



Yes on Proposition 30, No on Proposition 32

By Lyndah Martin

There are two initiatives on the statewide November ballot which are critical to our community. Both measures Prop. 30 and Prop. 32 will have a longtime effect on the future of our public education and the strength of our working community. I want to emphasize the importance of your vote. Please register to vote and then take the time to vote.

Vote Yes on Proposition 30 – the Governor’s Schools and Local Public Safety Protection Act – and against (No) Proposition 32, the Special Exemptions Act crafted to take away the political voice of California’s middle class.

It’s time to get California back on the road to recovery, and Prop. 30 will get the wealthiest in California to pay their fair amount of taxes. Passage of Prop. 30 will accumulate needed monies to keep classrooms open and many essential public services running.

In the past four years alone, funding for our schools and colleges have been cut by more than \$20 billion. As a result, millions of students (K-University) aren’t getting the financial resources they need.

Without passage of Prop. 30, our schools and colleges will face more cuts this fiscal year. There is a lot at stake. It is important to educate our community about why a “Yes” vote on Prop. 30 is so vital:

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40TH YEAR CHURCH ANNIVERSARY FULL STEAM AHEAD!



Excitement fills the air as we prepare for Love Center Ministries 40th Anniversary and Homecoming, October 19-21, 2012. Friday night at 7:30pm will be our concert

homecoming. Saturday evening at 6pm we will be dining at the FAZ Restaurant at 6pm. We top it all off on Sunday morning at 10am in our T-shirts and jeans with Bishop Keith Clark of Word Assembly Church. Through songs, music and the preached word, God has truly blessed far and near. Tickets for the concert, the Faz Restaurant and T-shirts are on sale now! See Ya there!

“THE POWER OF OUR VOICES”

By Stephalyn Cherry

The power of our voices is a right of expression; it gives us the power to produce an effect and to bring about results. We, God’s people, created with voices to name all the creatures great and small, to have dominion over every living breathing creature, the power to create, empower, encourage, teach, train, reassure with wisdom and love must speak with authority in all matters of life. Our voices give credence to the lost, the lonely, the brokenhearted and the dismayed. When everything they have worked for is gone, their loved ones have walked away because they are not what they used to be or what they said they would do or become.

CO-FOUNDER, EDWIN HAWKINS CELEBRATES HIS 69TH BIRTHDAY AND THE RESTAURANTS TAKE NOTICE!

MCCORMICK & KULETO'S
SEAFOOD RESTAURANT
HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO THE LEGENDARY EDWIN HAWKINS!! SUNDAY, AUGUST 19, 2012

Seafood	Appetizers
<p style="text-align: center;">~ASK YOUR SERVER~ ~WHICH SPECIES CAN BE SIMPLY GRILLED~</p> <p>MANILA CLAMS, WASHINGTON WILD DUNGENESS CRAB, BRITISH COLUMBIA CANADA WILD AHI TUNA, KAILUA, HAWAII MARIN MUYAGI OYSTERS, TOMALES BAY, CA BLACK MUSSELS, PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND STURGEON, SACRAMENTO DELTA, CA WILD SEA SCALLOPS, STONINGTON, CT WILD PETRALE SOLE, WASHINGTON WILD SWORDFISH, TALCAHUANO, CHILE WILD MAHI MAHI, MEXICO WILD HAMACHI, HAWAII WILD HALIBUT, HOMER, ALASKA HOG ISLAND OYSTERS, TOMALES BAY, CA</p>	<p>Fried Calamari with Garlic Oil, Caper Berries and Peppercornis.....10.95 Crab Cake Lump Crab served with Meyer Lemon Butter Sauce and Crispy Parsnips12.95 Grilled Melon & Prosciutto With Fresh Mozzarella, Arugula, Balsamic & Olive Oil drizzle10.95 Crab, Mango and Avocado Tower Lump Crab with Chive and Citrus Essences.....16.95</p>

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ALBA CLAM SHELL



McCormick & Kuleto's Specialties
White Clam Linguini

Co-founder of Love Center Ministries, Inc. celebrated his 69th birthday and yes, McCormick & Kuleto’s took notice with a little help from Nona Brown (who celebrated her birthday a week prior) with a special commemoration on the menu. Well deserved Edwin, Oh it was a Happy Day when you were born.

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- The wealthiest Californians are to temporarily pay a little more in income taxes. No couple making less than \$500,000 a year will see an income tax hike. The quarter-cent sales tax increase expires in four years.
- All of the new revenues go into a special fund the Legislature can't touch and contains strict accountability measures.

In addition, the middle class of California is facing a new threat, Prop. 32 and its proponents claim it as political reform. They say this will remove corporate interests from politics – Do not be fooled. Prop. 32 is written to silence the political voices of teachers, firefighters, nurses and other workers so only billionaire businessmen may influence government policy with their big money.

We need to ensure that voters understand why a “no” vote is important on Prop. 32. This initiative will prevent collective voices of union members from participating in elections utilizing “Payroll deduction.” It is designed to change the rules on engagement in California elections. Help us fight the evil intentions of the proponents on Prop. 32 (Vote No).

It actually takes the collective donations of workers to have a voice in politics. Big businesses outspend unions by a ratio of more than \$15 for every \$1 unions spend. In California. Prop. 32 must be defeated as it will silence our small collective voice (monies) and take away our collective contribution. You can't level the playing field when billionaires own all of the turf.

PLEASE vote in November for our students, our communities, and for a better future for California – Yes on 30 and No on 32!

Acts 20:35: In everything I did, I showed you that by this kind of hard work we must help the weak, remembering the words the Lord Jesus himself said: ‘It is more blessed to give than to receive.’”

**PLEASE SEE
LYNDAH MARTIN
OR
STEPHALYN CHERRY FOR
SUBMITTING ARTICLES.**

—THANK YOU.

THE POWER OF OUR VOICES

continued:

by Stephalyn Cherry

Our voices must speak to the child who has a learning disability and no one understands what they are going through at school or at home. The mother, who has three small children, their father killed in Iraq and now she depends on the government for help. The father, who after twenty years of going to work every day, no longer can put food on the table or is struggling to keep a roof overhead. What about the parents whose child is wreaking havoc in their home, at school, at church. Our voices must speak to the injustice of racial discrimination, the senseless and mindless killing all over the world, the separation of God's people because of denominations, who we think we are but are not according to God's word. The POWER OF OUR VOICES comes from the power that God has given us from the beginning. We as men and women of God are to speak to the mountains and know without a shadow of doubt, unwavering in faith that these mountains, and any example of a mountain, must and will move.

We must take this power and with are voices affect the moral and mental state of every living, breathing, walking, talking man, woman, young adult and child. Words such as no weapon formed against you shall prosper; you are more than a conqueror; now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen; God has not left you nor will He forsake you. So keep pressing toward the goal, which is Jesus, the Christ! The Word of God is our voice! It gives us the power to establish God's kingdom in us, through us, and for

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us in these present and last evil days. Therefore,
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II Corinthians 6:4-10 (NKJV)

4 But in all things we commend ourselves as ministers of God: in much patience, in tribulations, in needs, in distresses, 5 in stripes, in imprisonments, in tumults, in labors, in sleeplessness, in fastings; 6 by purity, by knowledge, by longsuffering, by kindness, by the Holy Spirit, by sincere love, 7 by the word of truth, by the power of God, by the armor of righteousness on the right hand and on the left, 8 by honor and dishonor, by evil report and good report; as deceivers, and yet true; 9 as unknown, and yet well known; as dying, and behold we live; as chastened, and yet not killed; 10 as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, and yet possessing all things.

Ephesians 6:10-20 (NKJV)

10 Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord and in the power of His might. 11 Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. 12 For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this age, against spiritual hosts of wickedness in the heavenly places. 13 Therefore take up the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand.

14 Stand therefore, having girded your waist with truth, having put on the breastplate of righteousness, 15 and having shod your feet with the preparation of the gospel of peace; 16 above all, taking the shield of faith with which you will be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked one. 17 And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God; 18 praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, being watchful to this end with all perseverance and supplication for all the saints— 19 and for me, that utterance may be given to me, that I may open my mouth boldly to make known the mystery of the gospel, 20 for which I am an ambassador in chains; that in it I may speak boldly, as I ought to speak.