

American Family Association

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Dear A.F.A. Friend,

I remember that meeting as if it were yesterday.

TV producer Steven Bochco (of HILL STREET BLUES and L.A. LAW fame) was sitting across the table from me. At one point in the discussion, he said that he was going to stretch the limits of TV as far as he possibly could.

That statement still sends chills down my spine. It's frightening.

And it wasn't an isolated comment. Bochco recently said on ABC's GOOD MORNING, AMERICA:

"I would hope . . . that networks will begin to allow those of us who are making serious dramas to bring, to produce more explicit material for network television...Language, sex, the whole panoply."

With those words, Mr. Bochco has thrown the gauntlet at the feet of people like you and me who believe in decency.

Today I'd like you to send Mr. Bochco a message in reply.

Tell him you are fed up with Hollywood cramming its social agenda down your throat — especially its promotion of marital infidelity, sexual promiscuity, homosexuality, and anti-Christian bias.

Tell him you're sick and tired of Hollywood's unending effort to destroy traditional Judeo-Christian values.

Then follow up on your words with action! Specifically, tell the advertisers of NBC's L.A. LAW (a Bochco production) of your concern.

You and I have been fighting overwhelming odds to bring TV back to the days when it promoted, supported and reinforced traditional family values.

We've had some successes in our battle.

- We kept CBS from airing its tasteless GARBAGE PAIL KIDS cartoon show.
- We kept NBC from airing THE PRIZE PULITZER.
- We kept ABC from airing CRIMES OF PASSION II and SCANDALS II.

These shows never aired because no company was willing to take the risk of sponsoring this trash.

Not only have you helped keep a lot of filth off the air,

...you have also helped convince dozens of sponsors to end their support of blatantly anti-Christian TV shows; sponsors like Clorox, Burger King, Chrysler, Mazda and Ralston-Purina.

As bad as TV is, it would be a lot worse if it were not for you and your American Family Association.

As proud of our past accomplishments as we are, it's time to get back into the trenches.

L.A. LAW is one of Mr. Bochco's hit shows. Last spring (in 1991) he had one of his characters — C.J. Lamb — proclaim her lesbianism with a mouth to mouth kiss.

Now Lamb is one of the show's main characters.

Coincidentally, the actress who plays Lamb, the lesbian, in Bochco's L.A. LAW — Amanda Donohoe — is starring in a movie entitled **Lair of White Worm**. In this movie, Donohoe had to spit on a crucifix. Afterward she had this to say:

"Spitting on Christ was a great deal of fun."

Did anyone in Hollywood or the news media condemn her for it? Did anyone call her on the carpet for her