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Marriage Public Info
Meeting: May 10, 2007
Speaker: Richard Marchak,
on France's decision against
same-sex marriage



Above: Website of the gay-activist organization, EGALE. It promotes the Safe Schools Campaign – a propaganda vehicle to normalize homosexuality in the minds of children, while pretending to simply create “a safe place for lesbian-gay-bisexual-transgendered youth”.

www.defendmarriagekw.org

“Safe Schools” - The Trojan horse that may bring homosexuality into your child's classroom

Did you think gay-activists would stop at changing marriage? Think again. EGALE (Equality for Gays & Lesbians Everywhere) and other anti-family activists, are working overtime on a new campaign they hope will once and for all make the homosexual lifestyle fully accepted in society. Legalizing gay “marriage” was only a stepping stone for homosexual activists to gain access to the educational system. They believe with such access to the hearts and minds of Canadian students, they can finally end all opposition to homosexual acts within a couple of generations. EGALE is now rolling out the “Safe Schools Campaign”. It poses as a harmless program that protects “gay” students from discrimination. However, its true goal is to normalize homosexuality and open the door to curriculum that even more explicitly promotes the gay lifestyle.

Strategy to Indoctrinate Children

The strategy being followed by Canada's pro-gay leaders is aptly described by Peter Sprigg from the Family Research Council, a pro-family U.S. lobby group:

“Despite decades of activism and media propaganda promoting acceptance and celebration of homosexuality, and numerous judicial victories for the pro-homosexual movement, a clear majority of Americans still believe that homosexual behaviour is ‘morally wrong’. Indoctrinating impressionable school children is an easier way of changing public attitudes... However, since directly promoting acceptance of homosexuality would be controversial, pro-homosexual activists routinely deny or downplay those aspects of their agenda. Instead, they begin with school policy proposals that are likely, politically, to win the most agreement. The first issue raised by the advocates of homosexuality is invariably the same – “safety.”⁽¹⁾

‘Safe Schools’ is making headway

EGALE is currently lobbying educators and provincial Ministers of Education to incorporate “Safe Schools” programs across Canada. They often begin with a “Gay-Straight-Alliance” (GSA), a student club in which “gay” or sexually confused youth can be encouraged by “straight” ones. However, the U.S. experience, with over a decade of GSA programs, show that invariably, these students become radical activists, promoting the acceptance of homosexuality as normal, and labeling those who disagree as “homophobes”.

In a shocking March 29th news story, it was reported that a GSA has already infiltrated a Toronto-area Catholic school (*Cardinal Carter Academy for the Arts*). At the same Catholic school, at least 5 teachers have “outed” themselves as practicing homosexuals. One music teacher is reported to have told her students that her “lifestyle is normal and acceptable.”⁽²⁾

The homosexual Ottawa newspaper, *Capital Xtra!*, on Feb 22 2007 described the situation as “a battle for the hearts and souls of Canadian students”.⁽³⁾

Protecting your children

Parents should look at textbooks, check the school library and talk to kids about what's being taught. Look out for phrases like “Promote Diversity” and “Equity”. Those are usually code words for “Promoting Homosexuality”. Meet with your school board trustee or principal and ask if this kind of thing is happening in your school. If you find anything objectionable, demand it be removed. If all else fails, parents can form a coalition and doggedly pursue civil action in court to protect their Charter right to freedom of Religion and Conscience. By forming a coalition, court costs can be defrayed over many individuals. Interested parents should contact DTMF. –END

⁽¹⁾ Peter Sprigg, ‘Homosexuality in Your Child's School’, p.2, The Family Research Council, 2006 ⁽²⁾ Lifesite News, March 28, 2007, “Explosive Revelations about Homosexual Teachers in Canadian Catholic Schools”, ⁽³⁾ Catholic Insight e- magazine, April 2007, “Who Controls the souls of Children?”

DON'T FORGET - Wednesday April 11, 2007
Kitchener-Centre Federal Conservative Party Nomination Meeting
Time: 6:30pm at the Concordia Club (429 Ottawa St. S.; Kitchener)
Note: To vote you must have already signed up as a member.



Photo courtesy of David Wolever

DTMF Yard Sale
May 2007 (date TBA)
St. Paul's Lutheran Church

With the possibility of a federal election at any time and the provincial election fast-approaching, we need your help to raise money so we can get out the Defend Marriage message. What could be easier than donating used goods from around your house and coming out to support our yard sale? Contact DTMF to donate items or volunteer your time.

DONATIONS

Want to help *Defend Traditional Marriage & Family™* continue its important work?

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**As the family goes,
so goes society.**

Ontario: Yours to... Recover!

Our provincial election in Ontario is looming on the horizon: October 10, 2007. We've said it before and we will say it again. The nomination process is SO crucial in the democratic system. We are in this fight for the long haul and need to begin to build a coalition of pro-family MPP's that will make moral decisions for our province. If we do not have pro-morality candidates running in the election the battle is already lost.

If you believe that decisions on moral issues are only made in the federal House of Commons, think again! The federal government seems to get all the media attention on these issues, but the threat against the family and traditional values is just as real in our provincial legislature, which has a greater percentage of socially-liberal representatives. Ontario's government undemocratically rushed a same-sex marriage bill through legislation in Feb. 2005 with an unrecorded vote, contested openly by only 3 MPP's, but disagreed with by many. Then the Premier moved to change 73 provincial statues, replacing words referring to husbands and wives with gender-neutral language. The provincial Education Minister, a homosexual activist, has tremendous power to impose anti-family curriculum in schools, such as gay-



positive curriculum and pro-homosexual children's books, and the openly gay Minister of Health has stated that he wants to force taxpayers to fund sex-changes for homosexuals. The provincial gov't also appoints those who sit on the extremely biased Human Rights Tribunal, which increasingly rules against Christians and against family values in favor of homosexual activism.

NOW is the time to act, as local provincial party nominations will likely be held in the next month or two. Please call one of the following party headquarters to get in touch with your local riding association, purchase a membership, and find a pro-family candidate to support. Find out where they stand on the definition of marriage and family, and whether they support the inclusion of homosexual material in school curriculum. You may also want to ask about public funding of sex-changes and abortions and how they feel about wider use of abstinence education. Please contact DTMF if you need help with this process.

PC Party: 1-800-903-6453
Liberal Party: 1-800-268-7250
NDP: 1-866-390-6637

Fact vs. Fiction: Homosexuality and how it affects the education of our children and youth

On April 12th we'll have a brief presentation from a guest speaker, followed by a casual dessert night where people can mingle and get to know each other.

Tony Marchand is the Youth and Family Worker at Historic St. Paul's Lutheran Church. He is married with two daughters aged 17 and 22. "I am not an expert on homosexuality," says Mr. Marchand, "What prompted me to learn more about homosexuality was the face that my two daughters in high school were being taught complete tolerance of homosexuality and that it was an acceptable life style."

Tony decided to put together a Bible study on homosexuality with youth in mind and try it out on the adults first. In the process, he found out a lot of things he did not know about same-sex relationships, both myths and truths. "I wanted to make



sure that the youth received the truth since they have already been bombarded with myths."

Come to our dessert and social night to hear Tony Marchand's insights into this new sexual revolution and how it will affect our children and youth, the next generation of Canadians.

Thurs. April 12, 2007 at 7:30 PM
Cost: \$2.00 for dessert (coffee and tea provided)

Location: Historic St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 137 Queen St. South. Kitchener. N2G 1W2