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White House Deputy Press Secretary Hogan Gidley Interview

-- Religious Freedoms and 'Fake News' Update

by IMC News Publisher Rev. Anthony Harper, Ph.D.

September 30, 2019

(WASHINGTON, Dc) -- Deputy Press Secretary Hogan Gidley joined me at the White House September 30, 2019 to Religious talk about Freedom concerns in light of President Trump's recent U.N. statements and the example of the Jewish Cemetery desecration in Vilnius, Lithuania. In addition, 'Fake News' and freedom of the press

concerns are discussed in light of the differences between the Christian media and mainstream media. Talk show host Mark Levin's new book titled 'Unfreedom of The Press' is a contrast with CNN White House correspondent Jim Acosta's new book titled 'The Enemy of the People: A Dangerous Time to Tell the Truth in America.' This interview explored these core



increased attacks on President Trump and White House press secretaries by media sources. Have you thought about the importance of the Christian media at the White House in light of a new President? It is something to take serious with a flurry of accusations of 'Fake news' from President Trump and his administration. Along with many

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issues of concern to many

and Orthodox Jews. In

comparison with my

time in the White House

Daily Briefings during the

there is much greater

'Fake News and What

to do about it,' I address

In my article titled

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Kaileb's story



Harvest Farm.

At the age of 12, Kaileb received news that led to deep confusion. He found out the father he grew up with was not his biological father and his brother was his half-brother. "It was a really emotional thing," he said. "It fueled my fire all of a sudden...to be reckless and to be wild."

That same year, he tried his first beer in a friend's basement, and one curious sip eventually escalated to binge drinking. At 15, he tried marijuana.

During his freshman and sophomore years at Thunder Ridge High School in Highlands Ranch, the college offer letters started flooding in from schools across the nation.

At 17, he signed an offer to attend the University of California, Berkeley and received a full-ride basketball scholarship. "I have pictures of the day I signed," Kaileb said. "I just looked absolutely miserable. I didn't know how to feel." The summer after he turned 18, he tried cocaine. At that point, he was drinking heavily and smoking every day.

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For the majority of his life, Kaileb, a staunch, six-foot-nine former collegiate basketball player, found his identity in being an athlete. He knew he was born to play ball.

But his zeal and commitment to the sport, and to life, didn't develop until his mid-twenties after battling years of destructive addictions and consequentially joining the New Life Program at When he arrived in Berkeley, the lack of fulfillment in his identity as an athlete resulted in a search for more. He went to practice and weight training high. He used his stipends on drugs and alcohol and went from being a starting player to a bench player.

Kaileb attended four schools in his five years of playing college basketball. "I would go to a school, get in a lot of trouble with drinking and drugs and then burn the bridge with

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Honoring Our 9-11 Lost and Their Families

by IMCNews publisher Rev. Anthony Harper, Ph.D.



Photo above: In New York City at Ground Zero Friday September 13, 2019 (the site of where the World Trade Towers once stood)



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This was a very sobering time for me at Ground Zero. Emotions of anger and grief enveloped me as I thought of the tremendous horror for those inside the World Trade Towers, the loved ones and friends of those trapped inside who lost their lives as well as for the people in the Pentagon and the plane that crashed in Pennsylvania. Please pray for all those that lost their friends and family in this 9-11 disaster. It is hoped that the authorities will be better prepared in the future to protect people from terrorists.

'Meet Me in the Stairwell'

(a hypothetical letter of what GOD might say circulated by an unknown author via e-mail)

You say you will never forget where you were when you heard the news On September 11, 2001. Neither will I.

I was on the 110th floor in a smoke filled room with a man who called his wife to say 'Good-Bye.' I held his fingers steady as he dialed. I gave him the peace to say, 'Honey, I am not going to make it, but it is OK..I am ready to go.'

I was with his wife when he called as she fed breakfast to their children. I held her up as she tried to understand his words and as she realized he wasn't coming home that night.

I was in the stairwell of the 23rd floor when a woman cried out to Me for help. 'I have been knocking on the door of your heart for 50 years!' I said. 'Of course I will show you the way home - only believe in Me now.'

I was at the base of the building with the Priest ministering to the injured and devastated souls. I took him home to tend to his Flock in Heaven. He heard my voice and answered.

I was on all four of those planes, in every seat, with every prayer. I was with the crew as they were overtaken. I was in the very hearts of the believers there, comforting and assuring them that their faith has saved them.

I was in Texas, Virginia, California, Michigan,

Afghanistan. I was standing next to you when you heard the terrible news. Did you sense Me?

I want you to know that I saw every face. I knew every name - though not all know Me. Some met Me for the first time on the 86th floor.

Some sought Me with their last breath. Some couldn't hear Me calling to them through the smoke and flames; 'Come to Me... this way... take my hand.' Some chose, for the final time, to ignore Me. But, I was there.

I did not place you in the Tower that day. You may not know why, but I do.. However, if you were there in that explosive moment in time, would you have reached for Me?

Sept. 11, 2001, was not the end of the journey for you. But someday your journey will end. And I will be there for you as well. Seek Me now while I may be found. Then, at any moment, you know you are 'ready to go.'

I will be in the stairwell of your final moments.





Photo above left to right: I M C N e w s publisher Rev. Anthony Harper, Ph.D. at the World Trade

Towers October 16, 1993 (New York City) and on the observation deck of the World Trade Tower. Photo by Bob Bergen, Connecticut.

CUFI "Why Israel" Event in Pocatello 2019

by Paul Guisande, Pocatello, Idaho Oct 2



Oct 22, 2019

Regional Coordinator and Board member of the Northwest American Israel Public Affairs Committee. Delivered insightful and inspiring information on Israeli innovations from Farming to Pharmacy, Communications, Medicine, Military, Hi Tech and much more. He provided an amazing contrast of the landscape and surrounding hillsides of Israel, before the Jewish people once again received possession of the land as their very own home state, it was a dry desert and malaria infested swamp lands that no one wanted, and to see it today, with Israeli inventions they have produced lush farm lands, vineyards and orchards providing fruits and vegetables, flowers of a vast array that are marketed around the world. Truly, fulfilling the biblical prophecy of Israel being a blessing to the nations of the world. Randy also provided valuable information on the (BDS) movement, the effort to Boycott, Divest from and Sanction Israel; this is an anti-Semitic movement whose end goal is the destruction of the Jewish State. BDS activists have repeatedly acknowledged that "The real aim of BDS is to bring down the state of Israel." When confronted with the facts most everyone would believe that it is a good idea to support Israel; CUFI wants everyone to know "WHY" it's important. To assist in becoming better informed about the Biblical mandate to stand with Israel and support the Jewish people, a booklet entitled "Why Israel" answers the critical questions and presents the essential reasons why Israel matters to God, to Christians, to America, and to the world. The information in this booklet will help to combat the lies of Replacement Theology and



Pictured above: Randy Neal (top) and Pastor Dave McGarrah

(POCATELLO, ID) -- We are still basking in the light that was cast from our second annual Christians United for Israel event at Calvary Alliance Church in Pocatello, Idaho held on Thursday, October 17, 2019. "Why Israel" from why should I care to what can I do, was the theme of this year's event.

Special guest speaker Randy Neal, CUFI's Western

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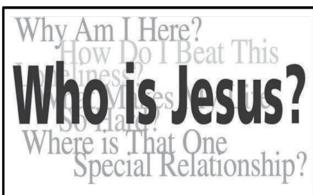
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JESUS is GOD the SON (CREATOR of the Universe and all Life!)

Hebrews 1:2-3

2 ... in these last days he has spoken to us by his Son, whom he appointed heir of all things, and through whom he made the universe.

3 The Son is the radiance of God's glory and the exact representation of his being, sustaining all things by his powerful word.

Hebrews 3:3-4

3. Jesus has been found worthy of greater honor than Moses, just as the builder of a house has greater honor than the house itself.

4. For every house is built by someone, but God is the builder of everything.

THE SAVIOR (GOD in human form) born of the Virgin Mary

Matthew 1:23

"The virgin will be with child and will give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel" – which means, "God with us."

Isaiah 9:6

For to us a child is born, to us a son is given, and the government will be on his shoulders. And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

John 8:23-24

23. But he continued, "You are from below; I am from above. You are of this world; I am not of this world.

24. I told you that you would die in your sins; if you do not believe that I am [the one I claim to be], you will indeed die in your sins."

John 14:6

Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.

No other person can save you or give you hope and eternal life.

How to know JESUS as your personal Savior:

The *only* document on earth that is a reliable source for knowledge on who JESUS is, is the Holy Bible. If you would like to know JESUS as your

Former LGBTQ Individuals Say 'Equality Act' is Discriminatory and Fraud Prevention Act Denies their Existence

News Conference: Wednesday, October 30, 10:00 a.m. United States Capitol (Area 10)

NEWS PROVIDED BY Church United Oct. 28, 2019

WASHINGTON,

Oct. 28, 2019 /Christian Newswire/ -- "Formers" (those who no longer identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, or questioning) representing

every state in the Union have selected 15 Former LGBTQ people to travel to Washington, D.C. October 28 - November 1 to address concerns about LGBTQ-focused legislation such as bill H.R. 5, which passed in the House in May, and H.R 3570, which was introduced in late June.

Although dubbed "The Equality Act," Formers understand the bill is an unnecessary concession to the false idea that members of the gay community are marginalized. In fact, LGBTQ-identifying people have always had options in how they participate in broader culture. Nothing constrains them from participating in culture on a normal level. Unlike with the African American community, who have centuries of culturally driven abuse and forced destabilization, those who identify as LGBTQ have been empowered in our modern society as scientists, literary giants, and even politicians when they have chosen not to prioritize their sexual mores.

Meanwhile, H.R. 3570, dubbed the "Therapeutic Fraud Prevention Act of 2019," mirrors a similar bill proposed by California lawmakers but withdrawn by its author after heavy pressure from the state's religious leaders, including Church United and Formers. Written by California Congressman Ted Lieu, the bill would ban conversion therapy nationwide and prohibit any advertising referencing to the ability to change or reduce sexual orientation or gender identity. The House resolution further minimizes the lives of thousands of Formers by declaring "there is no scientifically valid evidence that supports the practice of attempting to prevent a person from being lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, or gender nonconforming" adding that conversion therapy is "substantially dangerous to an individual's mental and physical health, and has been shown to contribute to depression, self-harm, low selfesteem, family rejection, and suicide."

America does not need anti-discrimination laws or bans against treatment for those seeking to live out their faith biblically; we need a renewed belief in the dignity and beauty of all of humanity in its diversity. America CAN model for the world what it looks like to value one another despite our differences without government intrusion or enforcement.

Bills like H.R. 5 will impact the private, public, religious, academic and government sectors. This proposed law would change the existing Civil Rights Act to redefine "sex" as gender identity and sexual orientation among the list of classes (e.g., race, color, religion, sex and national origin). There would be NO exemptions for individual believers or faith communities. H.R. 5 will empower the Federal Government to levy punishment on any individual or organization with a dissenting ideological view. It is the beginning of the end of religious liberty and free speech in America. For Formers, bills like H.R. 5 and H.R. 3570 block our rights to follow our own convictions. It enforces the false belief that one cannot change and that one has no choice but to embrace LGBTQ identity and behaviors. African American Former, Edward Byrd, who identified as Sexually Androgynous, from Maryland shared:



LGBTQ identity. Through counseling and other avenues, I was able to process through rape, abuse and gender identity. If I had not had these options, I might not be alive today! Now I am on a path of Faith and Freedom."

Latin American Luis

Ruiz, Pulse Nightclub Survivor,

"If this bill would become law, we will not be able to build our organization, Fearless Identity, that brings hope and understanding to the LGBTQ communities and the church through education and Biblical teaching. We support a judgment-free environment for anyone that wants to seek change, and the freedom to do so without fear of retribution or lawsuits because LBGTQ change is possible."

African-American California Bishop Ed Smith, Zoe International, who leads scores of churches in California and the United States said,

"I support every persons' right to choose their own course of life which often requires them to make personal changes in their core beliefs and lifestyle. Following Jesus is no different.

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"And I will bless them that bless thee, and curse him that curseth thee..." – Genesis 12:3 (KJV)

We believe that the Jewish people have a right to live in their ancient land of Israel, and that the modern State of Israel is the fulfillment of this historic right.

We maintain that there is no excuse for acts of terrorism against Israel and that Israel has the same right as every other nation to defend her citizens from such violent attacks.

We pledge to stand with our brothers and sisters in Israel and to speak out on their behalf whenever and wherever necessary until the attacks stop and they are finally living in peace and security with their neighbors.

personal Savior from sin, pray the following prayer followed by studying The Holy Bible and get involved with a local Christian church that believes in the entire Bible as literally true. Be a doer of the word and share The Gospel with others.

Pray this sincere prayer, meaning it with all your heart, and God will give you eternal life, right now!

"Dear JESUS, I am a sinful person who needs You. I turn from my sins and surrender my heart and life to You, right now. Save me dear JESUS and make me Your child. Thank 'ou for coming to Bethlehem, and for dying for me to pay for my sins. Help me to live for You all the rest of my life. "Amen

If you would like to talk to someone further about how to begin a personal relationship with Jesus Christ, please call toll free **1-888-NeedHim** and view the web sites:

www.needHim.org and www.wayofthemaster.com

"Honestly, my life has been changed because I was able to be open about my struggle with the The Scriptures promise blessings upon those who love the nation of Israel, and CUFI has prayerfully searched for a way to honor and bless those who have chosen to be part of this holy move of God.

About Christians United for Israel: Christians United for Israel (CUFI) is the largest pro-Israel organization in the United States and one of the leading Christian grassroots movements in the world. For more information, view the website: www.cufi.org.

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October is Clergy Appreciation Month

Focus On The Family



Clergy Appreciation Month is a special time that congregations set aside each year to honor their pastors and pastoral families for the hard work, sacrificial dedication and multiple blessings provided by these special people. It is typically scheduled in October, but can be held at any time that is convenient for the church and the community. It is also important to remember that appreciation, affirmation and prayer support of our spiritual leaders is appropriate throughout the entire year.

The nature of the service provided by pastors and their families is unique. God has entrusted to them one of the most precious of assignments — the spiritual well-being of His flock. When a pastor becomes ineffective, the very souls of his or her parishioners are endangered. When eternity is in the balance, we should all be concerned.

Pastors and their families live under incredible pressures. Their lives are played out in a fishbowl, with the entire congregation and community watching their every move. They are expected to have ideal families, to be perfect people, to always be available, to never be down and to have all the answers we need to keep our own lives stable and moving forward. Those are unrealistic expectations to place on anyone, yet most of us are disappointed when a pastor becomes overwhelmed, seems depressed, lets us down or completely burns out.

That's why God has instructed us to recognize His servants.

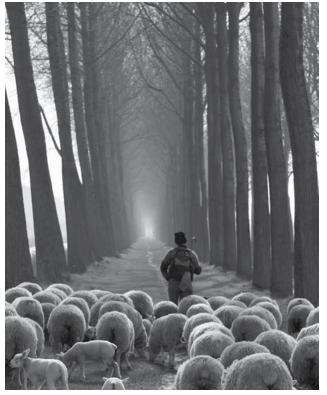
"The elders who direct the affairs of the church well are worthy of double honor, especially those whose work is preaching and teaching" (1 Timothy 5:17).

The good news is that we can make a difference! Clergy Appreciation Month is one way we can counter the negative erosion in the lives of our spiritual leaders with the positive affirmation they need.

Don't your pastors and their families deserve this Month, go to the following website: kind of recognition? Do something about it today! http://www.parsonage.org/cam/

Help your pastors and their families feel appreciated

- 1. Figure out what you can do personally to recognize and honor these leaders. A simple card, an invitation to lunch, a promise to pray for them or an offer to babysit, wash a car or mow a lawn make wonderful statements.
- 2. Share the concept of CAM with others in your congregation and challenge them to join you in some kind of formal planning. You might consider a special service of affirmation, a potluck event or planting a tree in their honor. The sky is the limit!



IMCNews publisher note: For more information about Clergy Appreciation Aonth, go to the following website: http://www.parsonage.org/cam/

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Vision Beyond Borders News

(CASPER, WY) Containers are Loaded!

We are excited to have sent out two containers, one from Billings and one from Casper this week, bound for refugees in Jordan! We are very thankful for the many people who have donated Casper, Wyoming October 25, 2019



Praise Reports

Praise God that both containers were fully loaded and shipped out this week!

Praise God for all of our faithful volunteers who help us pack and sort clothing every week as well as our donors who make shipping

containers, trips and safe



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clothing and supplies to both

the Casper and Billings warehouses and the volunteers how have faithfully come and helped us process and box donations.

Thank you so much to everyone who has made donations or come and volunteered in one of our warehouses; we are so grateful for the way that God has provided bountifully through you to be able to fill and send these containers out so rapidly! We are very excited to see both containers on their way so close together, and we look forward to being able to send more out as soon as we can.

Prayer Requests

Please pray that both containers will arrive in Jordan safely and that they provide the refugees with many things they need!

Please continue praying for our contact in Romania as she is still in a lot of pain from her accident.

homes possible!

Vision Beyond Borders P.O. Box 2635 Casper, WY 82602 307-333-6545



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Vilnius, Lithuania Jewish Cemetery Desecration

by IMCNews publisherRev. Anthony Harper, Ph.D. September 23, 201 9



(VILNIUS, Lithuania) -- This cemetery was desecrated by the Russians at the end of World War Two. Jewish people rally at this site and plea for protection over this sacred cemetery from further desecration by Vilnius city officials who are planning to run sewer lines through the cemetery and build a business and entertainment center. The participants at this events say that protecting this crucial cemetery will help ensure protection of other Jewish and all other religious cemeteries, an issue I brought up with President Trump's Deputy Press Secretary Hogan Gidley while at the White House September 30, 2019.

The Old Jewish Cemetery of Vilna

Jewish historical sites in modern day Vilnius (Hebrew: Vilna), the capital of Lithuania, are an endangered species. This video examines the history – and the plight – of Vilna's Old Jewish Cemetery, affectionately called "Piramont" and "Der Alter Beys Eylem" by Vilna's pre-World War II Jewish community. The video features an appeal to the Lithuanian government by Malcolm Hoenlein, Executive Vice Chairman of the Conference of Presidents of Major Jewish Organizations. Produced by KOLROM. CREDITS In Memory of Rabbi Zvi Kestenbaum and Rabbi Hertz Frankel. To watch this video, click on the following YouTube link:

https://youtu.be/BC6DiBvNu20



Pictured above: Event organizers, Dov and Chaya Fried (below) join me to explain the crucial impnortance in protecting this cemetery

To watch this event and interviews, click on the following YouTube link: https://youtu.be/eznZ3oG1xSw

Israel Prime Minister Election Reports

by IMCNews publisher Dr. Anthony Harper September 17, 2019



(JERUSALEM, Israel) -- Guatemalan Ambassador to Israel Mario Bucaro meets with me at the Israel Government Press Office In Jerusalem regarding the Prime Minister Election event September 17, 2019. To watch this interview, click on following YouTube link:

https://youtu.be/HG1rkKnRpKQ September 18, 2019



(TEL AVIV, Israel) -- Israeli leader MK Sharen Haskel of Prime Minister Netanyahu's Likud party joins Dr. Anthony Harper and Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu speaks at close of Likud election event September 18, 2019 in Tel Aviv, Israel.

There are concerns of voter fraud. Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu is behind in the polls and there is no declared winner. Netanyahu nor his opponent Benny Gantz are able to form a winning coalition government at this time, leaving the likelihood that there will be a round of third elections next year.

To watch this interview, click on following YouTube link:

https://youtu.be/ADsXn0XEuyk



Statement of Faith

Intermountain Christian News is nondenominational in attitude and emphasis.

We believe the Bible to be the only inspired, infallible, and authoritative Word of God. We believe in one God, eternally existent in three persons, - FATHER, Son (JESUS), and The HOLY SPIRIT. The Bible is the totally sufficient resource for learning how to live a Godly life.

We believe in the virgin birth of our Lord Jesus Christ, His sinless life, His vicarious and atoning death, His bodily resurrection, His ascension to the right hand of God the Father, and His personal return in power and glory.

We believe that only God The Son (Jesus) is the mediator between man and God The Father and The Holy Spirit. Jesus alone can save us from our sins, permit people entrance into Heaven, and is the only Savior and hope. Only a personal relationship with Jesus will bring true healing to people.

We believe that only Jesus is to be regarded as our spiritual Teacher and Father. We do not look to ungodly counselors for wisdom.

We believe our salvation is by grace through faith, in His shed blood, which is evident through our works.

We believe that Humans are a special creation of God and not as a result of evolution.

We believe in the sanctity of life and therefore oppose abortion and euthanasia.

We believe only in the Biblical view of marriage which is between one man and one woman.

We trust in JESUS to give us wisdom, courage, strength and protection from evil.

We believe that it is our Christian duty to express our faith as a witness for Jesus in all matters public and private.

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Letter to the Editor

How many legs does a dog have if you call his tail a leg? Four. Saying that a tail is a leg doesn't make it a leg. (Abraham Lincoln) Likewise, if you call a male a female, it doesn't make him a female

According to science male and female brains are different as confirmed by many web sites (e.g. https://www.wsj.com/articles/girlsvs-boys-brain-differences-might-explain-techbehaviors-11569317402).

Also males and females are different physically more than just their reproductive systems. Males who call themselves females crush true females in athletic competition. This has been shown in track and field, volleyball, hockey, and wrestling. For example, see https://nypost.com/2019/03/04/trans-athletes-aremaking-a-travesty-of-womens-sports/

In a six-team cross country meet the boys' times ranged from 15:14.3 to 15:46.88. The Girls' times

ranged from 17:55.7 to 18:45.4. So the slowest boy was about 2¹/₂ minutes faster than the fastest girl. https://www.deseret.com/2019/10/23/20926406/ utah-cross-country-high-school-6a-champions.

God made Adam and Eve, not Adam and Steve and He said they would be one (Genesis 2:24 also quoted by Jesus in Matthew 19:5-6). When we monkey with God's plan, we get idiocy. Homosexuals have developed 68 "genders." (https://search.yahoo. com/search?fr=mcasa&type=E111US550G0&p=gen ders+identified+by+homosexuals)

The godless forces have nearly destroyed our constitutional Christian nation. If America is to survive, we must return to rational (biblical) thinking.

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Montana OKs Reciprocal Partnership With Alberta

by Karen L. Willoughby, Baptist Press

KALISPELL, Mont. (BP) Messengers to the 2019 annual meeting of the Southern Montana **Baptist** Convention voted unanimously Oct. 3 to enter into a seven-year reciprocal partnership with Baptist churches in Alberta that affiliate with the Canadian National Baptist Convention.



"Alberta is the perfect Messengers to the 2019 annual meeting of the Montana Southern "Alberta is the perfect initiative. Photo by Chad Keck

place for us to begin to stretch ourselves some," MTSBC Executive Director/ Treasurer Barrett Duke told messengers and guests. "After all, all you have to do is to get in your car and point it north, and you'll end up in Alberta in a few hours or less.

"Alberta has a similar economy to ours," Duke continued. "It has a good mix of rural and metropolitan ministry opportunities. There's something in Alberta for each of our churches to do, and it won't involve the high travel costs that prevent a lot of churches from getting involved in mission trips."

The 166 people present for Montana's annual meeting included 10 CNBC-Alberta pastors and leaders from as far as Edmonton, Alberta, who were present to establish relationships with Montanans,

Nate Vedoya told Baptist Press. Vedoya is a church planter and the North American Mission Board's Send City missionary in Edmonton.

In presenting the motion from the MTSBC executive board, President Chad Scarborough, pastor of First Baptist Church of Shelby, old the 76 messengers com 53 of the Montana

convention's 137 churches that participating in the partnership "gives your folks experience they'll bring back to your church and at the same time, they will encourage the Alberta churches."

The partnership is part of the state convention's "Go Montana" initiative, which is in "vision-casting" stage this year and is set for mobilization in 2020. The initiative includes a first-ever statewide mission trip to Peru next August.

Easthaven Baptist Church in Kalispell hosted the meeting, which was themed "Refresh," and the church's praise team led in worship.

For more of this story, click on following link: http://www.bpnews.net/53711/montana-oksreciprocal-partnership-with-alberta

'Regulating' Abortion Ignores What It Really Is, Says Activist

Charlie Butts (OneNewsNow.com) Wednesday - October 23, 2019



A move to limit abortion in Colorado is dividing the pro-life community over protecting the unborn.

Colorado Right to Life says the effort merely regulates killing the unborn.

"Instead," says the pro-life activist, "we all need to fight for the personhood of the unborn child and to abolish abortion, not to regulate it."

A woman is considered five months pregnant and therefore more than halfway to a full-term birth at the 22-week mark, when the fetus has passed a pound and reached the size of a bell pepper.

The Colorado Sun reports that supporters of the 22-week ban must collect more than 123,000 signatures to put the issue before votes on the 2020 ballot.

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OPINION: Political and Religious Correctness

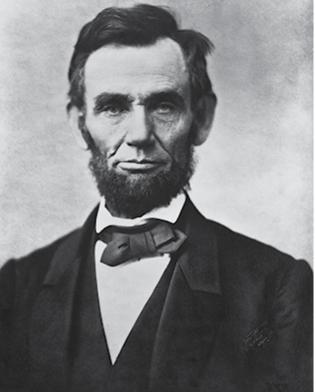
By Rev. Anthony Harper, Ph.D.

October 30, 2019

(BOISE, ID) -- Political and religious correctness is killing America with removal of The GOD of Israel's words from our public arena, whether it be the Holy Bible and prayer removed from our homes and public schools, the Ten Commandments removed from schools/parks/institutions of government or politicians not quoting the National Day of Prayer key verse 2 Chronicles 7:14 in its entirety. This is the scripture that Evangelical Christians rally around on the National Day of Prayer May 2, 2019 and must be quoted and followed exactly as The GOD of Israel told Israel King Solomon in order for a nation to experience healing. Here is what it says:

"If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land." (KJV)

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Scriptures and proven by all history, that those nations only are blessed whose God is the Lord.

And, insomuch as we know that, by His divine law, nations like individuals are subjected to punishments and chastisements in this world, may we not justly fear that the awful calamity of civil war, which now desolates the land, may be but a punishment, inflicted

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the state's "Go Montana" told the 76 messengers from 53 of the Montana ention's 137 churches that participating in the ership "gives your folks experience they'll bring

Monday - October 07, 2019

(Source: http://www.abrahamlincolnonline.org/ lincoln/speeches/fast.htm)

Here is what he said:

"Proclamation Appointing a National Fast Day Washington, D.C. March 30, 1863

Senator James Harlan of Iowa, whose daughter later married President Lincoln's son Robert, introduced this Resolution in the Senate on March 2, 1863. The Resolution asked President Lincoln to proclaim a national day of prayer and fasting. The Resolution was adopted on March 3, and signed by Lincoln on March 30, one month before the fast day was observed.

By the President of the United States of America. By the President of the United States of America. Photo Public Domain, President Abraham Lincoln

A Proclamation.

Whereas, the Senate of the United States, devoutly recognizing the Supreme Authority and just Government of Almighty God, in all the affairs of men and of nations, has, by a resolution, requested the President to designate and set apart a day for National prayer and humiliation.

And whereas it is the duty of nations as well as of men, to own their dependence upon the overruling power of God, to confess their sins and transgressions, in humble sorrow, yet with assured hope that genuine repentance will lead to mercy and pardon; and to recognize the sublime truth, announced in the Holy

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Utah-Idaho Exceeding Goals, Planting Churches

by Karen L. Willoughby, Baptist Press

Tuesday - October 22, 2019

IDAHO FALLS, Idaho (BP) -- Fifty-six churches have been started in the Utah-Idaho Southern Baptist Convention (UISBC) over the last 5 1/2 years, messengers and guests were told at the Oct. 18 annual meeting of the two-state convention.

About 200 congregations speaking in one of at least 13 languages identify with the UISBC, executive director Rob Lee said. That's up from 48 churches when the two-state convention was organized in 1964, and includes 188 affiliated churches, church plants, pre-plant Bible studies and core teams developed by planters for Bible studies.

In other news, "We ended the 2018 budget year above budget for the third straight year," Lee said, adding that it was 5.3 percent over budget. Half of the overage was sent to the Southern Baptist Convention Executive Committee for distribution to various SBC entities.

Attendance, budget and reports illustrated the health of UISBC, which met at Calvary Baptist



The UISBC annual meeting drew about 150 people to Calvary Baptist Church in Idaho Falls, Idaho on Oct. 18. Photo by Karen Willoughby.

Church in Idaho Falls, where Matt McGukin is pastor. McGukin also was president during the annual meeting as well as of the pastors' conference that preceded it.

A total of 107 messengers from 46 churches --

61 from Idaho and 46 from Utah -- and 38 guests participated in the annual meeting that had "Let There Be Light" as its theme, with 2 Corinthians 4:6 as its scriptural reference.

"We have the responsibility for reaching the people here," said Travis Best, chairman of the UISBC Executive Board, of the two states' nearly 5 million residents. "We're working on it. Since Vision 2020 started [in 2014] we've baptized 2,600 people."

Globally, UISBC-affiliated churches have given more than \$22 million to missions through the Cooperative Program over the state convention's history, plus more to seasonal missions offerings, Ashley Clayton told messengers. Clayton is the SBC Executive Committee's vice president for the Cooperative Program and stewardship.

To read the rest of this article, click on the following link:

http://bpnews.net/53795/utahidaho-exceeding-goals-planting-churches

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SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER 2019

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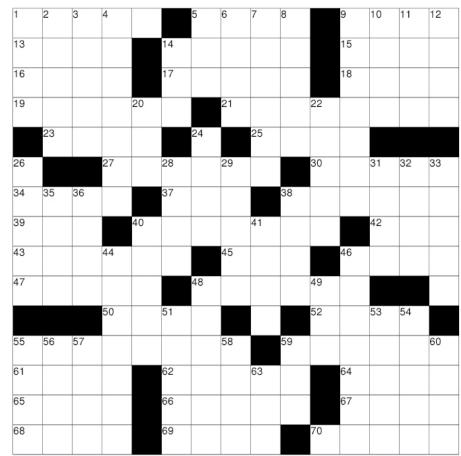
ACROSS

- 1 charge like warriors; they ____ walls like soldiers (Joel 2:7) 5 projectile (Job 41:26)
- 9 the sons of Esau, who is _____ (Gen 36:19)
- 13 Do not set up any wooden Asherah ____ beside the altar you
- (Deut 16:21)
- 14 Send me also , pine and algum logs (2 Chron 2:8)
- 15 he burned the bones of the king of Edom into ____ (Amos 2:1) KJV
- 16 first month of Hebrew calendar (Ex.23:15)

17 Xerxes who ruled over 127 provinces stretching from ____ to Cush (Esth 1:1)

- 18 _____and Dumah, and Eshean (Joshua 15:52)
- 19 She ____ her young harshly, as if they were not hers (Job 39:16)
- 21 Therefore their path will become ___ (Jer 23:12) 23 a prophetess, ___, the daughter of Phanuel, of the tribe of
- Asher (Luke 2:36)
- 25 son of Seth (Gen 4:26) KJV
- 27 who struck down six hundred Philistines with an ____ (Judg 3:31)
- 30 She makes linen garments and ____ them (Prov 31:24)
- 34 It had large ____ teeth; it crushed and devoured its victims (Dan 7:7)
- 37 I was given a reed like a measuring ____ and was told (Rev 11:1) 38 To ____ them that were under the law (Gal 4:5)
- 39 two stones the way a _____ cutter engraves a seal (Exod 28:11)40 Thebroken the rod of the wicked (4,3) (Isa 14:5)
- 42 just as _____ was deceived by the serpent's cunning (2 Cor 11:3)
- 43 with his band in the furrow? or will he ____ the valleys (Job 39:10) KJV
- 45 Ye shall not _____ of it, neither shall ye touch it (Gen 3:3) 46 John to the seven churches which are in _____ (Rev 1:4)
- 47 Joseph called his brothers ____ when they came to buy grain (Gen 42:8-9)
- 48 blessed is the man who _____ in the LORD (Jer 17:7) 50 Third son of Adam (Gen 4:25)
- 52 For everyone who _____ receives; he who seeks finds (Matt 7:8)

- 4 the LORD breaks in pieces the cedars of ____ (Ps 29:5) 5 cave-like dwelling (Dan 6:24) 6 If anyone ___ anything to them, God will add to him (Rev 22:18) 7 they that passed by ___ on him, wagging their heads (Mark 15:29) KJV 8 they can ___ the younger women to love their husbands (Titus 2:4) 9 So before the allotted time ___, David and his men went out (1 Sam 18:26-27)
- 10 in nakedness and ____ poverty, you will serve the enemies (Deut 28:48) 11 the sons of Eliphaz were Teman,
- _____, Zepho (Gen 36:11)
- 12 Yet I am always with you; you hold _____ my right hand (2,2) (Ps 73:23) 14 Saul the son of _____, a man of the tribe (Acts 13:21)
- 20 Take it and give it to them for my ____ and yours (Matt 17:27)
- 22 Jeremiah from Anathoth, who
- as a prophet among you (Jer 29:27) 24 I stand at the _____ and knock (Rev
- 24 I stand 3:20)
- 26 For my _____ are many, and my heart is faint (Lam 1:22) KJV
- 28 But ____ in the grace and knowledge of our Lord (2 Peter 3:18) 29 snake (Isa 30:6)
- 31 a feast of wines on the ____ (Isa 25:6) KJV
- 32 Reuben, Jacob's firstborn, and Simeon, and _____, and Judah (Gen 35:23)
- 33 You, however, ____ me with lies (Job 13:4)
- 35 gather, collect (Gal 6:9)
- 36 Ahab son of ____ became king of Israel (1 Kings 16:29)
- 38 Five gold tumors and five gold ____ (1 Sam 6:4)
- 40 if the salt ____ its saltiness, how can it be made salty again? (Matt 5:13)
- 41 they were unable to ____ the net in (John 21:6)



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55 They will secretly introduce destructive ____ (2 Peter 2:1) 59 I will make it a wasteland, neither ____ nor cultivated (Isa 5:6) 61 They are all adulterers, as an _____ heated by the baker (Hosea 7:4)

62 Prepare for war ____ the warriors (Joel 3:9)

64 the inscription that was written: ____, MENE, TEKEL, PARSIN (Dan 5:25)

65 For I was an hungred, and ye gave me ____ (Matt 25:35) (KJV) 66 You are in ____ because you do not know the Scriptures (Matt 22:29)

67 now therefore _____ thou somewhat the grievous servitude (2 Chr 10:4) KJV

68 He makes clouds rise from the _____ of the earth (Ps 135:7) 69 for the tent a covering of ram skins _____ red (Ex 36:19) 70 three thousand were _____ to their number that day (Acts 2:41)

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1 He ____ on the ground, and made clay of the spittle (John 9:6) KJV

2 Their venom is like the venom of a snake, like that of a ____ (Ps 58:4)

3 The ____ who lives among you will rise above you (Deut 28:43)

44 A mocker ____ correction; he will not consult the wise (Prov 15:12)

46 After Saul had ____ rule over Israel, he fought against (1 Sam 14:47)

48 The ____ of evolution

49 she got a papyrus basket for him and coated it with _____ and pitch (Exod 2:3)

51 The people have become hungry and ____ and thirsty (2 Sam 17:29)

53 get three seahs of fine flour and ____ it and bake some bread (Gen 18:6)

54 endow her with wisdom or give her a share of good ___ (Job 39:17)

55 Then he said unto him, Come _____ with me, and eat bread (1 King 13:15)

56 the LORD commanded the blessing, _____ life for evermore (Ps 133:3)

57 They _____ from the Book of the Law of God (Neh 8:8) 58 we have as an anchor of the soul, both _____ and stedfast (Heb 6:19)

59 one beka ____ person, that is, half a shekel (Ex 38:26) 60 a prophet mighty in _____ and word before God (Luke 24:19) 63 Jacob ____ pottage: and Esau came from the field (Gen 25:29) KJV



Stanton Healthcare Outraged at Lies and Slander Reported by the "Belfast Telegraph"

October 8, 2019

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BOISE, Idaho, Oct. 8, 2019 /Christian Newswire/ -- On October 2, the Belfast Telegraph reported on the upcoming screening of the movie Unplanned in their digital edition by including this quote: "'The Belfast screening is funded by Stanton Healthcare who lie and misinform women up to 24 weeks in order to ensure they cannot access abortion services,' said a spokesperson for Alliance for Choice."

Stanton Healthcare International Founder and CEO, Brandi Swindell, states,

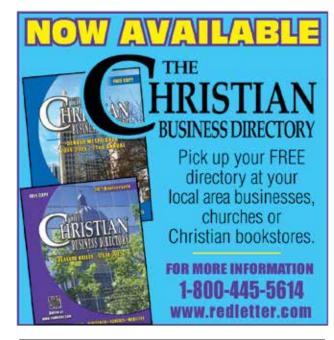
"This article and quote by the Belfast Telegraphis both factually a lie and a tragic example of unprofessional and shoddy journalism.

"With respect to the lack of integrity concerning journalistic standards, the Belfast Telegraph quotes unnamed sources with the 'Alliance for Choice' that never once provide any facts or evidence about their allegations of lies and misinformation by Stanton. Simply stated, unsubstantiated allegations and charges are reckless, malicious and libelous journalism.

"Stanton Healthcare has the highest standards of care and medical professionalism and offers quality women's health care. Compare that to Planned Parenthood which has no independent medical accreditation and has lost millions of dollars in lawsuits regarding botched abortions, medical malpractice and settlements with whistle blowers.

"Our team is in the process of meeting with our legal advisers to explore what actions we will take against the Belfast Telegraph and their malicious attacks against Stanton Healthcare and women."

For more information or interviews call: Brandi Swindell at 208.867.1307.





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Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu and his Wife Sara Attend Christian Media Summit in Jerusalem

(Communicated by the Prime Minister's Media Adviser) Sunday - November 3, 2019

(JERUSALEM, Israel)-- Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu and his wife Sara, this evening (Sunday, 3 November 2019), at the Friends of Zion Museum in Jerusalem, attended the Christian Media Summit.

An international media center was launched at the Friends of Zion Museum to strengthen Israel's



in the Golan Heights. Some have been remarkably reconstructed.

And again, President Trump decided to recognize the Golan Heights as part of Israel, sovereign State of Israel. And people said again there'll be a tremendous convulsion. And what happened? Nothing. Why did nothing happen? The reason nothing happened is because something very big is happening, and what is happening is the transformation of Israel in the minds of many in the Middle East. It is no longer being perceived as an enemy, but as an indispensable ally against the common enemy of militant Islam—first the one led by the militant Sunnis, al-Qaeda and Daesh, and more and more by the militant Shiites, of course by Iran and its various proxies.

ties with the world and the struggle against pro-BDS organizations. Prime Minister Netanyahu participated in a ceremony to affix a mezuzah.

Also attending this evening's event was US Ambassador to Israel David Friedman, Jerusalem Mayor Moshe Leon, Friends of Zion Museum founder Dr. Mike Evans and other senior officials.

Prime Minister Netanyahu [English]:

"We have to congratulate President Trump for recognizing Jerusalem as Israel's capital and moving the embassy here. And we have to recognize also Ambassador Friedman's pivotal role in this action, and I do that again and again.

I want you to know that President Trump consulted with me before he did this move. And he said, 'What do you think will happen? Will there be a lot of violence? Will there be demonstrations and protests throughout the Arab world?' And I said, 'Look, I can't guarantee that there won't be such Photo credit: Left to right U.S. Ambassador to Israel David Friedman, wife of Israel Prime Minister Sara Netanyahu, Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu, Mike Evans and his wife Carolyn. Amos Ben-Gershom (GPO)

manifestations of protests, but I don't think so. You know, I just don't think so.'Anyway, he did. He did it and what happened as a result? Nothing.

Now, this wasn't the only place for which we had an historical attachment. There's another place. And that place had a Jewish presence some 2,000 years ago, which continued until the eighth century, until a great earthquake shook us from that place. And that place is the Golan Heights. We uncovered some 30 synagogues, 30 synagogues—ancient synagogues—

The Arab states recognize that this militancy is a danger to them, no less than it is a danger to us. And therefore they make common cause with us.

But as they make common cause with us to defend ourselves against a common foe, relations begin to normalize in other fields as well. Not only to drive out the bad, but to foster the good—economic relations, technological relations, and other things as well. There is a clear shift. And that is important.

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DHS Set To Reverse Obama's Pro-LGBT Adoption Policy

OneNewsNow.com Staff (OneNewsNow.com)

Friday, November 1, 2019



The Trump administration is set to announce plans to protect faith-based adoption agencies and foster care providers from Obama-era rules that sided with homosexual activists over religious beliefs.

CBN reporter David Brody broke the story in a Nov. 1 report that quotes an unnamed White House official who said Health and Human Services will announce the rules today, which would allow those religious agencies to apply for federal funds while maintaining their religious beliefs. The new rules will drop a 2016 rule imposed by the Obama administration that added "sexual orientation" to its guidelines which predictably conflicted with Christian agencies that follow strict guidelines about placing vulnerable children in a stable home with a mother and father.

The White House official said the Trump administration is "fully committed" to preserving the religious freedom of faith-based organizations.



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Intermountain Rescue Mission Testimonies

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that coach and move on to the next," he said. "That was the beginning of letting go of the opportunity I had."

The high that he sought from drugs and alcohol led to many low points: a night he almost overdosed on Xanax; a day that he sat in a park with three knives, two handguns and 100 rounds of ammunition in his backpack with suicide on his mind.

After college, his drug and alcohol addictions evolved into an obsession with collecting firearms. He left home after having a falling out with his parents and lived in his car for about three months with eights guns in the trunk. After a continual downward spiral, he eventually found himself in jail for two and a half months.

"I came out of that and was just absolutely broken," he said.

His mother and grandmother contacted Harvest Farm, and in September of 2018, he arrived at the Farm with only a few belongings and many feelings of uncertainty.

For his first 30 days in the program, Kaileb started each day with devotions, followed by work therapy on the Farm. "I would pick up manure," he said. "It gave me time to think and process and allow myself to understand."

A few weeks after he arrived, he was assigned to work at the annual Fall Festival at the Farm, and he embraced the task with confidence.

Kaileb said his experience at the Fall Festival had a big impact on his willingness to stay at the Farm.

"I think that was the first step toward trying to find myself again, because I realized I bring a lot to the table when I'm sober," he said.

Peter Keohane, who works with Kaileb as his program chaplain, said that by participating in the Festival, men can see that just because they've had substance use difficulties, doesn't mean they aren't accepted by others. "I think by having thousands of people come out here, men begin to realize that they haven't been ostracized," he said.

With the help of mentors like Peter, Kaileb was able to get brutally honest with himself and pursue his true identity in Christ. "He's come to this place where basketball's still a part of his life, but it's not who he is," Peter said.

Kaileb will be back at the Fall Festival again, but this year with a fresh perspective and a ready heart. He is on track to graduate from the program at the end of October.

He currently works as a warehouse assistant for Fort Collins Heating and Air Conditioning and is following a training program with hopes of pursuing a career in basketball, whether it's playing professional ball, coaching or becoming an agent.

"I've been so desperate for fulfillment and success throughout my entire life and then I realized that fulfillment and success doesn't always have to be on this grandiose scale," he said. "I want to use my testimony in a big way, and that's the beautiful



After never being homeless, and living, to a large degree, a sheltered life, I was somewhat shocked to walk into the Rescue Mission a year ago and ask for help.

I see now that my entry into the Rescue Mission's New Life Program was an answer to me falling on my knees and begging God for help last year. But while the Mission was a culture shock to me, I soon realized the place was different than it seemed at first glance. I noticed there was more laughter at the Mission than any other place I had been. A lot of people seemed to have real joy. As the men on the New Life Program and the staff worked to serve the homeless, they joked around and had fun. The other New Life Program members enjoyed helping other people, even as it helped them in their personal recovery.

As someone who came to the Mission with severe depression, I am happy to say that I became one of those laughing, joyful people. I admit that at first, I was skeptical. While my parents taught me about God when I was a kid, I didn't really believe. For some reason, which I didn't fully understand, I had a lot of anger towards God and that anger led to unbelief.

But I made a conscious decision that I would fully commit to the New Life Program. After all, the choices I had made only led me to alcoholism, depression, and unemployment. I knew that I didn't have the answers and decided to trust that the New Life Program did. So, I dedicated myself to daily Bible studies, chapel services, work therapy, one-onone counseling, and church each Sunday. As I did, I realized that God was not a vindictive master, but gracious and forgiving. With this realization, my heart started to change.

Instead of being negative and distrusting towards Jesus, I found that Jesus became the center of my life. My perspective was transformed, my attitude changed, and I felt like I had a purpose again. I truly was a new person. I have a new life.

Before coming to the Rescue Mission, I had a decade-long struggle with alcoholism. When my daughter was born five years ago, I actually was able to quit drinking for more than three years. But during that time, I grew more and more depressed. My life revolved around my daughter, and I began to think, "when she is grown, I am going to be all alone again." This thought depressed me and I turned to alcohol again to cope with my deepening depression.

I started wondering if life had any meaning. I wondered if work was just something people did to distract themselves from the meaninglessness of life. I was in a deep, sad place.

Of course, drinking only made my depression worse. By last fall I had lost my job and was no longer paying child support. My phone and internet had been turned off. I wasn't really communicating with anyone.

That's when I got down on my knees and, even though I really didn't believe in God, I asked Him for help.

Soon afterwards my sister got in touch with me. She said she found a place in Salt Lake that helps people struggling with depression and addiction like me. The Rescue Mission, she said, would allow me to stay in Salt Lake where my daughter was, but still get the help I needed. I took her recommendation and walked into the Rescue Mission.

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GOVT Voters In Battleground States: Don't Impeach Trump

Michael F. Haverluck (OneNewsNow.com)

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the falsehoods promoted by the BDS movement. When we clearly understand the facts of Israel's history, we will be better equipped and empowered to confront every lie with the truth.

Despite the immense hatred for the Jewish state displayed by proponents of BDS, CUFI is defeating them at every turn. Nearly half the states in the Union have passed legislation or seen executive orders issued banning the state from investing in or engaging in contracts with entities that are boycotting Israel.

Pastor Dave McGarrah, Lead Pastor at DeerFlat Church in Caldwell, Id. And the Idaho State Representative for CUFI. Provide an update on current efforts to promote Anti-BDS legislation before the Idaho Legislature in Boise over the past few weeks. Adding Idaho to the growing list of States that recognize the destructive lies and dishonesty of the BDS movement and are passing laws to combat and put a stop to its efforts.

A member of Pocatello's Jewish community, Dave Goodman, was acknowledged as helping to promote CUFI and CUFI on Campus locally. He stated "As a Jew and avid Zionist I want to thank you, from the bottom of my heart, each of the seven million members of CUFI for supporting Israel, and for fighting anti-Semitism and exposing the lies of the BDS movement. The presentation this evening showed some of the incredible technological achievements Israel has made and shared with the world, achievements rarely reported in the mainstream media. May God bless you all."

We are energized in our efforts here in Southeast Idaho to continue forward in the cause of standing with the State of Israel and the Jewish people through the platform of Christians United for Israel. We would encourage anyone interested in information concerning CUFI to go to www.cufi.org or to become involved locally checkout Paul River Guisande on FaceBook.

"For Zion's sake I will not keep silent, for Jerusalem's sake I will not remain quiet, till her vindication shines out like the dawn, her salvation like a blazing torch." Isaiah 62:1

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In six battleground states, 52 percent of voters oppose the impeachment of President Trump, Donald compared to just 44 percent who support the idea.

"By 52-44 percent, voters across six battleground states oppose

impeaching and removing President Donald Trump from office," according to a new The New York Times Upshot/Siena College (SCRI) poll of registered voters in Arizona, Florida, Michigan, North Carolina, Pennsylvania and Wisconsin. "A majority of voters in each state – between 51 and 53 percent – oppose impeaching and removing Trump from office."

Trump sitting pretty?

Siena College Poll director Don Levy elaborated on the significance of voter opinions on impeachment in light of the 2020 presidential election.

"These six states - Arizona, Florida, Michigan, North Carolina, Pennsylvania and Wisconsin deserve the name battleground, [as] across the six, 41 percent of all voters support both the inquiry, and impeaching and removing Trump from office, while 42 percent oppose both the House probe and impeaching and removing the president," Levy pointed out. "The remaining 17 percent – including about 8 percent of all battleground voters that support the inquiry while currently opposing impeachment and removal – may ultimately decide the next election."

This could spell bad news for Democrats.

"That would be a clear win for Team Trump, except for another part of the poll, which showed that by the same 52-44 percent margin, voters approve of an 'impeachment inquiry,' which the House voted to approve on Thursday," The Western Journal asserted.

"Finally, when given the option of either supporting or opposing both the impeachment inquiry and impeachment itself, those opposed were ahead by a slight 1 percent of the vote (a statistical tie, given the 1.7 margin of error), but contradictory as it is, the New York Time Upshot/Sienna College poll could well be a good sign for the White House."

These early numbers provided by the left could be an indication that Democrats have a lot to worry about heading into an election year.

"Obviously, a lot is going to depend on how the Democrats - under the leadership of House Speaker Nancy Pelosi and Intelligence Committee chairman Adam Schiff – handle themselves as it progresses, but that doesn't bode well for the liberals," The Western Journal's Joel Saunders argued. "Given the fact that the ham-handed way Democrats have tried to railroad Trump is about to come out from behind the closed doors of Schiff's Star Chamber, it's a good bet public support will start building for Trump before too long. Schiff is the kind of Democrat that can make Elizabeth Warren look cozy."



Taking into account the way the Big Apple's liberal daily covers Trump, things may be much worse for Democrats than it seems - especially in light of its inaccurate reading about its projected outcome of the 2016 presidential race.

"Now, look at the source - The New York Times is one of the most virulently anti-Trump news organizations in the United States," Saunders emphasized. "If the best it can come up with is a solid majority opposed to removing Trump from office, and reasonable support for the Democrats' inquiry, it's almost a given that Trump's support is stronger than is being portrayed."

Numbers touted by The New York Times provided by pre-election polls anticipating her landslide victory in 2016 came to light. "Hillary Clinton has an 85% chance to win," the New York Times reported on Election Day (November 8, 2016).

Repeat of 2016?

Many on social media are calling Democrats out, saying pre-election polls showing top Democratic candidates beating Trump by double digits are mere subterfuge - similar to polls touted three years ago.

"The American people will be making a 'BIG TIME' statement in November of 2020 and 'We the People' will be voting for Trump for @POTUS and straight down the @GOP line!" Winston Smith tweeted October 31. "This is a 'COUP' that started the day Trump took office! DISGRACEFUL!!!!!!"

Others on social media anticipate the 2020 election results as vindicating Trump and Republicans for three full years of ungrounded attacks.

"The Democrats must be made to pay a very heavy price for the way they are conducting themselves in THE PEOPLE'S HOUSE!" Jim Dandy tweeted October 31.

The Democrats' ramping up of efforts to remove Trump from the Oval Office before he has a chance to compete in 2020 has a familiar ring to it.

"Judging by the evidence that has been leaked out of the closed-door hearings so far, the case Democrats are trying to build against Trump over his dealings with Ukraine looks like a reprise of their spectacular failure with the Russia 'collusion' investigation," Saunders contended.

The journalist suggests this latest anti-Trump campaign commandeered by Congressman Schiff



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will backfire as well.

"Remember those Democratic hopes that then special counsel Robert Mueller's appearance in Congress was going to turn the tide of American public opinion against Trump?" Saunders asked. "It didn't happen then, and - considering poll numbers -Democrats could have an even rougher road ahead of them now. Given their recent history, it's not looking good."

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"...If anyone would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow me." Mark 8:34 ESV

This bill is reverse discrimination, imposing LGBTQ community values upon all Americans, especially upon the churches of all denominations, who for centuries have offered hope to everyone who desires a life change to serve their God. Life is all about choices, even in our sexual orientation."

Jeffrey McCall, a former transgender woman from Georgia, shared:

"As someone who used to live in and relate to the world around me as a man-yet identified as a lesbian-I am thankful I had a choice to refuse the LGBTQ label and get the help I needed to align myself with my Christian faith. I don't want these rights taken away from others like me."

Missouri's Amanda Smith, a former lesbian added: "Vulnerable people deserve care. Individuals who struggle with their sexuality and selfperception around their gender deserve informed, compassionate attention of their choosing. I oppose H.R. 5 because, in the end, it would limit care and resources for people who want a particular type of assistance with these struggles. Making laws around ideologies and self-perceptions, rather than innate qualities like biological sex and race, sets a dangerous precedent. By infringing on other freedoms, particularly religious freedoms, this bill harms - even while it claims to help. I oppose this bill for the ways it would harm people whose stories are like mine and so many others I know."

Jim Domen, a former homosexual and Pastor/ Founder of Church United in California, decried:

"Sexual behavior should not be a protected civil right. Changing the Civil Rights Act would create a super class for anyone identifying as LGBTQ, usurping everyone else's rights who are not LGBTQ or who disagree with the lifestyle because of religious beliefs. Ask anyone from a Super Minority (e.g., Formers) about the persecution, ridicule, and abuse they have encountered for changing previous behaviors/lifestyles in America. As currently proposed, H.R. 5, the 'Equality Act,' discriminates against Formers or others who practice a different sexual behavior than LGBTQ individuals.

"H.R. 3570 prohibits choice of therapeutic direction from a client - 'I CHOSE not to be gay and my therapists helped affirm the direction I chose toward heterosexuality' - this bill would deny anyone like myself from seeking freedom and help from licensed professionals. My psychological well-being as a heterosexual man and my family, are proof that the therapies I received were not fraudulent. My wife, biological daughters and son are not frauds."

For news conference details, inquires or media interviews with Former LGBTQ individuals from a specific state or evangelical bishops/pastors please contact Desare Ferraro at (714) 348-0808 or Desare@ ChurchUnited.com. Photos and biographies of the 15 Formers are available upon request.

Church United with the CHANGED Movement (changedmovement.com) are California based nonprofit organizations partnering together to protect the freedoms of Former LGBTQ identified individuals who have CHANGED. In 2018, both organizations took key roles in a strategy that used personal stories to preempt the enactment of pseudo-communistic philosophical legislation in California's and Taiwan's governments. Recent SOGI (Sexual Orientation, Gender Identity) legislation has been authored by American legislators of Chinese descent: California's A.B. 2943 (withdrawn in August 2018) by gay Assemblyman Evan Low; and S.B. 1172 (passed in 2012 and sponsored by then CA State Sen. Ted Lieu) and H.R. 3570 authored by Representative Ted Lieu (D-Torrance). Interestingly, Low and Lieu are both of Chinese descent (Taiwan, Province of China). Church United and 5 members of the CHANGED Team (including two Former LGBTQ Pulse Nightclub shooting survivors) will be flying to Washington, D.C. directly from their tour in Taipei, Taiwan. In Taipei, 30 formerly LGBTQ identified people (Referred to as Rainbow Crossers in Asia) representing 30 nations petitioned an audience at the International Federation of Human Rights Conference, October 21-25. Their admittance to the IFHR as a people group was denied.

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OPINION: Political and Religious Correctness

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upon us, for our presumptuous sins, to the needful end of our national reformation as a whole People? We have been the recipients of the choicest bounties of Heaven. We have been preserved, these many national humiliation, fasting and prayer. And I do hereby request all the People to abstain, on that day, from their ordinary secular pursuits, and to unite, at their several places of public worship and their



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years, in peace and prosperity. We have grown in numbers, wealth and power, as no other nation has ever grown. But we have forgotten God. We have forgotten the gracious hand which preserved us in peace, and multiplied and enriched and strengthened us; and we have vainly imagined, in the deceitfulness of our hearts, that all these blessings were produced by some superior wisdom and virtue of our own. Intoxicated with unbroken success, we have become too self-sufficient to feel the necessity of redeeming and preserving grace, too proud to pray to the God that made us!

It behooves us then, to humble ourselves before the offended Power, to confess our national sins, and to pray for clemency and forgiveness.

Now, therefore, in compliance with the request, and fully concurring in the views of the Senate, I do, by this my proclamation, designate and set apart Thursday, the 30th. day of April, 1863, as a day of respective homes, in keeping the day holy to the Lord, and devoted to the humble discharge of the religious duties proper to that solemn occasion.

All this being done, in sincerity and truth, let us then rest humbly in the hope authorized by the Divine teachings, that the united cry of the Nation will be heard on high, and answered with blessings, no less than the pardon of our national sins, and the restoration of our now divided and suffering Country, to its former happy condition of unity and peace.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed. Done at the City of Washington, this thirtieth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, and of the Independence of the United States the eighty seventh.

By the President: Abraham Lincoln William H. Seward, Secretary of State"

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God really has been so gracious to me ever since. He led me to a great church family at Calvary Chapel in Salt Lake. He also enabled me to have every Wednesday off so I could spend one day a week with my daughter while I completed the New Life Program.

My parents, my sister, and my daughter's mother have truly supported me as I have worked on my life this past year. I couldn't be more grateful to them, the staff here at the Mission, the Mission's supporters, and to God. I have received so much love that I really didn't deserve.

What really made the difference, I think, is that growing up I heard a lot about God and what He was like, but I didn't know Him. I didn't have a personal relationship with Him that allowed me to know what He was like, instead of just hearing about what He is like. Having a personal relationship with God through Jesus has truly changed me.

As I write this, I have about one month left until I graduate from the New Life Program. God has blessed me with a great job in the hotel industry where I have a lot of room for career advancement. I am busy catching up the child support I owe to my daughter's mother. She has been kind to me as I have not been able to properly support my daughter for many months.

I am looking for a place to move when I graduate. I need a safe place where my daughter can come and stay with me. Please pray that God would lead me to the right housing. Pray also that God would keep me in recovery. I attend a weekly bible study, church on Sundays, and a weekly recovery meeting. I know I need to keep doing those things if I want to be close to God and stay sober.

'Regulating' Abortion **Ignores What It Really Is, Says Activist**

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Thank you for supporting the Rescue Mission. Without this place I don't know where I would be or if I would even be alive. Without this place my fiveyear-old daughter might not have a dad. Your support has meant so much to me and my family and I could not be more grateful.

For more information: Rescue Mission of Salt Lake 463 S. 400 West, Salt Lake City, UT 84101 Phone: (801) 355-1302. Website: www.rescuesaltlake.org

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Ed's story



Ed always believed he was in control of his life. Then he suffered a debilitating stroke. Home from work while he recovered, boredom set in. And he began thinking about the regrets of his past. "It's not

like I did terrible things, but they were against my moral compass," he shares. He started drinking to fill his time... and ease his mind. And soon, he says, "The alcohol consumed me."

As they watched Ed's life crumbling around him, his church family grew concerned and intervened.

They guided him to Wyoming Rescue Mission, where he joined our faith-based Discipleship Recovery Program. "I knew I needed to get back closer to the Lord," he says.

Here, instead of feeling trapped in his own thoughts, "I had brothers who were trying to reach the same goals I was, so I had people to talk to," he says. And our class on Godly Relationships helped him learn to forgive himself. "I had a lot of guilt because I drank, and I would drink to get rid of the guilt," he says, now understanding the vicious cycle that was dominating his life.

In our care, he was able to address the personal issues that led to his addiction and was empowered to make sustainable life changes. He graduated in May and began a full-time job he believes will lead to a fulfilling career. He moved into independent living and continues to be actively involved with his church.

Today, because of your generosity, Ed's heart is filled with Thanksgiving! "Since coming to WRM, I'm alive, I'm sober and I feel like I have great things ahead of me!"

For more information: Wyoming Rescue Mission P O Box 2030 Casper, WY 82602 230 N. Park Street, Casper, WY 82601 Phone: (307) 265-2251 Website: http://www.wyomission.org





The ballot initiative is being led by two conservative activists, Erin Behrens and Giuliana Day, the story said.

Enyart compares the 22-week push to regulating how and when the Nazis could gas the Jews, or when and where blacks could be lynched.

"It's misguided and it only backfires," he insists, "and it's been backfiring in the U.S. for about a half a century."

The pro-life activist says a personhood amendment would declare that a person is a human being at the moment of conception. Three past efforts to pass such an amendment have failed but the most recent was narrowly defeated.

Source: https://onenewsnow.com/prolife/2019/10/23/regulating-abortion-ignores-what-itreally-is-says-activist



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White House Deputy Press Secretary Hogan Gidley Interview

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disillusioned voters, the evangelical Christian voters are concerned about having access to credible news. This is also a concern for Mr. Dinesh D'Souza in his recent documentary 'Death of A Nation,' wherein he is calling on President Trump to follow President Lincoln's example in the middle of a national crisis. Read President Lincoln's proclamation wherein lies the solution to solving our national crisis at the following link:

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Oddly enough though, there is not a significant daily group of Christian media present at the White House for President Trump to reach out to, therein lies a key problem. The question becomes, how do we get a good Christian media representation at White House press meetings? A good answer to this question to consider is prayer and financial support for the Christian media to have their offices located in Washington, D.C. supporting their daily trek to White House press meetings.

In my experience as a White House reporter, rarely do I witness other Christian media being called on during press conferences to ask a question. There is no rotation of Christian media presence, especially on the front row of the James Brady Press room, and Christians could ask, 'Why is that?'

'Fake news' that is misleading to some is not 'Fake news' to another. With a growing distrust in traditional news and other institutions, a migration to alternative news and social media flourishes.

According to Andrew Klavan (2017), "mainstream

American news is ALL fake because the major news outlets are so consistently biased toward the left." 'Fake news' is definitely not something new.

To watch this interview, click on the following YouTube link:

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To watch Andrew Klaven's video titled 'What is Fake News?,' click on the following YouTube link:

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Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu & Wife Attend Christian Media Summit in Jerusalem

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It's important for peace. This is the way peace will ultimately be achieved.

The fact that we have common interests is not necessarily the same as common values. That is not necessarily the same. I do not claim that the Arab countries around us are Western European democracies. They are not. But they also understand that unless we cooperate, we could be threatened by a great evil power that would make the possibility of change, the hope for a better future for our peoples.

But there is also the sharing of common values, and that's what we have here today. What we have today is the alliance of those who believe in our great Judeo-Christian tradition. We have no better friends in the world than our Christian friends. And I want to thank each of you for your friendship. And it's no accident that in Israel that's the only place in the Middle East where Christians are free to practice their faith, complete religious freedom for all, and especially for Christians who are constantly under attack in the Middle East."

I think that's a necessity, because if Iran has its way, then the Middle East will collapse. And I would say categorically: If Israel wasn't here in the heart of the Middle East, then Iran would have won. And by way, would have already had nuclear weapons.

re committed to both goals: preventing Iran from developing a nuclear arsenal and preventing Iran from conquering our part of the Middle East. And we are cooperating with the United States in many, many ways, more ways than I can describe here, to achieve those two aims. And they remain our aims."

In response to a question, Prime Minister Netanyahu said [Hebrew]:

"Regarding the legal system, the courts and judges - Israel is one of the most magnificent countries in the world. Our judges and courts have a great reputation, and rightly so. I, at least, have no criticism. On the contrary, there is much deep respect for our judges and courts. The criticism that has been heard, has been heard regarding the State Attorney's Office and the police. And if you are talking about [Justice Minister] Amir Ohana, he quoted the following people. He quoted most of them and they all said more or less the same thing: Former Justice Minister the late Tommy Lapid; former Justice Minister Prof. Daniel Friedman; Prof. Ruth Gavison, a very great jurist; MK Reuven Rivlin, who has since become President; Judge Hila Gerstel and the Attorney General, Mandelblit himself. There is no system that is immune from criticism. You know that the Prime Minister of Israel is not immune from criticism. I don't know if you know that. We are a free country; that means criticism of everyone. There is no such thing as no criticism; everyone can be criticized."

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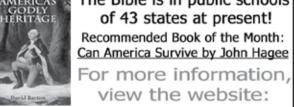
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In response to a question, Prime Minister Netanyahu said [English]:

"The most important thing is to make sure that Iran does not develop nuclear weapons and that its march towards empire and conquest is stopped. I think that President Trump's policy of putting maximum economic pressure on Iran is the right one, and I'm glad to see that it's been increased recently, more sanctions. I know that it's having a telling effect on Iran's ability to fund its aggression. We can see that. And equally, we are committed to preventing Iran from entrenching itself militarily in our borders, especially in Syria. And we take the necessary action to prevent that.



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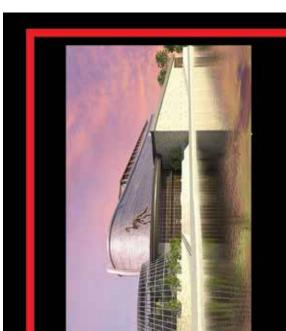
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