

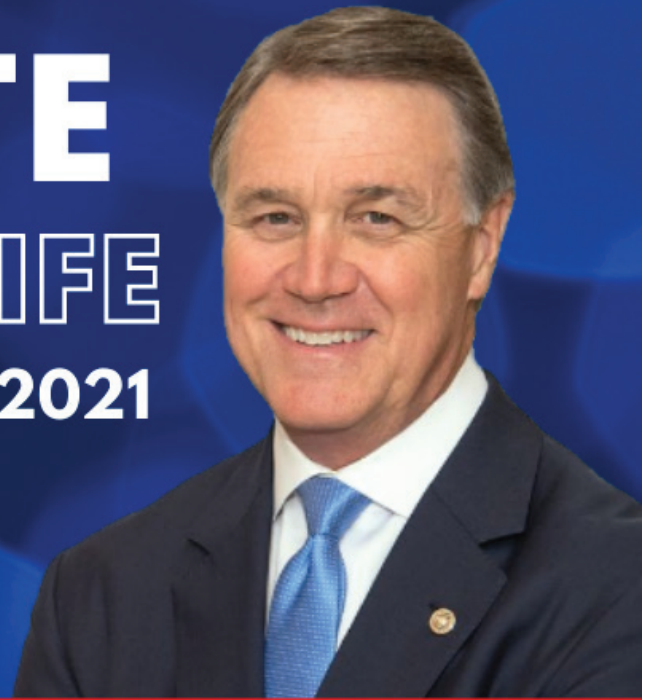


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**Sen. Kelly Loeffler**

**Sen. David Perdue**





# national RIGHT TO LIFE NEWS

## Georgia Senate runoff races have national implications!

By Karen Cross, National Right to Life Political Director

While we wait for final vote counts in the race for President and in several House races too close to call, it's clear that the Senate will be a crucial firewall for the pro-life movement to block the pro-abortion agenda that would be pushed by Speaker Nancy Pelosi and House Democrats and promoted by Joe Biden and Kamala Harris, if this pro-abortion duo wins the election.

As it stands, Republicans will hold 50 seats to the Democrats' 48. These numbers underscore the critical importance of the two Georgia Senate runoff elections.

Under Georgia law, if a single candidate does not secure 50%

plus one vote, the contest goes to a runoff with just the top two finishers, regardless of party,



competing. This affected both Georgia Senate races.

Pro-life Republican senators David Perdue and Kelly

Loeffler are fighting to hold their seats in the runoff to be held on January 5, 2021. They

face pro-abortion challengers in Democrats Jon Ossoff and Raphael Warnock, respectively. While Perdue and Loeffler

hold 100% pro-life voting records, Ossoff and Warnock support a policy of abortion on demand, which would allow abortion for any reason. Both Democrats support taxpayer funding of abortion and are backed by Planned Parenthood, the nation's largest abortion provider.

*These Senate races have national implications.*

They will determine whether pro-life Senator Mitch McConnell remains Senate Majority Leader and in a

*See "Georgia," page 22*

## Your NRLC at work in the 2020 General Elections

By Jacki Ragan

Just prior to the November 3<sup>rd</sup> General Elections, I wrote a story for the pre-election issue of **National Right to Life News** titled, "The Power of One ~ You!" It was, in a gentle way, a challenge to individual grassroots pro-lifers and to NRLC's magnificent state affiliates.

This post-election issue of "the pro-life newspaper of record" is a testimony to the magnificent response from one end of this nation to the other, both in Congress and in the states.

As I write this story, pro-life President Trump is valiantly fighting back against very

questionable election accounts in a number of key battleground states. He's been a relentless champion of unborn children and a ceaseless protector of the right of religious freedom and conscience. He deserves a second term.

Control of the Senate depends on two run-off elections in Georgia which will take place January 5. You can be sure National Right to Life is doing everything possible, as always doing more with less, to produce the "pro-life increment." Please read the story on page one.

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# WE ARE THE GRASSROOTS





# Editorials

## There is no quit in President Donald Trump

As I write this editorial, the calls from Joe Biden and what President Trump calls the “Lamestream press” for him to concede grow louder and (of course) nastier. Personally, having watched politics for 60 years and been active for over thirty, to me this smells of panic.

Why? Simply because each day more allegations surface (to be very gentle) of manipulation and shoddy mishandling of ballots. Biden and his minions in the media want this to stop....now!... before the public grows even more suspicious of the outcome than it already is.

This week we wrote at *NRL News Today* (our daily source of pro-life information) about what Biden said in the first debate about how elections should end.

*Fox News's* Chris Wallace, who proved why no Democrat had any objection to him “moderating,” shamelessly ran cover for the pro-abortion former Vice President. The one question of interest he did ask Biden was if he would “pledge not to declare victory until the election is independently certified.”

Biden said, “Yes.”

Wallace also asked, “Will you urge your supporters to stay calm while the vote is counted, and will you pledge not to declare victory until the election is independently certified?”

To which Biden again answered, “Yes.”

But, of course, that was September 29. Now Biden can't insist loudly enough that President Trump roll over and accept vote counts in key states that the President thinks are (to be polite) inaccurate.



In anticipation of a close election, **never** giving up was the counsel of fellow pro-abortion Democrat Hillary Clinton. Back in August, in an interview with Jennifer Palmieri, her former communications director, for *Showtime's* “The Circus,” Clinton had strong words for Biden’s campaign: “Joe Biden should not

*See “Trump,” page 30*

## In this must-read issue of National Right to Life News....

For obvious reasons, we are publishing not one but two November issues of **National Right to Life News**. The first edition came out just prior to the election, this second edition will hit your email inboxes ten days after a presidential election that is as steeped in controversy as it was close.

Attempts to persuade President Trump to throw in the towel will continue to multiply. But a man who beat seemingly insurmountable odds to win the Republican presidential nomination in 2016 is not going to concede until there is absolutely no route left to defeating pro-abortion Joe Biden. President Trump is no quitter.

At the same time the nation waits for an outcome there, a great deal of the attention has shifted to the state of Georgia (see page one).

National Right to Life is going all-out to assist pro-life Republican senators David Perdue and Kelly Loeffler to prevail over pro-abortion Democrats Jon Ossoff and Raphael Warnock, respectively, in the January 5<sup>th</sup> runoff elections.

As we discuss in several stories in this issue, the stakes could not be higher, more significant, or of more lasting importance.

If—if—Joe Biden is declared the victor, that means pro-abortion Democrats will control the Executive Branch and—by a much narrower margin—the House of Representatives. The roadblock—the bulwark—again Biden/Kamala Harris/Nancy Pelosi is the Senate.

Republicans control 50 Senate seats, the Democrats 48. If the party of death were to win both races in Georgia, the parties would be deadlocked at 50. The deciding vote is then cast by the President of the Senate—the Vice President.

Elsewhere in this edition of “the pro-life newspaper of record” we discuss how enormously well our Movement fared in many state elections. It’s highly significant that Democrats didn’t just flounder in the House of Representatives where Nancy Pelosi predicted a “Blue Wave” that would show itself in gains of 10 to 19 seats. The results in some races are still being tabulated but

*See “Must-read,” page 29*

## *From the President Carol Tobias*

### We Fight On



What a roller coaster these last couple of weeks have been. And the ride isn't over yet!

Recounts and challenges to votes in the presidential race; pro-life Republicans winning several

House seats so that Speaker Pelosi's majority margin is very narrow; and Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell waiting for the results in two senate runoff elections in Georgia. The senate currently sits at 50 Republicans and 48 Democrats. The last two senate seats will be filled following a runoff election in Georgia on January 5.

Democrats and the media have called the presidential election for Joe Biden,

but I'm in the camp of "let it all play out." There are issues and questions about dead people voting, ballots being filled out but not verified as coming from duly-registered voters, and much more. If everything is shut down now, millions of voters will wonder who really won the election. If the results of these inquiries don't affect the outcome, it will hopefully make states look at current procedures and make necessary changes before the next election.

In the meantime, as we hope and pray for our country, we have two senate races to win in Georgia. Senators David Purdue and Kelly Loeffler must be elected. You can be assured NRLC will be very active in these races.

National Right to Life was heavily involved in presidential, senatorial, and congressional elections. Polling

found that almost 32% of all voters could recall hearing or seeing something from National Right to Life prior to the election. That means we were able to reach approximately 48 million voters!

To all our super-fantastic grassroots supporters and volunteers, thank you!! Along with federal races, there were state and local races. Pro-lifers were active in all of them, to help pro-life candidates and to make sure the most vulnerable among us, the preborn children, were not forgotten amidst all the noise.

You truly are the heart and soul of America. Your selfless love for the little ones, and your determination to protect them, is inspiring and contagious.

Thank you.



*Thank You*



# Pro-life Women Triumphed in Congress in 2020!

By Karen Cross, National Right to Life Political Director

Even with votes still outstanding in several states, one thing is clear: Pro-life women triumphed in 2020! Just weeks after the Senate confirmed Amy Coney Barrett to the Supreme Court, at least 17 new pro-life women are headed to the U.S. House and one new pro-life woman will join the U.S. Senate.

Outlets have called races for Ashley Hinson in Iowa, Beth Van Duyne in Texas, Diana Harshbarger in Tennessee, Kat Cammack in Florida, Lauren Boebert in Colorado, Lisa McClain in Michigan, Maria Elvira Salazar in Florida, Marjorie Taylor Greene in Georgia, Mary Miller in Illinois, Michelle Fischbach in Minnesota, Michelle Steel in California, Nancy Mace in South Carolina, Stephanie Bice in Oklahoma, Victoria Spartz

in Indiana, Young Kim in California, and Yvette Herrell in New Mexico.

As of publication, we are still waiting on final results in several races featuring pro-life women, including Claudia Tenney in New York, Mariannette Miller-Meeke in Iowa, and Nicole Malliotakis in New York.

There were also several pro-life women who came close to victory in races no one expected to be as competitive as they were. The prime example of this was Esther Joy King in Illinois's 17<sup>th</sup> District where she came within just a few points of ousting pro-abortion DCCC Chairwoman Rep. Cheri Bustos. Additionally, Lisa Scheller in Pennsylvania's 7<sup>th</sup> District, Tiffany Shedd in Arizona's 1<sup>st</sup> District, and Genevieve

Collins in Texas's 32<sup>nd</sup> District ran strong campaigns against pro-abortion incumbents.

Pro-life female incumbents were also heavily under fire from the abortion industry in 2020 and fended off challenges, including Ann Wagner in Missouri, Elise Stefanik in New York, and Jaime Herrera-Beutler in Washington.

Joining several pro-life women in the U.S. Senate will be Cynthia Lummis from Wyoming. Prior to her successful Senate run, Lummis served in the House and had an outstanding pro-life voting record. Senator Joni Ernst in Iowa and Senator Cindy Hyde-Smith in Mississippi both defeated pro-abortion Democrat challengers in their races. Senator Kelly Loeffler in Georgia will advance to a runoff election on January 5, 2021. She

faces Raphael Warnock, who supports a policy of abortion on demand and taxpayer funding of abortion. Loeffler's race is one of two Georgia Senate runoff elections, which will determine which party controls the U.S. Senate.

While we await the final results of the presidential race, we can be heartened by these pro-life gains in Congress. With races still to be called, some are predicting Nancy Pelosi will have the smallest House majority in years. These wins fly in the face of most of the pundits and pollsters who anticipated large scale GOP losses at every level. Here at National Right to Life, we are incredibly grateful for your support and your commitment to voting pro-life in 2020. None of this would have been possible without YOU!

## CONGRATULATIONS to NATIONAL RIGHT TO LIFE SUPPORTED ELECTED PRO-LIFE WOMEN



Kat Cammack  
FL-03



Mary Miller  
IL-15



Michelle Fischbach  
MN-07



Lisa McClain  
MI-10



Yvette Herrell  
NM-02



Stephanie Bice  
OK-05



Nancy Mace  
SC-01



Lauren Boebert  
CO-03



Marjorie  
Taylor Greene  
GA-14



Diana  
Harshbarger  
TN-01



Victoria Spartz  
IN-05



Maria Elvira  
Salazar  
FL-27



Ashley Hinson  
IA-01



Nicole  
Malliotakis  
NY-11



Young Kim  
CA-39



Beth Van Duyne  
TX-24



Michelle Steel  
CA-48



*U.S. House of Representatives*

# NRLC praises Senate Majority Leader McConnell's leadership in protecting the most vulnerable members of the human family

By Jennifer Popik, J.D. Director of Federal Legislation

At the time of this writing, the 2020 elections have thus far produced a U.S. Senate composed of 48 Democrats and 50 Republicans. There are currently two run-off races scheduled in Georgia for January 5th.

While the Republicans were widely predicted to lose their Senate majority this past election, the election of either Georgia candidate would maintain the Senate under the leadership of pro-life Sen. Mitch McConnell (R-KY). Sen. McConnell easily beat his pro-abortion opponent, and this past week, was unanimously elected to his eighth term as GOP leader.

McConnell, who first became Republican Senate leader in 2007, has held the position longer than any other senator. He has demonstrated an extraordinary commitment to unborn children. His unwavering leadership, particularly on lifetime nominations to the courts, has cemented his place in history.

Unborn children and those in the pro-life community owe an immeasurable debt of gratitude to Leader McConnell for prioritizing the pro-life issue. His role in ensuring the conformational of solid, conservative judges and justices has been instrumental. He has stood rock solid when pro-abortion Democrats attacked immensely talented jurists.

For example, in early 2017, President Trump nominated Judge Neil Gorsuch to the U.S. Supreme Court seat left vacant by the 2016 death

of Justice Antonin Scalia. Following the 2016 elections, Republicans controlled the U.S. Senate by a slim 52-48 margin. Sen. McConnell had made the election a referendum on what sort of justices ought to be on the Supreme Court



*Pro-life Sen. Mitch McConnell (R-KY)*

which proved to be critical to retaining the Senate majority. Having a pro-life Senate turned out to be critical in the years that followed.

When the nomination of Judge Neil Gorsuch came to the Senate floor in the spring of 2017, Senate Democrats launched an partisan filibuster to prevent an up or-down vote on his confirmation.

Under the Senate's operating rules at the time, 60 votes were required to end such a filibuster, and an initial cloture attempt failed, with only four Democrats supporting cloture (an end to the filibuster). Pro-life Leader McConnell then triggered the so-called "nuclear

option" -- that is, he forced a Senate vote on whether to create a new precedent, under which only a simple majority would be required to end debate on a Supreme Court nominee. He led Republicans in extending the same operating

rule already established by Democrats in 2013, when they were in the majority, for all other presidential nominations, judicial or otherwise.

Over the next years, Leader McConnell ushered in the confirmations of Justice Brett Kavanaugh, and most recently Justice Amy Coney Barrett. According to an interview with the *New York Times* Sen. McConnell said, "I certainly didn't expect to have three Supreme Court justices. At the risk of tooting my own horn, look at the majority leaders since L.B.J. and find another one who was able to do something as consequential as this."

In addition, Senator McConnell has also fought tirelessly to confirm hundreds of federal judges to the bench. These are the judges that will often be tasked with reviewing the many strong pro-life laws that are passed in the states.

Leader McConnell has also made the life issue a high priority, scheduling votes on important pro-life pieces of legislation. Sen. McConnell co-sponsored and voted for the Pain-Capable Unborn Child Protection Act. This legislation would protect unborn children at 20 weeks, a point by which the unborn child is capable of experiencing great pain when being killed by dismemberment or other late abortion methods.

Senator McConnell co-sponsored and voted for the Born-Alive Abortion Survivors Protection Act. This Act would require that a baby born alive during an abortion be afforded the same degree of care that would apply to any other child delivered at the same gestational age.

Senator McConnell voted numerous times against using tax dollars to pay for abortion, and he opposes taxpayer funding of abortion providers.

Those in the pro-life community can look forward to continuing important work with Leader McConnell to protect the most vulnerable members of the human family. We congratulate him on his re-election, and will work to help elect two more pro-life senators from Georgia to secure another majority.



# National Right to Life will be heavily involved in two Senate run-off elections in Georgia

By Dave Andrusko

Control of the United States Senate will be decided January 5<sup>th</sup> by two run-off elections in Georgia.

After the November 3<sup>rd</sup> elections, there are 50 Republican senators and 48 Democrat senators.

If Joe Biden becomes President, Democrats would have to win both runoffs in the Peach State. With a 50-50 tie, a Vice President Pamela Harris would cast the tie breaking vote as President of the Senate.

National Right to Life's political action committees will be heavily involved in keeping

the Senate under the leadership of pro-life Majority Leader Mitch McConnell (R-Ky.)

A runoff is called for under

Georgia law if no candidate reaches 50%. Pro-life incumbent David Perdue (R), first elected in 2014, received

49.7% of the vote. Sen. Perdue will square off against pro-abortion Democrat Jon Ossoff who garnered 47.9%.

Pro-life Sen. Kelly Loeffler (R) will meet the pro-abortion Democrat, Rev. Dr. Raphael Warnock, in the second runoff election. Sen. Loeffler was appointed in 2019 to succeed pro-life Sen. Johnny Isakson who retired because of health issues.

This second runoff was no surprise. There were 21 candidates competing, making it very difficult for any single candidate to reach 50%.



# National Right to Life prevails over pro-abortion EMILY'S List again

By Karen Cross, National Right to Life Political Director

The abortion industry hoped for massive gains in the 2020 elections. Top pro-abortion organizations spent millions upon millions to influence hundreds of races. Pro-abortion fundraising behemoth EMILY's List claims it spent \$112 million in 2020—a record

It appears that EMILY's List flipped just one House seat. They won the open seat in Georgia's 7<sup>th</sup> District.

One of the most noteworthy pro-life victories in the House came in Texas's 21<sup>st</sup> District where National Right to Life-endorsed Rep. Chip Roy

keep this seat in pro-life hands by re-electing Rep. Roy.

Pro-life candidates backed by National Right to Life also defeated EMILY's List incumbents. Those pro-life candidates are Carlos Gimenez in Florida's 26<sup>th</sup> District, Maria Elvira Salazar in Florida's

abortion advocates were keen to defeat pro-life champion Sen. Joni Ernst. Throughout her first term, Sen. Ernst was a passionate defender of unborn babies and their mothers. By contrast, groups such as EMILY's List recruited Theresa Greenfield, who supported a policy of abortion on demand and taxpayer funding of abortion. Iowa voters spoke loud and clear. Sen. Ernst won re-election by six points, or more than 100,000 votes.

In Kansas, Democrats nominated Barbara Bollier, one of the most outspoken abortion advocates in the state Senate. She was a vociferous opponent of commonsense pro-life legislation, such as the Pain-Capable Unborn Child Protection Act, which protects unborn babies at 20 weeks by which point they are capable of feeling pain. Voters soundly rejected her abortion extremism by voting for pro-life physician and Congressman Roger Marshall. The end result was a 12-point win for Dr. Marshall, a margin of victory of over 158,000 votes.

Heading into Election Day 2020, the political pundits, bolstered by their supposedly infallible polling, told us to expect a "blue wave." Pro-abortion groups, such as EMILY's List, had massively outspent pro-life groups like National Right to Life. Yet, pro-life candidates prevailed across the country, even in races which were not expected to be competitive.

Never underestimate the power of the pro-life grassroots!



for the organization. EMILY's List only supports Democratic women who support abortion without limits.

Fortunately, they got very little return on their investment. Despite being vastly outspent, it was National Right to Life whose candidates claimed significant victories in Congress.

## HOUSE RESULTS

In 2020, National Right to Life faced off against EMILY's List candidates in 54 of the most competitive head-to-head House races. We were victorious in at least 37 races out of the 54. (Several races have yet to be called but our pro-life candidates remain in a strong position to pull off a win.)

defeated abortion champion Wendy Davis. Many will recall that Wendy Davis, a former Texas state senator, captured national attention when she waged an hours-long filibuster on the Texas Senate floor in hopes of defeating a major pro-life bill.

Following her stunt on the Senate floor and the bill's ultimate passage, Davis left the state Senate and ran for governor, another race she lost overwhelmingly.

Such a radical defender of abortion on demand—even late in pregnancy—in the U.S. House would have been detrimental. Despite massive spending on her behalf by EMILY's List, we were able to

27<sup>th</sup> District, Ashley Hinson in Iowa's 1<sup>st</sup> District, Yvette Herrell in New Mexico's 2<sup>nd</sup> District, and Stephanie Bice in Oklahoma's 5<sup>th</sup> District.

Please check the story on page four where we celebrate the election of at least 17 new pro-life women to the House.

## SENATE RESULT

In the battle for the Senate, we faced off against EMILY's List in four competitive races. National Right to Life's candidates prevailed in Iowa, Kansas, and Texas while EMILY's List's sole victory was in holding incumbent Senator Tina Smith's seat in Minnesota.

In the Iowa Senate race,



# Polling shows impact of abortion issue in 2020 election

*23% of voters cited abortion and voted pro-life  
31.9% heard from National Right to Life*

WASHINGTON – A post-election poll of voters in the 2020 election found that the issue of abortion once again played a key role in the presidential and congressional elections, and that National Right to Life and its state affiliates were key to getting out the pro-life vote for pro-life candidates.

Nationally, 23% of voters said that the abortion issue affected their vote and voted for candidates who oppose abortion. This compares to just 18% who said abortion affected their vote and voted for candidates who favor abortion, yielding a 5% advantage for pro-life candidates.

In states where National Right to Life's political committees were most actively involved, 27% of voters said that the abortion issue affected their vote and voted for candidates who oppose abortion. This compares to just 16% who said abortion affected their vote and voted for candidates who favor abortion, yielding a 11% advantage for pro-life candidates in those high-activity states.

These poll results show that the pro-life vote was a major factor in crushing the "blue wave" from state legislatures to Congress. Overall, National Right to Life's political committees were actively involved in 123 races, including the presidential race.

In those races, 78 (68%) pro-life candidates prevailed, including pro-life Senate candidates in Alabama, Alaska, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Mississippi, Montana, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Texas. A total of seven House races have yet to be called.

The two Georgia Senate races, in which National Right to Life were actively involved for Sens. David Perdue and Kelly Loeffler, are still outstanding and will be decided in January 5, 2021 runoff elections. Both candidates have been endorsed by National

**Reagan won the presidency in 1980,"** said Carol Tobias, National Right to Life president. **"As we witnessed November 3, in election after election, National Right to Life, with its network of 50 state affiliates and more than**

about candidates from Susan B. Anthony List; 8.2% recalled hearing or receiving information about candidates from Women Speak Out PAC; and 10.3% recalled hearing of seeing information from Americans United for Life.



Right to Life and its political committees plan to be heavily involved in the runoff election.

Despite being vastly outspent by pro-abortion organizations such as Planned Parenthood and EMILY's List, pro-life candidates won last Tuesday by significant margins. There were 58 races in which a candidate supported by National Right to Life was running against a candidate supported by the pro-abortion PAC EMILY's List. Forty (or 71%) of the National Right to Life-supported candidates won. Two races remain outstanding, with the pro-life candidate currently leading in both.

**"The abortion issue has played a key role in every major election since Ronald**

**3,000 local chapters, helped provide the margin of victory for pro-life candidates."**

Polling also found that voters heard and saw the right-to-life message in the days leading up to the election. The poll found that 31.9% (or approximately 45 million voters) recalled receiving, hearing, or seeing information or advertising from National Right to Life. National Right to Life's state affiliates were also actively involved in voter outreach for the election. Twenty-one percent recalled receiving information or hearing advertising from a right-to-life group in their state. Voters also recalled other pro-life groups that were involved in the election: 7.3% recalled hearing or receiving information

National Right to Life mailed more than 7.4 million brochures detailing the positions of the candidates on issues of importance to the right-to-life movement to identified, pro-life, registered voter households in key races. More than 5 million voters were reached via social media. Nearly 2 million calls were made to pro-life households in the days leading up to the election with a reminder to vote for the pro-life candidate in their area. In addition, more than 58,000 pro-life radio ads were aired on over 3,000 stations

The poll of 1,000 actual voters was conducted by McLaughlin & Associates, November 2-3, 2020, and has a margin of error of +/-3.1%.

# Pro-abortion Democrats took a pounding in the states

By Dave Andrusko

Understandably, the fallout from the November 3rd General Elections has focused on the presidency and Congress. We've reported on both extensively at *NRL News Today* and are doing even more so in this post-election digital edition of National Right to Life News. (Preview. Republicans hold 50 seats in the Senate ahead of the two special elections in Georgia; have gained a number of seats in the House of Representatives; and at least 17 new pro-life Republican women are headed to the U.S. House and one new pro-life Republican woman will join the U.S. Senate.)

While we've posted the responses from many NRL affiliates whose states fared especially well, more needs to be said about the outstanding results in the statehouses, the political hothouses from which many-to-most congressional candidates come.

Here's an early headline from the pro-abortion-to-the-brim *New York Times*: "Democrats' 'Blue Wave' Crashed in Statehouses Across the Country: Democrats failed to flip chambers in Texas, North Carolina, Iowa, Pennsylvania and Michigan. Republicans flipped New Hampshire's Legislature."

The metaphor of the "blue wave" was supposed to apply to both Congress (pro-abortion Democrats were speculating they'd make double digit gains) and to statehouses as well.

"Coming into Election Day 2020, Democrats had high hopes of making inroads in the nation's state legislatures" is the way Louis Jacobson of *US News* put it.

Instead, as Holly Gatling,

the executive director of South Carolina Citizens for Life told *NRL News Today*, pro-abortion Democrats drowned in a "red tsunami" in her state.

Then there is this most revealing opening paragraph from the *Missoula Current*:

**Last week, Montana voters gave the GOP unified control of state government, electing**



**a Republican to the governor's office for the first time in 16 years, Republican candidates to all statewide offices, and expanding GOP majorities in the state House and Senate.**

Remember, most of the action takes place in the states, in which pro-life Republicans have produced many protective laws. Here's the gloomy outlook (gloomy for the *Washington Post*):

**Democrats failed to pick up any state legislative chambers this November, and they could face the consequences of that for the next decade.**

**That's because next**

**year, states will redraw electoral maps for congressional and state legislative districts. It's something the Constitution mandates every decade based on new census data.**

**In many states, it's up to politicians in state legislatures to do that. Republicans controlled**

**the mapmaking process in most states after a stellar 2010 election and were able to draw state and congressional districts that made it harder for Democrats to regain power at all levels. After a stronger-than-expected performance this November, Republicans will control map drawing in a majority of chambers next year, too, although to a slightly lesser degree.**

As David Abrams, deputy executive director of the Republican State Leadership Committee, told the *New York Times*' Sabrina Tavernise,

"Democrats spent hundreds of millions of dollars to flip state chambers. So far, they don't have a damn thing to show for it."

Then there is this insight from Philip Elliott, writing for *TIME* magazine:

**Final tallies are still coming in, so the full picture of Democrats' drubbing isn't yet clear. But after millions of dollars — and unprecedented attention — to get back in control of redistricting, the outcome is clearly disappointing to a party that started at a disadvantage. In terms of raw numbers, Democrats had only 5% fewer seats in state legislatures than Republicans. But those 384 seats were in the right spots that allowed Republicans to control 55 of the 99 state legislative chambers in the country.**

A final thought. There are occasional passing references to how the Democrats' "messaging" was bad—okay, disastrous. But only in places such as *National Right to Life News Today* and the monthly *NRL News* do you read about how the Democrats' militant, pedal to the metal embrace of abortion on demand paid for by an unwilling public cost them in competitive race after competitive race.

Stay tuned.



# Our Guarantee: You Can Always Rely on National Right to Life

By Laura Echevarria, NRL Director of Communications and Press Secretary

In the last few weeks—prior to the November 3<sup>rd</sup> General Elections—NRLC’s media relations’ staff received a number of emails and phone calls challenging the information National Right to Life included on materials we published detailing various candidate’s position on abortion.

Most people contacting us had already made up their minds about the candidates they were supporting. They were offended that our mailing pieces listed their candidate as a supporter of abortion on demand. Clearly, our callers wished to believe otherwise.

However, everything National Right to Life staff say and what we release to the public is based on fact. Our information is sourced and vetted extensively. NRL takes our reputation for accuracy seriously.

We do not arbitrarily decide who is pro-life or pro-abortion. We base our conclusions on candidate questionnaires (where the candidate tells us—in her or his own words—what the candidate’s position is on abortion).

If we do not receive a candidate questionnaire from the campaign, then our materials rely on interviews the candidate gives to local or national media, statements the candidate has made at rallies or during campaign speeches,

and what his or her campaign site says about the candidate’s position.

And, of course, we rely heavily on a candidate’s voting

records—if they have held office prior to the election.

The materials National Right to Life presents to the public go through several departments and are proofed for accuracy.

Every radio ad, mail piece or candidate comparison sheet goes through a multi-step proofing process.

Every statement by a candidate is proofed against official documents such as news reports, published statements by the campaign or campaign speeches. Every vote made by a candidate is double-checked and every policy position taken is verified.

But this is not surprising. The National Right to Life Committee has always been known for its elaborate attention to detail.

And there are many reasons for this, but a primary one that goes beyond the obligation

everyone has in any context: to be honest and ethical.

As the flagship of the pro-life movement, we are vilified by our opposition which has many,

supporting policies that promote abortion on demand. Some voters cling to these evasions as if they are “proof” that the vague assurances of

their pro-abortion candidate will somehow mitigate the damage her concrete actions will cause if she is elected.

Unfortunately, this cycle, like every election cycle, we see some people buy into the words of candidates who hope to persuade voters that their position on abortion isn’t *that* bad.

But if a pro-abortion candidate tries to persuade you that his or her position on abortion policy won’t increase abortions, they are wrong.

Encourage your friends and neighbors to read, learn, and investigate on their own.

And be assured that anything you see or share that comes from National Right to Life will be fully vetted, verified, and documented.

many allies in the media eager to pounce on any inaccuracies. We do not have the luxury of playing fast and loose with the facts. (Of course, we wouldn’t anyway.) NRL must have facts backed with supporting documentation so that our materials are unassailable.

Even after showing that a candidate is pro-abortion, we may face several challenges, one perennial. And that is candidates who change the definition of “pro-life” to fit their goals which do not include the protection of unborn children.

Some candidates take a different tact. They prefer to say that they are “personally opposed to abortion” but will do nothing to change the regime of abortion on demand.

These candidates are not pro-life and prove this by their own actions and statements



# A pro-life Red Wave in South Carolina

By Holly Gatling, Executive Director, South Carolina Citizens for Life

Republicans won a sweeping victory in South Carolina voting overwhelmingly for pro-life President Donald Trump and pro-life Senior Senator Lindsey Graham. Both candidates were strongly backed by the National Right to Life Victory Fund and SCCL PAC, the federal political action committee of South Carolina Citizens for Life.

Senator Graham crushed his opponent Jaime Harrison by 11 points (54.98 % to 43.61%) to the embarrassment of most pollsters who chronically showed Sen. Graham running neck-and-neck or even behind militant pro-abortion Harrison. Harrison spent \$100 million attempting to defeat Graham.

In the First Congressional District NRLC/SCCL PAC endorsed Nancy Mace drownd incumbent Democrat Joe Cunningham in the red tsunami by three points, reclaiming

the seat for Republicans. Incumbent pro-life Republican Congressmen Joe Wilson (C2), Jeff Duncan (C3), William Timmons (C4), Ralph

Norman (C5), and Tom Rice (C7) all retained their seats by extremely comfortable margins. Democratic Congressman Jim Clyburn retained his pro-abortion stronghold in the 6th Congressional District.

In more good news,

Republicans flipped three long-held Democratic Party seats in the State Senate and retained every Republican incumbent. LIFE PAC, the state political

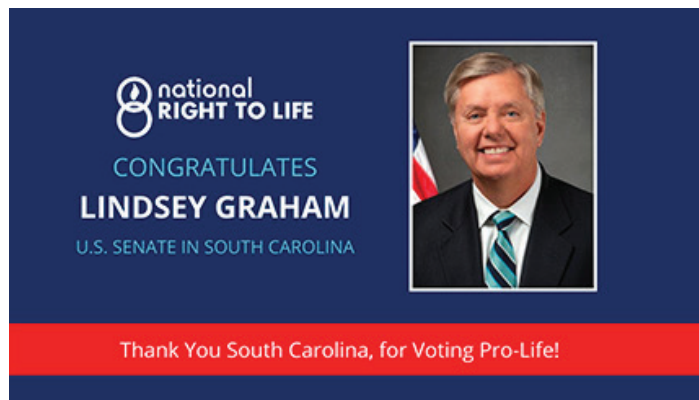
action committee of South Carolina Citizens for Life, endorsed in nine State Senate and State House of Representatives races and won in seven. The House and Senate remain in solid Republican control along with Republican Governor Henry

McMaster who was not up for re-election this year.

The State Senate's 27-19 Republican control before the election is at least 35-15 as of this writing, boding well for passage of pro-life legislation which needs procedural support. Since 2018, Democrats with some Republicans have blocked pro-life legislation with procedural votes.

By flipping three seats held by Democrats and a GOP win in an open seat, the South Carolina Senate is looking much friendlier for passing pro-life legislation.

In the South Carolina House of Representatives, Republicans held a 79-45 advantage. With all incumbent Republicans retaining their seats and winning three open seats, the pro-life friendly House appears today to have an 82-42 Republican stronghold.







# Memorials & Tributes

You, your family, and your friends may remember a deceased loved one by making a memorial contribution to National Right to Life. This memorial gift is a fitting way to remember a lifetime of love for the unborn at the time of death. Your contribution can also be made to commemorate birthdays, new arrivals, anniversaries, Mother's Day, Father's Day, or any other special occasion. An acknowledgment card in your name will be sent to the family or person you designate. The contribution amount remains confidential.

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# Twitter Censorship Spikes: Site Restricts Trump and Campaign 111 Times

By Corinne Weaver

Through its rampant censorship, Twitter has done its best to silence President Donald Trump. However, neither former Vice President Joe Biden nor his campaign have received any labels or filters of any kind.

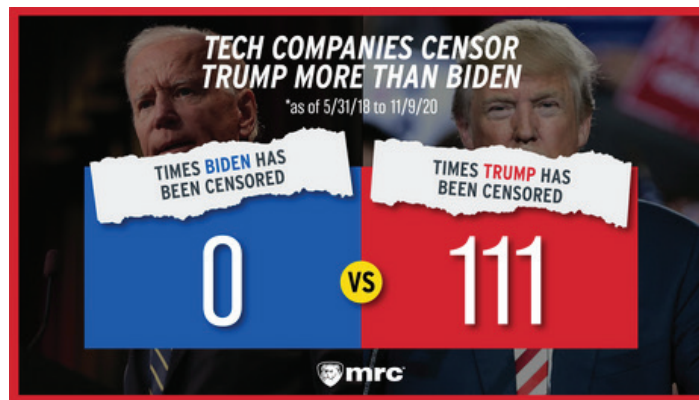
Election Day brought with it a huge spike in Twitter's censorship. The company's arsenal used against Team Trump included labels, filters, blocking URLs and preventing users from commenting on certain tweets. This same treatment was also handed to the Trump campaign Twitter account.

Since Nov. 3, Trump's personal Twitter account was censored 35 times as he tweeted about ballots and election counts. Overall, Twitter has censored Trump since May 31, 2018, a grand total of 111 times. In contrast, Biden and his campaign have received no forms of censorship or suppression.

Nine tweets over the past 24

hours were given labels from Twitter. The latest censored Trump tweet, a Nov. 8 video clip from Fox News' "The Next Revolution with Steve Hilton," was given a label:

that's the biggest issue. And now with it being about 50 percent of what came in, we have to be able to deal with the nature of the legitimacy of this and if it can be legitimate."



"This claim about election fraud is disputed." However, in the video, Fox News contributor and Washington Times columnist Tammy Bruce simply said, "There's always some kind of fraud, that's unavoidable. But when you're dealing with the most vulnerable voting dynamic, which are the mail-in ballots,

In a second censored clip, Fox Business host Maria Bartiromo discussed with Sen. Lindsay Graham (R-SC) the concept of "dead people voting." Twitter labeled this video with "This claim about election fraud is disputed." Yet, according to 2012 research done by the Pew Center on the States, 1.8 million deceased people were

registered as voters. This topic has been discussed broadly by both sides in the past 10 years.

The third clip, an interview with Sen. Ted Cruz (R-TX) on Fox News' "Sunday Morning Futures," the senator addressed the claims of voter fraud, saying, "The legal process is how you resolve those questions." Twitter also labeled this video, "This claim about election fraud is disputed."

Noted conservative figures like pundit Dan Bongino, The Daily Wire's Matt Walsh, and Paul Sperry, a media fellow for Stanford University's Hoover Institution, have been retweeted by Trump, only to be either labeled or given a filter over their tweets.

In a previous study, Twitter had been found to have censored both Trump and his campaign 64 times.

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# Louisiana Right to Life Ecstatic Over Passage of Love Life Amendment to State Constitution

NEW ORLEANS – Louisiana voters approved Amendment #1, assuring that our current pro-life laws are protected and that state judges cannot “find” a right to abortion or the funding of abortion in the Louisiana Constitution.

Known as the Love Life Amendment, Amendment #1 keeps abortion out of the state Constitution and makes sure all policy making remains in the hands of duly elected state legislators. Judges in 13 other

states, including Kansas in 2019, found that various pro-life laws unconstitutionally infringed on individual rights, but thanks to the voters of Louisiana, that will not happen here.

Louisiana Right to Life led the push for the amendment’s passage through the Louisiana Pro-Life Amendment Coalition, a team of Louisiana citizens and organizations. State Rep. Katrina Jackson (D-Monroe) and state Sen. Beth Mizell (R-Franklinton) were authors

of the amendment resolution, which was overwhelmingly supported by both chambers of the Louisiana Legislature as well as Gov. John Bel Edwards.

Benjamin Clapper, Executive Director of Louisiana Right to Life, along with members of the Louisiana Right to Life team watched anxiously as election returns rolled in once the polls closed. The team was ecstatic over the outcome, which confirmed to the nation that

Louisiana is a strong pro-life state.

“Louisiana has overwhelmingly passed the Love Life Amendment and shown its love for mothers and babies!” Clapper said.

**“With the passage of this amendment, our citizens have mandated that state judges can never use our Constitution to enshrine abortion or the taxpayer funding of abortion in Louisiana. We the people, through our legislators, can pass laws defending life without the intervention of judges.**

“We encourage other states to pass their own version of the Love Life Amendment. For too long, activist judges around the nation have usurped the power of state legislatures and declared a right to abortion-on-demand. It’s time we changed this in every state across America.

“We look forward to the day Roe v. Wade is overturned and Louisiana can once again protect all our citizens, including those waiting to be born. Moving forward, the pro-life movement will continue to support mothers and babies and work toward a day when every child is protected by law and welcomed with love in our nation.”



# The importance of choosing a pro-life Ob-Gyn

By Maria V. Gallagher, Legislative Director, Pennsylvania Pro-Life Federation

She was 47 years old, living in Pennsylvania and considered a high-risk pregnancy. She desperately needed help from a doctor who would look out for the best interests of her baby and herself. She was also willing to drive hundreds of miles to secure the best possible care for her preborn child.

After exhausting other possibilities, she hit the jackpot when she found a pro-life ob/gyn who would offer her baby

the greatest possible start in life. Now, her baby daughter is the light of her life, thanks to the tireless work of her doctor, MaryAnne Freeman Brndjar (<https://drmaryannefb.com/>).

Over the years, I have had many people contact me, asking for a referral for a pro-life doctor—especially when it comes to the care of preborn babies and their mothers. They believe that a physician who espouses the sanctity

of innocent human life will provide exceptional care for themselves and their loved ones.

I recall when I was first pregnant, living in a new city. I contacted a fertility expert for a referral for a pro-life ob/gyn. I did not want to entrust the care of my preborn child to someone who did not truly respect life in the womb. Thankfully, I received a wonderful referral, and both my preborn baby and

myself received excellent care.

It is indeed sad that, in the times in which we live, not every doctor espouses a pro-life viewpoint. Indeed, some actually betray the Hippocratic Oath by performing abortions. But it is heartening to know that there are doctors out there such as Dr. Brndjar, making the world a safer, more welcoming place for babies and their mothers



## Victory in Minnesota's 7th Congressional District: Michelle Fischbach Wins Election

WASHINGTON – Pro-life Republican Michelle Fischbach has defeated pro-abortion Democrat Rep. Collin Peterson in the race for 7th Congressional District.

Michelle Fischbach was endorsed by National Right to Life.

“We congratulate Michelle Fischbach for her election to represent the 7th Congressional District in Minnesota,” said Carol Tobias, president of National Right to Life. “National Right to Life reached out to voters in the district to make it clear that their pro-life values would be best represented by Michelle Fischbach and voters

responded.”

Michelle Fischbach is a proven and accomplished pro-life leader with a 100% lifetime pro-life voting record in the Minnesota State Senate. During her time in the legislature, she cast 149 out of 149 possible pro-life votes. For more than two decades, she has worked to advance pro-life legislation, authoring or co-sponsoring every major pro-life bill in Minnesota. As president of the Minnesota State Senate, she also took a leadership role in promoting pro-life legislation.

“National Right to Life looks forward to working with Michelle Fischbach in the

House of Representatives to advance life-affirming, pro-life policies that protect unborn

to life and in her defense of unborn children and their mothers. She will be a valued



children and their mothers,” said Tobias. “Michelle Fischbach has been tireless in her commitment to the right

ally in the fight for unborn children in the U.S. House of Representatives.”





# Pro-life candidates score big in West Virginia

By West Virginians for Life

Though no one knows yet who the next U.S. President will be, West Virginia, not surprisingly, gave all five of its electoral votes to Donald Trump on November 3. With 70% of the vote, Shelley Moore Capito won another US Senate 6-year term. All three congressional incumbents retained their seats.

In the 1st Congressional District, David McKinley defeated his opponent by a margin of 69-31%. Alex Mooney won in the 2nd Congressional District by 70,521 votes and in the 3rd Congressional District, Carol Miller won a second term by 42 percentage points.

This completed a pro-life sweep of the entire slate of federal candidates, all of whom were endorsed by West Virginians for Life Political Action Committee (WVL-PAC).

In the six statewide races, the

WVL-PAC enjoyed a 100% success rate. Governor Jim Justice won with 65% of the vote. Patrick Morrisey won re-election to the Attorney General

will remain in that role. The biggest surprise of the Board of Public Works races was that of Riley Moore. The first Republican to win the seat of

net gain of pro-life senators is +2.

WVL-PAC can report an 82% winning percentage in the House of Delegates. Of the 17 WVL-PAC losses, at least two winners are also pro-life. Seventy-eight of the 100 members of the State House will be pro-life as the next legislative session begins in February 2021. The House will enjoy a net gain of +6 pro-life seats.

“The overwhelming pro-life successes in this election are, in part, due to voters’ desire to elect legislators at both the federal and state levels, who reflect their values regarding the dignity of each human life,” said Wanda Franz, Ph.D., PAC president. “West Virginians for Life looks forward to seeing increased support for pro-life legislation in next year’s West Virginia legislative session.”

office ensuring that pro-life legislation will be defended if challenged.

Mac Warner, for the second time, beat pro-abortion Natalie Tennant for Secretary of State. John McCuskey will continue as State Auditor. Agriculture Commissioner Kent Leonhardt

State Treasurer in 92 years, Moore defeated long-time incumbent John Perdue by a margin of 56-44%.

Of the 16 Senate races in which endorsements were made, 14 were winners. Twenty-five of 34 senators support pro-life policies. The



# Major Pro-life Victories in the Missouri General Election!

By Steve Rupp, President, Missouri Right to Life (MRL)

While Missouri pro-lifers had much to celebrate on November 3rd, we are praying for President Trump and his fight to save America.

Great job Missouri pro-lifers for all your work to help our MRL PAC endorsed candidates win! Our legislative team is analyzing the overall picture but there are some standout victories!

Pro-life champions, Congresswoman Ann Wagner in Congressional District 2 and Missouri Senator Andrew Koenig in SD 15 were targeted by pro-abortion forces and heavily funded by out-of-state deep pockets. Both of these pro-life warriors were re-elected. Missouri Right to Life Federal and State PAC volunteers turned out with many hours of work and funding to guarantee these wins!

We also celebrate victories for all the pro-life, statewide office holders who won their re-election bid with pro-lifers turning out in huge numbers. Congratulations to Governor Mike Parson, Lt. Governor

Mike Kehoe, Attorney General Eric Schmitt, Secretary of State John (Jay) Ashcroft, and State Treasurer Scott Fitzpatrick. We look

as we will be able to elect pro-life legislators to represent us in Jefferson City.

Initial analysis by our MRL PAC election team shows that

and pro-life people across the state of Missouri, we continue to hold super-majorities in the Missouri House and Senate. The numbers for the House



forward to working with these pro-life leaders in the months and years to come!

Another key victory for all Missourians is the reconsideration of the re-districting process and bringing it back to a non-partisan process. Missourians will have the right and opportunity to elect people in their areas that will represent them in the districts where they live. This will benefit the pro-life cause

the MRL Federal and State Political Action Committees made 144 endorsements. Out of those 144 endorsements we had an 88% success rate. This analysis includes the races where the MRL State PAC endorsed in known pro-abortion districts so that pro-life constituents in those districts would know of the pro-life candidate.

With the work of our Missouri Right to Life PACs

and Senate are: 114 pro-life Republicans to 49 pro-abortion Democrats in the House and 24 pro-life Republicans to 10 pro-abortion Democrats in the Senate.

Thank you, pro-life Missourians for all your work! You turned out in huge numbers to fight for the right to life of the babies and every innocent human life!

Pray for President Trump and our nation!

# Judge rules Alberta city wronged pro-life group by rejecting life-affirming ads

*The Court judgment said the city's decision to ban the ads was unreasonable and openly suspected the city's reasoning.*

By LifeSite News Staff

Justice Gates of the Court of Queen's Bench of Alberta has issued a ruling for Lethbridge Pro-Life (LPL) on LPL's court claim against the City of Lethbridge on the City's rejection of all five of LPL's pro-life ads, including an ad which featured a healthy newborn baby with the caption, "Life Should be the Most Fundamental Human Right."

Another LPL ad featured a picture of a pregnant woman with the caption, "Equality Should Begin in the Womb" while yet another said, "Human Rights Should Not Depend on Who You Are."

The Court judgment said that the City's decision to ban the ads was unreasonable because while the City said it conducted LPL's Charter rights in making its decision, its reasons did not show that. The Court also ruled that it was unreasonable to ban the ads on the basis of the LPL's website. It added that

rejecting the ads on the basis of inaccuracy does not accord with the right to freedom of expression because, "the fight to freedom of expression does not support the contention



that the expression must be widely accepted, accurate or scientifically verifiable."

The Court also ruled on the issue of whether public complaints provide a legitimate basis for prohibiting expression.

It said, "public upset and alarm are not sufficient to tip the balance away from the protection of freedom of expression, and that "... a strong and healthy democracy

requires a willingness on the part of the public to accept that the expression of opinions and ideas may, at time, shock, offend and even disturb them."

The Court also underlined that LPL's Charter right includes the

right to share messages some may deem unpopular:

"Freedom of expression is meant to protect minority opinions from being drowned out by the majority."

The Court also found that the decision demonstrated a reasonable apprehension of bias because, in part, the City only looked at the negative responses to LPL's ads and failed to consider the positive ones.

"This decision is a win for every Canadian who prizes the right to share an opinion free of government taking a biased position on one side while neglecting the duty to protect freedom of expression for all" says Carol Crosson, the constitutional lawyer representing LPL.

"The City should have considered our right to freedom of expression, and while the City contended that it did so, the Court found the opposite," commented LPL.



# So why did Cecile Richards delete tweet celebrating Kamala Harris

By Dave Andrusko

On her twitter account, Cecile Richards describes herself as “Former president turned lifelong supporter of Planned Parenthood.”

As our readers know, for 14 years, Richards was the savvy political operative who grew the bottom line of the nation’s largest abortion provider to the point where this “non-profit” rakes in a cool \$1.6 billion+ each year.

Interestingly, as Sarah D. pointed out yesterday, Richards deleted a tweet celebrating what she anticipates is the election of Kamala Harris as the Vice President.

So what did the tweet say?

*Excited for all the babies this year  
Who will be named Kamala*

Babies?!

Yikes.

Not a good look for an organization that is proudly responsible for 40% of all the abortion carnage in the United States.

National Right to Life reminds people that when they think of Planned Parenthood, think abortion. It’s what they do, it’s who you are.

Can’t be saying—even tweeting—anything about “babies,” certainly not in the context of a woman whose all-encompassing embrace of abortion is extreme even by Democrat standards.



**Cecile Richards** ✓  
@CecileRichards



Excited for all the babies this year  
who will be named Kamala! 🥰

1:16 PM · 11/8/20 · [Twitter for iPhone](#)

**899** Retweets and comments **2,495** Likes



**This Tweet has been deleted.**

# CNN's Berman FREAKS: Imagines Congressional GOP Leaders Say 'F No' to Biden's Call for Unity

By Mark Finkelstein

Despite careful, multiple readings of Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell's statement [below] regarding President Trump's challenges to the election results, we were unable to divine therein a single f-bomb. But CNN's John Berman would purport to powers exceeding ours. On this morning's New Day, Berman

McConnell was the only Republican congressional leader that Berman mentioned. Here was McConnell's statement, as reported by CNN itself:

**"In the United States of America, all legal ballots must be counted. Any illegal ballots must not be**

**and weigh his legal options."**

Far from a vulgar tirade attacking the validity of the election, McConnell offered a mild-mannered, unobjectionable statement. Can Berman or anyone else contradict McConnell when he says that legal ballots should be

**them. Unity seems to be the enemy. It will hurt the fund-raising. It will hurt the base. It will hurt the runoff elections in Georgia. American security, democratic traditions, the moral fabric of the country? Meh. Those can wait. Maybe forever.**



somehow saw an f-word that we missed. Opening the show with an emotional statement worthy of the most partisan Democrat, Berman claimed that after Joe Biden called for unity:

**"The response from the outgoing president? No. The response from the administration? Hell no. The response from Republican leaders in Congress? F no."**

**counted. The process should be transparent — or observable — by all sides, and the courts are here to work through concerns. Our institutions are actually built for this. We have the system in place to consider concerns, and President Trump is 100% within his rights to look into allegations of irregularities**

counted, illegal ballots should not, and President Trump has a right to look into allegations of irregularities?

Here was Berman's response:

**The response from the outgoing president? No. The response from the administration? Hell no. The response from Republican leaders in Congress? F no. It's not that unity isn't a priority for**

Camerota carried the anti-Trump torch that Berman had lit. After Berman dismissed as "bogus allegations" the assertions by the Trump team of voting irregularities, he wondered why Americans should worry about the Trump administration trying to "overturn the outcome of an election." Camerota was only too happy to provide an answer: **"If you're someone who likes evidence, then it is time to worry."**

Note that while Berman condemned Republicans for refusing to conform to Biden's request for unity, Berman himself hypocritically ignored Biden's call to "put aside the . . . rhetoric that is designed to demonize one another." Berman's remarks were nothing less than one long, ugly attempt to demonize Republicans.

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## Georgia Senate runoff races have national implications!

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position to block the House Democrats' radical pro-abortion agenda of abortion without limits and taxpayer funding of abortion. If Democrats win

is likely that the Democrats, in charge of both chambers of Congress plus the executive branch, would pursue an extreme agenda that could

would also be in a position to approve virtually any Supreme Court pick selected by a President Joe Biden were a vacancy to occur.

The U.S. Senate may be our last line of defense against the extreme pro-abortion agenda of the Democrats. We must return David Perdue and Kelly



"I set before you life and death . . ." Deuteronomy 30:19

**U.S. Senate - Georgia**  
**COMPARE. DECIDE. VOTE.**

## Where Do the Candidates Stand on Life?

both runoffs, each party will have 50 senators.

Were Biden to win the presidency, the deciding tie-breaker vote would be cast by Vice President Kamala Harris, in her role as President of the Senate.

If the latter were to occur, it

include repealing the Hyde Amendment, transforming the judiciary into a pro-abortion super-Legislature, and passing legislation to codify *Roe v. Wade*, or, in other words, make abortion without limits the law of the land and invalidate state pro-life laws. Senate Democrats

The last day to register to vote in the January 5<sup>th</sup> runoff is December 7<sup>th</sup>. If you know someone who will turn 18 by January 5<sup>th</sup>, they can register to vote. <https://georgia.gov/vote-2020-runoff-elections>. Their first vote can help shape history!!

Loeffler to the U.S. Senate to maintain pro-life control.

**The lives of countless unborn children depend on our victories in these races!**

For downloadable/shareable comparisons, go to: [www.nrlvictoryfund.org](http://www.nrlvictoryfund.org).



# Premature baby born weighing 11 ounces heads home from the hospital

By Nancy Flanders

A baby girl **born** at just 22 and a half weeks and weighing less than one pound has been released from the hospital after more than three months. Harper Rose Schultz

are just so thankful,” her mother Emille Wendzik told reporters while leaving the hospital. Harper’s father Patrick Schultz added, “It’s nothing short of a miracle.”



was born June 29 at Saginaw’s Covenant HealthCare and is the smallest baby to have ever been resuscitated at the Covenant HealthCare Regional Neonatal Intensive Care Unit.

“She’s such a blessing and we

Schultz explained in a video on the hospital’s YouTube channel that he and Wendzik went to the hospital because she was having abdominal pain. They did not expect that baby Harper would be born, but Wendzik

had to undergo an emergency C-section.

Micro-preemies are babies born weighing less than 1,500 grams. Harper weighed 320 grams. She was put on a ventilator and her survival rate was low. Babies born at that size have only a 20% chance of survival.

This is the smallest baby that we’ve ever resuscitated, and to see her grow from where we started to going home now in reasonably good shape, it’s mind-boggling for us,” said Dr. Martin Nwankwo, a Pediatrix-affiliated Neonatologist at Covenant HealthCare. “We’ve never done this before. And, to be honest with you, half the hospitals in the United States would not have attempted this.”

Dr. Nwankwo is correct. The group TwentyTwoMatters created a

map of all the U.S. hospitals providing this level of care for micro-preemies. On that map are only **100 hospitals** in the U.S. willing and able to treat babies born that young and small. Most NICUs do not have the equipment needed to help such small babies, but Covenant HealthCare does.

Though Harper is still using supplemental oxygen and requires special feedings, she is doing remarkably well.

“It’s been nothing short of extraordinary, honestly, it’s been amazing care,” Schultz. “Everybody involved and the fact that they can take something that small be life-sustaining is nothing short of a miracle, to be honest with you.”

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# Pfizer COVID Vaccine Not Created with Fetal Cells

By Wesley J. Smith

The news that Pfizer's vaccine is 90 percent effective has rocked the world. The company will be applying for an emergency FDA approval.

**the hunt for shots that can stop the global pandemic.**

**The vaccine proved to be more than**

**bring the vaccine a big step closer to getting cleared for widespread use.**

**Pfizer said it is**

**distribution this month or next, though U.S. health regulators have indicated they will take some time to conduct their review.**



From the *Wall Street Journal* story:

**A vaccine developed by Pfizer Inc., PFE0.03% and partner BioNTech SE proved better than expected at protecting people from Covid-19 in a pivotal study, a milestone in**

**90% effective in the first 94 subjects who were infected by the new coronavirus and developed at least one symptom, the companies said Monday.**

**The positive, though incomplete, results**

**on track to ask health regulators for permission to sell the shot before the end of this month, if pending data indicate the vaccine is safe.**

**The timetable suggests the vaccine could go into**

That's great news. But many pro-lifers have resisted taking any COVID vaccine if fetal cells taken from aborted fetuses were used in its development.

So, I checked. Pfizer's vaccine was developed using genetic sequencing on computers *without using fetal cells*. As a consequence, the pro-life Charlotte Lozier Institute listed the vaccine as "ethically uncontroversial."

That news may materially increase the number of people willing to be inoculated when the vaccine becomes generally available, perhaps avoiding a potentially explosive controversy over mandates that has been brewing in recent months.

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# Adoption: giving a sense of permanence to children whose lives have been unsettled

By Maria V. Gallagher, Legislative Director, Pennsylvania Pro-Life Federation

*Editor's note. November is National Adoption Month.*

I could see the pain in her eyes, every time she talked about her struggle with infertility. A sweet, caring, gentle soul, I also knew in my heart she was destined to become a mother.

During this National Adoption Month, I think of my courageous friend, who, with the help of adoption, is now called "Mom." Her journey began as a foster mother, tending to the emotional wounds of a child who had

shouldered her share of losses. But with understanding, compassion, and an abundance of love, she gave that little girl a ray of sunshine to hold onto. Now that girl is a permanent part of my friend's family.

Life is not without its struggles, and that is true of adoptive families. But love can conquer a host of hurdles, giving a sense of permanence to children whose lives have been unsettled.

I recall vividly the day the court finalized the adoption of my friend's daughter. My

friend's social media feed was filled with photos of her newly-formed family. The birth of this new family brought joy to my heart.

During this National Adoption Month, let us celebrate the families that have taken on the challenge of bringing stability into a child's life. Let us honor these brave adoptive mothers and fathers, who valiantly triumphed over a myriad of obstacles to form their families.

Let us also share on social media the beauty of adoption as an alternative to the ugly

violence of abortion. Let us also support those courageous birth mothers who selflessly choose an adoption plan for their children.

Our nation is a better place because of adoption. Let us redouble our efforts to streamline laws and bureaucracies to promote adoption and the bountiful blessings it brings. Through adoption, we are increasing the amount of love in our country, one family at a time.





# A clear and decisive victory for preborn babies and their mothers in Pennsylvania

By Maria V. Gallagher, Legislative/PAC Director, Pennsylvania Pro-Life Federation

Last week, I wrote about the great pro-life enthusiasm there was for pro-life candidates in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

In spite of massive pro-abortion money poured into the state, preliminary vote counts indicate that the PA House and Senate will maintain their pro-life majorities. Today I'd like to focus on one clear and decisive victory for preborn babies and their mothers.

Pennsylvania Congressman Scott Perry (R) has defeated pro-abortion Democratic candidate Eugene DePasquale.

Perry has a 100 percent pro-life voting record and was endorsed by both National Right to Life and the Pennsylvania Pro-Life Federation Political Action

Committee. In his legislative career, he has proven to be a true champion for the most vulnerable among us.



He has consistently and unapologetically fought against taxpayer funding of abortion and late-term abortion and

supports positive alternatives to abortion.

In sharp contrast, DePasquale has a radically pro-abortion

giant Planned Parenthood and the abortion activist group known as NARAL. He has even railed against pregnancy resource centers, which provide loving support to pregnant women facing challenging circumstances.

The Pennsylvania contest was one of the most-watched Congressional races in the country. Indeed, pro-abortion forces sunk large sums of cash into the race in an effort to unseat the pro-life incumbent.

But the voters of the 10<sup>th</sup> Pennsylvania Congressional district stood behind Congressman Perry, proving once again that pro-life voters are making a significant difference in the Keystone State.

stand and was backed by the abortion industry and its allies. DePasquale boasted about his endorsements from abortion

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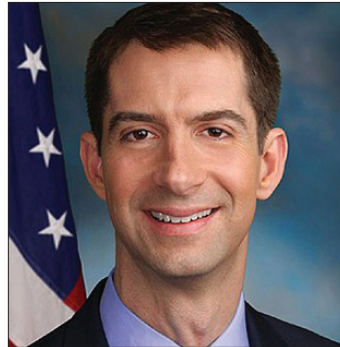
# HUMAN'S RIGHTS

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# Pro-lifers in Arkansas do very well on Tuesday

By Rose Mimms, Executive Director, Arkansas Right to Life

Arkansas Right to Life is very pleased with state results of the November 3rd elections. Of the 40+ endorsements made by the Arkansas Right to Life Political Action Committee all but three won their seats. As of this writing, two of the endorsed candidates races—in House districts 32 and 38 in Pulaski County—are still too close to call.



*Pro-life Senator Tom Cotton*

Our biggest victories include supporting President Trump, re-electing U.S. Senator Tom Cotton, and helping Second District U.S. House Congressman French Hill retain his seat against Democrat State Senator Joyce Elliott who was endorsed by Planned Parenthood Great Plains and who had over \$400,000 poured into the race to defeat Hill.

Rep. Hill won 55% to 44%. Republicans in the Arkansas General Assembly added additional seats in both the state House and state Senate. No constitutional officers, such as Governor or Attorney General, were up for re-election. Currently both positions are held by strong pro-lifers.

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**Vulnerable.**

**Small.**

**Dependent.**

**Human.**

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# Tennessee appeals judge's decision striking down state's 48 hour waiting period

By Dave Andrusko

Last month we reported on a decision by Senior United States District Judge Bernard A. Friedman to permanently enjoined enforcement of Tennessee's 48-hour waiting period, which has been in effect since 2015.

On November 4, state Attorney General Herbert Slatery filed a motion in the U.S. District Court in Nashville asking that the law remain in effect while state appeals the decision. The law requires that a woman wait 48 hours after their initial doctor's appointment to have an abortion. Critics argue this requires two visits to the abortion clinic and is burdensome.

The motion "argues that although the state lost at the federal district court level [Judge Friedman], it is likely to win at the 6th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals because the waiting period law does not violate the constitutional right to an abortion," the *Associated Press* reported. "Also, the motion says that keeping the law in place during the appeals process will not harm abortion providers, who have been complying with the law for the entire five years it took to get a ruling in federal court."

Judge Friedman "ruled last month that Tennessee's waiting period law serves no legitimate purpose while placing a substantial burden on women who seek abortions in Tennessee," the AP's Travis Loller reported.

When Judge Friedman handed down his decision on October 14, Brian Harris, president of Tennessee Right to Life, responded, saying,

"Not only is this decision a slap at Tennessee's abortion-vulnerable women, it is an affront to Tennessee's voters who passed a 2014 constitutional amendment in which allowing a short waiting period was a key factor." He added, "Our organization remains committed to seeing a similar statute drafted and enforced during the next legislative session."

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while 28 percent oppose it," Anita Wadhvani reported in 2015 for *The Tennessean*.

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Tennessee Right to Life, also said at the time of the decision, "This waiting period law was drafted in consultation with nationally renowned legal scholars in order to mirror similar laws across the country. We have no doubt that the Sixth Circuit will swiftly overturn Judge Friedman's ruling."

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they heard Dr. Priscilla Coleman, Bowling Green State University Professor of Human Development and Family Studies, say that 25 – 40% of women seeking abortion arrive at the abortion facility undecided and through her research has found that information and time benefit women.

A motion filed by state Attorney General Herbert Slatery in the U.S. District Court in Nashville asks Friedman to keep the law in place for now. It argues that although the state lost at the federal district court level, it is likely to win at the 6th U.S. Circuit Court of

Appeals because the waiting period law does not violate the constitutional right to an abortion.

Tennessee Right to Life had responded with indignation to Friedman's decision to declare unconstitutional a 48 hour waiting period before a woman obtains an abortion:

**With complete disregard for the health and safety of Tennessee's women and unborn children, Senior United States District Judge Bernard A. Friedman permanently enjoined enforcement of Tennessee's 48-hour waiting period.**

**This common sense policy, in effect since 2015, has resulted in the saving of countless unborn lives and a lack of regret by mothers who had time to further consider her decision following provision of informed consent information. The extra 48-hours also allowed mothers the opportunity to identify life-affirming resources in her community or region.**

The decision blocks the state from enforcing the law.

Judge Friedman wrote, in part,

**"Defendants have failed to show that the challenged mandatory**

*See "Tennessee," page 32*



# UK Government grilled over potential use of body parts of aborted babies

By Right to Life UK

The UK Government has been grilled over the potential use of tissues or organs from aborted babies.

In response to an organ scandal at Alder Hey children’s hospital, in which Professor Dick Van Velzen was found to have unethically and illegally collected over 2,000 body parts from 850 children, the Human Tissue Act 2004 was set-up to govern the treatment of foetal tissue.

Under the legislation, it is illegal to sell, or exchange for ‘reward’, any material that “consists of or includes human cells” – including tissue from aborted babies.

However, the same law allows a competent authority, such as a hospital or research facility, to lawfully engage in that activity and receive remuneration for “transporting, removing,

preparing, preserving or storing controlled material”.

This is noted by Royal College of Nursing guidelines



DUP MP Jim Shannon

which state: “Fetal Tissue may be required for research... If the woman has not expressed any particular wishes about the fetus, she may agree to specific

research being carried out. She would be required to sign a consent form to authorise this and to confirm that she fully understands the planned outcome.”

It means women are permitted to donate the remains of their aborted baby for medical research.

Sharing his personal concerns and those of his constituents, DUP MP Jim Shannon asked Health Minister Edward Argar “whether the Human Tissue (Quality and Safety for Human Application) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 address the concerns about the use of tissues or organs from aborted babies, and if so, how is the issue of consent dealt with?”.

He added:

**“I am being very honest with you, Mr Deputy Speaker, about**

**where I am coming from, because every cell of that little one is precious and must be used with consent and appropriately, just as is the case with those incredibly brave men and women who chose to donate the organs of their lost loved ones in order to save others.”**

Conservative MP Edward Argar pledged to reviewing the matter saying:

“if it is helpful to him, particularly in the light of his constituents’ concerns, I or a fellow Minister will undertake to write to him with further clarification, so that he has that on record. With that, I commend the regulations to the House.”

## In this must-read issue of National Right to Life News....

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pro-life Republicans will pick up between x and y seats. See the story on page 7.

And it cannot be emphasized enough how there will be at least 14 new pro-life Republican women in the House and one pro-life Republican woman in the Senate. Read all about that promising development on pages four and 16.

Likewise, as you will see in the stories on pages a, b, c, d, and e, there was a “Red tsunami” in states such as South Carolina. Much of the action on abortion is always going to be in the states and prospects going forward are brighter for unborn children than they were just two weeks ago. See page nine.

Please take the time to read this entire edition. It will be the counterweight to all the nonsense you will read in the “Mainstream Media.”

#40Weeks40Facts

## WEEK 1

A new human life is conceived!

At this moment of conception, all characteristics of a person -- sex, eye color, shoe size -- are determined by a unique genetic code.

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# There is no quit in President Donald Trump

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concede under any circumstances because I think this is going to drag out and eventually I do believe he will win if we don't give an inch and if we are as focused and relentless as the other side is."

What's happened of late, besides the President's unwavering commitment to insisting on a full evaluation of questionable ballots?

"Pennsylvania Secretary of State Kathy Boockvar revealed on Tuesday that roughly 10,000 mail-in ballots were received between when the polls closed on Nov. 3 at 8 p.m. and Friday at 5 p.m., the time window considered a grace period after a controversial state Supreme Court ruling," writes Joseph Simonson of the *Washington Examiner*.

Those are the ballots that were counted only because of a highly controversial decision by the Pennsylvania Supreme Court which the Trump team has appealed to the United States Supreme Court. (For more, see [www.nationalrighttolifenews.org/2020/11/president-trump-has-not-conceded-the-election-2](http://www.nationalrighttolifenews.org/2020/11/president-trump-has-not-conceded-the-election-2)).

"Georgia Sec of State Announces Hand Recount of the Vote." Hannah Bleau wrote, "President Donald Trump trailed former Vice President Joe Biden by roughly 14,110 votes as of Wednesday morning."

Speaking of Georgia, Steve Cortes is Trump 2020 Campaign Senior Advisor for Strategy. He tweeted out an extremely interesting video this week in which he made a particularly compelling point.

In states that were not competitive (such as Wyoming),

the number of people who voted for Biden and the number who voted for other Democrats was very close. But in competitive states (such as Georgia), a huge number voted **only** for Biden.

By contrast, there was a "miniscule" difference between the number who voted for President Trump and the number who voted for other Republicans, Cortes explained.

To elaborate on the first point I made, Byron York of the *Washington Examiner* wrote the following under the headline, "Democrats Want it all Now."

**Remember the weeks before the election, when leading Democrats, voices in the media, and tech moguls warned America to be patient after election day? It might take days, or weeks, or even months, to know the final results of the presidential election, they warned. Americans should not get ahead of themselves but instead wait to let the process of choosing a new president work.**

That was then. Now, some Democrats not only want President Trump to leave office, they want him to do so, and be replaced by Joe Biden, immediately. On Tuesday evening, Hollywood moviemaker and activist Rob Reiner tweeted: "Since Donald Trump has already stopped doing his job (and never really did) why wait until January

**20? He should leave now and let Joe Biden do what he would never do: be a real president."**

But "That's not how things work," York writes.

**"First, for all the media projections, Biden is not yet the official winner of the presidential race. The Electoral College meets to cast its votes on December 14. Those votes are then transmitted to Congress, which will certify the results on January 6. That's the official process. There may be no doubt as to how it will turn out, but there are still procedures to follow."**

And Rob Reiner's wishes aside, a president cannot just give the

presidency to someone else.

The 20<sup>th</sup> Amendment to the Constitution makes it crystal clear that the incumbent President remains President until the 20th day of the January of the year in which their terms end, in this case January 20, 2021.

Pro-life Senate Judiciary Committee chair Lindsey Graham (R-S.C.) was behind the President 100%. "If Republicans don't challenge and change the U.S. election system, there will never be another Republican president elected again," Graham said on *Fox News*. "President Trump should not concede."

Stay tuned to [Nationalrighttolifenews.org](http://Nationalrighttolifenews.org). The media and Democrats—one and the same—are attempting to short-circuit the system.



**"The world will not be destroyed by those who do evil, but by those who watch them without doing anything."**

ALBERT EINSTEIN

# Planned Parenthood drops lawsuit against Arizona pro-life laws

By Dave Andrusko

It is altogether wonderful news but comes seemingly out of the blue and without warning or explanation.

Under the headline, “Planned Parenthood Drops Abortion Restriction Lawsuit in Arizona,” Howard Fischer, who writes for Capitola Media Services, tells us “Planned Parenthood has quietly dropped its lawsuit challenging several abortion restrictions in Arizona, including the requirement for a 24-hour waiting period.”

Meaning? “Tuesday’s action means the state is free to continue enforcing not only the cooling off period but also other challenged restrictions, including who can perform what abortion-related services and prohibiting doctors from prescribing abortion medications by telemedicine,” Fischer writes. Even at the time the lawsuit was filed in 2019, Planned Parenthood of Arizona conceded some of the laws had been previously litigated.

No one would explain to Fischer why they told U.S. District Court Judge Jennifer Zipp’s “to dismiss the legal challenge.” All they did provide, according to Fischer, was “a written statement about

its ongoing concerns about the statutes in question.”

As we wrote back in 2019, Planned Parenthood said the laws were “medically unnecessary. According to Dustin Gardiner of the *Arizona Republic* the three areas at issue are (1) the requirement that only physicians may perform abortions; (2) that after meeting with the abortionist, the abortion-minded woman wait 24 hours before (if she chooses) to have an abortion; and (3) the ban on using telemedicine/video conferencing as a way of distributing chemical abortifacients without the abortionist ever meeting with the woman.

However, pro-lifers speculated that the withdrawal was in response to a “changing legal environment.” That would include the replacement of Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg with Justice Amy Coney Barrett. But it also could reflect cases decided since the Supreme Court’s decision in *June Medical Services, L.L.C. v. Russo*. Here’s Fischer’s summary:

**In June the U.S. Supreme Court did rule 5-4 that Louisiana**

**has no legal right to prohibit doctors from terminating pregnancies unless they also have admitting**

**requirement served no legitimate purpose in protecting the health of women. But Chief Justice John**



**privileges at nearby local hospitals.**

**That, however, really was a divided ruling, with Justice Stephen Breyer, writing for himself and three other justices that the**

**Roberts, in becoming the deciding vote, said he was not accepting those arguments but agreeing to the result based on different precedents.**



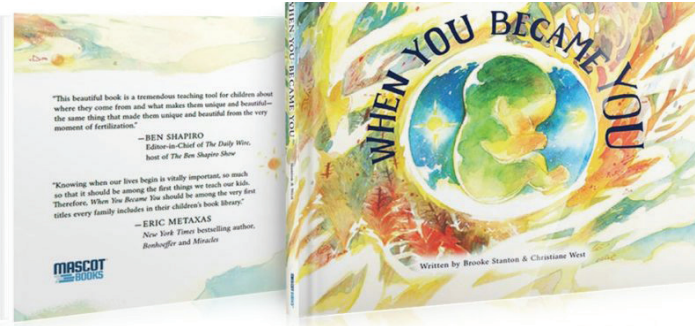
# When You Became You is a great addition to the small but growing canon of pro-life children's literature

*Editor's note. The following book reviewed appeared on the blog of Secular Pro-life and is reposted with permission.*

When You Became You is a beautifully illustrated children's book by Brooke Stanton and Christiane West. The authors are affiliated with Contend Projects, "a secular, nonpartisan, science education nonprofit with the mission to spread accurate information and awareness about the biological science of human embryology and when a human being begins to exist."

I'm pleased to report that When You Became You lives up to this promise. It is 100% secular and scientifically accurate. Young readers will learn that all humans are

human, and that it does not matter "what you look like, where you are from, how old you are, how young you are, if



you can talk, if you can walk, if you can dance, or even if you aren't born yet." They will also learn the scientific terms "embryo" and "fetus" and how those words are used to describe human beings before they are born. These core concepts are

an incredibly valuable way to inoculate children against pro-abortion propaganda; however, the text does not refer to

abortion or anything else that might upset a child.

I do have one quibble with When You Became You, which is that it doesn't directly answer the question implied by the title. The only reference to the moment of fertilization is a

blurb on the back cover. I was expecting an explanation of conception, even if it required childlike language like "a teeny tiny bit from Mom called an egg and a teeny tiny bit from Dad called a sperm." Perhaps the authors wanted to avoid their work being pigeon-holed as yet another sex education book for kids, which is fair enough. That said, there are some lovely watercolor images of very early life that parents could use to embark on a more detailed conversation.

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**waiting period protects fetal life or the health of women in Tennessee. It is apparent that this waiting period unduly burdens women's right to an abortion and is an affront to their 'dignity and autonomy,' 'personhood' and 'destiny,' and 'conception of . . . [their] place in society,'"**

Samantha H. Fisher, a spokesperson for the Tennessee Attorney General's office, said in an email to *The Tennessean* that "the state plans to file an appeal to Wednesday's decision."

**"We are disappointed in the ruling that comes a full year after the trial and five years after the law was passed by our elected representatives. We are evaluating next steps, including appealing the order."**

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# Your NRLC at work in the 2020 General Elections

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Also take time to read the story on page five about pro-life Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell (R-Ky.) whose contributions to the cause of unborn babies are immense.

Pro-abortion Democrats, such as Speaker of the House Nancy Pelosi, predicted double-digit gains in the House of Representatives. Instead as I write this story, pro-lifers are up 6 seats in the House. In addition, at least 14 new pro-life Republican women are coming to Washington, DC.

As you read this issue, you will read account after account documenting tremendous gains in the states, primarily the result of the work of our affiliates. Bear in mind, pro-abortion

Democrat candidates, like their presidential candidate, raised or were the beneficiary of countless millions of dollars.

To name just a few of the states who fought of heavily financed challengers, there is Missouri, Arkansas, Iowa, Montana, West Virginia, Louisiana, Ohio, Kentucky, South Carolina, and Kansas.

Congratulations!

National Right to Life was deeply involved in key Senate races and in states which did not have a competitive Senate race but were instrumental to President Trump.

First and foremost, post-election polling, the McLaughlin & Associates poll found that the issue of abortion affected

the way 41.3% of the people voted—to the great advantage of the pro-life candidate. Of that 41.3%, 23.1% voted for the pro-life candidate to 18.2% for the pro-abortion candidate: a net gain of 5 points!

National Right to Life was widely involved in every possible way to alert to the public as to who was the pro-life candidate. Everything from social media, to mail, to radio spots, to phone calls—all this and much more.

And people knew we were there! For example, the McLaughlin & Associates poll found that almost exactly a third (32%) said they heard or saw something from National Right to Life!

Our digital footprint was staggering: 51% of those who

heard from National Right to Life recalled seeing something on a website or on social media from National Right to Life.

In addition, nearly half (48.7%) of those who heard or saw something from National Right to Life heard something on the radio and 47% received information in the mail.

And I'm proud to say that 21% said they recalled seeing or hearing information provided by a state right to life group.

Thanks go out to our millions of grassroots supporters and our tremendous state affiliates.

And please say a prayer for President Trump. He is a fighter and if anyone can overcome the Democrat/Media machine, it is President Trump.

**Now, more than ever, we need your help to save their lives.**

**You can help us by giving the gift of life**

**Giving Tuesday  
December 1, 2020**

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