Pro-Life Attorney Headed For Jail

The California Supreme Court on July 18 denied Cyrus Zal's petition for *habeas corpus* and lifted the stay of Zal's 290-day sentence for contempt of court. The Supreme Court had issued the stay on June 14, pending its consideration of Zal's petition. The 290-day sentence for contempt was imposed by Judge Larrie Brainard in an Operation Rescue abortion trial in January of this year for questions Zal posed to witnesses in the trials, such as:

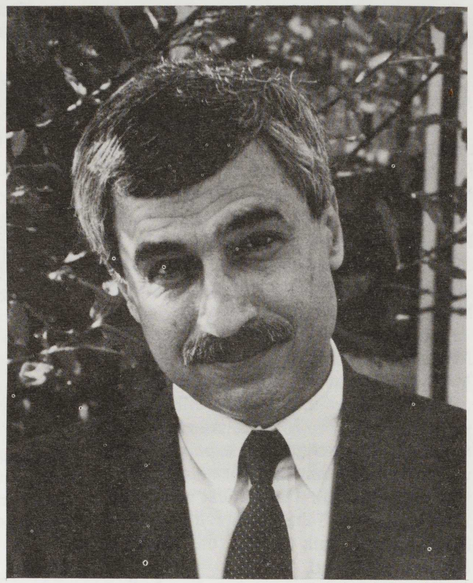
"Officer, were you an unborn baby at some time in your life?"

"How do you feel about making a living off the blood of babies?" he asked an abortion facility employee.

"Are you familiar with those facilities where two persons go in and only one person comes out alive?"

Zal commented on the California Supreme Court decision as follows:

"The California Supreme Court has joined the Hall of Shame with all the other courts that have been protecting child-killing in this country. Those justices that voted against my petition must live with their consciences and the fact that the blood of the slaughtered babies is now on their hands as well. I welcome jail for the sake of the unborn babies killed in this country and will try to use my jail time for the glory of God and for the sake of babies." ■



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L E T T E R S

Dear Advocate:

Our family was so elated seeing my son, Fr. Peter Ining with his prayer group on the cover of the June 1990 issue. It clearly depicts the wonderful work that these groups can do with prayer to save the unborn. Fr. Peter Ining is an associate pastor at the Assumption Church in East Los Angeles and he and his group continue to pray with his group regularly at the abortion clinics.

Sincerely,
Norma Ining
California

Dear Advocates for Life,

I have spent eight months in Vancouver and Ontario jails for peacefully trying to save babies. I am presently on parole. Read of your work and activities in the U.S.A., through articles in the June issue of the Interim. Your publication has been an inspiration and encouragement to many people, myself included.

Laird Swanson
Canada

Dear A.L. Staff,

I heard about your organization from the Operation Rescue phone message center.

We are interested in receiving a sample of *The Advocate*.

We believe there is a great need for alternative information sources, and particularly about abortion. The "legalized butchers" seem untouchable because of cultural acceptance of the practice of abortion.

The same was true of slavery.

The same was true of segregation.

Many people understand the humanity of an unborn child. I believe people are more aware of this than they used to be, and this is cause for hope (that our national and community values will change.)

It gets discouraging sometimes. We look forward to information and encouragement from your publication.

God bless,
Mike & Melodee McDonald
Tucker, Georgia

Dear Mom,

Gosh, can you believe that it's 1999 already? I'm still writing "1998" on nearly all my letters and checks. I can't believe that the year 2000 is just around the corner.

I know we haven't chatted since Christmas. Anyway, I have some difficult news and I really didn't want to call you on the phone and talk face-to-face.

Ted's been promoted and I should be up for a hefty raise this year if I keep putting in those crazy hours. You know how I work at that job, but you know what a struggle we still have with all our bills.

Timmy's been "OK" in kindergarten although he still complains about going. But then he wasn't happy in day care either, so what can we do? He's become a real problem, Mom. He's a good kid, but quite honestly he's really an unfair burden on us at this time in our lives. Ted and I have talked this through and finally made a choice. Plenty of other families have made this choice and are much better off for it.

Our pastor is supportive and says hard decisions sometimes are necessary. The family is a "system" and the demands of one member shouldn't be allowed to ruin the whole. He told us to be prayerful, consider ALL the factors and do what is right to make the family work. He says that even though he probably wouldn't do it himself, the decision is really ours. He assured us that God would understand. He was even caring enough to refer us to a clinic near here, so at least that part's easy.

I'm not an uncaring mother. I do feel sorry for the little guy. I think he overheard Ted and me talking about "it" the other night. I turned around and saw him standing on the bottom step in his pj's with the little bear you gave him under his arm and his eyes sort of welling up. Mom, the way he looked at me just about broke my heart. But I honestly believe this is better for Timmy too. It's not fair to force him to live in a family that can't give him the time and attention he deserves. And PLEASE don't give me the same kind of grief Grandma gave you over your abortions. It is the same thing, you know.

We've told him he is just going in for a vaccination. Anyway, they say the termination procedure is totally painless.

I guess it's just as well you haven't seen much of him.

Love to Dad,
Jane

Dear Andrew and Dawn,

Greetings from France! Praise God that more people are getting interested in the pro-life fight in Europe. A group of us want to translate as much material as possible from English to French. Could you please send us two of all of your hand-outs, flyers and brochures. Thanks for your help.

Because He lives,
Steve Baughman
France

Dear AFL:

I recently was handed a copy of *The Advocate* and was thoroughly edified by its coverage of how the Lord's Spirit is moving all over this land.

I have been involved in six rescue missions to date; five have resulted in my being arrested. Currently I am being named in a $50,000+ lawsuit because of a rescue in June 1989.

There are many voices stating whether this is truly Jesus' way. It helps keep me on track when I hear how He is speaking and moving in others as in your excellent magazine.

Sincerely,
Mary F. Kalk
Andover, MN

Dear Advocates,

We've recently received a copy of your magazine and would like very much to be on your subscription list. Enclosed is a check to that end. Maybe sometime soon we won't need this kind of information, but until...you're doing the pro-life community a much needed service.

Loving the Father & the babies,
The Mercers
LaPlace, LA

Dear Advocate,

Please send me a subscription to your magazine. I hope $20 will help to cover the cost.

My husband is now serving a 45 day sentence in L.A. for saving God's "little ones". There is a lot of persecution of rescuers in the L.A.-San Diego area. Many Christians are getting six months to one year in jail. It is very difficult for the ones with young families to support. Our area is involved right now in a lot of prayer, picketing and sidewalk counseling. We haven't rescued (blocked clinic doors) for three months now, as we are working hard to rescue the rescuers from the court system and the jails.

God bless you for your ministry. It really blesses me to know what is happening across America in this movement of God's.

Your sister-in-Christ,
Sandy Zuinn
Westminster, CA