

Will Pastor Hoye Be Jailed For Jesus?

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Interest in Pastor Walter Hoye's case is running high across the country. His sentencing hearing is scheduled for tomorrow, Thursday, February 19, 2009, at 1:30 pm Pacific time. All people of good will across the country are invited to join in a torrent of prayer and fasting that God will spare him from a likely sentence of two years and \$4,000 that he is facing.

The only "crime" Pastor Hoye is guilty of committing is bringing Christ's love and truth to women so desperate that they are considering aborting their children – formed in their womb in their own image and that of a loving God.

Hoye freely admits to carrying a sign reading "Jesus Loves You! Let Us Help!" And offering women information about alternatives to abortion. Videos taken at the time prove that he did not approach anybody in a hostile or threatening manner. On the contrary, he was repeatedly harassed by abortion clinic escorts who tried to block any view of his sign with signs of their own at least 20% bigger.

If he is sentenced to jail tomorrow, he will be jailed for Jesus and for offering a hand of hope to women who had lost all hope of their own for a better life for themselves and their children.

It will be a grave violation of Pastor Hoye's civil and religious liberties guaranteed by the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution. It will compound the evil being done to the unborn who are being denied the blessings of liberty promised to them in the Preamble to the Constitution, and the right to life, liberty, and the pursuit happiness affirmed in the Declaration.

If Hoye goes to jail, it will be a call to all Americans who still believe in fundamental fairness and justice – values so often proclaimed by the liberal left and so often denied. For as long as he remains incarcerated, we will not rest in pleading his cause before the Throne of Justice of Almighty God.

As soon as we receive word of the outcome, we will email it to all on our list . . . calling for *Allelulia's* if he is spared . . . and a campaign of prayer and fasting that will last as long as Pastor Hoye is in jail.

Some have been reluctant to join in this effort, sitting on the sidelines

hoping that this case will simply go away. If the court relents on Thursday, they may be proven right. But they need to remember, as in the days of Nazi Germany, that first they came for the disabled and the handicapped, then for the insane and the homosexuals, and then for the Jews and for Christians who dared to protest. And then they came for us.

Right now, they are coming for this humble Black Pastor, Rev Walter Hoye. We appeal especially to pastors and bishops of other Christian faiths and laity of all faiths to stand with Pastor Hoye in his time of trial and struggle. If we lack the courage and the wisdom to stand with him now, they will surely come for us next.

To join this campaign, email us today at mba4life@aol.com. Include your name and town with the message: "Free Pastor Hoye!" Meanwhile, we are preparing an open letter to President Barack Obama that will be distributed as widely as possible if Pastor Hoye goes to jail. We will not rest until Walter Hoye walks free!

Yours in Christ,

Dennis Howard, President

MovementforaBetterAmerica.org

To donate, to find links to his legal defense foundation, and to access videos of Hoye witnessing in front of Oakland Planned Parenthood, go to: <http://www.issues4life.org>

"Letters from a California Courtroom" by Pastor Hoye may be downloaded from:

<http://www.movementforabetteramerica.org/images/LettersCaliforniaCourtroom.pdf>

To learn more about the Movement for a Better America's Campaign for Life, go to: <http://www.movementforabetteramerica.org>

To join the Campaign, go to:

http://www.movementforabetteramerica.org/images/AbortionBoom_2009.pdf