### WHAT IS THE CHRISTIAN VOTE?

The Believer's responsibility to be Biblical and to act righteously.

#### **MARK CHAPTER 12:14-17**

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#### THE TITLE OF THE MESSAGE:

### "WHAT IS THE CHRISTIAN VOTE?"

It is the holding forth, the expression, the influence, the effect, the stewardship of being a disciple?

#### **SUBJECT TOPICALLY REFERENCED UNDER:**

American History, Election, Voting, Biblical Authority, Civic Duty, Righteousness.

### Introduction to the Text:

Mark 12:14-17

### Show IRS / FOX News

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EBCj\_f3JhpY

Do any of you pay taxes?

Do any of you pay income tax, property tax, sales tax?

"No Taxation Without Representation"

#### Mark 12:14-17

"Teacher, we know that You are true, and care about no one; for You do not regard the person of men, but teach the way of God in truth. Is it lawful to pay taxes to Caesar, or not? 15 Shall we pay, or shall we not pay?" But He, knowing their hypocrisy, said to them, "Why do you test Me? Bring Me a denarius that I may see it." 16 So they brought it. And He said to them, "Whose image and inscription is this?" They said to Him, "Caesar' s." 17 And Jesus answered and said to them, "Render to Caesar the things that are Caesar' s, and to God the things that are God' s."

# Do any of you pay taxes?

Income tax, property tax, sales tax, healthcare tax - tax, tax-tax?

### "No Taxation Without Representation"

And So I Submit This Morning – That Christians, Even Pastors Have The Right to Speak about the Issues of Life.

#### Before We Get Into Our Election Day Sermon &

Before Anymore Time Passes, I Want The First Thing to be The First Thing: The Gospel of the Living God in Christ Jesus.

# I Would Like to Do What our Ancient Pastors in Colonial America Once did - -

**Proclaim this Sermon a Public Proclamation Asking:** 

### "WHAT IS THE CHRISTIAN VOTE?"

### And I do so today in the spirit of the apostle Paul who,

stood in/at the epicenter of politics, education and influence...

#### Acts 17:22-23

Then Paul stood in the midst of the **Areopagus** and said, "**Men of Athens**, I perceive that in all things you are very religious; 23 for as I was passing through and considering the objects of your worship, I even found an altar with this inscription:

TO THE UNKNOWN GOD.

Therefore, the One whom you worship without knowing, **Him I proclaim to you**:

### Areopagus:

WAS THE CIVIC CENTER FOR THE GREEK COUNCIL ON POLITICS (Paul spoke to the leaders of his day – and I speak to you, the leaders of America today)

We The People...

### What Is The Christian?

The Christian is a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ – A Surrendered Soul to the will of God, Who seeks to Love, Honor, and Obey Him in all things. "To Do His Will in The Earth – Until He Appears."

### And What Is a Vote?

The God-given Opportunity granted to a free Man to select, determine, exercise, what is God's best for any culture, cause or people.

#### 1 Corinthians 10:31

Therefore, whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do all to the glory of God.

# " WHAT IS THE CHRISTIAN VOTE?"

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# From God's Interests, His Word, & Will

Today You'll Know How and Where to be His Witness in What is One of the Most Powerful Acts a Christian has Been Entrusted With –

The Act of "Responsible Independence!"

So Here We Go.

It is now clear - that God has Given the Christian the Choice Between 2 People.

# Casting Your Vote Beyond Hillary and Donald

Cast your vote for The Pre-Born Child, the Defense of Israel, and Nature.

### WHAT IS THE CHRISTIAN VOTE?

# 1.) Abortion and a Child's Right to Life

What Is The Christian Vote?

**Exodus 20:13,** 

Thou shalt not murder"

**Psalm 127:3** 

Truly children are a gift from the Lord; the fruit of the womb is a reward"

# THE REPUBLICAN PLATFORM ON LIFE

"The Constitution's guarantee that no one can "be deprived of life, liberty or property" deliberately echoes the Declaration of Independence's proclamation that 'all' are 'endowed by their Creator' with the inalienable right to life. Accordingly, we assert the sanctity of human life and affirm that the unborn child has a fundamental right to life which cannot be infringed."

### THE DEMOCRAT PLATFORM ON LIFE

"We believe unequivocally, that every woman should have access to quality reproductive health care services, including safe and legal abortion—

regardless of her state or status.

It's Not a Woman's Choice nor is It Her Right to Exterminate a Human Life – Nor is it the Governments!

### **ABORTION / FOX News**

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zCF30J7Mhck

### By The Way

Judicial Appointments to the U.S. Supreme Court Is the single most important issue in this Campaign.

Trump has released his list of Originalist's or Constitutionalist Judges.

Clinton says that she will appoint Revisionists that see the Consitution as a living document that must change with the modern age.

"It is not the court's job to do justice.

It is the courts job to apply law."

Robert Bork, *The Tempting of America--The Political Seduction of the Law*, (New York: Touchstone, 1990), p. 6.]

The Republican Party (Trump) has Determined to Stop all Tax-Payer Dollars from Being Given to Planned Parenthood – a government funded murder-mill.

### WHAT IS THE CHRISTIAN VOTE?

# 2.) The Definition of Natural Marriage by God and Science

#### **Genesis 1:27-28**

So God created man in His own image; in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them. **28** Then God blessed them, and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply; fill the earth.

That is **Pure Science** and Every Time Conception Takes Place, It's Pure Science = **Reproducible Science** in it's most pure form.

### THE REPUBLICAN PLATFORM ON MARRIAGE

"The cornerstone of the family is Natural marriage, the union of one man and one woman." "Our laws and our government's regulations should return to the building block of human civilization recognizing that marriage is the union of one man and one woman..."

### THE DEMOCRAT PLATFORM ON MARRIAGE

"The Democrat Party applauds last year's decision by the Supreme Court recognized that any person has the right to marry anyone they so love."

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# 3.) Israel and The Jews Right to The Promised Land

- 1. Why Would any American care About Israel?
- 2. Why Would any Christian care About Israel?
- 3. Why Would any **Voter** care About Israel?

### **Ezekiel 36:24,28**

For I will take you from among the nations, gather you out of all countries, and bring you into your own land, **28** Then you shall dwell in the land that I gave to your fathers; you shall be My people, and I will be your God.

By The Way, you are soon to witness a war in the Middle East and Israel is the Target, but just wait and see what happens.

### THE REPUBLICAN PLATFORM ON ISRAEL

"The Republican Party (Trump) says; "We recognize Jerusalem as the eternal and indivisible capital of the Jewish state and will relocate the American embassy to Jerusalem in fulfillment of U.S. law."

### THE DEMOCRAT PLATFORM ON ISRAEL

"The DNC supports Israel's right to defend itself While recognizing that Jerusalem is a matter for Final Status Negotiations, As per law – it is to the capital of Israel, a city accessible to all people of all faiths."

#### **Joel 4:2**

I will also gather all nations, And bring them down to the **Valley of Jehoshaphat**; And I will enter into judgment with them there On account of **My people**, **My heritage Israel**, Whom they have scattered among the nations; They have also **divided up My land**.

### Wall Street Journal Divide Israel

http://www.wsj.com/articles/white-house-working-on-renewed-mideast-peace-push-1457389793

### **Show Obama ISIL Spin Video**

ISIL, ISIL, ISIL

The Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant

Strange - Only ISIS Terrorists Call Themselves ISIL

# Show Trump / Pence on Israel Video's

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vfbqp14hhU0

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8RMWGTStWvc

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# 4.) Natural Law and Second Amendment Rights

In the creation of this nation and its laws, our founding fathers recognized certain Natural Laws that could not be denied. One is the freedom of speech and second is Mankind's Intrinsic Predisposition of Self-Preservation or Self-Defense.

### THE REPUBLICAN PLATFORM ON THE 2nd AMENDMENT

We uphold the right of individuals to keep and bear arms, a right which antedated the Constitution and was solemnly confirmed by the Second Amendment. We acknowledge, support, and defend the law-abiding citizen's God-given right of self-defense. We call for the protection of such fundamental individual rights

### THE DEMOCRAT PLATFORM ON THE 2nd AMENDMENT

We believe that the right to own firearms is subject to reasonable regulation. We understand the terrible consequences of gun violence; it serves as a reminder that life is fragile, and our time here is limited and precious. We believe in an honest, open national conversation about firearms.

A Baseball Bat, Rock, Kitchen Knife or Gun has never killed anyone.

The Deprived human heart is where murder and manslaughter come from.

Take away Guns from all the Law-Abiding good citizens and you still have all the Law-Breaking Bad People using Guns against the defenseless.

I Challenge you to a Dual of Wits by Asking you This Question, Where are most people murdered by Guns = the answer is Chicago!

## !!!A Gun Free Zone!!!

### **Nehemiah 4:16-18**

So it was, from that time on, that half of my servants worked at construction, while the other half held the spears, the shields, the bows, and wore armor; and the leaders were behind all the house of Judah. 17 Those who built on the wall, and those who carried burdens, loaded themselves so that with one hand they worked at construction, and with the other held a weapon. 18 Every one of the builders had his sword girded at his side as he built. And the one who sounded the trumpet was beside me.

#### Luke 22:35-36

And Jesus said to them, "When I sent you without money bag, knapsack, and sandals, did you lack anything?" So they said, "Nothing." **36** Then He said to them, "But now, he who has a money bag, let him take it, and likewise a knapsack; and he who has no sword, let him sell his garment and buy one."

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# 5.) Religious Liberty is the Antithesis to Tyranny

### THE REPUBLICAN PLATFORM ON RELIGIOUS LIBERTY

"The Declaration sets forth the fundamental precepts of American government: That God bestows certain inalienable rights on every individual, thus producing human equality; that government exists first and foremost to protect those inalienable rights; that man-made law must be consistent with God-given, natural rights; and that if God-given, natural, inalienable rights come in conflict with government, court, or human-granted rights, God-given, natural, inalienable rights always prevail; that there is a moral law recognized as "the Laws of Nature and of Nature's God"; and that American government is to operate with the consent of the governed.

### THE DEMOCRAT PLATFORM ON RELIGIOUS LIBERTY

"The concerted effort underway in a number of states to discriminate against LGBT people under the guise of protecting religious freedom is something very different. It's insincere and insidious. And we shouldn't let it stand,"

#### **Political Free Speech**

Do you support or oppose allowing churches and other 501(c) 3 organizations to comment on political speech and activities?

**Trump: Supports** 

Trump would seek to repeal the Johnson Amendment.

**Clinton: Opposes** 

Clinton seeks to enforce the Johnson Amendment.

### **Trump and The Johnson Amendment**

http://www.msnbc.com/rachel-maddow-show/why-trump-keeps-focusing-thejohnson-amendment

"At this moment, I would like to thank the evangelical and religious community in general who have been so good to me and so supportive. You have much to contribute to our politics, yet our laws prevent you from speaking your minds from your own pulpits. An amendment, pushed by Lyndon Johnson, many years ago, threatens religious institutions with a loss of their tax-exempt status if they openly advocate their political views. I am going to work very hard to repeal that language and protect free speech for all Americans."

- Donald Trump

### Hillary's view on Religious Freedom

http://www.usatoday.com/story/opinion/2015/04/28/hillary-cling-religion-god-policy-column/26462609/

Weird side note: unless you're a Muslim Under Obama, As Secretary of State

– Islam has spread, pillaged, or conquered more lands, countries, and peoples than any other time in the last 800 years.

#### Kirsten Powers, USA Today

"This darn world just won't stop clinging to religion."

But Hillary Clinton is on the case. At last week's Women in the World Summit, Clinton explained to her high-end Manhattan audience, "deep-seated cultural codes, religious beliefs, and structural biases have to be changed".

"Like President Obama — who famously opined that Americans "cling" to religion out of bitterness — Clinton seems to view religious doctrine in opposition to her political agenda." Powers writes; "How exactly would a President Clinton change religious beliefs at odds with her worldview? Inquiring minds would like to know.

Kirsten Powers, Democrat Strategist, Commentator
USA Today 4/25/2015

# On September 9th, of this year, a little over a month ago

Calvary Chapel Old Bridge New Jersey with help from Calvary Chapel Chino Hills Secured a location in the heart of New York City -- for the first time, full-time, 24 hours a day, Bible teaching will come from Times Square NY, NY.

http://www.nationalgeographic.com/new-york-city-skyline-tallest-midtown-manhattan/assets/img/articleImg/01nyskyline1536.jpg

By the way, the altitude of the antenna is at 664 feet and the address is 725 5th Ave, New York City,

### But that Address is better known as...

http://s.newsweek.com/sites/www.newsweek.com/files/2015/07/15/trumptower.jpg

#### **Matthew 5:10-16**

Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, For theirs is the kingdom of heaven. 11 "Blessed are you when they revile and persecute you, and say all kinds of evil against you falsely for My sake. 12 Rejoice and be exceedingly glad, for great is your reward in heaven, for so they persecuted the prophets who were before you. 13 "You are the salt of the earth; but if the salt loses its flavor, how shall it be seasoned? It is then good for nothing but to be thrown out and trampled underfoot by men. 14 "You are the light of the world. A city that is set on a hill cannot be hidden. 15 Nor do they light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on a lampstand, and it gives light to all who are in the house. 16 Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.

### Gov. Mike Pence in Swanton, Ohio

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JEPeiLBhfJM

# We Must Obey God - The Outcome is His

The Election is Tuesday, November 8th

But I Would Like to Make This Prediction –
On Wednesday, November 9<sup>th</sup>
God Will Still Be On His Throne.

