

QA: What Can Be Done About the Shooting Massacre? by John T Polk II

All Scriptures and comments are based on the **New King James Version**, unless otherwise noted.

QUESTION: What can be done about the shooting massacres that occurred in El Paso, TX and Dayton, Ohio?

ANSWER: Preach the Gospel of Jesus Christ to every creature.

But in the meantime:

1) Speedily execute those who have done the murdering. God said:

"Whoever sheds man's blood, By man his blood shall be shed; For in the image of God He made man." (**Genesis 9:6**)

Solomon wrote:

Because the sentence against an evil work is not executed speedily, therefore the heart of the sons of men is fully set in them to do evil. (Ecclesiastes 8:11)

Paul wrote that:

[Civil government] is God's minister to you for good. But if you do evil, be afraid; for he does not bear the sword in vain; for he is God's minister, an avenger to execute wrath on him who practices evil. (Romans 13:4)

Government that doesn't exercise speedy capital punishment for murders is rebelling against God as much as those who commit the murders. If not, why not?

2) Remove all legal rulings and programs that discourage heterosexual marriages. God decreed:

"Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and they shall become one flesh." (Genesis 2:24)

After quoting this verse, Jesus added:

"Whoever divorces his wife and marries another commits adultery against her. And if a woman divorces her husband and marries another, she commits adultery." (Mark 10:11-12)

A government-authorized judge has no divine authority to approve what God has condemned. It is proven that in nearly all cases of mass murders, the shooter is a

male and from a fatherless home! The problem is not being a male, or having a gun, but stems almost entirely from the lack of a father.

If you endure chastening, God deals with you as with sons; for what son is there whom a father does not chasten? But if you are without chastening, of which all have become partakers, then you are illegitimate and not sons. Furthermore, we have had human fathers who corrected us, and we paid them respect. Shall we not much more readily be in subjection to the Father of spirits and live? (**Hebrews 12:7-9**)

Sons without loving paternal discipline are "illegitimate" and that damns everyone who "sired" them!!!!

3) **Quit routinely drugging boys with male behaviorial problems**. Buried up in the media coverage of mass murderers (especially school shooters!) is mention of behavior-altering drugs the males have been on, but either quit, or missed doses. This is a contributing factor. All such drugs have listed among their "side effects" violence, depression, or suicidal tendencies. Drugging someone to place them under another person's control is the definition of "sorcery / witchcraft" condemned as a "work of the flesh" in **Galatians 5:19-21**.

Because of our God-given "free will" no one can guarantee totally good behavior from anyone, but preaching the Gospel of Christ "to every creature" offers the best choice for the better way (Mark 16:15-16). Therefore, "Preach the Gospel."

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