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SCOTT LIVELY  
GOVERNOR OF  
MASSACHUSETTS  
NOVEMBER 4, 2014**

# SCOTT LIVELY

For Governor of Massachusetts 2014

## FAITH, FAMILY AND FREEDOM

### PRINCIPLES

#### BEFORE POLITICS

The statement of Independent Candidate Scott Lively in his initial press release, September 30, 2013

After long contemplation and prayer I am convinced that I should run for Governor of Massachusetts. I will run as an independent.

The people of Massachusetts need a candidate who can clearly and unapologetically articulate Biblical values without fear or compromise.

They need a candidate who will tell the simple truth that abortion is murder, and homosexuality is condemned by God (but that Jesus forgives and heals those who repent).

That parents and not the state have authority over their children, because government is our servant and not our master.

That socialism is slavery and humanism breeds corruption.

But mostly they need a leader who will remind the people that Massachusetts was founded upon Jesus Christ and the Bible and that

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These are very dark days in Massachusetts and across America, and growing steadily darker. I believe it is time for Christians with a strong Biblical worldview to rise up and preach the whole truth of the Bible as widely and boldly as possible.

Massachusetts is the bluest of the blue states: the first to adopt socialized medicine and "gay marriage," the national model for promoting homosexuality to children in the public schools, and the most aggressive defender of child-killing through abortion.

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### VALUES-DRIVEN LEADERSHIP

#### Seven Foundational Beliefs:

1. The God of the Bible is the Sovereign Creator of the Universe, and His Son, Jesus Christ is the Savior of all who put their trust in Him.

2. The most valuable of God's gifts is LIFE. No one willing to allow innocent unborn babies to be killed is fit for public office.

3. Family is God's system for providing human happiness and blessing. It is the duty of every society to protect and strengthen the natural family, and to discourage all sexual unions outside of authentic marriage, while preserving basic civil rights for those who choose to live discreetly outside of the mainstream.

4. The United States Constitution and the Declaration of Independence are works of special genius and we must re-align our laws to follow their original intent.

5. The greatest threat to our state and nation is the Godless ideology of Cultural Marxism, better known as the "progressive" movement, which now controls our media, educational systems, and the "elites" of both major political parties.

6. Many of our worst social problems arise from rejecting the natural in favor of the unnatural, and giving up self-sufficiency in favor of government and corporate controls.

7. The solution to our problems is a return to the standard of the Bible. When we follow God's instructions we get good results. When we reject His instructions we get bad results. The truth of this observation has been painfully proven by our own state and national history over the past 60 years.

**BLESSED IS THE NATION WHOSE GOD IS THE LORD**

Psalm 33:12



### A HIGHER STANDARD

#### TRUE SOCIAL JUSTICE:

- A. Stop all public funding of abortion, homosexuality and other harmful conduct.
- B. Use that money to fund micro-financing and business start-ups to lift inner city families out of government dependency.

#### EDUCATION REFORM:

- Reject Marxist Common Core
- De-sexualize the public school culture
- Restore respect for traditional values

#### COMMUNITY STRENGTHENING:

- De-regulate small business
- Incentivize family farming
- Shift power to local control where feasible

#### GOVERNMENT REFORM:

- Mandate citizen oversight of govt. contracts
- Enforce immigration laws
- Streamline govt. to lower taxes

#### ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION:

- Require GMO labeling and taxation
- Reject Agenda 21
- Protect honey bees

#### CONSTITUTION REAFFIRMATION:

- Prioritize 1<sup>st</sup> Amdmt over Sex Orientation
- Protect 2<sup>nd</sup> Amendment rights
- Restore due process to family law

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The Mass Republican Party is solidly controlled by moderate to liberal anti-family RINOS and the Democrat leaders are virtual socialists. They both embrace and champion the culture of death. With these two liberal parties splitting the liberal vote, a true conservative independent could win the governorship.

I feel both called and well prepared to meet this challenge. I am a fifth-generation native, born and raised in the Village of Shelburne Falls, with roots in the region going back to the early 1600s.

I am a former left-wing liberal, who has learned by hard experience the folly of those ways.

I am a constitutional lawyer and internationally-recognized authority on family and human rights issues from a Christian perspective.

I have run my own successful businesses and know how to keep a budget.

I am a missionary pastor with a doctorate in theology who for the past five years has founded and run an inner-city mission serving the poor and disadvantaged -- a mission that is a model of racial harmony and community service -- without accepting a dime of government funding.

My personal life theme of "redemption theology" is clearly reflected in all of my endeavors, and exactly what Massachusetts needs to recover from four decades of decline under Godless socialism.

As a long-time favorite target of extreme "gay" and leftist slander I have skin thicker than a rhinoceros and cannot be intimidated or manipulated by critics or the media.

As someone who voluntarily gave up a lucrative and growing law practice in preference for a non-materialistic missionary lifestyle, I cannot be corrupted by money or big-spending lobbyists.

As a church and university lecturer and government consultant on family issues and human rights with service in more than 30 countries, I interact comfortably with leaders from widely diverse backgrounds and cultures, and can draw from a deep reservoir of personal experience for problem-solving. As an author of five books and veteran of more than 700 radio and television interviews, I know how to communicate effectively.

As the founder and lead attorney of the Christian Mediation Center I know how to bring hostile opposing parties to a mutually agreeable compromise. These are all valuable skills that a chief executive must possess.

I am not a politician and will not become one to run for office. I will conduct no polling. I will not lie about my positions to earn votes I don't deserve.

I will plainly say what I believe and what I would do as governor. On the many issues on which I do not have a strong opinion I will say so, and yield to the views that seem most beneficial to the state.

# QUALIFIED

## MASSACHUSETTS NATIVE

- Fifth generation native, born and raised in the Village of Shelburne Falls, with family roots in the region from the 1620s.

## KNOWLEDGE OF BUSINESS, MANAGEMENT AND LAW

- Managing Partner, Lively, Ackerman and Cowles Law Firm, 2004-2007, Temecula, California. Family Law. Perfect conduct record with the California State Bar.

## KNOWLEDGE OF THE CONSTITUTION

- Founder and President, The Pro-Family Law Center, Sacramento, CA. 1999-2007. Constitutional Law. State and Federal Litigation. Public advocacy.

## EXPERTISE IN SOLVING COMPLEX PROBLEMS

- Founder and President. The Christian Mediation Center, Sacramento, CA, 1999-2004. Alternative Dispute Resolution.

## UNAFRAID TO TACKLE CONTROVERSIAL ISSUES

- Founder and President, Abiding Truth Ministries, 1997-Present. International advocacy of Biblical values on family issues, with service in more than 30 countries.

## UNINTIMIDATED BY PRESSURE GROUPS AND HOSTILE MEDIA

- Survivor of 25 years of harassment by "gay" lobby and "progressive" news organizations. Has never retreated from unapologetic defense of pro-family principles despite character assassination, slander, lawsuits, hate mail, vandalism and death threats.

## DEVOTED TO PUBLIC SERVICE

- Founder and President, Redemption Gate Mission Society. 2008-Present. Inner-city mission church serving the homeless, mentally-ill, substance-addicted and other disadvantaged people in Springfield, MA.

## HIGHLY EDUCATED

- Degree of *Juris Doctor, Magna Cum Laude*, Trinity Law School, Santa Ana, California, 1999. Passed the toughest-in-the-nation California Bar Exam on the first attempt.
- Degree of Doctor of Theology, School of Bible Theology, San Jacinto, California, 2007. Doctoral thesis has been published as a textbook titled *Redeeming the Rainbow: A Christian Response to the "Gay" Agenda* (See [www.defendthefamily.com/rtr/](http://www.defendthefamily.com/rtr/)).
- *Certificate* of Human Rights, International Institute of Human Rights, Strasburg, France, 1997.
- Bachelor of Science, Management and Communications, Corban College, Salem, Oregon, 1995.



Pastor Scott Lively, in period costume, gives the invocation at the Tea Party Rally, July 4<sup>th</sup>, 2011 in the Boston Common. "Government is accountable to God."

## EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATOR

- Author of five books, including *The Pink Swastika: Homosexuality in the Nazi Party*
- Interviewed on more than 750 radio and television programs around the world
- Veteran university lecturer and conference speaker

## LIFE THEME SUITED TO THE TASK OF GOVERNING

- Overcame a traumatic childhood and 16-year addiction to alcohol and drugs (1986) to become a world-recognized authority on family values and human rights.
- Left a lucrative law practice to open a mission in inner-city Springfield, where he and his wife live and work to show by example the power of God to change lives.
- Specializes in applying Biblical wisdom to secular problems in every area of life.

## FOR NOTHING IS IMPOSSIBLE WITH GOD. Luke 1:37

Where my views differ from the majority on issues that are most important to me I will try to win the voters to my reasoning rather than pander to the majority.

I will not compromise my principles to win political office. I expect this approach will be appealing to a great many people.

I expect to often be asked by reporters what I think my prospects

are for winning this election. To this I reply that it would take a miracle from God for Scott Lively to become Governor of Massachusetts -- and I wouldn't want it any other way.

God should get the glory for any good thing that comes from this campaign. So don't expect me to campaign like a politician. I will do nothing more than travel the state to

offer what I believe are Biblical solutions to Massachusetts' many problems, and leave the rest to Almighty God.

May He Heal this Commonwealth.

Dr. Scott Lively  
Sept 30, 2013

# EXPERIENCED



Dr. Lively at Red Square in Moscow, on a recent trip to encourage Russian leaders to strengthen family values. The 2013 Russian law banning the promotion of non-traditional sexual lifestyles to children was in part inspired by Dr. Lively's 50-city speaking tour of the former Soviet Union in 2006-2007.



Dr. Lively is skilled at rallying good people to a good cause.



With his own hands, Dr. Lively transformed this abandoned inner-city house and grounds into a model home to set an example of "redemptive living." Wouldn't Massachusetts be well served by a Governor who seeks out and solves tough problems as a personal lifestyle? A man who "walks the walk" instead of just "talking the talk"?



**HE WHO IS FAITHFUL IN THE SMALL THINGS, WILL BE FAITHFUL IN THE LARGER THINGS.** Luke 16:10

## A WORLD-CLASS RESUME

From the centers of influence in countries as diverse as Russia, England, Lithuania and Uganda to the humblest homes in the world's poorest cities, Dr. Scott Lively has lived a life of service, on a global mission to make the world a better place in which to raise a family.

Inspired by hard-learned lessons from a childhood broken by a parent's mental illness and an adolescence and youth lost to drugs and alcohol, Dr. Lively knows what it means to be "disadvantaged" and how to offer real solutions to real people. For him, it's not just theory.

In his first career, Dr. Lively started as a minimally-skilled handy-man in Oregon, step-by-step over time creating his own building-trades collective of a over a dozen independent contractors offering "one call does it all" under the name Portland Handyman Service. He knows from twelve years personal experience the needs of Blue Collar workers, *and how to run an organization that puts people to work in their chosen field.*

In his second career, Dr. Lively became a Christian social activist and community organizer, working to stop the killing of unborn babies and promoting the protection of the natural family as the solution to many of society's worst problems. He knows how to stand up for what's right without caving in to political pressure. A Governor must have real backbone to make the right decisions in today's cut-throat political climate.

In his third career, with only a high school diploma, Dr. Lively went back to school for six hard years (while supporting a family and running a non-profit ministry), earning an Associates Degree, Bachelor of Science and *Juris Doctor of Law* (with special credentials in International Human Rights). After earning his Law License he first launched a dispute resolution center in Sacramento, then a for-profit law partnership and a separate non-profit public interest firm in Southern California. While running both entities, Dr. Lively earned his Doctor of Theology degree. On this career path he learned not just the high value of education and the needs of White Collar workers, but also how to manage complex tasks and organizations, and maximize good results through multi-tasking: important skills for a Chief Executive to have.

In his fourth career, Dr. Lively became a full-time missionary pastor, taking what he had learned from short and long-term mission trips around the world and applying it to the needs of inner-city Springfield, MA. Arriving on January 5, 2008 with just their suitcases and a desire to help redeem one of America's most troubled cities, Dr. and Mrs. Lively deliberately moved into one of the most dilapidated houses in the heart of the inner city to maximize their efforts to make things better.

"There is no better training for public service than being a missionary," said Dr. Scott Lively. "Most politicians are driven by a desire for power and prestige, but what the people really need is someone who can empathize with them and set their own interests aside to serve the public good, even when the 'special interests' make them pay a price for it. I think I have the best resume for the job in this field of candidates."

This November 4, vote for a true public servant, independent of the mud-slinging "two-party" system and control by special interests and the love of money.

**VOTE SCOTT LIVELY FOR GOVERNOR**

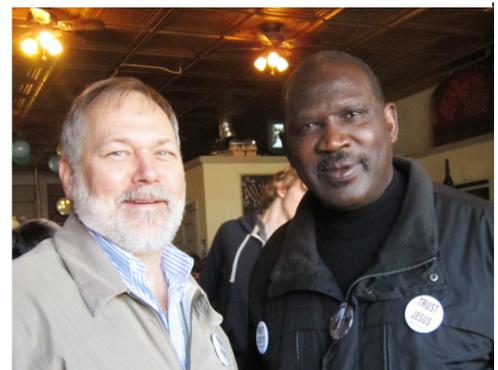


Sharing a meal with children of the Wototo Orphan Village in rural Uganda in 2009.

In 2002, Dr. Lively helped to found and still personally sponsors the Kenya Center for World Evangelism in the rambling slums of Eldoret, Kenya, which trains and equips native pastors to minister to the needs of the poor in rural areas where hardships are most extreme.



Representing two African-American clients on behalf of the Pro-Family Law Center which he founded in 1999, Attorney Lively prepares to argue a First Amendment Freedom of Speech case before the Federal 9<sup>th</sup> Circuit Court of Appeals in 2007.



In partnership with Pastor C.S. Cooley, Dr. Lively founded an inner-city mission in Springfield, MA in 2008, which has become the most racially diverse and socially active ministry in the city.

**SITTING DOWN, JESUS CALLED THE TWELVE AND SAID, "ANYONE WHO WANTS TO BE FIRST MUST BE THE VERY LAST, AND THE SERVANT OF ALL."** Mark 9:35

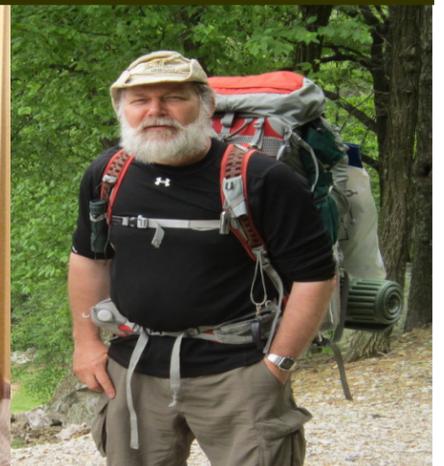
# ELECTABLE

## AS AN INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE IN A THREE-WAY RACE, SCOTT LIVELY CAN REALISTICALLY WIN THE 2014 ELECTION

**Did you know that over 50% of Mass voters are independent?** So, while the Republicans (with 11-12% of the registered voters) are fighting with the Democrats (who have only 35-36%), Scott Lively will be appealing directly to the 52-53% of independent voters not affiliated with either party (as well as the Christian, Catholic and values voters of both parties).

Why are so many people in Massachusetts unwilling to join the two major parties? Because they are FED UP with the Blue Team/Red Team politics-as-usual. But *Finally* there is a real choice who is truly independent and shares their values!

### DR. SCOTT LIVELY UNITES VOTERS FROM ACROSS THE POLITICAL SPECTRUM



#### LIBERTARIANS

In the mode of the Founding Fathers

America's Founding Fathers were the original libertarians, whose concept of "ordered liberty" balanced civil rights with civic responsibilities. They understood that freedom without Biblical parameters is not liberty, it is anarchy.

Massachusetts Governor Samuel Adams warned in 1779: "While the people are virtuous they cannot be subdued; but once they lose their virtue, they will be ready to surrender their liberties to the first external or internal invader."

#### LIBERALS

In the mode of John F. Kennedy

JFK famously said (and Dr. Lively agrees), "If by a 'Liberal' they mean someone who looks ahead and not behind, someone who welcomes new ideas without rigid reactions, someone who cares about the welfare of the people-their health, their housing, their schools, their jobs, their civil rights and their civil liberties...then I'm proud to say I'm a 'Liberal.'"

An authentic Catholic, JFK would never have embraced the deadly abortion agenda of today's Democrat Party. He was pro-life and pro-family as were most liberals during the time of his presidency. Today's Democrat leaders are not true liberals, but cultural Marxists.

#### CONSERVATIVES

In the mode of Ronald Reagan

Ronald Reagan was the last Republican president to draw heavy support from Democrats. Why? Because everyone could recognize that his values were genuinely Christian. Life-long Bible-believing Democrats knew that Reagan was truly pro-life and pro-family, not just putting on a show to win votes he didn't really deserve.

"Within the pages of the Bible are the answers for all the problems men face," President Reagan said, adding, "If we ever forget that we are One Nation Under God, then we will be a nation gone under."

#### PROGRESSIVES

In the mode of Teddy Roosevelt

A member of the Dutch Reformed Church, Teddy Roosevelt's brand of progressivism was rooted not in Marxism but Christianity. He knew that true social justice derives from Christian love for our fellow man, not the envy and class warfare promoted by Marxists.

President Roosevelt knew that true environmentalism derives not from New Age paganism but from God's command in Genesis that we be good stewards of the earth that He created. Likewise, Dr. Lively is a Christian progressive and conservationist by lifestyle.

**What did John F. Kennedy, Ronald Reagan, Teddy Roosevelt and most of the Founding Fathers have in common? Their ideas were grounded in the same Judeo-Christian values that define Scott Lively's campaign for Governor!**

### JOIN THE TEAM THAT REPRESENTS THE INDEPENDENT MAJORITY

Yes, Dr. Lively, I would like to support your campaign for Governor of Massachusetts.

Enclosed is my donation of \$\_\_\_\_. I would also like to help by:

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