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“Do whatever He tells you”



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“God knows we’re trying”



Our Lady of the Rosary

In Defense of a Good Man

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After reading Rev. Flip Benham's scathing article about the 85,000 to 850,000 (depending upon which articles you read) people that attended Glenn Beck's "Rally Around God" (and that is GOD not god) gathering at the Lincoln Memorial in Washington, D.C., I realized that Rev. Benham new nothing about Glenn Beck. There are many "people of God" that are realizing that a fat, ex drunk, uneducated, conservative, Libertarian, ex Catholic, Mormon, cry baby, self made historian, has done in slightly more than two years, what the liberal clergy could not accomplish the many years they have been preaching. (And that goes for Al Sharpton, Jesse Jackson, Rev. Wright, and Rev. Flip Benham et al.) Even after he was threatened with death and had to wear a bullet proof vest

(per his wife's insistence) Glenn Beck is a courageous man and he has shown us that we can fight not only city hall, but the entire country.

Through his efforts, we believe we can replace the power hungry politicians in Washington. Glenn Beck has shown me that you do not have to be afraid to mention God in public. He said that the only solution to our problems in this country and the world is GOD; he said, we should get down on our knees and pray to God every day. He never said "his God." He inferred it was our God we should pray to. Shame on these "holy people" for their obvious envy of a man who has accomplished what they have only dreamed.





Senate to Vote on Bill Next Week Allowing Abortions at Military Base Hospitals

Washington, DC (LifeNews.com) -- Members of the U.S. Senate will vote next week on whether to stop a filibuster against that bill containing a provision allowing abortions at taxpayer-funded American military bases. Republicans, perhaps joined by a Democrat or two, are filibustering the bill funding the Defense Department. They are doing so for a number of political reasons -- including the fact that the bill contains an amendment allowing abortions at all worldwide U.S. military base hospitals. [The amendment](#), sponsored by pro-abortion Sen. Rolland Burris of Illinois, would have the military break with current longstanding policy disallowing abortions. The Senate is expected to vote on Tuesday on a cloture vote on the mo-

tion to proceed -- with pro-abortion Senate Democratic leader Harry Reid asking senators to end debate so the measure can have an up or down vote. Senator Roger Wicker of Mississippi led the fight in the committee against the amendment and planned an amendment of his own on the Senate floor to strike the language. However, it appears the Reid motion will not allow Wicker's amendment to be considered.

The Senate Armed Services Committee voted 15-12 for the amendment with all Republicans and Democratic Sen. Ben Nelson voting against it and all other Democrats voting for it. Nelson is one Democrat, and there may be others, who may very well join Republicans to vote against ending the filibuster on the bill and its pro-abortion provision.

Current law in effect since 1996 prohibits the performance of abortion by Department of Defense medical personnel or at DOD medical facilities. A separate provision prohibits the use of DOD funds for abortion except to

save the life of the mother-
ACTION: Go to [this page](#) to contact your senators and urge opposition to abortions at U.S. military bases. Urge opposition to the Burris amendment and support for the filibuster.

**Stacked Panel to Tell Congress to Fund More Embryonic Stem Cell Research
Washington, DC**

(LifeNews.com) -- A stacked panel will tell members of the Senate on Thursday that Congress should green light more funding for embryonic stem cell research and should overturn the federal law a judge has cited in his decision to temporarily halt government funding authorized under President Barack Obama's executive order.

Senator Tom Harkin, an Iowa Democrat who is a forceful abortion and embryonic stem cell research proponent, will head the hearing.

He was the lead Senate sponsor of two bills in 2006 and 2007 to attempt to force taxpayers to fund embryonic stem cell research even though it involves the destruction of human life

and has not worked well in animal studies because the cells cause tumors and are rejected by the immune system.

The Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services and Education will hear from two panels.

The first features only Francis Collins, the man who heads up the National Institutes of Health and who has come under sharp criticism.

Collins has fiercely opposed efforts by adult stem cells scientists to stop the taxpayer financing Obama authorized of embryonic stem cell research. When [a judge ordered](#) it temporarily halted, Collins came under fire for essentially telling scientists who had already received taxpayer dollars [they could ignore the decision](#).

Later, when a federal appeals court temporarily stopped the temporarily injunction, Collins and NIH staffers threw out protocols and began moving at breakneck speed [to authorize](#) as much government-funding for embryonic stem cell research as

possible in case the appeals court reverses itself or the judge overturns the executive order.

The second panel includes four scientists -- all but one of whom aggressively promote embryonic stem cell research. [Full story at LifeNews.com](http://LifeNews.com)

Obama's Donald Berwick Pretends to Change His Spots on Health Care Rationing

by Wesley J. Smith

It is very clear that the Obama Administration knows its approach to health care is unpopular. Thus, the short term Medicare head, Donald Berwick—who Obama gave a recess appointment to so he wouldn't have to testify in a Senate Committee about his rationing views—pretended that we can expand coverage, while not raising prices and not cutting care in a speech yesterday. What a joke.

From the Associated Press story:

The nation's health system can't be transformed by rationing medical care, President Barack Obama's new Medicare chief said Monday in his

first major speech. Dr. Donald Berwick's appointment earlier this summer without Senate confirmation was contentious because some Republicans accused him of being willing to deny care to save on costs. Since then, the administration has kept Berwick out of the limelight, turning the otherwise well-known medical innovation guru into something of a mystery man in Washington.

Berwick broke his silence Monday, telling an audience of health insurance industry representatives that pushing back against unsustainable costs cannot and should not involve "withholding from us, or our neighbors, any care that helps" or "harming a hair on any patient's head." Berwick also said he doesn't think federal bureaucrats have all the answers when it comes to remaking the system. "A massive, topdown, national project is not the way to do this," he told a conference hosted by America's Health Insurance Plans, the industry lobbying group.

“Some Republicans accused.” No, he said it himself.

A CLOTHES DRYER STORY

The heating unit went out on my dryer! The gentleman that fixes things around the house for us told us that he wanted to show us something and he went over to the dryer and pulled out the lint filter. It was clean.. He took the filter over to the sink and ran hot water over it. The lint filter is made of a mesh material .. I'm sure you know what your dryer's lint filter looks like. Well ... the hot water just sat on top of the mesh! It didn't go through it at all! He told us that dryer sheets cause a film over that mesh that's what burns out the heating unit. You can't SEE the film, but it's there. It's what is in the dryer sheets to make your clothes soft and static free ... that nice fragrance too. You know how they can feel waxy when you take them out of the box ... well this stuff builds up on your clothes and on your lint

screen. This is also what causes dryer units to potentially burn your house down with it! He said the best way to keep your dryer working for a very long time (and to keep your electric bill lower) is to take that filter out and wash it with hot soapy water and an old toothbrush (or other brush) at least every six months. He said that makes the life of the dryer at least twice as long! How about that!?! Learn something new everyday! I certainly didn't know dryer sheets would do that.

Republicans Voters More Optimistic Than Democrats, Think House, Senate in Play

Washington, DC

(LifeNews.com) -- Republican voters are more optimistic than Democrats about the 2010 elections and are more likely to believe the House and Senate are in play as potential takeovers for pro-life Republican candidates. Most voters, the PPP poll shows, believe Republicans will take control of the House but not the Sen-

ate.

The newest national survey finds 46% think the GOP will get the House to 32% who think it will not. But only 36% think it will take the Senate and 40% disagree.

Republican voters are extremely optimistic about their party's prospects for this fall and that may be part of what is driving the high level of enthusiasm on their side. 74% think their side will get back the House to only 7% who disagree and 62% think they'll get the Senate with 14% dissenting.

Among all respondents, 64% said they were 'very excited' about voting this fall. But with Republicans who think their party will take back power that figure is 78%. The conviction that their votes are going to bring about a change in control of Congress is driving GOP voters out to the polls.

Democratic voters are a lot less sold on the GOP's chances. Only 22% think they'll take control of the House and just 17% think they'll get the Senate.

Delaware Senate Candidate Christine O'Donnell Trails 53-42 Percent in New Poll

Dover, DE (LifeNews.com)

-- In the first poll it has conducted since pro-life Senate candidate Christine O'Donnell [toppled pro-abortion candidate Mike Castle](#) for the Republican nod in Delaware, Rasmussen Reports has her trailing her opponent by 11 percent.

Democrat Chris Coons holds a double-digit lead over O'Donnell as Coons earns 53% of the vote to O'Donnell's 42%, with leaners included. One percent (1%) prefer some other candidate, and four percent (4%) are undecided.

If leaners are not included, Coons, the elected executive of the state's largest county, posts a 51% to 40% lead over O'Donnell. Leaners are those who initially indicate no preference for either of the candidates but answer a follow-up question and say they are leaning towards a particular candidate. Coons led O'Donnell 46% to 36% in a survey in August, but a month earlier

the two were in a virtual tie, showing it is possible for O'Donnell to close the gap.

Storage & Cooking Tips

BANANAS

Take your bananas apart when you get home from the store.

If you leave them connected at the stem, they ripen faster.

Cheese

Store your opened chunks of cheese in aluminum foil.

It will stay fresh much longer and not mold!

PEPPERS

Peppers with 3 bumps on the bottom are sweeter and better for eating.

Peppers with 4 bumps on the bottom are firmer and better for cooking.

GROUND BEEF

Add a teaspoon of water when frying ground beef.

It will help pull the grease away from the meat while cooking.

TASTIER EGGS

To really make scrambled eggs or omelets rich add a couple of spoonfuls of sour cream, cream cheese, or heavy cream in and then beat them up.

Hawaii Bound

A man on his Harley was riding along a California beach when suddenly the sky clouded above his head and, in a booming voice, God said, 'because you have tried to be faithful to me in all ways, I will grant you one wish.'

The biker pulled over and said, 'Build a bridge to Hawaii so I can ride over anytime I want.'

God replied, 'Your request is materialistic; think of the enormous challenges for that kind of undertaking; the supports required reaching the bottom of the Pacific and the concrete and steel it would take! I can do it, but it is hard for me to justify your desire for worldly things. Take a little more time and think of something that could possibly help mankind.'

The biker thought about it for a long time. Finally, he said, 'God, I wish that I,

and all men, could understand women; I want to know how she feels inside, what she's thinking when she gives me the silent treatment, why she cries, what she means when she says nothing's wrong, why she snaps and complains when I try to help, and how I can make a woman truly happy?

God replied: 'Do you want two lanes or four on that bridge?'

Pennsylvania: Pro-Life Senate Hopeful Pat Toomey Posts Best Poll Showing

Harrisburg, PA (LifeNews.com) -- Republican Pat Toomey, the pro-life Senate candidate in Pennsylvania, inches closer to the 50% mark this month in his best showing yet in a Rasmussen Reports poll of likely voters.

The new survey shows Toomey earning 49% support, while pro-abortion Democratic hopeful Joe Sestak picks up 41% of the vote. Another 10 percent are undecided or like another candidate.

Without leaners included, Toomey posts a 10-point lead over Sestak, 47% to 37%. In the previous survey when leaners were excluded, Toomey was ahead 45% to 39%. Sixty-nine percent of Toomey's voters say they've already made up their minds about how they will vote in November. Seventy-four percent of Sestak supporters say the same.

Colorado Pro-Life Senate Candidate Buck Leads Pro-Abortion Bennet After Debate

Denver, CO (LifeNews.com) -- After the first debate between the two, Colorado pro-life Senate candidate Ken Buck leads pro-abortion incumbent Democratic Senator Michael Bennet 49% to 45%.

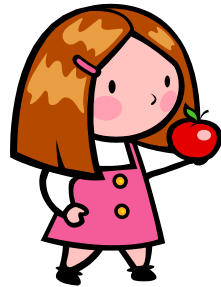
The latest Rasmussen Reports telephone survey of likely voters shows six percent favor another candidate and five percent are undecided.

In late August, Buck held an identical 49% to 45% lead when leaners were included in the totals.

Leaners are those who initially indicate no preference for either of the candidates but answer a follow-up question and say they are leaning towards a particular candidate. Indicative of the closeness of the race is the finding that 72% of voters for both candidates say they've already made up their minds how they will vote on Election Day.

The Blind Can See

"A few years ago a group of salesmen went to a regional sales convention in Chicago. They had assured their wives that they would be home in plenty of time for Friday night's dinner. In their rush, with tickets and briefcases, one of these salesmen inadvertently kicked over a table which held a display of apples. Apples flew everywhere. Without stopping or looking back, they all managed to reach the plane in time for their nearly missed



boarding. ALL BUT ONE !!! He paused, took a deep breath, and experienced a twinge of compassion for the girl whose apple stand had been overturned. He told his buddies to go on without him, waved goodbye, told one of them to call his wife when they arrived at their home destination and explain his taking a later flight. Then he returned to the terminal where the apples were all over the terminal floor. He was glad he did.

The 16 year old girl was totally blind! She was softly crying, tears running down her cheeks in frustration, and at the same time helplessly groping for her spilled produce as the crowd swirled about her, no one stopping and no one to care for her plight.

The salesman knelt on the floor with her, gathered up the apples, put them back on the table and helped organize her display. As he did this, he noticed that many of them had become battered and bruised; these he set aside in another basket. When he had finished, he pulled out his wallet and said to the girl, 'Here, please take this \$40 for the damage we did. Are you okay?' She nodded through her tears. He continued on with,

'I hope we didn't spoil your day too badly.'

As the salesman started to walk away, the bewildered blind girl called out to him, 'Mister.....' He paused and turned to look back into those blind eyes. She continued, 'Are you Jesus?'

He stopped in mid-stride, and he wondered. Then slowly he made his way to catch the later flight with that question burning **and bouncing about in his-soul: 'Are you Jesus?'"**
Have you had anybody ask you that lately?

Pro-Life Democrat Becomes First to Sign Petition to Overturn ObamaCare

Washington, DC (LifeNews.com) – One of the few truly pro-life Democrats in Congress, who opposed the ObamaCare bill when the House passed it, became the first Democrat to sign a petition to repeal it. Mississippi Rep. Gene Taylor signed the petition Wednesday, his office said.

Taylor is the 172nd person to sign on to the legislation to repeal the bill following pro-life Republican Rep.

Steve King (Iowa), who offered the act on June 16. The entire House Republican leadership has also signed onto the petition, according to Politico. Taylor earned some conservative praise for his signature.

"We are pleased to see Representative Gene Taylor choosing principle over party," Heritage Action CEO Michael A. Needham said in a news release. "His commitment to representing his constituents, who have been opposed to Obamacare from the beginning, is refreshing."

Oregon Hospices Not Participating in Assisted Suicides, New Study Shows *by Wesley J. Smith* **Salem, OR (LifeNews.com)**

-- We hear often from assisted suicide advocates that most who die by doctor prescribed death in Oregon were in hospice—as if that makes it okay. I have indicated here and elsewhere, that this merely means assisted suicide facilitators have interfered with proper

medical treatment for these patients: One essential service provided by hospice is suicide prevention.

Bragging that a patient who committed assisted suicide without providing prevention is like denying the patient pain control and then patting yourself on the back when they ask to die.

Now, a study shows that my analysis is right on the money: Most hospices do not participate actively in Oregon assisted suicide.

Birds of a feather flock together . . . and then crap on your car.

A penny saved is a government oversight.

The older you get, the tougher it is to lose weight, because by then your body and your fat have gotten to be really good friends.

The easiest way to find something lost around the house is to buy a replacement ..

He who hesitates is probably right.

Did you ever notice: The

Roman Numerals for forty (40) are XL.'

If you can smile when things go wrong, you have someone in mind to blame.

The sole purpose of a child's middle name is so he can tell when he's really in trouble.

Did you ever notice: When you put the 2 words 'The' and 'IRS' together it spells 'Theirs...'

Aging: Eventually you will reach a point when you stop lying about your age and start bragging about it.

Some people try to turn back their odometers. Not me, I want people to know 'why' I look this way. I've traveled a long way and some of the roads weren't paved.

When you are dissatisfied and would like to go back to your youth, think of Algebra.

You know you are getting old when everything either dries up or leaks.