



Day 5 - The Special Session is now scheduled to begin on Monday, July 25th.

Greetings fellow warriors,

Today, we will pray into the Special Session that is now set for July 25th at the Statehouse in Indianapolis, Indiana.

As you all know by now, our Governor has delayed the original Special Session that was set for July 6th until July 25th. At first, I was disappointed the date was changed. Every day our government delays, another 23 baby Hoosiers are murdered. How many baby Hoosiers have died since the overruling of Roe v. Wade?

As several of us began to dialogue on this, I said to the intercessors that perhaps this was God's plan. As I talked with others, it seems to be the consensus. One friend said the Governor can't get credit for this delay even though it came from his desk. I'm inclined to agree. The question remains, why did God delay it?

After gathering for the "Stand for Life" Rally on Saturday, June 25th, at the Statehouse, it was clear believers were outnumbered on the south lawn. It was also clear that many on the other side who were marching didn't even know why they were marching. My heart sank as I watched an entire generation standing screaming at our speakers. I will never forget standing and praying on the steps facing a mob who was full of rage and hate. They were protesting for a right to murder babies. My heart broke and I could only imagine Father's heart at that moment. I repented as a leader for not disciplining this generation.

I continued to pray when Holy Spirit spoke to me saying that those who are with us are more than those who are with them. I knew what the Lord was saying to me. He quickly reminded me of Gideon's army. For the sake of time, I won't go into it. However, I encourage you to read Judges 6 as a refresher.

WHY did this get delayed? We can only speculate, but my friend Brad Skiles mentioned several things that I believe are worth passing along. Did God know we needed the time to better mobilize our base? Yes! I know many of us were scrambling to be able to get to the State Capitol on the 6th. Trips were canceled, appointments rescheduled, some are taking off work, and others are lining up babysitters. Maybe we needed more time to get the word out because we needed more boots on the ground.

Indiana has become a battleground state. There are 13 states that had trigger laws deciding ahead of time what they would do. I'm sad to say Indiana was not one of them. The trigger states were ready to move instantly. We rejoice as our friends in Ohio implemented their six-week abortion ban, their Heartbeat Bill. Glory to God!

We must pray intently this month because there is no doubt it could be a very heated session. Committee hearings where people will testify will likely be disrupted. BUT you and I have faith and authority and must not only pray but we must SHOW UP.

There is power in numbers. MAKE YOUR PLANS TO BE THERE NO MATTER WHAT. This is a matter of life and death friends. We're already seeing girls cross state lines to come to Indiana. We must shut this down. It's time to hold the Governor accountable when he says he is PRO-LIFE. It's time to press this issue by calling his office along with your representatives. **ON THIS DAY WE FIGHT.**

What we saw on June 25th could have been just a small window to see what may happen on July 25th. No doubt the enemy will try to make noise inside and outside. We must remember that those who are with us are greater than those who are with them. We believe this will be historic for Indiana and the nation.

Brad went on to mention that perhaps God is looking to have a showdown and use Indiana to implement the strongest legislation for LIFE, which would be the Nisly/Jacob Bill, HB 1282.

Could it be that this is our “Elijah and the prophets of Baal” moment? We know the enemy will be well-represented. We know they will be jumping up and down and yelling as we read in 1 Kings 18:20-40. But we have our God. We will outnumber them.

We must be ready! We must be willing to pay the price. We cannot remain silent.

There are several maybes in the above content, but what we do know today is that we live in the United States of America, and we are still a free nation. We still have the freedom to speak the truth. We still have a voice and all of Heaven is backing us as we stand and fight for the unborn. **WE MUST STAND UNASHAMEBLY and UNAPOLOGICLY in the days to come.**

Pray with me:

Father, we thank You as we celebrated our freedom this past weekend. We especially thank You for Free Speech. I thank You, Father, that we can stand and stake our claim on what Your Word says in our nation. Father, we pray for those who are behind the scenes who agree with You about abortion, yet they have allowed their voices to be silenced because of their job or career. We ask You, Father, to bring conviction upon them and cause them to rise in holy boldness and speak truth to the powers that be even if it cost them their livelihood. We understand that as believers you are with us, and you fight on our behalf. Give us the courage to question what's taking place in the Name of Jesus. Help us to be influencers with our words.

Father, we thank You for leading Representatives Curt Nisly and John Jacob as they co-labored with You in the writing of the Nisly/Jacob Bill HB 1282 in the Name of Jesus. We thank you for their courage and for their stand even when friends walked away and when believers in the House remained silent. We ask You, Father, to deal with our legislators according to Your Word, Lord Jesus. We ask that You bring conviction upon their hearts and, Father, we ask that you continue to expose the good ole boys' system and the back door deals that have gone on way too long in our state and in our nation. Give our elected officials a sense of urgency. Help them to see their work as a life and death decision. Our supermajority profess to be pro-life. Move them to be pro-life.

Father, we pray Your protection for each one in office. We pray for law enforcement that stands in the line of duty risking their own lives for the people they serve. We pray for a hedge of protection around them and their families now in Jesus' name. We pray for those who are planning to attend the upcoming rally at the Statehouse. We ask that You prepare us spiritually to take a stand against the murder of these babies. In the midst of darkness, use us to shine Your light!

We stand as one with You. We thank You that Your Word is true that You give us a table in the presence of our enemies.

Father, we pray that evangelism breaks out across our nation because of this June 24th ruling in the Name of Jesus. Reveal Yourself to the young girls who are contemplating abortion and place those in their path who can lead them in the right direction in Jesus' name.

Decree with me:

*We decree that the enemy has been defeated. He is under our feet. We declare that the Highest Judge has ruled and that is the LORD God. **We say let this be the final session concerning abortion in the state of Indiana in Jesus' name. We say NO MORE BABIES MURDERED IN INDIANA IN JESUS' NAME. We decree the passing of the Nisly/Jacob Bill HB 1282 in the name of Jesus! We decree the process of this legislation will be accelerated in Jesus' name.***

*We declare no weapon formed against our elected officials will prosper in the Name of Jesus. We release a firewall of protection around the legislators and all who will be in session in the Name of Jesus. We draw a Bloodline around the entire state of Indiana, and we say NO VIOLENCE can be appropriated here in Jesus' name. **As gatekeepers, we take our place of authority and we say NO to Antifa and NO to outside interference trying to bring harm to the citizens of Indiana from the north, east, south, and west of the entire state in the mighty Name of Jesus.***

We thank You, Lord Jesus, that You hear the cries of Your people. We decree that Indiana is being saved in the Name of Jesus. We give You all the glory and thank You for every warrior that is rising up for Your end-time army. We declare we will NEVER stop standing for righteousness and justice in our state of Indiana, in the nation, and the nations in Jesus' name.

We decree this is God's timetable, not the Governor's. We decree God is in control, not our government. We make a covenant with You, Lord Jesus, to fast and pray during the next 21 days as we stand for LIFE in Jesus' name. We say YOUR KINGDOM COME and YOUR WILL BE DONE ON EARTH AS IT IS IN HEAVEN in the Name of Jesus.

All for His Glory,

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- ◆ If you are planning your month, we will have a "Stand for Life" Rally at the Statehouse, on Monday, July 25th. More information tomorrow.
- ◆ ALSO, on Saturday, July 23rd, is a "Stand for Life" Rally at Planned Parenthood with State Rep. John Jacob. This could be one of the last rallies at Planned Parenthood, 8590 Georgetown Rd., Indianapolis, IN.
- ◆ For an archive folder of these daily devotionals, [click here](#).
- ◆ For a list of 14 Indiana Prayer Requests, [click here](#).