



LTI

LIFE TRAINING INSTITUTE

Persuasively Communicating the Pro-Life Message

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Dear Friend,

“Forward men, forward!”

Seconds later, Union general John Reynolds lay dead at Gettysburg. But not before positioning his men perfectly for the fight ahead.



I’ve stood on the spot where Reynolds died. There’s no sense of defeat there. Indeed, “forward” sums up perfectly his mindset and that of his men. Known as the “Blackhats” or “Iron Brigade,” they never ran from a fight even when other federal units were long gone. Long odds didn’t signal defeat, but a chance to take the fight to the enemy when he least expected it.

Here at LTI we think the same way. While pro-life groups everywhere faced long odds and some scaled back, your support made it possible for us to push forward and keep in the fight.

- While pro-lifers understandably despaired after Congress approved health care legislation permitting abortion, the very next day we spoke to 1,200 high school students and 900 adults in Miami and Fort Lauderdale. We did the same for thousands of other students nationwide in 2010.
- While crushing economic conditions stalled many pro-life groups, we added three new staff members to increase our ministry footprint and position us for future growth. Jay Watts, Megan Almon, and Michael Spencer are all courageously engaging the fight.
- While many churches continue running from the abortion issue, we took our pro-life training to those that need it most: students at Protestant and Catholic high schools. And we weren’t content to stop there. Thanks to you, we also taught a graduate-level bioethics course for M.A. students at Biola University.
- While some pro-life pregnancy centers slashed budgets and dropped outreaches to local schools, we expanded our horizons by going international. We sent Bob Perry of our speaking team to Korea so thousands of students in that nation could hear pro-life content.

Since 2003 when we first conceived of LTI, God's graciously allowed us to reach 292,000 people (124,000 youth, 168,000 adults) through live presentations and an estimated 30,000,000 through national media. Meanwhile, we've had 2,300,000 unique visitors to our website and, thanks to Summit Ministries, 60,000+ students viewing our pro-life training via DVD presentations (shown at Summit camps and Christian schools).

In short, we're sporting black hats. You can count on us staying put no matter how heavy the fire. Event after event, God fights for us. The glory is all His.

He strengthens us through you. LTI is at a crucial point. For seven years, we've faithfully equipped pro-life students with a skeleton staff. Now we have new team members and need your help deploying them. Your prayers and financial support make all the difference in the world! Please give generously this year-end so that we may continue our advance into 2011.

With Gratitude,



Scott Klusendorf

P.S. You can give online at https://www.ProLifeTraining.com/donate_general.asp

Speaking Schedule (schools to be added)

National Radio Broadcast

December 20 (Monday), 4:05 p.m., Sound Rezn (radio ministry of Southern Evangelical Seminary),

Bethesda (Washington DC), Maryland

January 23 (Sunday), Students for Life of America Conference

National Radio Broadcast

January (tbd), For Faith and Family with Richard Land, www.faihandfamily.com/radio

Decatur, Texas

February 17 (Thursday), Banquet, Wise Choices Pregnancy Resource Center

Marianna, Florida

February 22 (Tuesday), Banquet, A Women's Pregnancy Center

Lodi, California

March 17 (Thursday), Chapel, Jim Elliot Christian High School

Santa Cruz, California

March 18 (Friday), Banquet, Pregnancy Resource Center

Frederick, Maryland

March 25 (Friday), Banquet, Care Net Pregnancy Center

Lakeland, Florida

April 5 (Tuesday), Banquet, A Woman's Choice

Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

April 14 (Thursday), Banquet, Morning Star Pregnancy Services