

PRAYING ABOUT THE SKRMETTI SCOTUS CASE

an IFA Prayer Guide



Join us to pray over the Skrmetti Transgender case currently in the Supreme Court — a Tennessee-originated case that could determine the right for states to ban harmful and experimental transgender treatments for children.

The Skrmetti case revolves around Tennessee's law banning transgender medical treatment for minors, including puberty blockers, hormone therapy, and gender reassignment surgeries. The law, known as Senate Bill 1 (SB1), aims to protect children from undergoing irreversible medical treatments that could have long-term physical and psychological effects. Supporters of the legislation argue that it is crucial to uphold the right for states to make these laws that safeguard the well-being of minors. The original case argues that children are not mature enough to make such significant medical decisions and that these treatments can lead to permanent changes and potential health risks. By upholding the Tennessee law, states can ensure that children receive appropriate care that prioritizes their safety and development without exposing them to potentially harmful procedures. The case has reached the U.S. Supreme Court, where the central question is whether the ban violates the Equal Protection Clause of the Fourteenth Amendment. Upholding the law would affirm the state's right to regulate medical treatments for minors and protect them from experimental and potentially harmful interventions.

PRAY

- That the Justices would not be intimidated by the pro-Transgender leftists.
- That any intimidation tactics by the left would backfire.
- That the Justices would actively expose and destroy lies spoken in the Courtroom.
- ***Pray against the Spirit of Jezebel, Leviathan to manipulate, intimidate and then dominate. (Rom 13:3)***
- That the Justices would only use biologically accurate language in the courtroom hearing.
- That the Justices would address the plaintiff's transgender attorney as her biological identity.
- ***Pray that the clarity of God's design would supersede any confusion by the Enemy to distort male and femaleness. (Gen 1:27)***
- That it would be evident that the Tennessee law protecting minors from surgery and procedures that will ultimately destroy their reproductive systems DOES NOT VIOLATE the Equal Protection Clause of the Constitution.
- That it would be evident that there is NOT a substantive due process right to what is referred to as "sex change" surgeries, drugs, or procedures.
- ***Pray into the fact that our Constitution is based on the Old and New Testament and cannot coexist with anti-biblical principles. (Jn 8:31-32)***

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Who are those who are suing Tennessee for the right to transgender children?

Plaintiffs:

- Samantha and Brian Williams of Nashville, Tennessee, and their 15-year-old transgender daughter.
- Two other families filing anonymously.
- Dr. Susan Lacy, a Memphis-based medical doctor

Represented by Legal Counsel:

- Elizabeth Prelogar, U.S. Solicitor General
- **Chase Strangio, Deputy Director for Transgender Justice at the ACLU's LGBT & HIV Project (She is pictured at left).**
- Sasha Buchert, Senior Attorney at Lambda Legal.
- Jennifer Levi, Senior Director of Transgender and Queer Rights at GLBTQ Legal Advocates & Defenders (GLAD).
- David Brown, Legal Director at the Transgender Legal Defense & Education Fund (TLDEF)



Who are those defending Tennessee's right to ban transgendering children?

Defendants:

- **Jonathan Skrmetti, Attorney General of Tennessee, pictured left.**
- Ralph Alvarado, Commissioner of the Tennessee Department of Health.
- Logan Grant, Executive Director of the Tennessee Health Facilities Commission.
- Melanie Blake, President of the Tennessee Board of Medical Examiners.
- Stephen Lloyd, Vice President of the Tennessee Board of Medical Examiners.
- Members of the Tennessee Board of Medical Examiners: Randall E. Pearson, Phyllis E. Miller, Samantha McLerran, Keith G. Anderson, Deborah Christiansen, John W. Hale, John J. McGraw, Robert Ellis, James Diaz-Barriga, and Jennifer Claxton



Represented by Legal Counsel:

- **Jonathan Skrmetti (Attorney General of Tennessee), pictured left.**
- James Matthew Rice ([Office of Tennessee Attorney General](#))
- Steven James Griffin ([Tennessee Attorney General's Office](#))
- Jeffrey Matthew Harris (Consovoy McCarthy PLLC)
- Cameron Thomas Norris (Consovoy McCarthy PLLC)

**IMPORTANT DATES
FOR PRAYER**

**WED. DEC. 4
MON. DEC. 9
LATE JUNE**

**HEARING CASE AT SCOTUS
DELIBERATIONS BEGIN
ESTIMATED DATE OF RULING**

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