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Act Justly – Love Mercy – Walk Humbly With Thy God (Micah 6:8)



NORTHERN CAL. TEA PARTY PATRIOTS BAN SOHLNET'S PROLIFE TRACTS
Tea Party Organizer Del Rapini orders this tract to be removed and announces to the crowd that "social issues" (i.e., 'moral issues') will not be discussed at this event

Translation: "Taxes and small government are important. Abortion genocide is not an issue for us."

PROJECT TRUTH

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Women and Men College Students Respond After Viewing Project Truth Pictures of Abortion

"I had no idea it looked like that." "I thought it was just a small bunch of cells." If I had seen these pictures I would have never had an abortion." "They lied to me at Planned Parenthood. It was a baby." "Thanks for coming here with these pictures. My friend was going to have an abortion but has now changed her mind." "Our church youth group has never talked about this." "I did not know that abortion is legal through all 9 months." "I am now sorry I made my girlfriend have an abortion."

JOIN US IN THE BATTLE TO BRING JUSTICE TO THE PRE-BORN

Rescue those being led away to death; hold back those staggering toward slaughter. If you say, "But we knew nothing about this," does not he who weighs the heart perceive it? Does not he who guards your life know it? Will he not repay each person according to what he has done? Pr. 24:11-12 (NIV)

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What Happened to Life, Liberty and Justice For All?

52 Million and Counting Have been Murdered. Will You Act or Just Talk?

Above: Back page. Above right is front page. Inside pages are not shown but pictured 10 week old preborn before and after "choice" (abortion).

SohlNet printed 7,000 of the above tracts to distribute at this event in our effort to awaken these concerned citizens of what we believe to be the greatest moral issue of our day. On April 16th at Cal Expo we (Bud and two others) were ordered to cease handing out the tracts. We complied after making a polite but impassioned plea to Mr. Rapini to understand the gravity of placing pocket book issues above human life, made in the image and likeness of God. We did successfully hand out about 1000 tracts before we were escorted out of the event. Our story hit multiple internet news sources, facebook discussions, blogs and the email circuits. Thanks to Mr. Rapini our small effort was multiplied considerably. I think I heard somewhere that the Good Lord is into multiplying and not just loaves and fishes. Amen.



Project Truth Concludes Successful Two Month, Ten College Spring Tour

Our small team started our tour on Feb. 28th at Consumnes River College in Sacramento and ended on April 19th at Cal State Stanislaus in Turlock, CA. We travelled as far as Antelope Valley and Bakersfield in So. California. We estimate that we handed out about 20,000 pieces of prolife literature and Christian gospel tracts. Tens of thousands of students could not miss our humanity displays (seen in photo at Solano College). At each college we engaged hundreds of students in conversations concerning the sanctity of human life, the evil of abortion, and the damage to women, men, families, and our culture resulting from abortion. We have many reports of changed minds and saved babies. At each of the colleges we and our women counselors were able to pray with students for either abortion recovery or a decision for Christ. Christians and Christian Club members on the campuses were eager to understand our commitments and Biblical rationale for our ministry. Of course we were anxious to share with them.



Traveling with us to each college was Steve Macias, Western States Field Agent for the National Students for Life Clubs. At each college we were able to sign up interested students (usually 30 or more) for initiating Students for Life Clubs on the campus. We were also able to visit 15 high schools, either in the morning before going to the college or afternoons and pass out our literature to students as they either arrived or departed their campus. At several of the sidewalk locations we were threatened with arrest by uninformed law enforcement officers, who however, after listening to us and their supervisors, dropped their threats. We are grateful to all of you for your prayers and financial support helping to make this all happen.

From Bud's Desk: Question: Why Are Pastor's and the Church so Reluctant to Speak Up?

Ask any prolife Christian activist this question and you will usually get about three or four answers like these. "He is afraid of hurting post-abortive members in his congregation." "He once gave a prolife message and people walked out of church or stopped tithing." "He just doesn't know the issue well enough to speak on it." "He considers this to be a political issue and a distraction to preaching the gospel of salvation." Of course one or more of these stated reasons can be very real to the pastor and we should not judge the hearts of these pastors. The "Silence of the Shepherds" is not just noted by prolife activists but has been spoken on and written about for years. I still hold my copy of World Magazine which carried a story by the title some 15 years ago. I am in the midst of a change in my opinion concerning the silence. There is no study or data that I know of but I am more and more convinced that a significant number, possibly a majority of our pastors and church leaders are themselves post abortive. They have either arranged the abortion of one or more of their own children (probably before conversion), or participated in some other way to assist or counsel someone at sometime in an abortion decision. There is also the fact that pastors wives and sometimes children have made an abortion decision. I can understand why a pastor would not want to preach on this subject, even with his knowing the complete forgiveness of our Lord. I do not believe these pastors and leaders will be convinced to speak up as long as they have not found healing, recovery and transparency regarding their abortions. What must we do then?

I am very pleased to say that I am now working with my pastor and an impressive team of about 12 others, including pastors, pregnancy resource center leaders, and prayer intercessors in seeking the Lord's wisdom in preparation for breaking through this stronghold of silence in our churches. We are praying and listening. We believe that God is doing something very real. Please keep us in prayer.



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