

WHY CHRISTIANS SUPPORTED DONALD TRUMP

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This is a post I've wanted to make for a while. As with most reluctant supporters of President Trump, I was driven to defend him because I recognized the evil aligned against him, not because I liked him. Then, over the course of his presidency, he grew into the unlikely champion of people with a Biblical worldview. So here goes:

(When I say "**Christians**" I am speaking of **those who have recognized the lies of the media**, have turned off the poison, and have found reliable and substantiated sources of truth. This is most Christians.)

1. Because he defended religious freedoms. The Obama administration was openly anti-Christian and brought the militant moral revolution to the doorstep of the church. We worshipped in fear of the openly perverse suing us for preaching Biblical truth, while the Obama administration promised to support them. The Trump administration reestablished the constitutional freedoms of the church and **celebrated the importance of our Judeo-Christian culture.**

2. Because he fought against the horrors of the abortion holocaust. Trump was the first president to speak at a march-for-life rally. He worked to defund the Democrat Party fund-raising proxy / abortion-mill known un-ironically as "Planned Parenthood." He nominated reputable judges to the supreme court that recognized the unconstitutional basis of Roe-V-Wade. He injected hope into the conservative fight against the injustice of abortion.

3. Because he fought for religious freedom around the world. Oppressive nations of the world were put on notice by this central American value, that people have the right to worship peacefully according to the dictates of their hearts. Prisoners were released and missionaries were freed as American diplomats like Mike Pompeo applied the pressure of American relations to defend religious freedoms.

4. Because he supported Israel like no president before him. Every president in modern history promised to recognize Jerusalem as the capital city, embracing the reality that Israel had valid claims to the land that it has inhabited for thousands of years. Trump fulfilled his promise, despite the hysteria of the establishment foreign policy wonks. This was the first of a pattern of loyalty positions taken by the Trump administration.

5. Because he negotiated unprecedented peace deals in the middle east. Christian care about world peace, and cannot support terrorist states. By taking a hard stance against Iran, the largest exporter of terrorism in the world, and by standing with Israel, the Trump administration did what the previous administration had said was unequivocally impossible. They brokered peace deals between the Arab world and Israel.

6. Because he prioritized peace and avoided war. He was the first president in modern history to not start a new war. This was in the context of an extremely volatile world, aggravated by the most incompetent foreign policy in decades over the previous eight years. While maintaining the projection of power, he was determined to bring soldiers home. We have seen our sons and daughters return from the desert carrying their flag instead of covered by it.

7. Because he reached out to minority communities with real solutions. While the media and the Democrats projected racism onto Trump, he went to work, helping minority communities. He worked, not to enslave them with paternalist programs, but to offer them the real and abiding freedom of equality and employment. The results were astounding and record-breaking. He treated them as equals, and exposed and terrified the Democrat oppression machine.

8. Because of the "America First" Policy. This means that he prioritized the country over which he was president above nations who sought the destruction of his country. It is an essentially Christian principle to fulfill one's responsibility. For too long we have suffered under leadership that only sought to garner personal favor on the world stage instead of serve his country. The world needs a strong and prosperous America, so that we can be the most generous country.

9. Because he called out the duplicitous political machine of a biased media. They have slandered every Republican president in recent history. Our candidates have all been called racists and Nazis. To be honest, I have always felt that they showed class and statesmanship. When Trump called out the

Democrats on their lies, they went apoplectic, which was entertaining, but something else convinced me that this was the right tactic. I saw Christians falling for these lies and being led astray from a Biblical worldview. That is not a price I'm willing to pay for civility.

10. Because he established security at our borders and decimated the human trafficking industry that had so flourished under the previous administration. The Trump administration inherited a disaster on our southern border. Under the Obama administration human traffickers were renting children to adults as border passes, many being used multiple times. The influx of children on the border resulted in the kids in cages that the media pretended were during the Trump administration. It wasn't without hiccups, but after a few months the sordid mess began to clean up. The involvement of the Mexican government was an amazing accomplishment, and the result was a reinvigorated legal immigration system, and that is what Christians want to see.

The fact is, there is so much more. It is hard to quantify all that has been accomplished over the last four years, but here's a start.

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