

On Eagles Wings



"They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength: they shall mount up with wings as eagles, they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk and not faint." Isaiah 40:31

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2010 Tax Day Tea Party

The Indianapolis Tea Party movement is alive and well! They hosted a **LAST STAND AGAINST GOVERNMENT HEALTH CARE** rally at the south steps of the Statehouse March 15 at 4:30 p.m. The rally was attended by 2,000 plus patriotic individuals waving flags and respectful homemade signs. Chants of "Kill the Bill!" reverberated throughout the area by a spirited crowd made up of the elderly, the middle aged, the young, and the very young.

Various leaders of the Indianapolis Tea Party movement spoke before the featured speaker, U. S. Congressman Mike Pence, took the podium. Mr. Pence was an inspiring speaker bringing the crowd to cheering and clapping all through his speech. He believes the health care bill will be passed or stopped depending on how the Representatives from Indiana vote. He urged the crowd to phone the Democrat Representatives from our state NOW!

A wonderful preacher from Louisiana followed Mr. Pence at the podium. He delivered a rousing speech, which actually echoed throughout the area and helped to drown out the smaller rally around the corner.

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Health Care Vote Exposes Myth of 'Pro-Life Democrat'

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Phyllis Schlafly, president and founder of the conservative grassroots public policy organization Eagle Forum, made the following remarks after the public announcement that formerly pro-life Democrat Bart Stupak (D-MI) would cast a "yes" vote for the Senate health care bill today in the House:

"It is naive for any elected official, especially one who describes himself as 'pro-life,' to expect that a promise to issue an Executive Order that reasserts the intentions of the Hyde Amendment will be fulfilled by the most pro-abortion president to ever sit in the White House. Perhaps Mr. Stupak and his fellow pro-life Democrats forget that President Obama's first Executive Order was the repeal of the Mexico City Policy to allow for international funding of abortion."

"If abortion was truly [the Democrat's] biggest issue, they wouldn't willfully align themselves with the Party of Death." ~Phyllis Schlafly

"Not only would an Executive Order be rendered meaningless in the face of Congress passing legislation which actively provides for the massive expansion and funding of abortion services, but anyone who doubts the abortion tsunami which awaits this bill becoming law lives in a fantasy world."

"Barack Obama has lined every existing federal agency with the most dedicated pro-abortion ideologues, and we know that he will continue this pattern of pro-abortion appointments when it comes time for him to fill the over-100 bureaucracies created to administer his socialized health care program."



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That rally was made up of opponents to the conservative message being praised at the Tea Party rally.

The speeches were followed by a beautiful rendition of "GOD BLESS AMERICA" wistfully sung by the audience. It brought tears to many eyes in the audience.

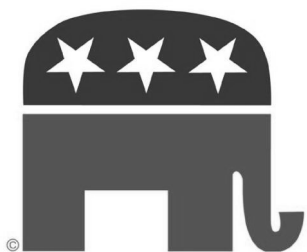
The Indianapolis Tea Party movement announced another rally, entitled **2010 TAX DAY TEA PARTY**, which is being held, quite appropriately, on **April 15, 2010** at the east side of the Statehouse from 5:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Featured speakers will include Greg Garrison, Emery McClendon, Peter Heck, Bill Whittle (PJTV.com), and Indiana State Treasurer, Richard Mourdock. Musicians Norm Andrews and Casey Anderson will also be featured.

To find out more about the Indianapolis Tea Party Movement, visit their website at: www.IndianapolisTeaParty.com. NOW IS THE TIME TO GET INVOLVED! OUR FREEDOM IS AT STAKE!

*Rosalie A. Lavelle
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State Senators form Caucus To Advance Conservative Values

One of the most exciting things that came out of the 2010 Legislature was the news that the Republican conservative State Senators joined together and formed the Indiana State Senate Conservative Caucus to advocate and advance conservative values in the General Assembly. Their first order of business was to adopt a resolution of support for Senate President Pro Tempore David Long.



The announcement issued January 28, 2010 states: "The Indiana State Senate Conservative Caucus was established to advocate and advance conservative values in the Indiana General Assembly. As an egalitarian

group, there is no formal leader or chairman. Members will bring forth issues as they deem appropriate and necessary for good government and upholding conservative values. ..."

Membership includes:

Sen. James Buck (Dist.21)
Sen. Mike Delph (Dist.29)
Sen. Travis Holdman (Dist.19)
Sen. Jean Leising (Dist.42)
Sen. Scott Schneider(Dist.30)
Sen. Marlin Stutzman (Dist.13)
Sen. Greg Walker (Dist.41)
Sen. Brent Waltz (Dkst.36)
Sen. John Waterman (Dist.39)

Sen. Carlin Yoder (Dist.12)

Sen. R.Michael Young (Dist.35)

Examples of some legislation the group supported:

SJR 13-Definition of Marriage

SJR 14-Right to opt out the health care system

SB 25- Firearms in locked vehicles

SB198- Prohibit agencies from contracts with or grants to Planned Parenthood

SB213 – Unauthorized aliens



Opposed

SB405- Gaming matters, riverboats and authorizations

Conservative State Legislators Running for National Office

Two members of the Senate Conservative Caucus are candidates for higher office. State Senator **Marlin Stutzman** is campaigning for U.S. Senate along with four other Republican candidates. He led the group in two straw polls taken in the northeast portion of the state. In the Fourth Congressional District State Senator **Mike Young** shines as the up and coming candidate among 14 other Republican candidates.

The 2009 Indiana Eagle Forum Award recipient and conservative Indiana House member **Jackie Walorski** is a candidate for the 2nd District Congressional seat. She is working tirelessly to unseat the current Congressman, Democrat Rep. Joe Donnelly.

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Calling all Collegians!

You are invited to attend the Collegians Leadership Summit 2010 in Washington D.C. July 15- 16.

Thanks to generous sponsorship, the summit is FREE. You will meet and hear well known conservative speakers, network with students & activists from across the country, learn how to stand up to liberal professors and administrators and more.

Register at www.efcollegians.org to reserve your spot and to explore travel scholarship opportunities.

~ **Blake Bachman** ~
Eagle Forum Collegians Director

Myth of Pro-Life Democrat

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"Any formerly pro-life Democrat who casts a 'Yes' vote for this Senate health care bill tonight will be forever remembered as being among the deciding votes which facilitated the largest expansion of abortion services since *Roe v. Wade*."



Mr. Stupak and his Democrat followers have now clarified that you cannot be pro-life and be a Democrat. If abortion was truly their biggest issue, they wouldn't willfully align themselves with the Party of Death."

"This vote will expose the myth of the 'pro-life Democrat.' With this single vote, the Democratic Party will divide our nation into the Party of Death and the Party of Life, and future elections will never be the same."

D.C. Catholics End Program Over Gay Marriage Bill

The Catholic Archdiocese of Washington, D.C. has ended an 80-year-old program of arranging foster care after the city council voted to legalize same-sex marriage.

The archdiocese took action because the marriage bill, approved on Dec. 15, would allow children to be adopted by homosexual couples....

Later, on Feb. 17, Catholic Charities – the social service arm of the archdiocese – transferred its foster care and public adoption programs in the District to the National Center for Children and Families, a private nonprofit organization based in Maryland.

Eric Salmi, a spokesman for Catholic Charities explained "The foster care transition took place because we would be required by the city, because of the new law, to place children with same-sex married couples, which is something that as a Catholic organization we can't do."

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The next meeting of the Capitol Chapter of Eagle Forum is Monday, April 5, 2010 ~ 10:10 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. Meeting & program *to be held one time only* at

Nora Library, 8625 Guilford Road, 275-4470

Guilford is the first light after 86th Street and College Avenue.

We will have a "Fireside Chat" with our special speaker: STATE SENATOR SCOTT SCHNEIDER

Come with questions about the State Legislature and bring a friend or two to meet with Senator Schneider.

Obamacare: Recall, Repeal, Reform

According to Rep. Todd Akin (R-MO), the action plan for getting rid of Obamacare is to Recall Senators who voted for it; elect a Congress who will repeal it, and then add the needed reforms to improve medical care. Andy Schlafly, Eagle Forum's National Court Decisions Chairman is leading the effort to accomplish step one. He is the lead counsel for the committee seeking to recall Senator Robert Menendez (D-NJ). Andy Schlafly will be defending last week's appellate decision against any further challenges to it by those who want to deny New Jersey voters their constitutional right to recall public officials," says RoseAnn Salanitri, chairman of the committee to recall Sen. Menendez. The New Jersey Superior Court, Appellate Division ruled: "Nothing in the Constitution requires a people to continue to be represented by someone who no longer acts in their best interests...Government works for the people, not vice versa. The New Jersey Constitution clearly establishes the right to recall public servants, and denial of such a right would be contrary to everything that the U.S. and New Jersey Constitutions stand for." Michael Ferris is also involved in the effort and provides the legal basis for Recalling Congress members on Firethe219.com, a website dedicated to helping remove from power all 219 members of Congress who voted to destroy the finest Health Care system in the world.

Examiner.com, 3-20-10.

Importance of Eagle Forum's Annual Report on the NEA

For at least 15 years, Eagle Forum has reported on the annual convention of the National Education Association (NEA), particularly about its long list of radical anti-parent, pro-gay, and pro-feminist resolutions. Eagle Forum is the only conservative organization that does this. These resolutions authorize the highly paid NEA staff to lobby on behalf of those policies. Now, we learn that these resolutions also authorize the NEA to file lawsuits against Christian student organizations. In a case now pending in the U.S. Supreme Court, the NEA has joined the ACLU to file a brief seeking to force a Christian Legal Society chapter at the University of California to accept gays as voting members and officers. The ACLU brief quotes from the NEA's Resolutions to show their legal interest in the NEA matter. ∞

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