

Pentagon May Court Martial Soldiers Who Share Christian Faith

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The Pentagon has released a statement confirming that soldiers could be prosecuted for promoting their faith: "Religious proselytization is not permitted within the Department of Defense...Court martials and non-judicial punishments are decided on a case-by-case basis..."

Note from Pastor Kevin Lea follows this article.

The statement, released to [Fox News](#), follows a Breitbart News [report](#) on Obama administration Pentagon appointees meeting with anti-Christian extremist Mikey Weinstein to develop court-martial procedures to punish Christians in the military who express or share their faith.

(From our earlier report: Weinstein is the head of the Military Religious Freedom Foundation, and says Christians—including chaplains—sharing the gospel of Jesus Christ in the military are guilty of “treason,” and of committing an act of “spiritual rape” as serious a crime as “sexual assault.” He also asserted that Christians sharing their faith in the military are “enemies of the Constitution.”)

Being convicted in a court martial means that a soldier has committed a crime under federal military law. Punishment for a court martial can include imprisonment and being dishonorably discharged from the military.

So President Barack Obama’s civilian appointees who lead the Pentagon are confirming that the military will make it a crime—possibly resulting in imprisonment—for those in uniform to share their faith. This would include chaplains—military officers who are ordained clergymen of their faith (mostly Christian pastors or priests, or Jewish rabbis)—whose duty since the founding of the U.S. military under George Washington is to teach their faith and minister to the spiritual needs of troops who come to them for counsel, instruction, or comfort.

This regulation would severely limit expressions of faith in the military, even on a one-to-one basis between close friends. It could also effectively abolish the position of chaplain in the military, as it would not allow chaplains (or any service members, for that matter), to say anything about their faith that others say led them to think they were being encouraged to make faith part of their life. It’s difficult to imagine how a member of the clergy could give spiritual counseling without saying anything that might be perceived in that fashion.

To read this article in its entirety: <http://www.breitbart.com/Big-Peace/2013/05/01/Breaking-Pentagon-Confirms-Will-Court-Martial-Soldiers-Who-Share-Christian-Faith>

FRC has [launched a petition here](#) which has already collected over 60,000 signatures, calling on Secretary Hagel to stop working with Weinstein and his anti-Christian organization to develop military policy regarding religious faith.

***Note from Pastor Kevin Lea:** Many Americans may be shocked at this news item, but it really should come as no surprise to those who believe we are in the Last Days leading to the kingdom of the Antichrist and his global government/religion.*

Under the inspiration of Satan and his minions, the powerful shadow government has plotted behind the scenes for centuries to prepare the world for a global government “utopia.” (This “utopia” will in fact actually result in the unprecedented miseries prophesied in Daniel and Revelation.) They have always known that true Christianity in the hearts and minds of the nations was the biggest obstacle to their plans and have been very effective – especially in recent decades - in demonizing Christianity and destroying the influence of the Bible and Christian

principles in our societies. It appears they are now ready to implement their “end game” – to marginalize, persecute, even arrest, and otherwise silence the remaining vocal Christians.

How have they done this? By attacking true, biblical, Christianity, from within and without. This article shows how they are doing it from without. But they have been very successful in doing it from within through false teachers such as Rick Warren, Emerging Church leaders, and others who use their charisma and their books to deceive many Christians into abandoning Jesus’ command to preach the (true) gospel and make disciples of Jesus throughout the world.

*These deceived and deceiving “change agents” tell believers to stop proclaiming the exclusive salvation message – that’s too divisive! Instead, accept that people with other beliefs are not in peril of damnation as long as they are good people. These false teachers also redefine what the gospel is by turning it into a myriad of do-good-deeds projects (for example: drill wells in Africa, fight AIDS and malaria, build houses in Mexico), instead of proclaiming the salvation message – that Jesus died to save us from sin and condemnation and that He is the **only** way to be saved. While good works are important – Jesus has prepared good works for each of us to do (Ephesians 2:10) – they do not save us or those that benefit from them in this life only (Ephesians 2:8-9). We must **never** become so preoccupied with doing good works that we neglect to tell of the Savior, who benefits in this life **and** the life to come.*

How tragic that many are abandoning the true gospel given to us by Jesus and the Apostles. Jesus told Nicodemus that he “must be born again.” For 2,000 years, true Christians have begged those they love to be born again – to repent of their sin and trust in Jesus as their Savior. Why? Because we know that this is the only way our loved ones can be spared from the eternal damnation. True love demands that we tell people what is necessary to receive the mercy and grace of God and the promise of everlasting life with Him in Heaven. This is the good news of the true gospel, which literally means “Good News.”

But yes, this exclusive message is definitely out of style with the coming New World Order. This does not change the fact that it is true, and that God’s obedient people will continue to proclaim it, with or without the Government’s permission.

Realize that it is our same, self-proclaimed “Christian” president that has put rabid anti-Christians in charge of defining “religious freedom” at the Pentagon. The fact that nearly half the country re-elected this pathological talebearer to his office is proof that most of our country’s citizens are under a powerful delusion. Could he and his ilk be our nation’s judgment for the sins of embracing the sins of abortion, divorce, adultery, children out of wedlock, pornography, homosexuality, and others – all of which are abominations and an affront to a Holy God? It seems that way to me, and I hope and pray that we will wake up and repent, confess to God our need for forgiveness, and bow in submission to the Lordship of Jesus the Christ. If you have not done so already, do it today – time is running out.

1 Peter 4:16-19 (NKJV). Yet if anyone suffers as a Christian, let him not be ashamed, but let him glorify God in this matter. For the time has come for judgment to begin at the house of God; and if it begins with us first, what will be the end of those who do not obey the gospel of God? Now “If the righteous one is scarcely saved, where will the ungodly and the sinner appear?” Therefore let those who suffer according to the will of God commit their souls to Him in doing good, as to a faithful Creator.

John 15:18-21 (NKJV). “If the world hates you, you know that it hated Me before it hated you. If you were of the world, the world would love its own. Yet because you are not of the world, but I chose you out of the world, therefore the world hates you. Remember the word that I said to you, ‘A servant is not greater than his master.’ If they persecuted Me, they will also persecute you. If they kept My word, they will keep yours also. But all these things they will do to you for My name’s sake, because they do not know Him who sent Me.