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## Liberty Counsel's "Electrifying the Electorate" Campaign Hits High Gear at a Critical Time in American History

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America is at a crossroads. Whether we will continue to kill innocent children or destroy marriage by redefining it will be determined this November. The future of the United States Supreme Court teeters on our vote. What kind of future we will leave our children and grandchildren depends what we do over the next several weeks.

Christian conservative "values voters" have been injected with a shot of adrenaline knowing that their voices can make a difference in the future of America and the values that made it great. The excitement is palpable. But, our resolve must be tenacious. The future of America is at stake and its future rests with us.

Liberty Counsel's "Electrifying the Electorate" campaign is designed to energize and register voters to play a significant role in this historic election. This multi-faceted campaign includes the distribution of approved voter guides, education for pastors and churches on political activity, extensive "get out the vote" campaigns, and much more.

### The 2008 Election May be the Most Important of Our Lifetime

The Scripture says, "Righteousness exalts a nation; but sin is a reproach to any people." Proverbs 14:34. "When the righteous rule, the people rejoice; when the wicked rule, the people groan." Proverbs 29:2. If we elect leaders who will not stand up for innocent unborn children, then America will be cursed. If we elect leaders who will not defend marriage as one man and one woman, the people will groan, and our great nation will decay.

We have a duty to elect men and women who will respect God's laws. "Appoint judges who know the laws of God," Ezra told God's people. Ezra 7:25. Through the Prophet Isaiah, God said: "I will give you judges as at the beginning and lawyers as at the first. Then you will be called the city of righteousness, the faithful city." Isaiah 1:26.

The kind of judges our next President will appoint will affect America for several decades. A majority of one judge in California ushered in same-sex marriage against the clear will of the people. They now have to pass a constitutional amendment to re-establish marriage as one man and one woman. It was the judges, not the people, who opened the floodgates to abortion. It was the judges, not the people, who ruled against the Pledge of Allegiance, the Ten Commandments, and prayer.

We could not have a more important election about America's future than the one we face this year. I am so burdened about this Country and our future that I cannot begin to express my concern. We already have the most liberal, pro-abortion, pro-homosexual Congress in the history of America. We cannot afford to unleash an unbridled leftist, secular, anti-religious agenda on America and our children. We must stand up now!

In recent weeks, I have seen thrilling new evidence of God's faithfulness to our Nation. That's why I firmly believe that if we pray and take action together, we can have a resounding victory for our shared core values this November.

There are important ballot initiatives for state constitutional amendments on marriage in the key states of Florida, California and Arizona. Anita and I wrote Florida's amendment and I argued it successfully at the Florida Supreme Court against the ACLU to get it on the ballot.

Now, in these three key states the future of marriage is in the hands of the people, not activist judges. The entire country is closely watching these ballot results, and I believe the success or failure of their constitutional amendments may well determine the fate of marriage for the rest of the Nation.

### Every Christian is Accountable to Pray and Vote in 2008

Thanks to research done by my friend, David Barton, one of the Nation's leading Christian historians, there can be no doubt that the fate of our culture is in the hands of values voters. Let me share with you a summary of David's revealing booklet entitled, *The Bible, Voters & the 2008 Election*.

From 1992-2002, Christian voter turnout declined by almost forty percent.

In 2002, Christian voter turnout increased by two percent over 2000, a sizeable increase considering it was a non-presidential year. Of the 54 freshmen elected to the U.S. House, 36 were pro-life (67 percent), and of the 10 freshmen to the U.S. Senate, eight were pro-life (80 percent).

In 2004, Christian voter turnout increased 93 percent over 2002. Of the 40 freshmen sent to the U. S. House, 25 were pro-life (63 percent), and of the 9 new freshmen sent to the U. S. Senate, 7 were pro-life (77 percent).

In those two elections in which Christian voter turnout rose, a total of 94 freshmen were sent to the House, of whom 61 were pro-life (65 percent), and 19 freshmen were sent to the Senate, of whom 15 were pro-life (79 percent). The result was the congressional enactment of the first major stand-alone pro-life laws since *Roe v. Wade* in 1973: the Unborn Victims of Violence Act, the Partial-Birth Abortion Ban, and the Fetal Farming Ban.

In 2006, however, the trend reversed. Christian voter turnout fell by 30 percent. Of the 54 new freshmen sent to the U. S. House in the last election, only 17 were pro-life (31 percent), and of the 10 freshmen elected to the U. S. Senate, only 1 was pro-life (10

percent). The *Baltimore Sun* has now identified this Congress as “the most pro-choice Congress in the history of the Republic.”

David Barton’s booklet shines a bright light on the reasons why ***no Christian should ever stay home and fail to vote***. I recommend you read David’s booklet, which Liberty Counsel is making available for a small contribution of \$5.00. This booklet is a must read for all Christians.

David goes on to say “for those who wonder why the current Congress has become so aggressively pro-homosexual, actually pushing through two stand-alone pro-homosexual bills, it might be instructive to note that at the same time that Christian voters experienced a 30 percent decline in the last election, 92.5 percent of homosexual men and 91 percent of lesbian women voted in that same election...In short, ***Congress never reflects the values of the nation; rather, it only reflects the values of those who voted in the last election*** (emphasis added).”

Join Liberty Counsel and “Electrify the Electorate” as Never Before

Armed with David Barton’s irrefutable proof that ***you and I*** are responsible for the character of our Nation’s government, please join our “Electrifying the Electorate” voter registration and education campaign. I pray you will accept your God-given responsibility to be the salt and light of the culture.

God has called each one of us to the Kingdom for such a time as this. Each of us are called to different roles, but all of us are commanded to be good citizens. To be a good citizen, we must vote. It is not an option. And, we must vote our Christian values. The future of America, our children, and grandchildren, are depending on us.