FAMILY RESEARCH COUNCIL’S VISION IS A CULTURE IN WHICH HUMAN LIFE IS VALUED, FAMILIES FLOURISH, AND RELIGIOUS LIBERTY THRIVES.
This year marked the 30th anniversary for the Family Research Council.

For three decades FRC has been championing faith, family and freedom for you and your family in Washington, D.C. and beyond.

Our continued ability to stand for the transcendent virtues which are the bedrock for our nation, gives testimony to God’s faithfulness and YOUR generosity. While we’ve literally been attacked, targeted by Leftist groups and ridiculed by many in the “mainstream” media we are unwavering in our commitment to speak the truth in love.

For the past ten years, I’ve had the honor of serving as FRC’s president. We’ve witnessed monumental victories, and we’ve endured disappointing defeats. But relying on God’s help, we’ll never give up and never back down.

FRC is a bulwark for your values in our nation’s capital. Day by day, we are your champions, fighting for your family, religious freedom and the sanctity of life.

Yes, alarming things are happening in our nation. But let me tell you, we’re watching liberal strongholds crack. We’re seeing the beginning of a resurgence of common sense conservatism that could very well reshape America’s future.

FRC is looking ahead with confidence. We are strong and undaunted; because we serve a faithful God and we serve alongside generous, dedicated friends like you.

I hope this report on FRC’s impact in 2013 is an encouragement to you.

Thank you and God bless you!
Standing (Ephesians 6:13),

Tony Perkins, President

Because of my training in the U.S. Marine Corps, I will never run from a fight . . . Because of my faith in the Lord, I will never lose hope.

- FRC President, Tony Perkins
For 30 years, Family Research Council has faithfully stood as a conservative bulwark in the heart of Washington, D.C. We are the leading multi-issue, grassroots-mobilizing, policy-shaping advocate for the family in America.

What sets FRC apart?

**Multifaceted** – FRC tackles the broadest range of issues of any organization of our type.

**Location** – Walking distance from the U.S. Capitol, FRC has access to and recognition by Congress. A growing number of Congressional Members rely on FRC for help in drafting and advancing legislation.

**Credibility** – FRC has never compromised on our issues, regardless of the battle's intensity.

**Leadership** – Conservative leaders and groups routinely turn to FRC to host and often lead joint initiatives and coalitions.

Hallmark victories in which FRC has played a major leading role:

- Child Tax Credit
- Federal Partial-Birth Abortion Ban
- Defense of Marriage Act
- Federal abstinence education funding
- Coverdell Education Savings Accounts
- Marriage Tax Penalty repeal
- Health Savings Accounts
- Children’s Internet Protection Act
- Welfare Reform emphasizing marriage and family
- Marriage Protection Amendments in 30 states
- Values Voter Summit — billed as the “premier conservative event” in Washington
- Confirmations of Chief Justice John Roberts and Justices Clarence Thomas and Samuel Alito to U.S. Supreme Court and Senator John Ashcroft as U. S. attorney general
- Defeat of three Iowa Supreme Court judges who forced same-sex “marriage” on their state in 2010

FRC has a strong history of:

- **Safeguarding human life** – through pro-life measures at the federal and state levels related to abortion, stem cell research and cloning
- **Protecting marriage and family** – through federal and state policy and public awareness campaigns
- **Speaking the truth in love** – as the most respected and effective voice opposing the radical homosexual agenda
- **Defending religious liberty** – through legislation, judicial cases, conscience protections and efforts to restore religious freedom in the military
Family Research Council has 30 years of influence and expertise on the issues that matter most to conservative families. Our experts shape the debate and advance your values every day by:

- **Meeting with Members of Congress** and Capitol Hill staff
- **Voicing your values** in print and broadcast media
- **Developing cutting edge research and public policy initiatives**
- **Hosting and leading weekly coalition-building meetings** of conservative leaders
- **Broadcasting live webcasts and our daily radio program** on key issues
- **Hosting Policy Lectures** featuring prominent speakers and issue experts
- **Engaging the church by educating and equipping pastors** across the country
- **Facilitating monthly national intercessory prayer meetings**
- **Training student interns** to become tomorrow’s leaders

**Justice for FRC and Leo the Hero**

On September 19, 2013, a U.S. District Court Judge sentenced Floyd Lee Corkins II to 25 years in prison for three felony counts, including the first-ever domestic terrorism conviction in D.C. Corkins invaded FRC’s headquarters on August 15, 2012 with a plan and enough ammunition to shoot everyone inside.

Leo Johnson, FRC’s unarmed Building Operations Manager, took a bullet in the arm while protecting his colleagues and subduing Corkins. He and Tony Perkins delivered statements before the court, describing the painful and anxious aftermath of the shooting, while offering Corkins forgiveness and urging him to seek God.

The attack has only strengthened FRC’s resolve to stand firm. We thank God for His protection and we thank YOU for your unwavering support during this challenging time.
FRC IN NUMBERS

FRC’s growing visibility and influence is evident in the rising number of people we reach day-to-day. Conservatives increasingly depend on FRC as a trusted voice in the media and information source.

FRC at a glance:

- 500+ meetings with Members of Congress and their staff each year
- Over 300,000 subscribers to Tony Perkins’ daily email, Washington Update
- Well over 100,000 Facebook friends and 24,000 Twitter followers
- 25,000 pastors engaged with FRC
- 1.74 million collective participants in our 2013 Call2Fall day of prayer
- Over 220,000 petitions this year for protection of religious liberty in the military
- Over 2,200 attendees at the 2013 Values Voter Summit, Washington’s premier conservative event

FRC gives voice to your values in the media.

Highlights from 2013:

- 15,000 media mentions – of FRC and our affiliates
- Nearly 100 live TV and cable network appearances, plus 1 million online video views
- Over 500 radio hits on prominent stations across America
- 241 op-eds printed in publications nationwide
- Over 170 media members attended the Values Voter Summit

New Daily Radio Program

In January, FRC launched Washington Watch with Tony Perkins, a daily one-hour radio program reaching nearly 150 stations and more than 1 million potential listeners nationwide. The show allows us to cut through the media’s filter and speak directly to concerned Americans about how a biblical worldview shapes public policy. Tony has hosted dozens of Members of Congress as well as prominent conservative leaders, authors and pastors, including Sen. Ted Cruz (R-Texas), Gov. Mike Huckabee and Sen. Rick Santorum.

Photo Left: Tony Perkins interviews Congressman Jim Bridenstine of Oklahoma
**FRC’s Church Ministries outreach equips pastors to lead their churches in culture-changing Christian citizenship!**

**FRC equips and mobilizes:**
- **25,000 pastors**, plus their millions of congregants
- **Over 3,600 church-based Culture Impact Teams**
- **Over 48,000 Prayer Partners**

**Pray, Preach, Partner**

In 2013, we **expanded our “P3” pastors group to over 5,000**. Each of these pastors commits to PRAY for the nation, PREACH Christian Citizenship messages, and PARTNER with at least three other pastors.

**Watchmen on the Wall Events**

In May, FRC hosted our **10th annual national “Watchmen on the Wall” conference** in Washington, D.C. Over 550 pastors and church leaders attended from 39 states.
We hosted regional Pastors Briefings attended by more than 700 pastors and church leaders in Virginia, Colorado, Missouri, and Minnesota. We also held two DC-based briefings, one in collaboration with the Association of Related Churches (ARC) and one specifically for Hispanic pastors across the country. Our relationship with the Hispanic community is growing, and we soon will release several FRC publications in Spanish.

“I have been preaching on many of these issues for years but have felt very alone in the fight. This is my first Watchmen Conference and I feel renewed and challenged to keep ‘charging the hill.’”

— A 2013 Watchman on the Wall attendee

FRC held its 5th annual “Call2Fall” event on June 30, leading an estimated over 1.74 million Christians in prayer for our nation’s spiritual revival and healing, based on God’s call to repentance in 2 Chronicles 7:14. Each year on the Sunday closest to July 4th, FRC calls churches and believers across America to declare our dependence on God. Join us on June 29, 2014 (visit www.Call2Fall.com).

Culture Impact Teams

FRC tripled our number of church-based Culture Impact Teams in 2013, reaching over 3,600 nationwide. Culture Impact Teams consist of church members who equip fellow congregants to be “salt and light” in their communities through voter registration drives, raising issue awareness, and organizing practical citizen engagement projects.
FRC’s Government Affairs team plays both defense and offense on our issues in a bold and bipartisan manner. We’re expanding FRC’s influence as the leading pro-family voice in Washington, D.C.

Our experts educate leaders in Congress, the Administration, governors, state legislators and our grassroots network, utilizing face-to-face meetings, expert testimony, draft legislation, presentations, briefings and email alerts.

Legislation that Saves Lives

FRC and coalition partners worked together on a historic bill passed by the House, the “Pain-Capable Unborn Child Protection Act.” Its success set the stage for a dramatic national debate over a similar bill in Texas, resulting in a ban on aborting pain-capable unborn children in that state. Seven other states have passed similar legislation.

With Congress engaged in a prolonged battle over the federal budget, we helped craft and promote amendments on spending bills to ban funding of abortion. The House passed amendments to:

- Bar federal contributions for any federal employee to health plans that include abortion coverage.
- Add two new pro-life provisions to the State and Foreign Operations Appropriations bill.
- Add a provision to the Department of Homeland Security Appropriations to prevent abortion funding for Immigrations and Customs Enforcement (ICE) detainees.

While the current Senate will likely continue rejecting these type of provisions, we are setting a critical standard for pro-life legislation which sets the stage for passage under a more pro-life Senate.
Defending Marriage

FRC is responding to recent setbacks for marriage (including the Supreme Court’s ruling in *United States v. Windsor*) with legislative efforts to protect those who believe in traditional marriage.

We’re working with Members of Congress to draft and promote legislation to:

- Protect religious individuals and entities that believe in traditional marriage from discrimination by the IRS or other federal agencies
- Base the federal definition of marriage on the marriage laws of individual states

ObamaCare Conscience Protections

As ObamaCare’s implementation drew closer, FRC pushed hard to curb or prevent its attacks on life and religious liberty. We continued to expose the law’s conscience-violating implications for employers, employees, and medical practitioners.

In particular, we helped draft and continue to promote Rep. Diane Black’s (R-Tenn.) “Health Care Rights of Conscience Act.” This bill would protect the religious liberties of employers, who are forced by ObamaCare to offer insurance plans that cover “free” abortion-inducing drugs, contraceptives and sterilizations.

Defending Religious Freedom

FRC’s Government Affairs team is pursuing legislative protections for religious liberty in the military.

- Worked with Members of the House and Senate Armed Services Committees to pass amendments that create stronger religious liberty protections for those in the military. These are more vital than ever in light of growing reports of discrimination against military personnel who support traditional marriage.
- Worked with Rep. John Fleming (R-LA) on a successful amendment to block Department of Defense funding for so-called “atheist” chaplains.
In 2013, FRC became the nation’s leading defender of religious liberty in the military. The military is increasingly suppressing religious freedom – in policy and in practice. Sadly, service members are forced into silence for fear of career-ending retribution.

That’s why we’ve made religious liberty in the Armed Forces a top priority. FRC has redefined this issue and thrust it to national prominence.

FRC Exposes Atheist’s Influence Over Military

In April, FRC learned of a Pentagon meeting with militant atheist Mikey Weinstein, who demanded that Christians in the military be court-martialed for sharing their faith.

FRC’s Ken Klukowski, J.D., broke the news in a column on Breitbart.com, which was picked up by the Drudge Report and went viral. It was shared by nearly 1.4 million Facebook readers and became the most read column in Breitbart’s history – reaching nearly 20 million people.

We knew we struck a nerve when the Pentagon’s public affairs office called within minutes of Ken’s article hitting the Drudge Report, demanding that we back off.

FRC doesn’t back down! Not when our cherished biblical values and fundamental rights are at stake.

FRC Responds with Ground-Breaking Petition, Report, Website and Coalition

Within days, nearly 170,000 people signed a petition to Defense Secretary Hagel – FRC’s fastest growing petition ever. The story was covered in hundreds of news articles and on national TV.

As a result, FRC published a first-of-its-kind report, A Clear and Present Danger: The Threat to Religious Liberty in the Military, and released it at a major national news conference on
Capitol Hill in July. We launched a **new website**, [MilitaryFreedom.org](http://MilitaryFreedom.org), where military members can report persecutions and find resources for legal aid. We also formed the **Restore Military Religious Freedom Coalition**.

**Shaping the National Debate and Military Policy**

Our efforts are paying off. The media and Congress have taken notice and are taking action. Mikey Weinstein’s grip on the military is weakening. FRC’s Lt. Gen. (Ret.) Jerry Boykin had a positive meeting with senior Air Force officials at the Pentagon in October. With FRC’s support, more and more service members now have the confidence to take a stand.

But the battle is far from over. In October, we exposed the news that the Southern Poverty Law Center (which labeled FRC a “hate group,” prompting the shooting at our headquarters last year) is an approved source for diversity trainings in the Army. Much is at stake as we continue to sound the alarm on this issue.

**Case in Point: 19-year active duty airman fired after not supporting same-sex “marriage”**

Senior Master Sergeant Phillip Monk is a sobering example of the loss of religious freedom in the military. Monk is a loyal airman who has served his country for 19 years with a spotless record.

This summer, Monk’s openly lesbian commander sought his advice on how to punish a subordinate for promoting traditional marriage. When she realized Monk didn’t share her views on marriage, she was infuriated.

Monk was promptly relieved of his post. He appealed and exposed this discrimination, only to be threatened with court martial.

Within days, FRC’s Lt. Gen. (Ret.) Jerry Boykin delivered nearly 50,000 petitions to senior Air Force officials at the Pentagon, calling for the Air Force to cease action against Monk. We’ll keep sounding the alarm until Monk – and all men and women in uniform – can express their religious beliefs freely and without fear of punishment.

“**Family Research Council got people to listen to my story. The weight of their organization was like a driving engine that kept the story in focus.**”

— SMSgt Monk
**FRC’s Policy team develops sophisticated research and proofs to contend for your values. These are then used to develop and advance public policy that promotes faith, family and freedom.**

**Protecting Human Life**

- FRC policy experts testified before committees of state legislatures in support of pro-life legislation. From 2011-2013, FRC assisted with over 200 successful pro-life bills at the state level.
- FRC’s Anna Higgins, J.D. shaped the public discourse in major print and broadcast media on hot topics including Plan B, abortionist Kermit Gosnell’s trial, and the Federal Pain-Capable Unborn Child Protection Act.

**Promoting Marriage and Biblical Sexuality**

- FRC’s Marriage and Religion Research Institute (MARRI), led by Dr. Patrick Fagan, produces pioneering social science research that demonstrates the importance of traditional marriage and intact families for a strong society.
- Shaped the national debate over the Boy Scout policy on allowing open homosexuals into Scout troops. We continue to monitor and respond to the aftermath of the Boy Scouts of America’s detrimental ruling.
- FRC is a leading member in coalitions dealing with the Common Core public school curricula, pornography and homosexuality.

**Did you know?**

FRC’s policy publications had over one million online views in 2013.
FRC helps create first-of-its-kind Stem Cell Therapy Center

FRC’s Dr. David Prentice helped write and then testified on a ground-breaking bill in Kansas that created the Midwest Stem Cell Therapy Center at the University of Kansas.

As the world’s first comprehensive stem cell center, it will treat patients using adult stem cells, train doctors, conduct research and clinical trials, educate the public and create a global database of available therapies for use by physicians and patients.

To make this exciting development even better, the Kansas state senate president appointed Dr. Prentice to the Center’s Advisory Board. State law requires the appointment of “one person with a nationally respected reputation representing the scientific research community.”

Under Dr. Prentice’s leadership, FRC has been at the forefront of advances in pro-life stem cell policy. We’re pleased to add the Midwest Stem Cell Therapy Center to a long list of victories we’ve helped win for adult stem cells, thanks to your faithful and generous support.

Religious Liberty at the Supreme Court

In August, FRC’s Ken Klukowski, J.D., filed an amicus brief on behalf of 85 Members of Congress in a landmark U.S. Supreme Court case dealing with legislative prayer, *Town of Greece v. Galloway*. This case will determine:

1) the constitutionality of prayer at governmental assemblies, and possibly
2) the understanding and application of the Constitution’s Establishment Clause.

Ken’s brief argues for abandoning the current flawed prohibition of any government action that gives the impression of supporting religion. We should return to the original intent of the Establishment Clause, which prohibits government from *coercing* a person to participate in any religious act against his conscience.

A favorable ruling will have far-reaching consequences for public expressions of faith.
As the legislative affiliate of Family Research Council, FRC Action advocates for faith, family and freedom in the political arena.

In 2013, FRC Action used personal meetings, hard-hitting ad campaigns, targeted grassroots mobilization, petitions and more to advance values-friendly policies.

At the national level, FRC Action advocated for pro-family laws by meeting with Senate and House members, “scoring” key votes and shaping the debate on TV, radio and Internet news outlets.

At the state level, we tracked and educated conservatives about hundreds of bills that impact families.

At the grassroots level, FRC Action educated and mobilized activists on key social and fiscal issues by sending e-mail alerts, launching petition campaigns, and broadcasting live national webcasts.

Values Voter Summit

FRC Action’s Values Voter Summit (VVS) has grown into the premier conservative event in the nation, dubbed by CNN as “ground zero for the conservative wing of the GOP.”

In October, our 8th annual Values Voter Summit in Washington, D.C. reached new heights in its impact. It attracted over 2,200 attendees, major national media attention, and a matchless line-up of conservative speakers.
Leaders who offer real hope for our nation gathered to address the crowd, including Sen. Ted Cruz (R-Texas), Sen. Mike Lee (R-Utah), Dr. Ben Carson, Gov. Mike Huckabee, Sen. Rand Paul (R-Ky.), Glenn Beck, Mark Levin, and many other legislators, leaders and activists.

Highlights of the 2013 Values Voter Summit:

- Over 170 media members attended the event, including every major news media outlet in the nation.
- Earned over 500 major TV mentions, up 130% from 2009.
- Over 71,000 mentions on social media, up 53% from last year. VVS was one of the leading topics in the nation on Twitter.
- Over 133,000 online views of VVS speeches, up significantly from previous years.

**Values Bus Tour in Virginia**

In October, FRC Action and FRC Action PAC teamed up with the entire Duggar family of TLC’s reality TV series, “19 Kids & Counting” for a Values Bus Tour in Virginia. The tour mobilized voters in support of Ken Cuccinelli for governor, E.W. Jackson for lieutenant governor, and Mark Obenshain for attorney general.

At stops across the state, the candidates joined FRC Action and the Duggars to rally support for family values. The tour earned 47 television hits, watched by over 1 million viewers.

**FRC Action Welcomes Josh Duggar as Executive Director**

In June, FRC Action welcomed Joshua Duggar as our new Executive Director. Josh is the oldest child of the Duggar family, featured on TLC’s “19 Kids & Counting.” His prior experience includes serving on Presidential campaigns in 2008 and 2012, working for candidates and elected officials in Arkansas, and founding his own political consulting firm and private business.

Under Josh’s leadership, we look forward to expanding our reach as the family’s premier advocacy group and engaging more of the next generation.
FRC Action PAC and the Faith Family Freedom Fund have worked alongside FRC Action to impact key races through campaign contributions, ads, endorsements, and grassroots mobilization.

In 2013, FRC Action PAC and the Faith Family Freedom Fund focused on:

- Supporting the conservative leaders we helped elect in 2010 and 2012
- Impacting key special elections
- Laying groundwork to shape the 2014 elections

Supporting Conservative Leaders

We helped elect a strong contingent of conservative leaders in 2010 and 2012 who are now standing firm in the face of adversity. We’ll keep the pressure on them to stand for your values and hold them accountable by “scoring” and analyzing key votes and working with our contacts at the state-level.

Impacting Special Elections: Virginia and New Jersey

After President Obama won Virginia in 2012, Democrats are intent on making it a thoroughly blue state. Along with Planned Parenthood and homosexual activists, they spent millions this year in an effort to claim key elected positions.

FRC Action PAC and our coordinated Virginia Values Voter PAC endorsed and promoted three solid
candidates, Ken Cuccinelli for governor, E.W. Jackson for Lieutenant Governor and Mark Obenshein for Attorney General.

- Co-hosted a large fundraiser for Ken Cuccinelli with the Susan B. Anthony List
- Produced and placed radio ads in strategic markets leading up to the election
- Conducted get-out-the-vote efforts, including the state-wide bus tour with FRC Action and TV’s popular Duggar family

In New Jersey, the Faith Family Freedom Fund ran phone banks in key districts in support of Steve Lonegan for Senate. Although he didn’t win, he was a surprisingly strong contender. It’s unusual for a candidate with a solid conservative record to come as close as Lonegan did in this traditional liberal stronghold. Through his race, we helped make a clear statement about the public’s discontent with liberal shenanigans.

Shaping the 2014 Elections

FRC Action PAC and the Faith Family Freedom Fund are actively strategizing to maximize our impact on the 2014 elections. As in the past, FRC Action PAC will shape key races through endorsements and campaign contributions, while the Faith Family Freedom Fund will focus its efforts on ad campaigns and grassroots mobilization.

Conservatives need six seats to retake the Senate. Our current targets include Louisiana, Montana, Arkansas, North Carolina, Georgia, South Dakota, Alaska, Iowa and Nebraska.
Thanks to God’s provision through friends like you, FRC reached new heights this year, even in the face of adversity and economic challenges. Your support made this possible!

Operating with a modest budget and small staff relative to our accomplishments and impact, our team applies innovation, long hours, thoughtful strategy and resourcefulness to our work.

This graph summarizes FRC’s 2013 fiscal year (October 1, 2012 – September 30, 2013, pre-audit numbers), which represents a typical budget allocation for FRC. A copy of our IRS form 990 is available upon request.

Our success is measured not only by our public impact, but also by the stewardship of our time, talents and treasures.

By these measures, we point to the prayerful leadership of Tony Perkins, our board of directors and senior staff, and to our far-reaching impact and influence to suggest that God is using FRC as salt and light in a lost and morally misguided nation.

As we look to the future, we will continue to stand for Truth, trusting always that the battle belongs to the Lord. Thank you for standing with us!
Founded in 1983, Family Research Council’s vision is a culture in which human life is valued, families flourish, and religious liberty thrives.

Family Research Council (FRC) is a 501(c)(3) educational organization dedicated to advancing faith, family and freedom in public policy and the culture from a Christian worldview.

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