

Call for Moral Decency

WHEREAS moral degeneracy runs like a rampaging river through the land, spreading its diabolical corruption; and

WHEREAS mind-destroying, body-emaciating alcoholism is on the rise, with 9 million confirmed alcoholics; and

WHEREAS the fast-moving drug traffic is enslaving millions of our youth; and

WHEREAS evolution, which is accepted in many places as fact when it is only an unfounded theory, is a brazen attack upon God as the Creator of all things; and

WHEREAS crime is increasing faster than our population; and

WHEREAS political corruption, with many bribe-taking lawmakers caught red-handed with indisputable evidence, is an overt violation of the principles of honesty and good government; and

WHEREAS test tube babies are a flagrant mockery of God's will for the family; and

WHEREAS the genetic bank of Nobel prize winners in California will surely backfire upon man as he seeks to populate the world with super-smart sinners; and

WHEREAS abortion is national and social murder of the helpless unborn who are denied the right to life as God has ordained in procreation; and

WHEREAS homosexuality is a wicked effrontery to normal sexual relations, which has the inevitable curse of God upon it in the Scriptures (Romans 1:27); and

WHEREAS political expediency breeds corruption as our leaders fail to realize that "righteousness exalteth a nation: but sin is a reproach to any people" (Proverbs 14:34); and

WHEREAS profanity in public places and over the media has become commonplace, notwithstanding God has said, "Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain; for the Lord will not hold him guiltless that taketh his name in vain" (Exodus 20:7); and

WHEREAS Satan's church, with the use of false doctrine and witchcraft, is deluding the minds of many people in America and throughout the world; and

WHEREAS divorce, trial marriages, communal living, widespread rejection of wedding vows and responsibilities, are a rejection of the laws of God and an assault upon the foundation of our national existence;

BE IT RESOLVED that we, the messengers of the General Association of Regular Baptist Churches in regular business session at the 51st Annual Conference, Denver, Colorado, June 21–25, 1982, go on record as issuing a clarion call to every reasonable person for God-fearing morality and uprightness in this crisis time of confusion.

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