

WHERE THE VICE PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES STAND ON LIFE



VIEWS ON ABORTION

MIKE PENCE supports legal protection for every unborn child: "I want to live to see the day that we put the sanctity of life back at the center of American law and we send Roe v. Wade to the ash heap of history."

KAMALA HARRIS supports abortion through all nine months of pregnancy. She is filibustering the Born-Alive Abortion Survivors Protection Act in the U.S. Senate, preventing a vote on this legislation to protect babies born alive after a botched abortion from being abandoned to die by abortion facilities.

VOTING RECORDS

MIKE PENCE has a 100% rating from National Right to Life for his time as a U.S. House Representative from Indiana (2001 to 2013), and had a prolife record as Governor of Indiana (2013-2017).

KAMALA HARRIS has a 100% rating from the National Abortion Rights Action League for her time as a U.S. Senator from California (2017- present).

JUDICIAL NOMINATIONS

MIKE PENCE criticized Chief Justice John Roberts recent abortion ruling in June v. Gee, calling it "a wake-up call for prolife voters around the country who understand, in a very real sense, the destiny of the Supreme Court is on the ballot in 2020."

KAMALA HARRIS criticized federal district judge nominee Brian Buescher in 2018 for his membership in the Knights of Columbus, suggesting the organization's prolife views disqualified him from serving as a federal judge. She criticized the nomination of Supreme Court Justice Brett Kavanaugh: "He was put on the Court through a sham process and his place on the Court is an insult to the pursuit of truth and justice."

FREEDOM OF SPEECH

MIKE PENCE supports the right to speak freely on the issue of abortion: "Freedom of speech is the bedrock of American democracy, that's why our founding fathers enshrined the freedom of speech, freedom of the press, in the first amendment of the constitution and I want all your listeners to know as they've seen this president and our administration take action to prevent online censorship in the past, that we're going to continue to lean into this effort."

KAMALA HARRIS, acting as the California Attorney General, directed a raid of the home of David Daleiden, the undercover journalist who exposed Planned Parenthood's human organ trafficking practices, to seize his recordings and video evidence before they could be released publicly.