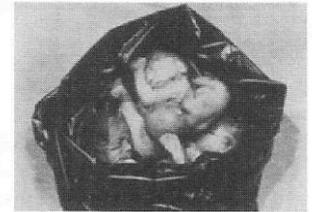


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SAINT MOTHER TERESA OF CALCUTTA CONSISTENTLY AND BOLDLY CONDEMNED ABORTION

On September 4, 2016, the Catholic Church declared what the whole world had long known, that **Mother Teresa of Calcutta** is a saint.



Never afraid to speak the truth, especially to those who held positions of power, Mother Teresa traveled around the world condemning abortion.

In her acceptance speech of 1979, the Nobel Peace Prize winner courageously stated: **"The greatest destroyer of peace today is the cry of the innocent unborn child. For if a mother can murder her own child, in her own womb, what is left for you and for me? To kill each other. Today millions of unborn children are being killed, but we say nothing."**

In March of 1994, she again demonstrated her dedication to the truth at the National Prayer Breakfast held in Washington, D.C. In the presence of President and Mrs. Clinton and Vice President and Mrs. Gore, Mother Teresa taught:

"By abortion, the mother does not learn to love, but kills even her own child to solve her problems. And by abortion, the father is told that he does not have to take any responsibility at all for the child he has brought into the world.

"So abortion just leads to more abortion. Any country that accepts abortion is not teaching the people to love, but to use any violence to get what they want. That is why the greatest destroyer of love and peace is abortion...

"In destroying the power of giving life, through contraception, a husband or wife is doing something to self. This turns the attention to self, and it destroys the gift of love in him or her. In loving, the husband and wife just turn the attention to each other, as happens in natural family planning, and not to self, as happens in contraception. Once that living love is destroyed by contraception, abortion follows very easily."

DUES RENEWAL - FAITHFULNESS

A news reporter once remarked to **Mother Teresa** that all her efforts were not successful in eliminating poverty in Calcutta. To this she replied, "Jesus did not call us to be successful, but to be faithful."

For over 44 years **Northern Kentucky Right to Life**, as well as numerous other pro-life organizations, has labored to stop the American Holocaust: **ABORTION.**

Have pro-lifers eliminated abortion? No.

Have pro-lifers been successful? In many ways, yes. Because of ongoing efforts (education, changes in the law, continual prayers, sidewalk counseling, pregnancy centers, public demonstrations, countless pro-life literature and films), a **number of children's lives have been saved from the hideous crime of abortion, and many young mothers will not have to live with the painful memory of having once destroyed a child who was living within them.**

But have we been totally successful? No.

But God will ask if we have been faithful, totally faithful! This is a question which each of us will have to answer when we stand before Him.



Scales of "Justice"???

What We Do

Please pray for **Robert C. Cetrulo**, founder and president of NKRTL, who is experiencing issues with his health.

To meet our obligation to be faithful, NKRTL volunteers continue their efforts through the following activities:

- publication of a newsletter
- initiated 19 years ago and continue to promote Helpers of God's Precious Infants weekly liturgy/prayer witness in front of Planned Parenthood in Cincinnati
- distribution of pro-life literature
- sponsoring speakers and films
- submitting questionnaires to candidates, and publishing their responses and public records and statements, along with voter information
- sponsoring rallies and picketing
- annual January "March for Life" newspaper ad
- annual Celebration for Life, with national speaker
- assisting other pro-life organizations, especially those involved in direct service to unwed mothers

"I can't do everything" is a common excuse we tell ourselves when we wish not to do anything. Granted, no one can do everything, but there is so much for each of us to do.

First, meet your Christian obligation to educate yourself and to continue to receive and read NKRTL's Newsletter. Your renewal of membership will guarantee that you will not only continue receiving the Newsletter, but that there will be sufficient funds to continue publishing it. You won't miss the \$20.00 annual dues that bring you our Newsletter and fund all of our activities - but we need you, and you need us.

We not only need your financial support, but also your active participation. Come join us at one of our liturgies, sponsor one of our speakers at your event, help us distribute pro-life literature and our Newsletter, attend our Celebration for Life, rally with us in Frankfort or in Washington, D.C., put a bumper sticker on your car, vote pro-life, write your elected officials, etc., etc.

Please be faithful in renewing your membership — and extending it to others!

Your generous donations will assist our volunteers in their efforts to reach out and touch the hearts and minds of those in need of the Truth.

THE DECEPTION OF THE FAITHFUL CONTINUES FROM SOME SURPRISING QUARTERS

On September 27, 2015, the usually reliable Catholic TV show, *The World Over*, on EWTN, by **Raymond Arroyo**, featured as a guest **Raymond Flynn**, former Democratic mayor of Boston, who two times supported the pro-abortion candidacy of **Bill Clinton** (1992 and 1996), and was nonetheless brought over again as a speaker after those elections on the Arroyo show. Thereafter, after his second term as mayor expired, he ran for office a third time, seeking the nomination of his Democratic party, which they denied him. He then

changed his position to Republican party, but continued to maintain his hypocritical position claiming to be a faithful Catholic, "personally opposed to abortion."

This perennial Judas goat was trotted out again by Arroyo in July of this year, attempting to defend the checkered record of **Tim Kaine**. How sad!

Listening to these plastic politicians change their views on fundamental unchangeable moral principles as easily as most of us change our socks, makes one think that perhaps their Patron Saint is **Humpty Dumpty**, who said in that excellent children's story by **Lewis Carroll**, *Through the Looking Glass*, that, "When I use a word, it means just what I choose it to mean"! How sad!

PRIESTS FOR LIFE COMPARISON OF DEMOCRATIC AND GOP PLATFORMS HIGHLIGHTS STARK DIFFERENCES

Priests for Life released a side-by-side comparison of the Republican and Democratic party platforms that shows stark differences when it comes to the rights of the unborn, religious liberty, marriage and the family, and respect for the U.S. Constitution. The guide is legally qualified to be distributed in churches.

"We talk about voting with a clear conscience, which means you can't vote against your values," said **Fr. Frank Pavone, National Director of Priests for Life**. "But to vote with a clear conscience, one must consider that elections not only put *individual candidates* into power; they put *political parties* into power.

"The same questions you ask about the candidates' positions on issues have to be asked of the party's positions. The party platform expresses its philosophy and its policy preferences. If that party comes into power, what people will they assign to committees, and what bills will they allow to come for a vote? What type of people will be in the administration and on the staff of the elected official; what kind of appointments will that individual make?

"Even if an individual candidate is weak on a particular issue, the party platform signals the direction in which he or she will be guided and influenced by staff and advisers, and by constituents. And in the case of a President, the party platform gives a clear signal of the type of philosophy that will prevail, under that President, at the Department of Health and Human Services, at the Department of Justice, in the Surgeon General's office, in the federal courts, in the Supreme Court, and in thousands of other positions in many federal agencies.

"Many vote for candidates because of loyalty to a party, without examining the party platform. Our moral duty requires us to look deeper, and our comparison of the Democratic and Republican platforms will help voters do exactly that."

See the following two pages for *A Comparison of the 2016 Republican and Democratic Platforms*.



A Comparison of the 2016 Republican and Democratic Platforms

A non-partisan guide on issues of concern to the electorate

REPUBLICAN PLATFORM	KEY ISSUE	DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM
<p>"The Constitution's guarantee that no one can "be deprived of life, liberty or property" deliberately echoes the Declaration of Independence's proclamation that "all" are "endowed by their Creator" with the inalienable right to life. Accordingly, we assert the sanctity of human life and affirm that the unborn child has a fundamental right to life which cannot be infringed. We support a human life amendment to the Constitution and legislation to make clear that the Fourteenth Amendment's protections apply to children before birth." (p.13)</p>	Human Life	<p>"Democrats are committed to protecting and advancing reproductive health, rights, and justice. We believe unequivocally that every woman should have access to quality reproductive health care services, including safe and legal abortion—regardless of where she lives, how much money she makes, or how she is insured. We believe that reproductive health is core to women's, men's, and young people's health and wellbeing. ... We will continue to oppose—and seek to overturn—federal and state laws and policies that impede a woman's access to abortion, including by repealing the Hyde Amendment." (p.37)</p>
<p>"We oppose the use of public funds to perform or promote abortion or to fund organizations, like Planned Parenthood, so long as they provide or refer for elective abortions or sell fetal body parts rather than provide healthcare." (p.13)</p>	Planned Parenthood	<p>"We will continue to stand up to Republican efforts to defund Planned Parenthood health centers, which provide critical health services to millions of people." (p.37)</p>
<p>"We support the appointment of judges who respect traditional family values and the sanctity of innocent human life." (p.13)</p>	Judges	<p>"We will appoint judges who defend the constitutional principles of liberty and equality for all, protect a woman's right to safe and legal abortion, curb billionaires' influence over elections because they understand that Citizens United has fundamentally damaged our democracy, and see the Constitution as a blueprint for progress." (p.25)</p>
<p>"We value the right of America's religious leaders to preach, and Americans to speak freely, according to their faith. Republicans believe the federal government, specifically the IRS, is constitutionally prohibited from policing or censoring speech based on religious convictions or beliefs, and therefore we urge the repeal of the Johnson Amendment." (p.11)</p>	Religious Liberty	<p>"Democrats know that our nation, our communities, and our lives are made vastly stronger and richer by faith in many forms and the countless acts of justice, mercy, and tolerance it inspires. We believe in lifting up and valuing the good work of people of faith and religious organizations and finding ways to support that work where possible." (p.19)</p>
<p>"We firmly believe environmental problems are best solved by giving incentives for human ingenuity and the development of new technologies, not through top-down, command-and-control regulations that stifle economic growth and cost thousands of jobs." (p.22)</p>	Climate Change/ Global Warming	<p>"Climate change is an urgent threat and a defining challenge of our time. ... We believe America must be running entirely on clean energy by mid-century." (p.27)</p>
<p>"We support options for learning, including home-schooling, career and technical education, private or parochial schools, magnet schools, charter schools, online learning, and early-college high schools. We especially support the innovative financing mechanisms that make options available to all children: education savings accounts (ESAs), vouchers, and tuition tax credits." (p.34)</p>	Education/ School Choice	<p>"Democrats are also committed to providing parents with high-quality public school options and expanding these options for low-income youth. We support great neighborhood public schools and high-quality public charter schools, and we will help them disseminate best practices to other school leaders and educators. Democrats oppose for-profit charter schools focused on making a profit off of public resources." (p.34)</p>

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The full texts of the party platforms may be found at www.VotingInfo.net.

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"We renew our call for replacing "family planning" programs for teens with sexual risk avoidance education that sets abstinence until marriage as the responsible and respected standard of behavior." (p.34)	Sex Education	"We recognize that quality, affordable comprehensive health care, evidence-based sex education, and a full range of family planning services help reduce the number of unintended pregnancies." (p.37)
"Any honest agenda for improving healthcare must start with repeal of the dishonestly named Affordable Care Act of 2010: Obamacare. ...To simplify the system for both patients and providers, we will reduce mandates and enable insurers and providers of care to increase healthcare options and contain costs." (p.36)	Obamacare	"Thanks to the hard work of President Obama and Democrats in Congress we took a critically important step towards the goal of universal health care by passing the Affordable Care Act (ACA), which has offered coverage to 20 million more Americans and ensured millions more will never be denied coverage on account of a pre-existing condition." (p.34)
"We condemn the Supreme Court's ruling in United States v. Windsor, which wrongly removed the ability of Congress to define marriage policy in federal law. We also condemn the Supreme Court's lawless ruling in Obergefell v. Hodges....In Obergefell, five unelected lawyers robbed 320 million Americans of their legitimate constitutional authority to define marriage as the union of one man and one woman." (p.11)	Marriage	"Democrats applaud last year's decision by the Supreme Court that recognized LGBT people—like every other American—have the right to marry the person they love. But there is still much work to be done." (p.19)
"We call for expanded support for the stem cell research that now offers the greatest hope for many afflictions — through adult stem cells, umbilical cord blood, and cells reprogrammed into pluripotent stem cells — without the destruction of embryonic human life. We urge a ban on human cloning for research or reproduction, and a ban on the creation of, or experimentation on, human embryos for research." (p.37-38)	Medical Research	"Democrats believe we must accelerate the pace of medical progress, ensuring that we invest more in our scientists and give them the resources they need to invigorate our fundamental studies in the life sciences in a growing, stable, and predictable way...We recognize the critical importance of a fully funded National Institutes of Health to accelerate the pace of medical progress." (p.36)
"We consider the Administration's deal with Iran, to lift international sanctions and make hundreds of billions of dollars available to the Mullahs, a personal agreement between the President and his negotiating partners and non-binding on the next president. ...Because of it, the defiant and emboldened regime in Tehran continues to sponsor terrorism across the region, develop a nuclear weapon, test-fire ballistic missiles inscribed with "Death to Israel," and abuse the basic human rights of its citizens." (p.46)	Iran	"We support the nuclear agreement with Iran because, if vigorously enforced and implemented, it verifiably cuts off all of Iran's pathways to a bomb without resorting to war." (p.43)
"The integrity of our country's foreign assistance program has been compromised by the current Administration's attempt to impose on foreign recipients, especially the peoples of Africa, its own radical social agenda while excluding faith-based groups — the sector with the best track record in promoting development — because they they will not conform to that agenda. We pledge to reverse this course...." (p.52)	Foreign Assistance	"We will support sexual and reproductive health and rights around the globe. In addition to expanding the availability of affordable familyplanning information and contraceptive supplies, we believe that safe abortion must be part of comprehensive maternal and women's health care and included as part of America's global health programming." (p.46)

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THE EXTREMISM OF THE DEATHOCRAT PARTY INCREDIBLY INCREASES

Just when you think that the extremists can go no further, they do!!

On 4/23/15, U.S. presidential candidate **Hillary Clinton** publicly proclaimed that, "**Deep-seated cultural codes, religious beliefs, and structural biases have to be changed,**" as they retard or deter the woman's right to choose abortion.

In simple language, she is asserting that this newly discovered "legal right," of 43 years ago, for a woman to kill the innocent unborn child in her womb, for no reason at all, is superior to the sanctity of innocent human life. This has been widely accepted in society as Judeo-Christian tradition since the time of Jesus Christ, 2,000 years ago, incorporated in our Constitution and by legislative enactments of most of our state legislatures for many years, and indeed set forth by God Himself in the Fifth Commandment: "Thou shalt not kill." This longstanding and widely accepted moral principle was overruled by a seven-judge majority of the U.S. Supreme Court 43 years ago, now resulting in the violent surgical execution in the womb of 1,327,629 per year (3,637 per day) in the United States alone - and an even greater number of chemical abortions. This catastrophic tragedy has had phenomenal adverse effects upon our population and financial growth and indeed undermined the very moral fabric of our nation, clearly threatening its continuation as the greatest nation on Earth.

If you haven't been doing anything significant about this incredible undermining of all moral authority in our society and its increasing degeneration, you are now furnished an immediate opportunity to take the first step towards repentance by casting a pro-life vote next month, against the greatest advocate of baby killing in candidacy for public office - Hillary Clinton.

"WHY I'M PRO-LIFE: MY STORY"

The following article is shared from **American Life League** (6/30/16, www.all.org) and was authored by **Christine Saah**:

"Dignity never has to be earned, but we can easily lose sight of what it means to have dignity. I know firsthand how a lack of dignity can make you feel worthless. It takes a lot to overcome this, but it's completely possible to see that all life matters.

"Throughout my childhood, I never felt wanted or accepted. Both of my parents were addicts and my mother almost aborted me. The fact that I survived is a

miracle in itself. It was always difficult to think that I shouldn't have made it. It didn't help that my mom was unable to care for me and my dad died when I was 13. My wonderful grandparents raised me, but I couldn't see that my life mattered. I was even told that I was a mistake and merely a product of drugs and alcohol. It hurts me to write these words, but I always felt like I had no value because of the choices my parents made.

"Despite my negative self-image, I tried to earn worth through my actions. I had to be perfect in sports, school, and all the elements of my life that I could control. I used every ounce of my being to try to earn something I never had to earn in the first place.

"In college, I learned about the pro-life movement, but couldn't get myself to support it fully. I hesitated because I wanted to be accepting of others. I always knew I would never get an abortion, but I felt that it was a personal decision. And I didn't think my personal stance should be forced upon others. Looking back now, I see the irony. I was a survivor of a potential abortion, and obviously that had consequences. I felt unworthy no matter what I did. I firmly believe it all goes back to the sense of abandonment I felt from the very beginning of my life and to all the times I was told I was a mistake. I knew that I never wanted this to happen to anyone else.

"A mother who aborts her child is essentially saying: 'I don't want you; you're a mistake and you have no dignity in my eyes. You're going to be too inconvenient.' If she has her child, but treats the child as an inconvenience, that mindset will wound and maybe even destroy the child. As I found through my personal experience, not everyone is called to raise their own children. I wouldn't have thrived staying with my birth mother, but I was blessed with the opportunity to thrive because someone else stepped in and offered me the home and the love that she could not give. There are many people out there with good hearts who want those same opportunities - to give a child love and a sense of dignity. But abortion takes that away.

"I'm certainly not the perfect person, but I have developed a firm foundation in the knowledge that I have dignity. I can do so much in this world, and I'm thankful my mother kept me alive. My life is messy, but beautiful. I'm still trying to figure out what I want to do with this gift of life, but I know one thing for certain: I want to make a difference.

"I hope that by sharing my story I might encourage someone to think twice before ending a preborn baby's life. I want everyone to realize that each and every child has dignity and deserves the chance to be born. Every single person is beautiful in the eyes of the Lord. We cannot take that away."

Christine Saah loves exploring this world one photo at a time! She studied psychology and theology at MSMU and hopes to help others in all her endeavors.



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 NEEDS YOUR NAME!



Although only some are able to go to Washington, D.C., for the magnificent March for Life in January, we all can make a public statement against abortion by placing our name in the NKRTL newspaper ad, on this 44th anniversary of the infamous Supreme Court decision legalizing the killing of unborn children.

This ad will urge the passage of a Human Life Amendment to the U.S. Constitution, an amendment which will declare that all children, from the moment of fertilization, are "persons," entitled to the same protection against murder as the rest of us.

Send a list of your names and your donation of a small sum of **\$3.00 for each name or \$10.00 donation for a family** (for families who would like to list the names of their children, but may be prohibited at the \$3.00 per name, we suggest simply \$10.00 donation for the entire family). In order to cover the cost of the ad, those who are able to do so are encouraged to make a larger donation.

Deadline: January 10

In memory of the 54 million American babies who have been destroyed in the last 43 years, please participate in the authentic, uncompromising March for Life newspaper ad. **Beat the deadline: January 10, 2017. Please send your list of names and check payable to Northern Kentucky Right to Life, and mail to P.O. Box 1202, Covington, Kentucky, 41012.**

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40 DAYS FOR LIFE™
SEPTEMBER 28 - NOVEMBER 6
 Cincinnati's 40 Days for Life vigil location is in front of the Planned Parenthood abortion mill at 2314 Auburn Avenue, Cincinnati. The vigil hours are 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. every day from September 23 through November 1.
 Contact **Mary Clark**, telephone 513-791-4039
 Email: cincy40days@fuse.net,
 Website: 40daysforlife.com/Cincinnati.
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