

Praying into a pending decision by the Supreme Court from an early draft showing an historic overturn of Roe v. Wade.

The leaked draft majority opinion for the Supreme Court written by Justice Alito overturns Roe v. Wade and Planned Parenthood v. Casey. Calling it answered prayer feels like a major understatement. IFA intercessors have prayed for this for nearly 50 years. Pray for this opinion to be issued as it is. Pray for courage. Pray for the institution of the Supreme Court. PRAY for these justices who have been doxxed and threatened in response to this leaked decision. A heavy-duty riot fence now surrounds the Supreme Court. Several justices cancelled public appearances. Pray for supernatural protection over the justices, their clerks, their staff, and their families.



Chief Justice John Roberts
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Max Schulman
Zachary Tyree

Pray Psalm 91: 14-15

Because he loves me," says the Lord, "I will rescue him; I will protect him, for he acknowledges my name. He will call on me, and I will answer him; I will be with him in trouble, I will deliver him and honor him.

The leaked draft opinion for the Supreme Court written by Justice Alito overturns Roe v. Wade and Planned Parenthood v. Casey. Why the timing? The leaked draft is dated in February. It is no accident that the leak occurred precisely at the time of the premiere of 2,000 Mules, the documentary showing proof of ballot trafficking. We must also ask why this was leaked and what the leaker hoped to achieve. Leaking is unprecedented in Supreme Court history and is illegal and unethical. We must pray! As you pray for the Court, the justices, the clerks, also pray for this opinion to remain the way it was written. IFA has pulled excerpts from this draft decision that you can pray into with the scriptures and prayer points shown.

Pray into each of these key excerpts we have extracted from the 98-page majority decision draft.

"We hold that Roe and Casey <u>must be overruled</u>. The Constitution makes no reference to abortion, and no such right is implicitly protected by any constitutional provision...."

Thank God for this strong, uncomplicated decision.

When justice is done, it is a joy to the righteous but terror to evildoers. (Prv 21:15)

"Roe was egregiously wrong from the start. Its reasoning was exceptionally weak, and the decision has had damaging consequences. And far from bringing about a national settlement of the abortion issue, Roe and Casey have enflamed debate and deepened division."

Thank God that the majority of the Supreme Court acknowledge the true harm of Roe to the unborn and to our nation.

It is not good to be partial to the wicked or to deprive the righteous of justice. (Prv 18:5)

"In the years prior to [Roe v. Wade], about a third of the States had liberalized their laws, but Roe abruptly ended that political process. It imposed the same highly restrictive regime on the entire Nation, and it effectively struck down the abortion laws of every single State. ... [I]t represented the 'exercise of raw judicial power'... and it sparked a national controversy that has embittered our political culture for a half-century."

Thank God that the majority of the Court repudiates "exercise of raw of judicial power." Pray for a radical shift from legislating on the Court to appropriately determining the law.

But let justice roll down like waters, and righteousness like an ever-flowing stream. (Amos 5:24)

"The inescapable conclusion is that a right to abortion is not deeply rooted in the Nation's history and traditions. On the contrary, an unbroken tradition of prohibiting abortion on pain of criminal punishment persisted from the earliest days of the common law until 1973."

Thank God that this draft opinion reinforces the truth about abortion and our nation's history and repudiates the lie about the right to abortion being integral to the Constitution.

Rescue those who are being taken away to death; hold back those who are stumbling to the slaughter. If you say, "Behold, we did not know this," does not he who weighs the heart perceive it? Does not he who keeps watch over your soul know it, and will he not repay man according to his work? (Prv 24:11-12)

"In some States, <u>voters may believe</u> that the abortion right should be more even more [sic] extensive than the right Casey and Roe recognized. Voters in other States may wish to impose tight restrictions based on their belief that abortion destroys an 'unborn human being.' ... Our nation's historical understanding of ordered liberty does not prevent the people's elected representatives from deciding how abortion should be regulated."

Pray now that legislators and leaders in each of the states would recognize the value of life, and create state laws accordingly. Thank God for the states who have already anticipated this decision and crafted pro-life legislation that goes into effect once Roe v. Wade is overturned.

May the favor of the Lord our God rest on us; establish the work of our hands for us—yes, establish the work of our hands. (Ps 90:17)

"We have long recognized, however, that stare decisis is 'not an inexorable command,' and it 'is at its weakest when we interpret the Constitution.' It has been said that it is sometimes more important that an issue 'be settled than that it be settled right.' But when it comes to the interpretation of the Constitution — the 'great charter of our liberties,' which was meant 'to endure through a long lapse of ages,' we place a high value on having the matter 'settled right."

Pray that this draft decision stands. Even though Roe v. Wade has been the law of the land for decades, may there be a spiritual "uncoupling" of this original and egregious decision and our nation with this potential overturn. May this overturned decision be in line with the Constitution and and may it be settled right in God's eyes as well.

To do what is right and just is more acceptable to the Lord than sacrifice. (Prv 21:3)

"On many other occasions, this Court has <u>overruled important constitutional decisions</u>. ... Without these decisions, American constitutional law as we know it would be unrecognizable, and this would be a different country."

Righting wrongs is an act of humility and justice. May our Courts nationwide, and especially this Supreme Court, seek to set things right when earlier decisions were in error. May there be an ever-driving desire within our Courts to be just even when that means adjusting decisions.

Righteousness and justice are the foundation of your throne; steadfast love and faithfulness go before you. (Ps 89:14)

"Casey described itself as calling both sides of the <u>national controversy</u> to resolve their debate, but in doing so, Casey necessarily declared a winning side. ... The Court short-circuited the democratic process by closing it to the large number of Americans who dissented in any respect from Roe. ... Together, Roe and Casey represent an error that cannot be allowed to stand."

May justice prevail in our nation on the issue of life. Pray that this act of throwing off the national decision of Roe and Casey would open the way for a wave of righteousness to sweep our nation.

Blessed are they who observe justice, who do righteousness at all times! (Ps 106: 3)

"We do not pretend to know how our political system or society will respond to today's decision overruling Roe and Casey. And even if we could foresee what will happen, we would have no authority to let that knowledge influence our decision. We can only do our job, which is to interpret the law, apply longstanding principles of stare decisis, and decide this case accordingly. We therefore hold that the Constitution does not confer a right to abortion. Roe and Casey must be overruled, and the authority to regulate abortion must be returned to the people and their elected representatives."

"Our sole authority is to exercise 'judgment' – which is to say, the authority to judge what the law means and how it should apply to the case at hand....The Court's inability to end debate on the issue should not have been surprising. This Court cannot bring about the permanent resolution of a rancorous national controversy simply by dictating a settlement and telling the people to move on....We do not pretend to know how our political system or society will respond to today's decision overruling Roe and Casey. And even if we could foresee what will happen, we would have no authority to let that knowledge influence our decision."

Pray that any plans for violent protests or undue coercion would not take place in response to this decision. Pray for courage for the majority Justices to stand for their decision even if they foresee unrest and pushback on the decision.

The eyes of the Lord are toward the righteous and his ears toward their cry. (Ps 34:15)

And this important observation...

Mike Davis, a former law clerk to Justice Neil M. Gorsuch, tweeted that "this leak of a pending case puts the lives of justices in danger."

Of course, pray for the physical protection of the Justices, clerks, and their staffs. May they feel the Presence of our Psalm 91 protector God wherever they go.

If you say, "The Lord is my refuge," and you make the Most High your dwelling, no harm will overtake you, no disaster will come near your tent. For he will command his angels concerning you to guard you in all your ways; (Ps 91:9-11)

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