent South Dakota law banning abortion except in cases where the health of the mother is endangered, warns on its website: "The fight we have been warning you about—the fight to overturn Roe v. Wade and end all abortions—is very real and it is now well underway. And, to make things worse, wily conservatives, determined win the war..., haven't pinned their plan on South Dakota alone; they are pushing in **sixteen** other states with laws on the books or bills under consideration." FL passed this, Gov. Bush signed it and FL Supreme Court said no: that's another decision that needs re-visiting.

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organizations worried is the **huge majorities by which pro-life legislation has passed in several states**. The South Dakota state Senate voted by a 23 to 12 margin and the House by a 47 to 22 majority. Mississippi's state house passed a similar bill from its Senate by a 94 to 25 margin. Mississippi's Governor says he will sign the bill into law. And Planned Parenthood bemoans, "The list goes on. In all, legislators in 12 states — Alabama, Georgia, Indiana, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, Ohio, Oklahoma, South Dakota, Tennessee, and West Virginia — have introduced bills this year to ban nearly all abortions." As we can see by the votes of States the nation seems to be growing weary of killing 1.5 million pre-born babies a year in one of the most grievous examples of infanticide in the history of the world. Jesus Christ is the God of life, both for here on earth and for eternity. Jesus said in John 10:10, "I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly (Source: Bill Wilson, [The Daily Jot](#), 3/13/2006: Jesus is Lord This great door is before us, and it's all up to the body of Christ to seize this opportunity; by prayer and stay in touch with our elected. FL's not on that list yet.

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CHRISTIAN LAW ORGANIZATIONS

1. Christian Law Assn.; David Gibbs III, P.O. Box 4010, Seminole, FL, Ph. (727) 399-8300
 2. Liberty Council; Matt Staver, Orlando, FL, www.lc.org Ph. (407) 875-2100
 3. Amer. Center for Law and Justice: Jay Sekalow, VA. Beach, VA, (www.aclu.org) Ph. (757) 226-2489
 4. Alliance Defense Fund; Alan Sears, Scottsdale, AZ, info ..(a) alliancedefencefund.org , Ph. (480) 444-0020
 5. Rutherford Institute; John Whitehead, Clarksville VA, www.rutherford.com Ph. (804) 978-3888
- This is the most notable of God's law teams. Two ADF Attorneys are part of our CCPCFL team also, Rebecca O'Dell Townsend esq. and Sonya March.

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CHRISTIAN LAW NEWS: The Children First Foundation requested New York motorists be allowed to purchase "Choose Life." License plates, a portion of revenue support adoption. Abortion advocates are so upset about any mention of life, that they have sought to censor the plates around the country.

New York Attorney General Elliot Spitzer twice attempted to have our case dismissed, at the lower court and at appellate court Wednesday, the appellate court ruled that ADF's complaint stating a claim of viewpoint discrimination is valid and the suit can now move forward. This action will help with other pro-adoption license plate cases in other states. We will keep you posted on developments. **The past seven weeks, ADF and its allies have gone 4 for 4 and all UNANIMOUS decisions at the U.S. Supreme Court. ADF and its**

allies emerged victorious in *Ayotte v. Planned Parenthood*, 9-0; *Scheidler v. National Organization for Women*, 8-0; (affirming free speech rights of peaceful pro-life advocates), and *Rumsfeld v. FAIR*, 8-0 (stopping universities from denying military recruiters access to campus.) There are so many more fights ahead. As always, we give praise to Almighty God for His amazing grace, thank you for your prayers and support which have enabled ADF and its allies to show up and WIN.

COURT VICTORIES WE NEED TO BE AWARE OF:

2003 United States v. American Library Association

The court ruled that Congress's mandate that publicly funded libraries provide internet filtering devices in order to protect children is constitutional.

2002 Zelman v. Simmons-Harris The court issued a 5-4 ruling upholding the Ohio school voucher program, allowing parents to remove their children from under performing public schools and use government vouchers for private or religious schools.

2002 City of Los Angeles v. Alameda Books The court upheld the right of communities to regulate pornographic businesses. It also clarified that cities have broad discretion in determining what evidence to rely on in regulating such businesses.

2001 Adler v. Duval County School Board The U.S. Supreme Court declined to review an appeal by the Duval County School Board of an ADF victory that upheld the right of students to speak about their faith and to pray at graduation ceremonies..

2000 Troxel v. Granville In a 6-3 decision, the Supreme Court affirmed the rights of parents over the rights of the government in child rearing.

2000 Dale v. Boy Scouts of America Following the precedent established in the 1995 ADF-backed case of *Hurley v. Irish-American Gay, Lesbian, and Bisexual Group of Boston*, the court decided that the Boy Scouts is a private organization and can exclude advocates of homosexual behavior from its leadership.

1998 National Endowment for the Arts v. Finley The court ruled 8-1 that the tax-funded NEA can refuse to give taxpayer dollars to pornographic and anti-Christian art.

1995 Rosenberger v. Rector & Visitors of the Univ. of Virginia The high court stopped discrimination and ordered equal access when a Christian university student newspaper was denied the funding provided to other groups.

1995 Hurley v. Irish-American Gay, Lesbian, and Bisexual Group of Boston: The court, 9-0, established a precedent in upholding the right of private organizations to freely associate as they choose..

CCPCFL'S SUCCESS DEPENDS ON YOU! We will not be begging for dues and contributions any more.. Your giving is very important, but now, thank God, we have a Largo business that has been funding much of the Newsletter. Paul's Newsletter to Philippians 4:17-20, and Jesus in Luke 6:38 tell why we give to God's work., and above all we are Christian's doing God's work. We stand with President Lincoln and declare, "This nation under God...of the people, by the people, and for the people", with "In God We Trust" as our National Motto, shall prosper. To all who give, we say thank you, and more importantly we pray God bless you. Jesus is Lord