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Notre Dame Prof: I Think Obama Will Do More For Pro-Life Cause Than Any President In History!

Posted by: [Greg Hengler](#) at 2:54 PM

Professor of Sociology at Notre Dame (Richard Williams), responds to FOX News contributor, Father Jonathan Morris, who predicts what Obama will say during his speech. Father Morris says Obama is thinking of 2012 and wants to split the Catholic vote. In other words, Obama will do what he normally does when speaking about abortion: pander to both sides (i.e., he will dance a very fine line). We will see if Father Morris' prediction comes true...



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Frank writes: Sunday, May, 17, 2009 3:09 PM

TOO FUNNY

this is not working out the way you conservativess planned it; seems that obama has gotten the better of you again as standing ovation after standing ovation goes out all over the world's media.

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Diane writes: Sunday, May, 17, 2009 3:18 PM

Notre Dame

These guys have probably shot themselves in the foot. They depend on alumni for support. I think that some of the support may be very slow to come after today.

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Frank writes: Sunday, May, 17, 2009 3:27 PM

nope diane

their endowment is quite substantial as they are not funded by the "working man."

They will be around long after you are gone and forgotten.

GO NOTRE DAME!

GO FIGHTING IRISH!

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Marty writes: Sunday, May, 17, 2009 3:44 PM

Frank: Notre Dame is losing about \$14M

Notre Dame is funded by the working man...the working man is pro-life and conservative and its been reported that working men are going to keep \$14M not give it to Norte Dame.

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The Corrupted Lamb writes: Sunday, May, 17, 2009 3:49 PM

I support Obama!

All the way to the edge!

"Here lies a tumbled god,
his fall was not a small one!
We did but build a pedestal,
a narrow and a tall one!"

-- Frank Herbert

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Tea Party writes: Sunday, May, 17, 2009 3:50 PM

Frank

Gloat if you will but as the old saying goes,
"there's none so blind as those who will not see."
I agree with Fr. Morris, the evil O is campaigning for 2012, in fact he's never not campaigned. We watched some of the ceremony, and the nauseating kiss up intro by Jenkins..
Joshua said to the Israelites..Choose ye this day whom ye will serve..as for me and my house we will serve the Lord." Fr. Jenkins chose to follow a man instead of God, as did many others who approve of this person occupying the White House. Those of us who know, whether we are protestant or Catholic, who know what GOD says know that sooner of later GOD will require a stand for Him. When ancient Israel went after false gods and sacrificed their children to them (and make no mistake, abortion is child sacrifice for many of the same reasons the ancients made their children "walk through the fire.") GOD caused all kinds of grief to come upon them..and we are no different..we are already on the cusp of His judgement..hang on, it's gonna get worse til we repent as a nation.

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vicky writes: Sunday, May, 17, 2009 3:54 PM

'O' plays both ends from the middle!

Burns the candle at both ends. Yes, Pres., Obama wants to have it both ways. While he talks remorseful, on the abortion issue, his actions belie his words. Quote, "I don't want to punish the girls with a baby who want an abortion" and he easily signs a bill that allows an aborted vulnerable live birth to slowly suffer and die alone! What kind of leadership is that to set a Pro Choice agenda, knowing how heart breaking and offensive it is to true christians who follow the teaching of their Lord, Jesus Christ. Further, shame on the N.D Univ., leaders who would so honor a President who stands against the Catholic doctrine, faith and practice on the crucial right to life issue! Shallow hypocrites to say the least, Amen

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Frank writes: Sunday, May, 17, 2009 3:55 PM

loved it when the audience

booed the hecklers!

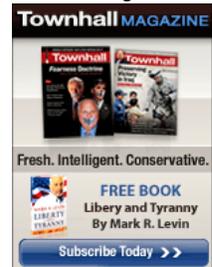


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Diane writes: Sunday, May, 17, 2009 4:08 PM

Wrong Frank

University funding comes primarily from those who become successful after graduation. Two problems now for Notre Dame. First under the financial guidelines Obama is proposing many of those will not be able to be so successful in the future. Also many who currently give are offended. Most of the money comes from the working man. Marty is quite right. I predict they will lose millions of future donations. I guess Obama could probably pass some stimulus for them as well.

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breadnaught writes: Sunday, May, 17, 2009 4:29 PM

They gave him an A, not an O

Obammy gets an A for abortion.

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Frank writes: Sunday, May, 17, 2009 4:35 PM

diane

yeah, you and marty just keep telling yourselves that!

Chuckle!

Obama hit a home run and now you people are running mad!

This is too funny.

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Tea Party writes: Sunday, May, 17, 2009 4:48 PM

Wow

Frank,, you really are a ghoul aren't you..do you feed on the blood of the unborn? There's nothing funny about torturing and executing the smallest American citizens.

Remember this, Hitler began with the unborn, graduated to the "useless eaters"..those were the disabled and mentally challenged and the elderly..then he got around to the Jews, and then Christians who resisted his tyranny. O did I mention that among the 'useless eaters' were the homosexuals?

Do you think you are safe? No one is safe when there is a person occupying the White House that has a messiah complex and doesn't like to be resisted. O his words were syrupy and smooth but they were empty lies..he has NO intention of 'common ground' on anything in his agenda. So chuckle away, Frankie..history has been known to repeat itself.

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DIAMOND Z writes: Sunday, May, 17, 2009 5:41 PM

professor wierd o rama????

the nutty professor,how can barry do more for pro life.look at his voting record professor.my gosh.

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rachel writes: Sunday, May, 17, 2009 6:24 PM

Diane

I think ND hypocrites will not be missed for a second. They can keep their freaking cash because what I've read is that the monied alums who were against the carping idiots stepped up their donations on the grounds that Obama be allowed to speak and honored. Frankly, as with the rest of the rightwing thuggery, everyone is telling you to PLEASE! Take your ball and bat and GO HOME. We don't WANT your steenking money!! Hahahahahahah..haha..ha..ha.....oh crikey! I love it when wingnuts are played for the fools that they are!

By arch

PIDDLE taxing!

Re: **Obama: 'We're Out Of Money.' Let's Nationalize Healthcare**

By B2slim

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Bill writes: Sunday, May, 17, 2009 7:21 PM

Notre Dame

The next few years will be interesting for ND (and other "Catholic Colleges"). The President and Congress may raise taxes on the rich and limit their ability to donate to things such as colleges. Also if the President and Congress' economic plans don't work, there will be less rich to tax and contribute. Many Catholic Parents may become reluctant to spend the amount of money needed for ND. This has exposed a lot of ignorance on people concerning ND's very limited association with the Catholic Church: Catholic for fund raising purposes only. Many people were not aware of what ND holds most important: \$\$\$.

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sloandog writes: Sunday, May, 17, 2009 7:54 PM

That was a professor?

I thought it was Chris Matthews!He needs to get a room with Obama.Tingle,tingle.

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Julie writes: Sunday, May, 17, 2009 8:48 PM

Ugh

I can't fathom how anyone could say the words "pro-life" and "President Obama" in the same sentence.

This is the most ridiculous thing yet in this campaign. Oops, I meant presidency. Same thing.

Keep up the insults, Rachel. Your hatefulness is just an unsuccessful tactic...

http://www.americanthinker.com/2009/05/defeating_political_ridicule.html

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BK writes: Monday, May, 18, 2009 7:51 AM

I thought

Obama was supposed to be a uniter. He needed to pass on the invite to speak at a place where his ideology doesn't fit. Be like the Klan speaking at a NAACP meeting.

The country is more divided now than ever before. BO needs to realize that there is more responsibility as a POTUS than to fulfill his own personal status.

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Diane writes: Monday, May, 18, 2009 8:11 AM

Wrech and Frank

You two are really stupid. Notre Dame will be turning upside down to make excuses as to why they made this stupid move. Every University is no more than the money they can accumulate. Alumni are their main source of funds. I would bet that the development office at ND is working hard this morning. Remember it is not this young group of fawners that will fund them over the next few years it is those who have been out in the real world.

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BK writes: Monday, May, 18, 2009 8:55 AM

Diane

14 million dollars was pulled in just two weeks.

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Diane writes: Monday, May, 18, 2009 9:13 AM

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BK

Knowing how university fund raising works you can bet ND will be working hard to turn this around. I am not surprised that 14 million has been pulled already. I am sure that there will be more lost. Personally I think that this was a big mistake on the part of ND. I believe as Obama's policies fail, we continue to have severe financial problems and his foreign policy does not produce the big group hug that Obama expects people will realize that he was not equipped to be president. Over time as the fawning for Obama turns into reality this decision will hurt them even more.

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BK writes: Monday, May, 18, 2009 9:30 AM

Diane writes

Over time as the fawning for Obama turns into reality this decision will hurt them even more.

Let's hope there will be something left other than another Banana Republic!

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JPK writes: Monday, May, 18, 2009 9:36 AM

Frank

Yes, Notre Dame enjoys a \$6 billion endowment (pales when compared against Harvard's \$29 billion). But, in a few days most people will forget the President's speech. But, few will forget the disobedience of Notre Dame and its President Fr Jenkins. For almost 50 years, Notre Dame has stood above the culture wars and was a Catholic beacon to an otherwise partisan nation. It's identity was (in most people's eyes) Catholic. This identity served them well, both within the Church and from a monetary stand point. Both Hetrodox and Orthodox Catholic families sent their children to Notre Dame, because Notre Dame was different.

Not anymore. Notre Dame now joins Georgetown, Xavier, Gonzaga, Depaul, St Johns, St Louis Univ, Marquette, and San Francisco Univ, has schools that put politics and politcal action first. I live near ND and have seen what Fr Jenkins has wrought since 2005. His allowance of the V-monolgues, as well as the Gay Film Festival shows where Fr Jenkins heart is at. His disobedience in the Obama honors visit indicate how far he is willing to go in order to catch up to Georgetown and Marquette.

No, Notre Dame will not suddenly disappear, but something changed forever. And people realize that. Notre Dame is no longer unique. There will be little Notre Dame can offer a student when compared to other Catholic universities. It will be just another POS school that charges \$50,000 a year tuition. As the older alumni die off (those whose loyalties to ND run very very deep), they will be replaced by a more activist alumni who now know they can make ND dance to thier tune.

BTW, money isn't everything. And niether is politics. The standing ovation yesterday was done over the bodies of 40 million dead babies. Notre Dame can now count themselves among those who participate in the murder of the unborn.

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Diane writes: Monday, May, 18, 2009 9:46 AM

JPK

Excellent post. I am sorry to say the likes of Frank will not understand what you have said.

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