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## THOUGHTS FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Connie Bancroft

*"From the lips of children and infants you have ordained praise"*  
-Psalm 8:2

## Out of the Mouths of Children

Recently, I read an article on the Internet that touched my heart. It is another indication that the younger generation is becoming more pro-life. I want to share a portion of that article with you so that we may be challenged to be that daily voice for life throughout the world! (Source: Andrusko, Dave, Washington DC., LifeNews.com, January 29, 2013; Note: Dave Andrusko is also the editor of National Right to Life News.)

Over the weekend of January 25-27, 2013, National Right to Life received by email a letter Alexander G had written to President Obama. Alexander is 7 years old and had a message he wanted the President to receive. His mother wrote the following:

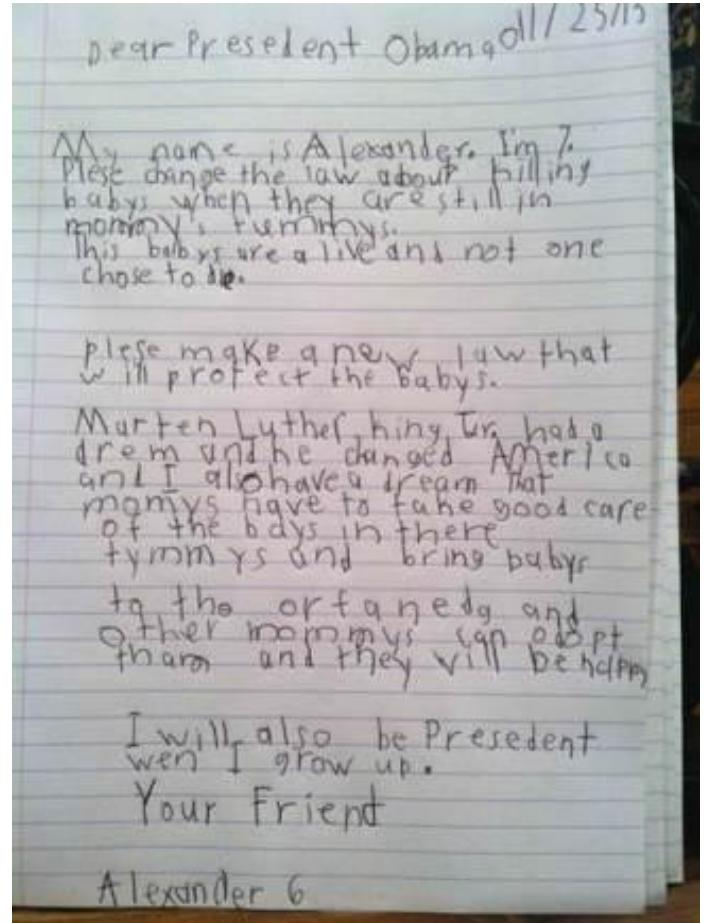
*Good morning,*

*My 7 year old son was inspired to write a letter to the President requesting "to make a new law that will protect the babies." I can only imagine the amount of correspondence you are receiving daily; however, with my wonderful and hopeful boy standing right behind me at the moment, I am humbly asking you to please read the attached letter. My son is only 7 and his voice is not yet loud, but he has a dream, a belief and a heart to become the next generation of brave men and women set to defend everyone's – born or unborn – right to life.*

*Sincerely,*

*Mariane G.*

*In case you can't make out what Alexander wrote, here is it, exactly as written.*



Dear President Obama

*My name is Alexander. I'm 7. Please change the law about killing babys when they are still in mommy's tummies.*

*This babys are a live and not one chose to die.*

*Please make a new law that will protect the babys.*

*Marten Luther King, Jr. had a drem and he changed America and I also have a dream that Momys have to take good care of the babys in there tummies and bring babys to the orfanedg and other mommys can adopt them and they will be happy.*

*I will also be Presedent wen I grow up.*

*Your Friend*

*Alexander G.*

## TEACHERS SAVING CHILDREN® MEMBERS YOUR VOICE IN REACHING THE YOUNGER GENERATION

John Saxe



Recently, Judy Bruns, John Gordon, and I had the wonderful privilege of attending the national “Students for Life of America” conference which was held on Saturday, January 25 in Rockville, Maryland. We did not just attend – we were there to represent Teachers Saving Children® Inc. – National – by having a display, interacting with students and others, as well as answering pertinent questions regarding the role which educators play as voices for the pre-born in today’s society.

Words cannot adequately describe the reception which we received; the response was overwhelming! Throughout the conference, “The Wonder of Life” exhibit was the focal point for countless discussions with high school and college students who are passionate about abolishing abortion. At times, there were so many interested students that we had to “divvy-up” these young people between us (and in so doing, focus on particular concerns/questions).

As a result of these moments spent, we have been asked to come to various colleges/universities and present the niche which Teachers Saving Children® plays in the overall fight for life. We have been asked to come and further share the range of possibilities for educators-to-be as they embark upon their life of teaching and service. We have been asked to come alongside those who have a zeal and vision to accomplish much on behalf of those with no voice. The days which lie ahead are some of the most exciting yet for Teachers Saving Children®! Thank you for being an integral part through your financial support, your participation – and most of all, your intercession. We are indeed grateful! Furthermore, we are looking forward to future networking with students (and others) as a result of this conference and others to come.



**Editor's Note:** John Saxe is currently teaching 4<sup>th</sup> grade in the Newark City School District (OH). He has been an at-large member of the Teachers Saving Children® Board of Trustees member for 14 years.

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### “EDUCATIONAL OUTREACH UPDATE”

“Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. Test me in this,” says the Lord Almighty, “and see if I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that you will not have room enough for it.”  
*-Malachi 3:10*

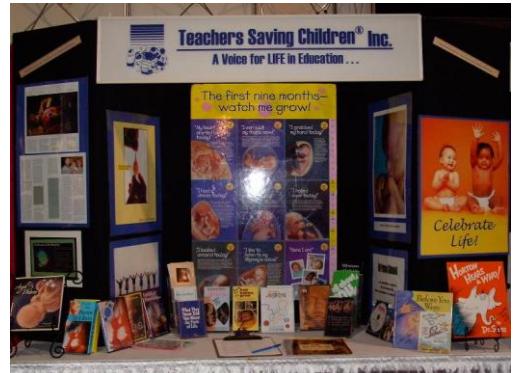
*In mid-December, each member along with our special complimentary partners received a letter outlining our 2013 educational outreach endeavors and the current funding needs. At that time we needed roughly \$1500 to cover expenses which were due by February 1, 2013.*

*Praise God as He literally poured out His blessings through your gifts. As of January 31<sup>st</sup> we have received \$4265! THANK YOU!*

*We were able to submit the balance towards the NEA Expo Exhibit and will be able to pay the remaining expenses for the Students for Life of America Conference Exhibit.*

*The remaining balance of approximately \$3000 will be used as follows: \$1000 will be set aside to be used towards the NEA Expo Exhibit miscellaneous items which will be purchased in May; \$2000 will be used towards materials that will be distributed during the NEA Expo.*

*This year we will need some funds for lodging and travel expenses for at least two volunteers to attend the NEA Expo. At the present time the amount needed is not known as we will be researching ways to keep costs as low as possible.*



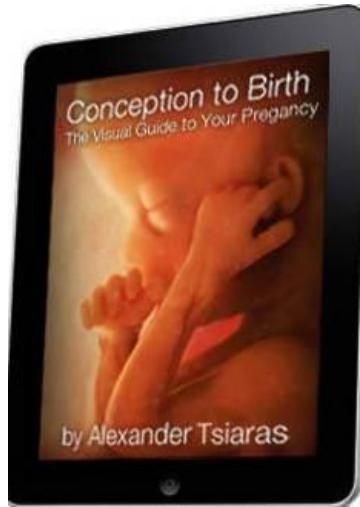
We rely on the goodness of God and His people to raise the money needed for these effective pro-life educational outreach ministries. Through your giving of \$5, \$10, \$20, or more, the Lord continues to miraculously provide the needed finances, and for that provision we are grateful. Thank you for your partnership! (Philippians 1:3-6).

**Note:** Please make checks payable to “TSC Inc. – National”. Carefully note how the amount given is to be designated (“Educational Outreach”) so that the contribution will be appropriately allocated. As a tax-exempt organization approved under Section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code, contributions received are NOT tax deductible.

## A BEAUTIFUL LOOK AT LIFE IN THE WOMB

Thanks to advances made in technology, viewing life in the womb from conception to birth can now be seen. Author Alexander Tsiaras has recently launched the book *Conception to Birth: The Visual Guide to Your Pregnancy* which is available for download on your iPad with iBooks or on your computer with iTunes.

What does the developing embryo and fetus look like at 6 days after conception, at 6 weeks, and at 6 months? What does the embryonic heart look like when it starts beating just 21 days after conception? In vivid detail, this iBook reveals the answers to all these questions and more through highly detailed 4D animations derived from microMRI and other imaging techniques. Images can be examined close-up and layers of embryonic and fetal anatomy are represented. Thoroughly researched text gives details of each stage of development.



This interactive iBook format tracks the development of a baby from the moment of conception through the various stages of development in the womb to the amazing joy of birth. A wonderful resource for pro-life educational environments.

For more information, visit [www.TheVisualMD.com](http://www.TheVisualMD.com) which was the source of the summary given above.

## TOP 10 PRO-LIFE, PRO-DEATH STATES

Americans United for Life has released its annual “Life List” which commends some states in their strides to protect life and to challenge others to increase legislation protecting the preborn.

Winning *top pro-life honors* this year, is Louisiana followed by Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Arkansas, Arizona, Nebraska, Indiana, Missouri, Georgia, and Virginia.

The worst state ranking at #1 as the *most pro-death* state is Washington State, which has claimed this position for the fourth straight year. States right behind Washington State as being the worst offenders against human life are California, New York, Vermont, New Jersey, Connecticut, Oregon, Maryland, Hawaii, and Montana.

For the complete article and a complete listing, go to Americans United for Life ([www.aul.org](http://www.aul.org)).

**Source:** Haverluck, Michael F., “Top 10 pro-life, pro-death states unveiled,” OneNewNow.com, Thursday, January 24, 2013.

## 40<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF ABORTION-ON-DEMAND

While the inauguration festivities dominated the news in late January, pro-lifers awoke on January 22, 2013 remembering that 40 years ago America was inaugurating a new era of abortion-on-demand. The Supreme Court decision of Roe v Wade and Doe v Bolton has led to the largest loss of life in human history. A generation and over 55 million abortions later, the debate is still as fierce as it was then.

For four decades, families have traveled many miles of wintry highways in the hope that their annual trips to Washington DC will make a difference. In the face of the most aggressive, pro-abortion administration in history, more Americans are rallying to the defense of the preborn as this year record numbers of people – hundreds of thousands – gathered on the Washington Mall and marched up Constitution Avenue to the Supreme Court building to once again speak up for the voice of the preborn.

*According to a Gallup poll, the number of people who identify themselves as “pro-choice” is at its lowest point ever: 41%, a 10-percent drop in the past five years. [Recently,] a Marist poll confirmed what state leaders have already recognized: 83% of Americans support significant restrictions on abortion, 60% believe it to be morally wrong, and just 11% feel, as President Obama does, that abortion should be allowed for any reason, at any time. (Source: “There Is Life after 40”)*

At the recent March for Life, there were signs that read “We are the Pro-Life Generation.” Thousands of young people marched that day with the strong message of the younger generation – we are prolific. These young people are choosing LIFE. May their testimony of life make such an impact that our nation will also choose LIFE.

*“This day I call heaven and earth as witnesses against you that I have set before you life and death, blessings, and curses. Now choose life, so that you and your children may live and that you may love the Lord your God, listen to His voice, and hold fast to Him. For the Lord is your life...”*

-Deuteronomy 30:19-20a

**Sources:** “There is Life after 40”, January 22, 2013 & “Life Begins at 40”, January 25, 2013, [Washington Update](http://WashingtonUpdate.com), Family Research Council.



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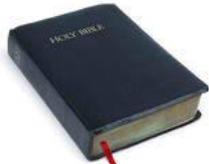
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### TOP TEN CERTAIN PREDICTIONS FOR 2013...

With all the fears being expressed about the direction of our great country, we can be comforted by the following predictions:

1. The Bible will still have all the answers.
2. Prayer will still be the most powerful thing on Earth.
3. The Holy Spirit will still move.
4. God will still honor the praises of His people.
5. There will still be God-anointed preaching.
6. There will still be singing of praise to God.
7. God will still pour out blessings upon His people.
8. The ground will still be level at the foot of the Cross.
9. Jesus will still love you.
10. Jesus will still save the lost when they come to Him.



It is a great daily reminder to remember Who is really in control and that "the Word of the Lord endures forever." (I Peter 1:25a NKJV).

Source: Word for the World 2012 Year End Letter, Earl Bailey Ministries in Evangelism Inc., Canton OH

### NEA CONVENTION 2013

The 2013 NEA Representative Assembly will be held in Atlanta GA from July 1-6. If you have remained a member of the NEA, it is vital that you know who will be casting your vote at the NEA Representative Assembly. All delegates are selected by their colleagues in the local and state affiliates to represent their views at the assembly. If you are interested in being a delegate, check with your local president. It might not be too late to run for that position. Most importantly, watch those local memos and newsletters carefully for NEA delegate election information. Many elections will be taking place between now and mid-March. Pro-life, pro-family educators will only be represented when those who have decided to remain union members take the time to run as delegates or find out the positions of the delegate candidates – and then **VOTE!** Remember – they are your representatives!

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