

Point/Counterpoints for LIGHT

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SUBJECT	ISSUE DATE	ARTICLE TITLE	AUTHOR
AIDS	4-6/91	Thomas: Doctors with AIDS must tell patients (Point)	Cal Thomas
	4-6/91	Dietrich: Risk of AIDS from doctors exaggerated (Counterpoint)	John Dietrich
Alcohol/Drugs	7-8/94	Clean needles should be distributed to illegal drug users (Point)	Douglas Badow
	7-8/94	Clean needles should not be distributed to illegal drug users (Counterpoint)	Michael M. Gimbel
	3-4/92	Anderson: Christianized Twelve Steps can be important to churches (Point)	Douglas L. Anderson
	3-4/92	Shores: Twelve Step method does not belong in the church (Counterpoint)	Stephen D. Shores
	1-3/90	Grant Teaff: Alcohol not suitable for sports ads (Point)	Grant Teaff
	1-3/90	Stephen Burrows: Leave censorship to Soviets (Counterpoint)	Stephen J. Burrows
Bioethics	1-2/92	Mitchell: Keep ban on use of aborted babies (Point on fetal tissue)	C. Ben Mitchell
	1-2/92	Vawter: Ban unjustified, should be removed now (Counterpoint on fetal tissue)	Dorothy E. Vawter
Capital Punishment	4-6/90	Governmental authority includes death penalty (Point)	Margaret P. Currin
	4-6/90	God's love supercedes practice of death penalty (Counterpoint)	Charles Colson
Child Abuse			
Child Care			
Children	7-8/93	Don't destroy family ties (Point)	Carole Anderson
	7-8/93	A child's needs are top priority (Counterpoint)	Mary Beth Seader
	10-12/89	Child sponsorship as a means of development (Point)	Paul F. McCleary
	10/12/89	A better way exists than child sponsorship (Counterpoint)	John R. Cheyne
Christian Citizenship	11-12/92	God and Country services have positive benefits (Point)	Richard D. White
	11-12/92	Such programs do not serve best interests of the gospel (Counterpoint)	Bill Stancil
	7-8/92	At times we must work with others to gain greater good (Point)	Louis Moore
	7-8/92	Working with others creates an unholy alliance (Counterpoint)	Tony Pierce
	5-6/92	Mohler: Character should be test for public office (Point)	R. Albert Mohler, Jr.
	5-6/92	Balmer: Character issue inferior to public record (Counterpoint)	Randall Balmer
Communism	7-9/90	Roberts: Eastern Europe changes are irreversible (Point)	Phillip Roberts
	7-9/90	Helms: Communism can't be reformed (Counterpoint)	Jesse Helms

Cultural Conservatism	4-6/89	Cultural Conservatism: McAteer opposes concept - Says it's wrong way to spread Judeo/Christian values (Point)	Ed McAteer
	4-6/89	Cultural Conservatism: Weyrich says it's validation of the gospel through "functional values" (Counterpoint)	Paul Weyrich
Ecology/Environment	1-2/94	Global warming is an environmental threat (Point)	Ronald J. Sider
	1-2/94	Global warming is not threat to environment (Counterpoint)	Larry Vardiman
Economics and Daily Work	11-12/94	It's permissible for Christians to assume reasonable debt (Point)	H. Edwin Young
	11-12/94	Scripture discourages debt, notes bondage that goes with it (Counterpoint)	Jack R. Wilkerson
Education, Public	3-4/95	Christians should educate their children in Christian schools (Point)	Paul Schuster
	3-4/95	Christians should stay in public schools to witness (Counterpoint)	James Holladay
	10-12/91	Colson: Vouchers are like educational food stamps (Point - Tuition tax credits)	Charles Colson
	10-12/91	Jones: Back-door school funding not acceptable (Counterpoint - Tuition tax credits)	Paul Jones
	7-9/91	Draper: Voluntary prayer in public schools is right (Point)	James T. Draper, Jr.
	7-9/91	Carl Henry: No official prayers in public schools (Counterpoint)	Carl F.H. Henry
Ethics, Christian			
Family Violence			
Gambling			
Homeless			
Homosexuality	9-10/92	Siler: SBC needs room for discussion of homosexuality (Point)	M. Mahan Siler
	9-10/92	Coppenger: Bible has final word on homosexuality (Counterpoint)	Mark Coppenger
Human Rights	1-3/91	Pages: Living wills can be acts of love (Point)	Charles D. Page
	1-3/91	Whitehead: Living wills mean danger ahead (Counterpoint)	Michael Whitehead
Hunger	9-10/94	The SBC should have a world hunger offering (Point)	Tommy Goode
	9-10/94	The SBC should not have a world hunger offering (Counterpoint)	John R. Cheyne
	10-12/90	Volunteerism essential in fight against hunger (Point)	Tony P. Hall
	10-12/90	Federal Help necessary in battle against hunger (Counterpoint)	Carl C. Perkins
	10-12/89	Child sponsorship as a means of development (Point)	Paul F. McCleary
	10-12/89	A better way exists than child sponsorship (Counterpoint)	John R. Cheyne
Peace	5-6/95	No, we should not have dropped The Bomb (Point)	Glenn Stassen
	5-6/95	Yes, we should have dropped The Bomb (Counterpoint)	Harold Stassen

7-8/89 Just War: Gerald Marsh says it is viable option (Point)
 7-8/89 Pacifism: John Yoder supports the concept (Counterpoint)

Gerald E. Marsh
 John H. Yoder

Population

Pornography

Poverty

Race Relations

Religious Liberty

5-6/94 Pastors should criticize public officials from the pulpit (Point)
 5-6/94 Pastors should not criticize public officials from the pulpit (Counterpoint)
 11-12/93 Murray: America is a Christian nation (Point)
 11-12/93 Colson: America is not a Christian (Counterpoint)
 10-12/91 Colson: Vouchers are like educational food stamps (Point - Tuition tax credits)
 10-12/91 Jones: Back-door school funding not acceptable (Counterpoint - Tuition tax credits)
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Sanctity of Human Life

1-2/95 Violence against one's government is sometimes justified (Point)
 1-2/95 Violence against one's government is never justified (Counterpoint)
 3-4/94 Artificial birth control is biblically acceptable (Point)
 3-4/94 Artificial birth control is not biblically acceptable (Counterpoint))
 7-8/93 Don't destroy family ties (Point)
 7-8/93 A child's needs are top priority (Counterpoint)
 5-6/93 One unwed mother says it's a 'bad bargain' (Point)
 5-6/93 Another calls it 'choice that shows self-respect' (Counterpoint)
 1-2/93 O'Connor's ruling in Cruzan case frees others from fears (Point)
 1-2/93 Death's intricacies beyond the grasp of codes or judges (Counterpoint)
 1-3/91 Pages: Living wills can be acts of love (Point)
 1-3/91 Whitehead: Living wills mean danger ahead (Counterpoint)
 1-3/89 Civil disobedience: Stanley urges caution (Point)
 1-3/89 Civil disobedience: Wood - OK way to fight abortion (Counterpoint)

Richard Land
 Norman Geisler
 Brian & Sheila
 Bertholomey
 Emmett & Debra
 Dykes
 Carole Anderson
 Mary Beth Seader
 Maggie Gallagher
 Cathy Horyn
 (reprint)
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 Charles D. Page
 Michael Whitehead
 Charles Stanley
 Jim Wood

Smoking/Tobacco

Violence

9-10/93 Consistency requires concern about weapons (Point)
 9-10/93 Assault weapons should be available (Counterpoint)

Gary L. Frost
 Larry Pratt

War

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