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"... and having done all... stand firm." Eph. 6:13

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Moving Target: How Americans Pushed the Pioneer of Woke Retail to the Breaking Point

by Suzanne Bowdey

There've been times in this almost two-year wave of Pride pushback when Americans have to pinch themselves to believe their success. For longtime conservatives, Friday was one of those moments. After building the LGBT bandwagon that other companies hopped on, one of the country's most unrepentant extremists - Target - finally surrendered on its woke agenda, handing an army of consumer activists one of the most symbolic scalps yet.

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'Show Courage in Defense of the Unborn': March for Life 2025

by Ben Johnson

President Donald Trump, Vice President J.D. Vance, and a host of national pro-life leaders addressed the nation's largest pro-life gathering on Friday, where speakers had a simple message: "Show courage in defense of the unborn."

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PERKINS: 'How Is This Happening in America?'

by Tony Perkins

Last week began in the Capitol Rotunda with President Donald Trump taking the oath of office to become the 47th president of the United States. Over on MSNBC, Rachel Maddow and Joy Reid - offering color commentary - lamented the occasion and asked, "How is this happening in America?"

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Trump DOJ Drops Spurious Prosecution of Eithan Haim

by Joshua Arnold

The sham legal prosecution against Eithan Haim is over for good. After Haim blew the whistle on Texas Children's Hospital (TCH) for secretly providing gender transition procedures to minors in violation of state law, the Biden administration Department of Justice (DOJ) set out to ruin Haim's life and career. More than 18 months and \$1 million in legal fees later, Haim is finally free and clear.

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In Shift, Trump White House Displays Transparency, Emphasizes Free Speech

by Dan Hart

In a stark reversal from his predecessor, President Donald Trump has granted wide-ranging access to press reporters in the White House and has held numerous press conferences during his first four days in office. The new administration has also signaled that it will focus on protecting free speech and overhauling federal broadcasting agencies.

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'FEMA Is Getting in the Way': Trump Faults Disaster Relief Agency

by S.A. McCarthy

After a year of prominent failures from the nation's top disaster relief agency, President Donald Trump is suggesting that the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) be dismantled and states be empowered to respond to disasters on their own.

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2025 March for Life: 'Every Single Person ... Was Filled with Joy and Hope'

by Sarah Holliday

Despite frigid weather, gloomy skies, and snow actively falling from the sky, thousands still gathered together for last year's 51st annual March for Life. This year, however, the 52nd annual March was greeted with sunshine, optimism, and Americans excited not just to fight for life, but to finally be accompanied by an administration that is far more supportive than ever before.

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Trump Re-Designates Houthis a Terrorist Group

by Joshua Arnold

President Trump's inauguration has Iran's terrorist proxy in Yemen running scared. Hours before Trump took the oath of office, the Houthis (or "Ansar Allah") announced that their Red Sea piracy would no longer target American or British vessels, but only those associated with the state of Israel. Unimpressed by this last-minute concession, Trump ordered the State Department to redesignate the Houthis as a foreign terrorist organization (FTO) anyway.

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National Guardsman Challenges 'No Christian in Command' Policy

by S.A. McCarthy

A former Idaho National Guardsman is suing the Gem State after he was removed from command for expressing his biblical views on human sexuality. According to the lawsuit, the discrimination against Worley is rooted in comments he made when campaigning for mayor of Pocatello and, later, for Idaho State Senate.

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As More People Question Progressivism, Christians Should Be Stirred to Greater Evangelism

by Sarah Holliday

Just a few days into his second term, President Donald Trump has already made good on many of the promises he made to the Americans who voted for him. He implemented the "One Flag Policy," making it so that only the American flag is permitted on U.S. embassies and outposts. He's wiped federal websites of abortion and LGBT-related content. Diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI) are finally being confronted, and at long last, the crisis at the southern border is being tackled head-on. Oh, and let's not gloss over the fact that Trump has officially pardoned the 23 pro-lifers who were wrongfully thrown in jail under the Biden administration.

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How Do We Lower Crime, Poverty, and Substance Abuse? Bring Back Two-Parent Families.

by Kathy Athearn

The 2024 election revealed that an increasing number of Americans realize that the woke, DEI, transgender, Marxist policies pushed onto the country by the Biden administration and Democrats over the last four years are destroying our nation. We want to return to common-sense policies that will end illegal immigration, human trafficking, and drug trafficking, lower homelessness and crime, and enable families to afford food, gas, and housing again. Family Research Council's Joseph Backholm recently talked on the "Outstanding" podcast about how Americans can achieve these goals with founder and president of TakeCharge, Kendall Qualls.

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