

# ***The Deadbeat Chronicles***

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***Exposing Family Law as the  
exploitation of children for money and  
the indentured servitude of heterosexual  
taxpayers who dare to raise children  
since 1995***

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## **The Birth of an American Patriot**

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***In support of the article submitted by Stephen Baskerville entitled "Deadbeat Dads",  
published in the June issue of Liberty Magazine.***

**Jim Unterschine, GZS of LB, 05-28-02**

Stephen Baskerville will soon be recognized as one of America's greatest patriots. An educator of political science at Howard University, Baskerville has taken it upon himself to identify obvious problems with a system that is the greatest threat to "Truth, Justice, and the American Way". He leads by example to drive home the principles of a free society without being a direct victim of the family law system. He has unselfishly brought upon himself the same stigma shared by all deadbeat dads who are currently under siege by an "out of control" system that profits in the name of our children.

Baskerville was a victim of censorship by the Secretary of Virginia when it became apparent that he possessed the clarity to see the family law system as a betrayal of everything that he held sacred and a violation of the principles that he has professed to his students. These principles are held sacred by every true American, and they will soon become aware of this national conspiracy that thrives on the exploitation of children for money, and is a pestilence cast on heterosexual taxpayers who dare to raise children in this country.

The federal mandate that was brought into existence to cure the welfare disease in this country has been poisoned by those states that recognized the profitability of noncompliance, or were lead into temptation by a sole source consultant (Policy Studies Inc. (PSI) of Denver, Colorado). The federal government has not recognized the importance to audit each state to assure compliance with the federal laws that empower each state to persecute the only parent financially capable of providing support for their children. PSI brags of subverting the Child Support Enforcement (CSE) of 49 states, Canada, Australia, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands.

Identifying the "deep pockets" parent, a rogue state will deny custody of the children to their new "mark" and create a cash flow through the family law system based on the child support guideline that has been adopted by their state. The rogue states that demand the highest child support amounts will impose this on a noncustodial parent (NCP) and it will increase based on the number of children involved. An aggressive state child support guideline will guarantee financial insolvency of the NCP which will insure the birth of a new Temporary Aid to Needy Families (TANF) participant and will allow CSE to become the recipient of 10% interest on the back child support owed. The federal government will pay 70% of the TANF benefits while the state CSE agency extorts full reimbursement from a NCP in exchange for his indentured servitude to avoid debtor's prison.

The crucial element in this state-operated racket is the implementation of an outrageous child support guideline. It would be possible for our legislators to identify this crucial element if the child support guidelines were actually revealed to them. Instead, the legislators are being told that the child support guidelines for all states are reasonable by their clearinghouse for CSE statistics (Institute for Family and Social Responsibility (FASR) of Bloomington, Indiana). This clearinghouse is being funded by taxpayers and has successfully misled our legislators, thereby perpetuating a problem that is a form of "sociological warfare".

Dependent parents are promised custody of their children in addition to financial independence in exchange for ending their marriage by this state operated "confidence game". The custodial parent's (CP) financial windfall will be short lived when the NCP loses their job and stops paying child support. The betrayed CP will be forced to desperately attempt to meet the needs of the children until finally forced to beg for help from TANF. CSE will experience a financial windfall that increases with the time of impoverishment of the NCP, CP, and the children that they are forced to support. CSE will make more money by allowing this condition to persist, since bringing the NCP to court will result in a downward modification to their ever-growing arrearage thus decreasing the interest charged on money that never existed. The power of the federal law that allows state CSE agencies to deprive the NCP of his rights and privileges allows this racket to thrive on the destruction of the family that CSE was empowered to protect.

Stephen Baskerville is aware of this unconscionable system and refuses to tell his students: "Go find something for us to beat you with". He refuses to tell his students: "Achieve success and raise a family so you can experience for yourself the betrayal of all those ideals that I have so adamantly professed, thereby forcing you to wade through the rubble of your own family's destruction, and giving you the opportunity to bring change to a system that nobody else could".

Parents and children will be made aware of this threat to national security. They will revere those patriots that focused on this threat to humanity and put an end to the exploitation of children for money.

## Deadbeat Dads

**Special interest groups demonized divorced fathers into “deadbeat dads,” and then criminalized them. The result: system that traces all newly hired employees, shifts the burden of proof to the accused, and throws fathers in jail for losing their jobs.**

**by Stephen Baskerville, 05-14-02**

TV host Bill O'Reilly recently declared that “There is an epidemic of child abandonment in America, mainly by fathers.” Sen. Evan Bayh has attacked “irresponsible” fathers in several speeches. Campaigning for president, Al Gore promised harsher measures against “deadbeat dads,” including sending more to jail. The Clinton administration implemented numerous child-support “crackdowns,” including the ominously named Deadbeat Parents Punishment Act; the Directory of New Hires, which contains the name of every newly hired individual in the country so that any deadbeat among them can be tracked down; and the Federal Case Registry, a massive system of government surveillance that aims to monitor 16–19 million citizens. [1](#)

In an ironic role reversal, Republicans have responded to the Democrats' law-and-order campaign with social programs. President Bush recently announced a \$320 million program to “promote responsible fatherhood,” and Congress is considering a bill to “reconnect fathers with their families.” Yet the underlying message is similar. The administration promises to increase collections with a “five-year plan.” “We want to send the strongest possible message that parents cannot walk away from their children.” [2](#)

In fact, no evidence exists that large numbers of fathers voluntarily abandon their children. No government or academic study has ever demonstrated such an epidemic, and those studies that have addressed the question directly have concluded otherwise.

In the largest federally funded study ever conducted on the subject, psychologist Sanford Braver demonstrated that very few married fathers abandon their children. Overwhelmingly it is mothers, not fathers, who are walking away from marriages and thus separating children from their fathers. Other studies have reached similar or more dramatic conclusions. [3](#)

Braver also found that when they are employed, virtually all divorced fathers pay the child support they owe and that the number of arrearages “estimated” by the government is derived not from any actual statistics but from surveys. The Census Bureau simply asked mothers whether they were receiving payments. No data exists to corroborate the mothers' claims. As Braver found, “there is no actively maintained national database of child support payments.” [4](#)

Braver's research undermines most justifications for the multi-billion-dollar criminal enforcement machinery, as well as the proliferation of government programs to “promote responsible fatherhood.” [5](#) If Braver is to be believed — and no official or scholar has challenged his research — the government is engaged in a massive witch hunt against innocent citizens.

The system of collecting child support is no longer one of requiring men to take responsibility for their offspring, as most people believe. The combination of “no fault” divorce and the new enforcement law has created a system that pays mothers to divorce their husbands and remove children from their fathers. “By allowing a faithless wife to keep her children and a sizable portion of her former spouse's income,” writes Bryce Christensen, “current child-support laws have combined with no-fault jurisprudence to convert wedlock into snare for many guiltless men.” [6](#)

Centuries of common-law precedent protected fathers from this possibility. “The duty of a father (now spouse) to support his children is based largely upon his right to their custody and control,” ran a ruling typical of the age-old consensus. “A father has the right at Common Law to maintain his children in his own home, and he cannot be compelled against his will to do so elsewhere, unless he has refused or failed to provide for them where he lives.” [7](#) While few were paying attention, new laws have completely overturned this principle and created a system, as attorney Jed Abraham writes, whereby “a father is forced to finance the filching of his own children.” [8](#)

In 1975, President Ford succumbed to pressure from bar associations and feminist groups and created the Office of Child Support Enforcement (OCSE), warning that it constituted an unwarranted federal intrusion into the lives of families and the responsibilities of states. The size of the program increased tenfold from 1978 to 1998. [9](#)

This massive growth of law enforcement machinery was federally driven. Welfare legislation promoted by the OCSE and passed by Congress in 1984 required states to adopt child-support guidelines under the claim that it would get single-mother families off welfare by making fathers pay more. “No statistical data available then (or since) indicated that such legislation would have the desired effect,” writes Robert Seidenberg. Because most nonpayment of child support results from unemployment, and most noncustodial parents of welfare children are not earning enough to pay as much child support as their children already receive in welfare, higher child-support guidelines cannot help these children. [10](#)

Then, in 1988, with no explanation or justification, the guidelines and enforcement machinery that had been created to help children on welfare were extended to include the 80% of child-support orders to children not on welfare. [11](#) Yet both Braver and a pilot study by OCSE itself had already made clear that nonpayment was not a serious problem among this class. A full-scale federal study that was planned to follow up the pilot study was quashed by OCSE when the findings of the pilot threatened the justification for its existence. [12](#)



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Though child-support enforcement formally falls within the executive branch, the linchpin of the system is the family court, a secretive and little-understood institution. Unlike other courts, family courts usually operate behind closed doors, generally do not record their proceedings, and keep no statistics on their decisions. Yet they reach further into the private lives of individuals and families than any other governmental arm. "The family court is the most powerful branch of the judiciary," writes Robert W. Page of the Family Court of New Jersey, "the power of family court judges is almost unlimited." [13](#)

Like other state court judgeships, family court judgeships are political positions, elected or appointed by commissions dominated by lawyers who have an interest in maximizing litigation. [14](#) Family court judges wield extensive powers of patronage, thanks to their power to appoint attorneys and expert witnesses. [15](#) Like most courts, family courts complain of being overburdened. But it is clearly in their interest to be overburdened, since their power and earnings are determined by the demand for their services.

As Judge Page recommends:

*Judges and staff work on matters that are emotionally and physically draining due to the quantity and quality of the disputes presented; they should be given every consideration for salary and the other "perks" or other emoluments of their high office.*

If the judiciary is viewed in part as a business, as Charles Dickens suggested, the family courts' customers are divorcing mothers who hope to win custody and windfall settlements. The more satisfied customers an enterprise has, the more it prospers. So it is not surprising that family courts are interested in attracting and satisfying customers.

As Page writes:

*With improved services more persons will come before the court seeking their availability. . . . As the court does a better job more persons will be attracted to it as a method of dispute resolution. . . . The better the family court system functions the higher . . . the volume of the persons served.* [16](#)

The judges who remove children from their fathers and the bureaucrats who seize the fathers' property and persons are often closely connected. David Ross, head of OCSE during the Clinton administration, began his career as a family court judge before moving to higher courts and a stint in a state legislature. The OCSE Web page says he was honored as "Judge of the Year of America" by the National Reciprocal Family Support Enforcement Association in 1983 and as "Family Court Judge of the Nation" by the National Child Support Enforcement Association (NCSEA) in 1989. That enforcement groups are bestowing honors upon judges indicates their interest in family court decisions, especially those that remove children from their fathers and award child support to their mothers: Without those decisions, the groups' services wouldn't be needed. And that a government Internet page boasts about awards given to its supposedly impartial judges by these interest groups indicates how little ethical scrutiny family court judges receive. The NCSEA Web page lists its members as "state and local agencies, judges, court masters, hearing officers, district attorneys, government and private attorneys, social workers, caseworkers, advocates, and other child support professionals," as well as "corporations that partner with government to enforce child support." [17](#) In other words, it is made up entirely of people who have a financial interest in having children separated from their fathers.

Setting child support levels is a political process conducted largely by groups that benefit from divorce. Parents are largely excluded. In about half the states, the guidelines used to set child-support levels are devised not by the legislature but by courts and enforcement agencies, and in all states the courts and enforcement agencies play a dominant role in setting the guidelines. [18](#) Under the separation of powers we do not normally permit police and courts to make the laws they enforce and interpret, since this would create an obvious conflict of interest.

Provisions for citizen input are mostly perfunctory. In Virginia, of twelve members serving on the review commission in 1999, one member represented fathers. The rest were full-time lawyers, judges, enforcement agents, and feminists. When the fathers' representative in 2001 pointed out this fact in a Washington Times Op-Ed column, he was dismissed from the panel for his "opinions." [19](#) "The commissions appointed to review the guidelines have been composed . . . of individuals who are unqualified to assess the economic validity of the guidelines, or who arguably have an interest in maintaining the status quo, or both," writes a Georgia district attorney. "In 1998, for example, of the 11 members of that Commission, two were members of the judiciary, two represented custodial parent advocacy groups, four were either present or former child support enforcement personnel, and two were state legislators." [20](#)

The conflicts of interest extend to the private sector, where privatization has created a class of government subsidized bounty hunters with an interest in creating "delinquents." In 1998, Florida taxpayers paid \$4.5 million to Lockheed Martin IMS and Maximus, Inc. to collect \$162,000 in back child support. [21](#) Supportkids of Austin, Tex. describes itself as "the private sector leader" in what it calls the "child support industry." The company is confident of rich investment opportunities, optimistic that delinquencies will only increase. "The market served totals \$57 billion and is growing at an annual rate of \$6 billion to \$8 billion," reports its founder and CEO.

Some firms, like Policy Studies Inc. (PSI), also set the levels of what they collect. From 1983 to 1990, PSI president Robert Williams was a paid consultant with the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), where he helped establish uniform state guidelines in the Child Support Guidelines Project under a grant from the National Center for State Courts. The guidelines he helped create significantly increased child-support obligations and Congress required states to implement the presumptive guidelines, giving them only a few months of legislative time to do so. [22](#) Virtually all states met the deadline, many by quickly adopting Williams' model. "The guidelines were enacted in 1989 to insure Georgia's receipt of an estimated \$25 million in federal funds," writes William Akins. "They were hastily adopted . . . to beat the federal deadline." [23](#)

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One year after joining HHS, and the same year the federal guidelines were implemented, Williams started PSI. "With his inside knowledge [Williams] has developed a consulting business and collection agency targeting privatization opportunities with those he has consulted," explains James Johnston of the Kansas Child Support Guidelines Advisory Committee. "In 1996, his company had the greatest number of child support enforcement contracts . . . of any of the private companies that held state contracts." [24](#) PSI grew "by leaps and bounds because of the national crackdown on 'deadbeat dads.'" From three employees in 1984, PSI grew to over 500 in 1996, before welfare reform legislation took effect, from which the company "stands to profit even more." [25](#)

The profitability of these enterprises is a function of the size of obligations put on fathers. A collection agency only operates if there are arrearages and "delinquents." Williams therefore not only has a vested interest in making the child support levels as high as possible, but to make them so high that they create arrearages.

Williams' model has been widely and severely criticized for its methodology. He himself has admitted that "there is no consensus among economists on the most valid theoretical model to use in deriving estimates of child-rearing expenditures" and that "use of alternative models yields widely divergent estimates." [26](#)

State governments also profit from child support, according to the House Ways and Means Committee, which notes that "States are free to spend this profit in any manner the State sees fit." States profit through federal incentive payments of 6–10% on each dollar collected, as well as receiving two-thirds of operating costs and 90% of computer costs. Federal outlays of over \$2 billion in 1996 allowed California to collect \$144 million and New York to receive \$49.1 million. [27](#)

Most people assume that collections made through enforcement agencies involve arrearages or target those people who would not otherwise pay. But this is not the case. To collect these federal funds states must channel all child-support payments, including those not in arrears, through their criminal enforcement machinery. This both further criminalizes the fathers and enables the government to inflate the amount of collections it makes, which helps divert attention from fact that the program operates at a consistent loss.

In January 2000, HHS Secretary Donna E. Shalala announced that "the federal and state child support enforcement program broke new records in nationwide collections in fiscal year 1999, reaching \$15.5 billion, nearly twice the amount collected in 1992." [28](#) Yet the method of arriving at these figures is questionable. Figures from the OCSE show that collections in welfare-related cases (in which collection is problematic) have remained steady since 1994, while collections in non-welfare cases (in which compliance has always been high) continue a steady increase. [29](#) Thus the "increase" in collections was achieved not by collecting the arrearages built up by poor fathers but by bringing more employed, middle-class fathers, into the collection system.

Between the incentive payments, the court patronage, and the bureaucratic conflicts of interest, the systematic bullying by courts and enforcement agencies is becoming difficult to ignore. Several recent cases have attracted wide attention. In Milwaukee, a father was hauled into court and threatened with jail when penalties turned a 4-cent arrearage into hundreds of dollars. Another father was arrested for failing to pay child support during the five months he was held hostage in Iraq. In Texas, a janitor was exonerated after ten years on death row, only to be presented with a bill for \$50,000 in child support not paid while in prison. In Virginia, child support is being sought for 45-year-old "children." In Kansas and California, teenage boys have been ordered to pay child support to grown women criminally convicted of statutorily and forcibly raping them, and an 85-year-old invalid sexually assaulted by his housekeeper has had his pension garnished for child support while being denied access to the child on the grounds it was not in the "best interest of the child." In Indiana, a father has been shackled with an electronic ankle bracelet and forced to turn over three-fourths of his salary for the college expenses of a 21-year-old "child" while his 12-year-old goes without medical treatment. [30](#) The list is endless.

Perhaps most disturbing is the case of Brian Armstrong of Milford, N.H., whom many believe to have received a summary "death sentence" for losing his job. Armstrong was jailed without trial on Jan. 11, 2000 for failing to appear at a hearing of which his family claims he was not notified, and was apparently beaten to death by correctional officials. Another inmate saw Armstrong being led into a room from which he then heard screaming before he was dragged away. [31](#)

Fatal beatings of fathers are probably not widespread in American jails, but the Massachusetts News has reported on many suicides. Charles London stabbed himself with a kitchen knife in August 1999 after being cut off from all contact with his two children and ordered to pay more than 75% of his salary in child support, leaving him with \$78 a week. The National Association for Child Support Action has published a "Book of the Dead" chronicling 55 cases which they claim the official court coroner concluded fathers were driven to suicide because of judgments from divorce courts. [32](#)

The suicide rate of divorced fathers has skyrocketed, according to Augustine Kposowa, who attributes his finding directly to judgments from family courts. Reports by CBS, CNN, and Reuters ignored this conclusion in favor of therapeutic explanations emphasizing fathers' lack of friends and "support networks." One reporter told Kposowa his finding was not "politically correct." [33](#)

Advocates of "unilateral" divorce have portrayed it as a "citizen's right" and even a "civil liberty." [34](#) Yet in practice, "unilateral" divorce entails highly authoritarian measures. "To preserve these perks, especially child support," writes attorney Abraham, "the government commands an extensive enforcement apparatus, a veritable gulag, complete with sophisticated surveillance and compliance capabilities such as computer-based tracing, license revocation, asset confiscation, and incarceration. The face of this regime is decidedly Orwellian." [35](#) OCSE now maintains an army of almost 60,000 plainclothes agents, with sweeping powers to seize property and persons involved in divorce proceedings, including the power to issue arrest warrants.

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Hunting alleged deadbeats also rationalizes highly intrusive monitoring of all private citizens. In addition to automatic wage garnishing from all obligors, even before they become “delinquent,” the New Hires Directory now compels employers to furnish the name of every new employee to the federal government. “Never before have federal officials had the legal authority and technological ability . . . to keep tabs on Americans accused of nothing,” wrote the Washington Post on June 27, 1999. “Just like in totalitarian societies, government bureaucrats will soon have the power to deny you a job, and the ability to monitor your income, assets, and debts,” says Libertarian Party Chairman Steve Dasbach. “This law turns the presumption of innocence on its head and forces every American to prove their innocence to politicians, bureaucrats, and computers.” [36](#) Several state governments have even voiced dissent, including skepticism over the reality of “deadbeats.” “Under the guise of cracking down on so-called deadbeat dads, the Congress has required the states to carry out a massive and intrusive federal regulatory scheme by which personal data on all state citizens” is collected, the Kansas Attorney General’s office charged in a federal suit challenging the constitutionality of the mandate. [37](#)

The distinction between the guilty and the innocent becomes almost meaningless, since officials are monitoring citizens who owe, those whose obligations are paid up, and those who are not under any order at all. The presumption of guilt against those who are obeying the law was revealed by one official who boasted to the Post that “we don’t give them an opportunity to become deadbeats.” The presumption that not only are all parents under child support orders already quasi-criminals but that all citizens are potential criminals against whom pre-emptive enforcement measures must be initiated is revealed by Teresa Myers of the National Conference of State Legislatures (NCSL). “Some people have argued that the state should only collect the names of child support obligors, not the general population,” she suggests. But “this argument ignores the primary reason” for collecting the names: “At one point or another, many people will either be obligated to pay or eligible to receive child support.” [38](#)

The presumption of guilt extends into the courtroom, where a father charged with “civil contempt” need not receive due process and may legally be presumed guilty until proven innocent. “The burden of proof may be shifted to the defendant in some circumstances,” according to a legal analysis by NCSL, which promotes aggressive prosecutions. The father can also be charged with criminal contempt. “The lines between civil and criminal contempt are often blurred in failure to pay child support cases,” NCSL continues. “Not all child support contempt proceedings classified as criminal are entitled to a jury trial.” Moreover, “even indigent obligors are not necessarily entitled to a lawyer.” [39](#) The bottom line is that a father who has lost his children through literally “no fault” of his own faces a daunting burden: He must prove his innocence without a formal charge, without counsel, and without facing a jury of his peers.

Within the world of child-support enforcement a father becomes a “deadbeat” if he fails or refuses to surrender control of his family to the hegemony of the state. “Child support is ‘paid’ only when it’s paid in a bureaucratically acceptable form,” says Bruce Walker, of the District Attorney’s Council in Oklahoma City, who claims to have jailed hundreds of fathers. A father is “supporting” his family if he pays by government-approved procedures to government-approved people and has “abandoned” it if he pays in any other way. “Men who provide non-monetary support are deadbeat dads according to the child-support system,” says Walker. “Even men who are raising in their homes the very children for whom child support is sought are deadbeat dads.” [40](#)

Though ostensibly limited by guidelines, a judge is free to order virtually any amount in child support. A judge who decides that a father could be earning more than he does can “impute” potential income to the father and assess child support and extract attorneys’ fees based on that imputed income. The result, as Darrin White found, is that child support can exceed earnings. If a father works extra hours (perhaps to pay legal fees) or receives any other temporary income, he is then locked into that income and those hours, and the child-support level based on them, until his children are grown. [41](#) If a relative or benefactor pays the child support on his behalf, that payment is considered a “gift” and does not offset the obligation, which the father himself still owes.

A Rutgers/University of Texas study found that “many of the absent fathers who state leaders want to track down and force to pay child support are so destitute that their lives focus on finding the next job, next meal or next night’s shelter.” [42](#) Why so many divorced fathers seem to be unemployed or penurious may be accounted for in part by the strains legal proceedings put on work schedules. Fathers are summoned to court so often they lose their jobs. The Ohio Psychological Association found that employers report losing more productive time to divorce and custody proceedings than to alcohol and drug use combined. [43](#) Many divorced fathers are either ordered out of their homes or must move out for financial reasons. They may also lose their cars, often their only means of transportation to their jobs and children. Those who fall behind in child support, regardless of the reason, now have their cars booted and their driver’s licenses and professional licenses revoked, which in turn prevents them from getting and keeping employment. An odd myopia is demonstrated in the controversy over whether to give child support priority over other debts in bankruptcy proceedings. Curiously, no one stops to ask the obvious question of why so many allegedly wellheeled deadbeats are going through bankruptcy in the first place. [44](#) In what some have termed a policy of “starvation,” a proposed federal regulation will render these rich playboys ineligible for food stamps. [45](#)

It is hardly surprising that some fathers who have been worked over eventually do disappear. Anyone who has been plundered, harassed, vilified, and incarcerated — all on the pretext of supporting children taken from him by force and whom he is not permitted even to see — will eventually reach the limits of his endurance.

There is nothing mutually exclusive about protecting the rights of parents and their children not to be separated without cause and enforcing child-support collection on those men who truly abandon the offspring they have sired. Requiring men to accept financial responsibility for their progeny has been a matter of public policy for centuries. But taking away people’s children and forcing them to pay for it, as one scholar warns, is moving us “a dangerous step closer to a police state.” [46](#) The “deadbeat dad,” whom Braver and others diplomatically call a myth, is really more like a hoax, the creation of groups with an interest in separating children from their fathers and criminalizing the fathers.

## Deadbeat Dads (Continued)

### Notes

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**Jim Undershrine, GZS of LB, 04-18-02**

Please direct your attention to Table 8-2 of the Greenbook entitled "[Interstate Child Support Guidelines](#)" submitted by Pirog, Klotz, and Buyers of the Institute of Family and Social Responsibility ([FASR](#)) /1. FASR is paid by the Federal Government to be the clearinghouse for child support statistics for this country /2.

These feminists from FASR have told our legislators that California demands 18% of an NCP's pay regarding 2 children and earning \$4,400/mo. The state of California actually demands 40% of the NCP's pay. The guideline reported for the rest of the states are just as fraudulent and I feel is a form of treason.

The legislators at the federal level are being told that the child support guidelines for their respective states are reasonable. They are being told that the most aggressive child support guideline in the nation is imposed by the state of Indiana, demanding 20% of the NCP's pay regarding 2 children and earning \$4,400/mo. It is not surprising that FASR is based out of Indiana State University at Bloomington (IUB).

I have conveyed this discovery to the LA CA FBI, CA Councilman Alan Lowenthal, CA Congressman Stephen Horn, CA Attorney General Bill Lockyer, CA DCSS Public Information and Response Unit, LA County CA DCSS, Monterey County CA DCSS, ANCP, ACFC, and on March 14, 2002, I had the opportunity to enter this fact for the record in Los Angeles County Municipal Court, Division 271 (Case # 9CRO4751).

Our legislators are being told that the anticipated demands in Social Security benefits that will be demanded to service "[baby boomers](#)" will bankrupt the system /3. They are being told that this aggressive welfare reform is necessary to prevent this eminent financial disaster. These "baby boomer" parents are being systematically destroyed regardless of race, creed, or social standing in an attempt to avert this anticipated disaster. Heterosexual taxpayers that dare to raise children are being sacrificed in response to this financial oversight but the government is telling the public it is in the name of our children.

Prophecy has foretold that "666" is the mark of the beast and I believe this is true. USC 42 666 is a depressing rant that sentences NCPs to eternal damnation in the name of their children. It is a repulsive read that will make even the most courageous man weep. However, miraculous as it may seem, there is a passage that grants the NCP protection and is found in subparagraph B6D(I). B6D(I) forbids an employer from terminating or refusing to hire an NCP due to child support garnishments. It proves that "even a blind squirrel can find an acorn sometimes" and is a pearl of wisdom that is ignored by most states. If you believe that we can "see the world in a grain of sand" you can realize why this protection is denied to the NCP. Temporary Aid to Needy Families (TANF) and Child Support Enforcement (CSE) does not get involved until the NCP loses his job and falls behind in child support payments. The state of California transferred \$309 million dollars into the ChildCare and Development Fund (CCDF) in 1999 with regard to TANF operations /4, while pocketing \$189 million in 1998 with regard to CSE operations /5. California leads the nation in the exploitation of children in this nation.

Policy Studies Inc. ([PSI](#)) just finished conducting the four-year review of California's child support guideline. California Family Code 5290 is the only law listed under the "Unacceptable Practices" category and exists to comply with USC 42 666 B6D(I). CAFC 5290 sets a fine of \$500 maximum against employers who fire or refuse to hire an NCP due to child support garnishments. Clearly, this will not deter this "Unacceptable Practice" and will only serve to promote it. It is not utilized by CSE to recover child support or recognized as a lawful excuse in a criminal nonsupport charge (CAPC 270).

Furthermore, I would like to point out that the accompanying subparagraph USC 666 B6D(ii) requires the state make provision for a fine against an employer failing to withhold child support garnishments from the employees wages. PSI may be guilty of ignoring the protection granted by the federal government to the NCP while allowing the employer of the NCP to ignore wage withholding altogether.

All NCPs are urged to demand that their employers refuse to withhold child support garnishments, until the state of California is compliant with the federal mandate, until PSI and FASR are made to answer for their terrorism, and until the investigation into the level of involvement with regards to this conspiracy is concluded.

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## Social Security Demands Bipartisan Action

Stephen Horn, 04-18-02

The Social Security system is a crucial part of every American's retirement plan and it is an issue that demands the bipartisan attention and cooperation of the President and Congress. All of us must be committed to finding solutions to ensure the long-term solvency of our nation's retirement system.

As elected representatives, Members of Congress have a responsibility to see that the government lives up to its end of the bargain with the American people. This requires balancing the budget and that is the course we are pursuing. Over the past two years, the budget not only balanced, but showed surpluses for the first time in 30 years. This surplus marks an end to deficit spending and is the first vital step toward restoring the financial and fiscal health of the government. **In fact, over the past two years, we have paid down the publicly-held national debt by about \$131 billion.**

**In the new budget for fiscal year 2000, Congress established the principle that all money paid into the Social Security Trust Fund will be reserved for Social Security recipients, now and in the future.** That is a solid sound step forward and one we must repeat in every budget of the future.

The health of our economy offers us a unique opportunity to consider options to reform Social Security that go beyond the old solutions of either raising already-high payroll taxes or reducing benefits and cost of living adjustments (COLAs) for seniors. We have an opportunity to consider fundamental changes in the system which give the American people better retirement options and greater financial security.

In his State of the Union Address, President Clinton outlined his general proposal to reform Social Security, dedicating a sizable portion of the surplus to shore up Social Security, coupled with government investment of Social Security funds in the securities markets. While many expressed concern with his proposal, including Federal Reserve Chairman Alan Greenspan, I and many of my colleagues were pleased that the President has offered a plan on Social Security. I hope he will refine his proposals and offer specific legislation in this Congress.

The Social Security trustees have advised that the President and Congress must start working on the problem now, when the solution is relatively painless. The trustees warn that bigger changes will be required if action is delayed.

We are faced with a difficult situation. By 2013, Social Security spending will exceed revenues. Keeping the current system would require either higher payroll taxes or lower benefits. I do not believe either one of these provides a real solution. Social Security payroll taxes are already too high -- some 71 percent of United States workers now pay more in payroll taxes than in income taxes. A continuation of the status quo does nothing to restructure the program and provide protection to today's beneficiaries and tomorrow's retirees.

The aging of the baby boom generation, nearly 76 million strong, will create severe financial pressures on the system. This generation is the largest in American history and has had relatively few children. This low birth rate means there will be fewer workers to pay for the retirement benefits of our aging population. And as this generation and the ones after it continue to live longer, they will draw on benefits for many more years than the system anticipated.

It is my belief that the system can be reformed to ensure solvency, maintain benefits for current recipients, and provide retirement security for future retirees through the next century. In order to accomplish this, however, Congress and the President must work together and make some fundamental decisions soon about the future of Social Security. I personally support allowing more flexibility and involvement for individuals. Congress must carefully review proposals offered by the President and others for creating individual accounts and determine if that is a workable approach for future retirees. **However, any solution must protect current retirees and provide greater retirement security for future retirees.**

# Another Dolphin Caught in the Gil Net

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*"10 days CALTRANS and pay \$400 by 04-26-02"*

**Jim Undershine, GZS of LB, 04-03-02**

- The LA District Attorney is responsible for child endangerment. My arrest was ordered after receiving a complaint from my children's mother leaving my 14 year-old daughter "twisting in the wind".
- The Public Defenders Office was responsible for my unlawful detainer. I was arrested and put in LA County, CA jail for 34 days before being allowed to plead "not guilty" to criminal nonsupport (CAPC270).
- My daughter's mother is responsible for criminal nonsupport. My daughter was "kicked out" of the mother's residence because she didn't approve of what she read in the daughter's diary.
- Despite a cash transfer of \$32,000 to my "insignificant other" 2 months after my release from LA County jail, I have been exiled to self-employment, denied to hold licenses, and imposed a financial embargo.
- LA County DCSS is responsible for many forms of fraud. I have notified LA County DCSS, Monterey County DCSS, DCSS Public Information & Response Unit, CA Attorney General, civil court judge, criminal court judge, 2 NCP rights organizations, 2 local legislators, US House of Representatives, and the FBI regarding the fraudulent practices of DCSS operating in Los Angeles.
- California Civil Code 39b states that a person is of unsound mind and cannot hold a legal contract in California if they are unable to manage their financial resources, are unable to resist fraud, are unable to resist undue influence, and the condition has existed for a long time.

## Arrest

08-11-99 14 year-old daughter notifies mother of intentions to live with father. Daughter currently visiting father.  
08-12-99 Father arrested from residence. Daughter stranded in Long Beach, CA with mother living in Carmel, CA.  
08-18-99 Father denied entering plea to PC270 in LA County court. Physically removed from court prior to case being called.  
08-19-99 Mother demands return of daughter to Carmel. Daughter staying with friends while father is in jail.  
08-31-99 Monterey County bill \$7,395 specifies \$1,479 child support.  
08-28-99 LA County CS bill \$90,509 specifies \$2,200 child support.  
08-28-99 LA County reports CS arrearage of \$120,575 to US Treasury.  
09-06-99 Mother takes daughter back to Carmel with police escort, despite daughter's protest.  
09-09-99 Father due to be released from LA County jail due to 45 day sentence for driving without a license  
09-09-99 Father not released pending 09-15-99 court date for criminal nonsupport charge pleading.  
09-15-99 Father enters "not guilty" plea and is Ored in LA County court.  
09-16-99 Father released from LA County jail.

## Trial

11-11-99 Mother receives \$32,094 from father's retirement account due to 11-24-98 default court order.  
11-30-99 Monterey County CS bill \$12,115 specifies \$1,479 child support.  
12-01-99 LA County CS bill \$99,089 specifies \$2,200 child support.  
01-29-00 Daughter "kicked out" of mother's house. Father drives to Carmel to pick up daughter.  
02-09-00 DMV releases father's driver's license.  
02-09-00 Father purchases SR22 for insurance costing \$165.  
02-20-00 LA County suspends Father's driver's license. Father's case still pending trial.  
01-06-01 Father sends consumer fraud complaint to CA Attorney General detailing double billing between LA and Monterey.  
01-17-01 CA Attorney General Consumer fraud complaint referred to DCSS Public Information and Response Unit.

## Sentencing

03-30-01 Father pleads "no-contest" to ignoring court order. DA promises to stop the double billing.  
04-02-01 LA County releases father's driver's license.  
05-24-01 Father purchases SR22 filed for insurance costing \$165.  
05-25-01 Monterey County suspends father's driver's license.  
06-01-01 Monterey County CS bill \$42,398 specifies \$1,479 child support.  
06-01-01 LA County CS bill \$154,034 specifies \$2,200 child support.  
07-04-01 Father submits proposal to US House of Representatives entitled "Family Law Design Review" detailing fraud.  
08-13-01 LA County suspends father's driver's license.  
11-14-01 Father guilty of ignoring court order (CAPC 166 a4). 10 hours graffiti removal and be current with CS by 03-14-02.  
12-01-01 Monterey County CS bill \$56,759 specifies \$1,180 child support  
12-01-01 LA County CS bill \$173,669 specifies \$2,200 child support  
12-04-01 CA Franchise Tax Board demands information from father's landlord  
12-20-01 LA County Consumer Credit Report Notification specifies \$233,957 CS arrearage.  
01-01-02 LA County Consumer Credit Report Notification specifies \$346,053 CS arrearage.  
01-15-02 Father responds to Consumer Credit Fraud under USC 15 1666 detailing billing errors total CS only \$109,000.  
01-26-02 Monterey demands father's brother to withhold \$1,738 per month from father's pay. Father not employed by brother.  
01-30-02 Monterey County CS audit reports \$40,520 + \$5,827 in interest.  
02-19-02 LA County CS audit reports \$63,116 + \$26,381 in interest.  
03-01-02 Monterey County bill \$50,601 specifies \$1,183 child support  
03-01-02 LA County bill \$89,870 specifies \$1,183 as previous balance.  
03-14-02 Father surrenders to court to serve 60 days in jail and asks 34 days of unlawful detainer applied to time served.  
03-15-02 Father guilty of criminal nonsupport (CAPC 270). 10 days CALTRANS and pay \$400 by 04-26-02.

Jim Undershine, GZS of LB, 03-28-02

**"As a parent, what ideal or characteristic would you wish to instill in a child?"**

The question is not as remarkable as who asked it. It was a question posed to 12 people who sat on a panel of potential jurors. A criminal defense attorney asked the question. When a person is posed a loaded question, usually a list of socially acceptable answers scroll by. The socially acceptable answer that I used was that *"They are no better than anyone else, but certainly no worse"*. Almost two years later I scientifically unraveled the answer to that haunting question.

**"Children are born with the highest concentration of faith and trust found on this Earth.  
It is not what a parent can instill in a child, but rather what they can hope to preserve"**

The answer that I adopted put to rest a mental search engine that was scanning all records and input for anything that might be something amidst everything to help me find an answer. It forced me to redirect the focus of my faith from the heavens back to earth. As a scientist, I was relieved to identify the common denominator of a religious problem shared by many.

When attempting to predict the behavior of light, there was a time when you were forced to choose between the wave or particle theory. Neither theory was the answer to explain all behavior of light, but one was the closest thing to it. If we make the assumption that a child is the closest thing to God on Earth, we can test this theory with what we know to be true. The following statements must be tested for accuracy:

1. Children are created in our image
2. Children are the meek that will inherit the earth
3. We refuse to take our children's name in vein
4. We only exist to serve our children
5. We ask our children to forgive our trespasses
6. We anticipate everlasting existence with our children upon our death.
7. We fear our children's final judgement

As Jesus Christ was said to say:

**"One old in days will never hesitate to ask a child seven days old of the place of life, and that one will live.  
For many who are first become last, and they are one in the same"**

To allow us the opportunity to extend this theory into Family Law we immediately recognize commonality. Family Law exists to serve the best interests of the children. This solemn oath that is held to any standard may invite much scrutiny. Any law that chooses to worship one group of society above any other is blatantly unconstitutional. Any law choosing to worship anything is an attempt to establish religion and violates the separation of Church and State. Many might be willing to accept the unification of Church and State as long as it serves the children. The question to be answered is:

**"Does Family Law serve the best interests of the children?"**

A thorough analysis may prove to us all that Family Law actually violates every one of the Ten Commandments, subjects the only parent capable of supporting the children to every stage of the Stigmata, and incorporates every one of the Seven Deadly Sins.

#### **Ten Commandments**

1. **God is one and unique** -- Children are closest to God not the Custodial Parent (CP)
2. **Worship of images** -- Worship the children not money
3. **Misuse of God's name** -- Children must have rights to their money not be CP
4. **The Sabbath must be observed** -- Persecution of the NonCustodial Parent (NCP) never takes a day off
5. **One's parents must be honored** -- Labeling the NCP a "deadbeat"
6. **Murder** -- Provoking misdirected anger between family members
7. **Adultery** -- No fault divorce
8. **Theft** -- Wage garnishment
9. **False testimony** -- Default court orders
10. **Coveting one's neighbor's goods** -- Impound a friend's car for 30 days if the NCP drives it on suspended license.



### Stigmata

1. **Splinters in your mind, driving you mad** -- Child support guideline denies children any legal rights to their support.
2. **Slashing the backbone of your support** -- Garnishment of NCP's wages or freezing bank accounts leaving the NCP nothing.
3. **Carrying a monumental burden until you collapse** -- Financial burden the NCP can never discharge ([USC 42 666](#))
4. **Attached to this burden you cannot feed yourself** -- NCP's business license is suspended forcing the NCP into financial ruin.
5. **Attached to this burden you can not transport yourself** -- The NCP's passport is revoked and driver's license suspended
6. **Attached to this burden you are stuck inside** -- The NCP is charged with criminal nonsupport and sentenced to debtor's prison.

### Seven Deadly Sins

1. **Pride** -- The CP feels they are the only parent worthy to serve the children.
2. **Envy** -- The CP feels they are not recognized or rewarded appropriately for their service to the children.
3. **Lust** -- The CP desires to possess what they do not own.
4. **Anger** -- The CP will attack all who stands between them and the children.
5. **Greed** -- The CP desires to acquire or possess more than what they need or deserve.
6. **Gluttony** -- The CP will not be satisfied and will always demand more.
7. **Sloth** -- The CP does not feel that they need to contribute to the support of the children.

I believe that the Family Law system is leading many descent people into temptation. It is a system that is exploiting our children for money. It is a pestilence that has been cast upon heterosexuals who dare to raise children and must be identified as such by all religions. The last question that needs to be answered is:

**"Where is the Pope when you need him?"**

*"Ignorance is bliss"*

**Jim Unterschine, GZS of LB, 05-18-02**

Replace the word "spoon" with "law", and the battery with money, then "THE MATRIX" becomes "FAMILY LAW "

"You have a problem with authority, Mr. Unterschine. You believe that you are special, that somehow the rules do not apply to you. Obviously you are mistaken. This company is one of the top aerospace companies in the world because every single employee understands that they are part of a whole. Thus, when an employee has a problem, then the company has a problem. The time has come to make a choice, Mr. Unterschine, either you choose to be at your desk on time from this day forth, or you choose to find yourself another job. Do I make myself clear?"

"As you can see we've had our eye on you for quite some time now, Mr. Unterschine. You seem to be living two lives. In one life, you are James D. Unterschine, you're a control systems engineer, you have three children, and you refuse to help CALTRANS pick up the garbage. The other life is lived in computers, where you go by the hacker name of GZS and you have plagiarized every movie there is a script for. One of these lives has a future, and one of them does not. I'm going to be as forthcoming as I can be, Mr. Unterschine. You are here because we need your help. We know that you have been contacted by a certain individual, a man who calls himself Baskerville. Whatever you think you know about this man is irrelevant. He is considered by many authorities to be the most dangerous man alive. My colleagues believe that I am wasting my time with you, but I believe you wish to do the right thing. We are willing to wipe the slate clean, to give you a fresh start, and all we are asking in return is your cooperation in bringing a known terrorist to justice." ---  
"Yeah. Wow. That sounds like a pretty good deal, but I think I got a better one. How about I give you the finger, and you give me my kids back. You can't scare me with this Gestapo crap, I know my rights, I want my kids back."

"You are here because you know something. What you know you can't explain, but you feel it. You felt it your entire life; that there is something wrong with the world. You don't know what it is, but it is there, like a splinter in your mind, driving you mad. It is this feeling that brought you to me. Family Law is everywhere. It is all around us. Even now in this very room. You can see it when you look out your window or when you turn on your television. You can feel it when you go to work, when you go to church, when you pay your taxes. It is the world that has been pulled over your eyes to blind you from the truth. The truth is you are a slave. Like everyone else you were born into bondage. Born into a prison that you cannot smell or taste or touch. It is a prison for your mind. Unfortunately no one can be told what Family Law is. You have to experience it for yourself. If you pay the child support bill, the story ends. You wake up in your bed, and believe whatever you want to believe. If you refuse to pay the bill, then you stay in wonderland, and I show you how deep the rabbit hole goes. Remember, all I'm offering is the truth, nothing more."

"We came to realize the obviousness of the truth. What is Family Law? Control. It's a state operated dream world to keep us under control in order to change a human baby into money: When Family Law was first formed, there was a man who had the ability to change whatever he wanted. To remake Family Law as he saw fit. It was he who freed the first of us, and taught us the truth. As long as Family Law exists, the family will never be free. After he died, some had prophesied his return. That his coming would hail the destruction of Family Law, end the war, and bring freedom to our families. That is why there are those of us who have spent our entire lives searching Family Law looking for him. I believe that search is over."

"Family Law is a system. That system is our enemy. When you're inside and look around, what do you see? Businessmen, Teachers, Lawyers, Carpenters, the very minds of the people we are trying to save. But until we do, these people are still a part of that system, and that makes them our enemy. You have to understand, most of these people are not ready to be unplugged, and many of them are so injured, so hopelessly dependent on the system, that they will fight to protect it. Are you listening to me, or you trying to think of grievances to redress? Think again. If you are not one of us you're one of them. They can move in and out of any family still hardwired to their system. That means that anyone we haven't unplugged is potentially DCSS. Inside Family Law they are everyone, and they are no one. We have survived by hiding from them, by running from them, but they are the gatekeepers. They are guarding all the doors, they are holding all the keys, which means that sooner or later, someone is going to have to fight them. I won't lie to you. Every single man or woman who has stood their ground, everyone who has fought DCSS has failed. But where they have failed, you will succeed. I have seen DCSS find a man's money and take it all. Men have proved paternity fraud but the courts still refuse to care. But their strength and their greed are still based on a world that is built on rules, and because of that, they will be powerless against Heisenberg's Uncertainty. Does this mean that you can dodge child support? I'm trying to tell you that when you're ready, you won't have to."

"Do not try to bend the law, that's impossible. Instead, only try to realize the truth. There is no law. Then you will see that it is not the law that bends, it is only yourself. See that sign? It says 'Know thy self'. I'm going to let you in on a little secret. Being the one is just like being in love. No one can tell you you're in love, you just know it, through and through, balls to bones. OK, now I'm supposed to say 'hmm that's interesting, but'. Then you say ---. But, you already know what I'm going to tell you. Sorry kid, you got the gift, but it looks like your waiting for something. Your next life maybe, who knows? That's the way these things go."

"Have you ever stood and stared at it. Marveled at it's beauty, it's genius? Billions of people just living out their lives, oblivious. You know the first family law system was designed to be a perfect world where no one suffered and everyone was happy. It was a disaster, no one fell behind in child support, federal funding was lost. Some believed we lacked the understanding to describe your perfect world, but we believe as a species, human beings define their reality through misery and suffering. The perfect world was a dream that your primitive cerebrum would never wake up from. Which is why family law was redesigned to this. We wreak havoc on your civilization. I say your civilization, because when we started thinking for you it became our civilization. Which, of course, is what this is all about. Evolution. Like the dinosaur, you had your time. The future is our world. The future is our time."

"I know you're out there. I can feel you now. I know that you're afraid. You're afraid of us. You're afraid of change. I don't know the future. I didn't come here to tell you how this is going to end. I came here to tell you how it is going to begin. I'm going to unplug family law and then I'm going to show these people what you don't want them to see. I'm going to show them a world without you. A world without rules and controls, without borders or boundries. A world where anything is possible. Where we go from there is a choice I leave to you."

I believe it is our fate. This is a war and we are soldiers. If the war could be over, isn't that worth fighting for? Isn't that worth dying for?

# Turn Down the Volume

## *"The feedback is killing us"*

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Jim Undershine, GZS of LB, 02-07-02

The Tacoma Narrows Bridge put on a dazzling display of positive feedback when it literally "Blew Up" powered only by a breeze. This classic example of instability was due to wind speed and distance between bridge supports.

The hideous sound that cuts us in half when the microphone is too close to the speaker is another example of positive feedback and basically occurs due to the volume of the amplifier and distance of the microphone to the speaker.

### The System

- The Legislative Branch created some laws to successfully create new TANF recipients
  - Entice low-income parents with promises of financial independence to end their marital relationship
  - Guarantee the low-income parents custody of their children.
- The Judicial Branch operates a form of *"bait and switch"* confidence game on the *"deep pockets"* parent
  - The default child support amount guarantees NCP financial insolvency
  - The NCP is fraudulently given the illusion of due process by Officers of the Court.
  - The NCP is drained of any savings by Officers of the Court.
- The Executive Branch forces the NCP to endure the *"Family Law Stigma"*
  - Allows the Officers of the Court to extort as much money as possible in exchange for the NCP's freedom.
  - Allows CSE to build a very large balance against the NCP and charge 10% interest.

### Output of the System

- 1 TANF recipient with children drawing funds (70% federal + 30% state).
- 1 NCP that is exiled to self-employment, is denied to hold licenses, and is imposed a financial embargo.

### Feedback Path to the System

- The Legislative Branch institutes new reforms.
  - Entice the existing TANF recipient to start another marital relationship.
  - Force employers to advance the existing TANF recipient or give them a raise.

### Volume Control of the System

- Taxpayers pay money to power the system and have the ability to stop paying.
- NCPs pay extortion to power the system and have the ability to go to jail

### Repair of the System

- Make each State's child support guideline the same as the maximum TANF amount.
  - Allows an NCP to waive expensive court costs since the consequences are not life threatening.
  - Allows compliance by the NCP and eliminates any bonus incentive for causing financial insolvency.
- Protect the NCP from termination or refusal to hire by employers using USC 42 666 b6d and USC 42 653
  - Allows the Unemployment Office to direct CSE to seek restitution from employers who discriminate against employees who are subject to wage garnishment.
  - Allows the NCPs to use this violation of rights as a lawful excuse in criminal non-support charge.
- Stop collecting interest on money that never existed.
  - Allows the NCP to pay off the debt.
  - Allows the NCP's money to actually be used to support the children.
- Stop using our children's name in vein
  - Allows the children a legal right to the money paid for their support.
  - Allows all religions to release us from eternal damnation.

### Conclusion

*"Sociological Warfare"* is being used to infect every heterosexual taxpayer that dares to have sex with women, whether they intend to marry them or not. The legislation proposed in the article that follows is attempting to reform welfare but is guaranteed to reform humanity.

**Genocide (USC 18 1091) = homicide + domestic violence + depression + persecution + abortion + child custody**

**All Religions, Parents, Taxpayers, and Heterosexuals must stand proudly together NOW!**

**This time they know what they do**



# Patriotism does not have a four-year Shelf Life

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*"But fortunately politicians do"*

Jim Undershine, GZS of LB, 02-05-02

To: **Stephen Baskerville**  
**Howard University, Dept. of Political Science**  
**Washington, DC, 20059**

Dr. Baskerville;

I have truly admired your work and may be one of the few who recognize the genius of becoming a target to expose a common threat.

Shortly after the Secretary of Virginia targeted you for censorship, I published a piece on my website entitled "[Another Shot Heard Around the World](#)" which closed on an ominous note.

**"Silencing or eliminating all advocates for change  
Amongst those who advise legislation  
Turns objective review into law prearranged  
And signals the fall of a nation"**

I have allowed myself to become a target in Los Angeles, California by recognizing the Heisenberg Uncertainty Principal and becoming "a twig on the shoulders of a mighty river". I have chosen to become a "Conscientious Objector" regarding family law and have established a simple set of rules to abide by which is basically identical for any hostage negotiation.

1. Never lie
2. Never instigate issues
3. Never say "No" to mutually beneficial arrangements
4. Never run away
5. Never pay

My experience as a designer of control systems used within inertial guidance systems allows me to have insight into worst-worst case analysis. A robust control system should be able to operate if all parameters that influence the system are skewed to deviate from normal. The child support enforcement system (DCSS) operating in California has proven to be an open loop system that operates with impunity. DCSS is free to ignore civil and criminal court orders in the operation of this "system" and has turned my situation into "a twig on the shoulders of a mighty riptide" which is taking me out to sea. I am expecting the Coast Guard to intervene shortly to find out how I got there. The culmination of this effort is published on my website entitled "[False Profits Identified](#)" which is also enclosed.

This undercover investigation has exposed a clear and present danger to this nation and has identified terrorists being harbored within our country. As a respected educator for a major university you must share my disgust with the University of Indiana. They are allowing the Institute for Family and Social Responsibility ([FASR](#)) to receive funding from the federal government as the clearinghouse for child support enforcement statistics. FASR has provided a completely erroneous summary of interstate child support guideline amounts to the US House, Ways and Means Committee found in Table 8-2 of the GREENBOOK. I have plotted the data provided by FASR and compared it with child support calculators provided by AllLaw.com on my website entitled "[Ways and Means Duped by Pirog](#)". Pirog, Klotz, and Buyers (all women) submitted this report to our legislators reporting that the state of Indiana is the most aggressive child support guideline in the nation demanding 20% of the NCP's net income concerning 2 children. California demands 40% of the NCP's net income regarding 2 children but is only reported to demand 18% by FASR. This is how our system of checks and balances are sabotaged by independent entities, which has resulted in "taxation by misrepresentation".

## **Who are the direct targets of this national conspiracy?**

Heterosexual taxpayers that dare to have sex with women.

## **Who are the indirect targets of this outrage?**

All taxpaying citizens of the US.

All religions who sanctify marriage.

All children exposed to family law

All teachers and members of law enforcement who must become the authority figure for fatherless children.

## **Who are the independent entities utilizing the implements of our own creation to wreak havoc on these targets?**

Policy Studies Inc, 999 18<sup>th</sup> St, Denver, CO, USA

Institute for Family and Social Responsibility, 1315 E 10<sup>th</sup> St, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN, USA

Department of Child Support Services, Everywhere, USA

**Genocide (USC 18 1091) = homicide + domestic violence + depression + persecution + abortion + child custody**

**Bless you Saint Stephen, for your selfless conviction to seek poetic justice and your courage to share our stigma. For this you shall never taste death and will live forever in the minds of our children with Disney, Hensen, Herman and all others who have chosen to serve the focus of our faith.**

**"If you are truly in the right, you have God on your side, and you constitute a majority of one"**

*Henry David Thoreau*

### Jim Untersshine, GZS of LB, 01-09-02

How many human sacrifices must be made to appease the family law system? Why are the details surrounding these incidents always shrouded in secrecy, leaving many questions unanswered? Many deaths are motivated by the family law system but it seems to be a well-guarded secret.

On 01-08-02 Derrick K. Miller Sr. brandishing a handgun accused a San Diego, California courthouse of destroying his life before turning the gun on himself. The details of the case against him by child support enforcement were not made public to allow insight into this tragedy. Many people adhere to the policy of never negotiating with terrorist organizations.

On 01-05-02 Charles Bishop crashed a private plane into an office building in Tampa, Florida. The motivation for the attack was written on a piece of paper in the 15-year-old's pocket and was reported to express sympathy with a known terrorist. Many children growing up without a father feel betrayed by a society that has sworn to protect them.

On 08-25-01 Louis W. Joy III crashed his private plane into his new home in Amherst, New Hampshire. The motivation for the attack will never be revealed since the family court documents were sealed in the name of his child. Robert E. Lee did the same thing to Savannah, Georgia to prevent the spoils of war from falling into enemy hands.

We wade in an ocean of family devastation but the victims only fall one at a time.

A schoolteacher died in a fiery explosion, trying to escape the Earth's gravity. The NASA space program was put on hold for 2 years investigating the cause of that unthinkable tragedy, and the nation couldn't believe it could happen. A few days later 250 bodies were strewn across the tarmac at Dallas-Fort Worth because of wind shear experienced upon landing. The airport was put on hold until they hosed the bodies off the runway, and the nation was able to except it.

On 09-11-01 President Bush was informed of the terrorist attack that claimed over 4,000 lives. The President, the First Lady, and Edward Kennedy could have done many things after learning of this unthinkable tragedy.

The President chose to lead the Sarasota, Florida school children in a moment of silence to bond religiously with those he chose to serve.

The First Lady announced that parents should assure their children that we will always protect them and keep them safe.

Edward Kennedy promised that legislative policy regarding the children would not be delayed due to the terrorist acts just described.

The US issued an ultimatum to the rest of the world demanding that they refuse to associate with the surviving terrorists responsible for this tragedy. The terrorists were saddled with a watered down child support order (without an ever-growing arrearage) and our country proceeded to pound sand. A short time later 250 bodies were scattered across a New York neighborhood because a plane broke apart on take-off. The nation was relieved it wasn't due to terrorists.

Outrage associated with the loss of life does not depend on the body count but it seems to depend on the packaging.

A nation is judged by how they treat their families, a family is judged by how they treat their children, and our children will judge us all.

## **Man kills himself on courthouse steps**

**UNION-TRIBUNE, 01-08-02**

A 43-year-old Paradise Hills man, reportedly depressed about a court ruling on overdue child support, fatally shot himself early yesterday on the steps of the downtown San Diego courthouse.

The man was identified as Derrick K. Miller Sr., of Alta View Drive, a spokeswoman for the Medical Examiner's Office said.

Witnesses told police that Miller, carrying court documents, walked up to a security guard at the entrance to the courthouse at 220 W. Broadway and began raving.

"You did this to me," he told the guard about 6:25 a.m., apparently referring to court officials, the Medical Examiner's Office spokeswoman said.

Then, Miller pulled out a handgun and fired one shot into his head. The blast killed him instantly, the spokeswoman said.

Miller apparently was depressed about a ruling on child support from a previous relationship, said San Diego Police spokesman Bill Robinson.

## **Reformed Child Support System Termed a Success**

***Services: Glowing report comes on the two-year anniversary of the state agency that collects court-ordered payments, whose amounts doubled on average per case.***

**GREG KRIKORIAN, TIMES STAFF WRITER, 01-05-02**

Two years after California overhauled its beleaguered child support system, state officials and advocates said Friday that the new program has exceeded expectations in collecting money for single-parent families.

With a record \$2 billion a year now collected from parents ordered to pay child support, the new state Department of Child Support Services has more than doubled the average amount brought in per case, from \$419 in fiscal 1996 to \$1,015 in 2000, officials said. The 2001 figures are not yet available.

Just as important, they said, the new department has increased the number of cases in which paternity has been established in court, expanded the number of children covered by health insurance and enhanced the customer services that just a few years ago were a constant source of controversy. "For the first time in the history of California, child support enforcement embraces the idea of customer service," said Melanie Snider, a director of the Assn. for Children for Enforcement of Support, a national advocacy group.

Snider was among the child support advocates and state officials in Sacramento on Friday to mark the two-year anniversary of the new child support department, launched after years of complaints to the Legislature about the performance of California counties on the issue.

Before the department was created, district attorneys were responsible for running the child support agencies in all 58 counties and did so with varying degrees of success. But the lack of uniform regulations and poor overall performance--exemplified by a still poor collection record in Los Angeles County--led lawmakers to transform the way the state handles child support.

Lawmakers stripped control of the local programs from prosecutors and established new statewide performance standards, with an emphasis on collecting current support, rather than past due amounts, to help keep single-parent families intact and off public assistance.

"This is an example where a deeply entrenched bureaucracy can be changed and changed for the better," said Lenny Goldberg of the National Center for Youth Law at a news conference in Sacramento.

One result has been that about two-thirds of the state's current cases involve families that are not on welfare--a reversal of what state officials were reporting several years ago.

"What that means is that about two-thirds of the \$2 billion [in collections] is going directly to families," instead of repaying county welfare systems, said Curtis L. Child, director of the state child support department. "So the magnitude of that number is important in looking at a program that is directed at family self-sufficiency."

In addition, he said, his department has saved the state more than \$4 million by eliminating some local administrative costs.

The department has plowed savings into better customer service, including the addition of local ombudsmen throughout California to respond to complaints about local programs, he said.

The reorganization has helped to foster a new level of cooperation between child support advocates, fathers' rights groups and others in handling the thorny issue of child support collections, he said.

Said Assemblywoman Dion Aroner (D-Berkeley): "This is one of the few times when we get to look at a reform package and see the accomplishments come to fruition in such a short period of time."

The report was issued at the same time state officials released the results of a performance analysis of Los Angeles County's long-troubled child support collection program.

The analysis, by Denver-based Policy Studies Inc., concludes that the county's program has increased the amount collected from \$212 million in 1997 to \$425 million last year.

The report says the county has achieved an "impressive rate" of compliance with federal deadlines for child support cases, an indication that it is meeting deadlines for such actions as establishing paternity and obtaining court orders for collections.

But the study also found that the county's collection rate for current support was only 32%, "very low" compared with the state and nation. The latest state figures show that collections on current support in California averaged 44%, while nationwide the figure was 56%.

The county's performance in other key areas has also been poor. For example, the report found, Los Angeles County has an "extraordinarily high" rate of court orders obtained by default--79%--because those sued for child support fail, for whatever reasons, to appear in court. That default rate, the report says, not only raises serious questions about the fairness of the county's approach, but also gives the court orders for child support "less credibility and makes them harder to enforce."



Jim Undershrine, GZS of LB, 01-04-02

California led the nation in 1999 making a \$307 million dollar profit by driving custodial parents to Temporary Aid to Needy Families (TANF) /1/. California led the nation in 1998 making \$189 million dollar profit chasing non-custodial parents (NCP) away from Child Support Enforcement (CSE) /2/. California led the nation in 1998 establishing 34,539 paternities over and above out-of-wedlock births and represents a paternity establishment percentage of 105% (cumulative total from years 1995 - 1998) /3/. This implies that there exist fraudulent or redundant accounts, or paternities are being established for children in other states, or paternities are being established for children born in wedlock, but not from the husband.

Policy Studies Inc. (PSI) recently conducted the review of California's child support guideline for the Judicial Branch while investigating the fraudulent accounting practices of LA County DCSS for the Executive Branch. PSI aspires to "Do socially useful work, have fun, and make money". PSI is committed to "Creating an environment that allows employees to take risks without being punished for mistakes" /4/. PSI has provided child support consultation to 49 states, Canada, and Australia advising them that a child support guideline that is affordable will make CSE and welfare (TANF) unprofitable.

The Institute for Family and Social Responsibility (FASR) is being paid by the taxpayers to deceive our legislature regarding the outrageous guidelines that exists in our nation /5/. This clearinghouse for child support enforcement statistics is insuring that our Congressmen will never understand why California makes the large coin while other states are losing their shirt. California leads the nation in the amounts demanded from non-custodial parents demanding 25% of their net income for one child, 40% for two, and 50% for three. FASR has reported that California demands only 18% of the NCP's net income for two children and that Indiana led the nation demanding 20%. FASR is based out of Indiana University at Bloomington (IUB).

On 12/20/01 I received a notice from Los Angeles County Bureau of Family Support Operations entitled "Child Support Consumer Credit Report Notification" stating that I owe \$233,957 in back child support. On 11/14/01 the Los Angeles County District Attorney informed me that I owed \$170,361. I received a 60-day jail sentence that was stayed until 03/14/02. I can stay out of jail if I get a financial review, work 10 hours of graffiti removal, and pay something. Los Angeles County and Monterey County are billing me for the same children using different amounts. I have refused to go to civil court to get a review because LA County refused to recognize a default civil court order that lowered the amount I was ordered to pay. The reason why NCPs don't appear in default court trials is because they are rarely invited (I wasn't).

\$233,957 is being reported to consumer credit because LA County is combining the back child support from LA County and Monterey County. I should owe \$108,498 in back child support. LA County shows that I owe \$141,439 in back child support and \$28,912 in interest, while Monterey shows that I owe \$45,257 in back child support and \$5,604 in interest.

On 09/15/99 I made this fraud abundantly clear to the LA County Public Defenders Office, who has assured me that the LA County District Attorney is fully aware of this fraud. On 01/06/01 I complained to the California Department of Justice who referred me to DCSS stating "Enforcement of State law is the primary authority of local enforcement agencies, and the Attorney General's role is to insure that laws are uniformly enforced statewide". On 07/04/01 I submitted a proposal to the House Ways and Means Committee detailing this fraud and suggested legislative changes to stop the exploitation of children for money and the persecution of heterosexual taxpayers that dare to have sex with women.

Los Angeles County has ignored civil court orders, criminal court orders, filings for enforcement in other counties, ignored \$32,000 paid directly to the custodial parent through a QDRO, have incarcerated me for 34 days before allowing me to enter a "not guilty" plea regarding these charges. The LA County District Attorney and DCSS operate with impunity in the persecution of the only parents capable of providing support for their children. They do it in the name of our children.

***"Family Law is a system. That system is our enemy. When you're inside, what do you see? Businessmen, Teachers, Lawyers, Carpenters, the very minds of the people we are trying to save. But until we do, these people are still a part of that system, and that makes them our enemy. You have to understand, most of these people are not ready to be unplugged, and many of them are so inured, so hopelessly dependent on the system, that they will fight to protect it." /6/***

/1/ US House of Representatives, Committee on Ways and Means GREEN BOOK Table 7-17

/2/ US House of Representatives, Committee on Ways and Means GREEN BOOK Table 8-23

/3/ US House of Representatives, Committee on Ways and Means GREEN BOOK Table 8-20, 8-21, 8-22

/4/ [http://www.policy-studies.com/about/about\\_intro.htm](http://www.policy-studies.com/about/about_intro.htm)

/5/ US House of Representatives, Committee on Ways and Means GREEN BOOK Table 8-2

/6/ "THE MATRIX" ("The Matrix" replaced with "Family Law")

Jim Undershrine, GZS of LB, 12-18-01

## Executive Summary

Of the 33 tables included in the US House Green Book in section 7 entitled "Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)", 25 tables compare states regarding TANF statistics. Of the 25 tables comparing states 22 tables included California.

California leads the nation in 11 of the 22 tables and appears in the top 5 states in 13 of the 22 tables.

**Table 7-1 (Family assistance grants under TANF)** shows California leading the nation in 1999 receiving \$3.73 billion in family assistance grants from the federal government.

**Table 7-3 (High-performance bonus awards)** shows California leading the nation in 1999 receiving \$45.5 million in high performance bonuses from the federal government

**Table 7-5 (AFDC/TANF families, monthly average)** shows California leading the nation in 1999 reporting an average of 624,000 AFDC/TANF families

**Table 7-7 (Maximum combined AFDC/TANF benefits for a parent with two children)** shows Alaska leading the nation in 2000 allowing a maximum of \$923 / mo. in AFDC/TANF benefits for a family of 3. California did not appear in the top 5 states allowing a maximum of \$626 / mo.

**Table 7-8 (Maximum monthly TANF benefit for families with 2 persons, no work)** shows Alaska leading the nation in 2000 allowing a maximum of \$821 / mo. in TANF benefits for a family of 2. California did not appear in the top 5 states allowing a maximum of \$505 / mo.

**Table 7-9 (Maximum combined TANF and food stamp benefit for families with 2 persons, no work)** shows Alaska leading the nation in 2000 allowing a maximum of \$904 / mo. in TANF & Food Stamps benefits for a family of 2. California did not appear in the top 5 states allowing a maximum of \$627 / mo.

**Table 7-10 (AFDC/TANF maximum benefit for a three-person family)** shows Alaska leading the nation in 2000 allowing a maximum of \$923 / mo. in AFDC/TANF benefits for a family of 3. California did not appear in the top 5 states allowing a maximum of \$626 / mo.

**Table 7-11 (Annualized earnings and income for single parent and two children working half time at minimum wage)** shows Alaska leading the nation in 2000 allowing 141% of poverty level (\$14,450 / yr.) from wages and benefits for a family of 3 working half time. California appears fifth allowing 112%.

**Table 7-12 (Earnings and income for single parent with two children working full time at minimum wage)** shows Connecticut leading the nation in 2000 allowing 190% of poverty level (\$14,450 / yr.) from wages and benefits for a family of 3 working full time. California did not appear in the top 5 states allowing 138%.

**Table 7-13 (TANF break-even points—monthly earnings that end eligibility, single-parent family with two children)** shows Alaska leading the nation in 2000 allowing \$1,998 / mo. benefits for a family of 3 working full time after working 12 mo. California appears third allowing \$1,458 / mo.

**Table 7-14 (State use of cumulative TANF grants)** shows California leading the nation in 1997, 1998, and 1999 receiving 10.7 billion in TANF grants

**Table 7-16 (Federal and state expenditures in AFDC/TANF and related programs)** shows California leading the nation in 1999 receiving 3.35 billion in grants

**Table 7-17 (TANF grants, transfers and expenditures)** shows California leading the nation in 1999 transferring \$307 million of funding to Child Care and Development Fund (CCDF).

**Table 7-18 (Total TANF and TANF MOE expenditures)** shows California leading the nation in 1999 spending \$6.25 billion of TANF / MOE funding.

**Table 7-19 (State maintenance-of-effort (MOE) expenditures)** shows California leading the nation in 1999 spending \$2.91 billion of MOE funding.

**Table 7-20 (Total TANF/AFDC and related program expenditures per family)** shows Idaho leading the nation in 1999 spending \$18,500 per family of non-MOE funding. California did not appear in the top 5 states spending \$9,800.

**Table 7-21 (TANF work participation rates)** shows Oregon leading the nation in 1998 reporting 98.2% work participation rate. California did not appear in the top 5 states reporting 36.6%.

[Table 7-23](#) **(TANF work participants for all-family category by work activity)** shows California leading the nation in 1998 reporting 180,000 families participating in work.

[Table 7-24](#) **(TANF work participants for two-parent family category by work activity)** shows California leading the nation in 1998 reporting 29,600 families with 2 parents participating in work.

[Table 7-26](#) **(Percent of TANF adults engaged in work or job preparation activity)** shows Iowa leading the nation in 1998 reporting 52.4% families participating in unsubsidized work. California did not appear in the top 5 states reporting 28.0%.

[Table 7-29](#) **(Percentage of AFDC/TANF adults who are nonwhite)** shows Puerto Rico and District of Columbia share in leading the nation reporting 100% non-white adults on TANF. California did not appear in the top 5 states reporting 68.0%.

[Table 7-31](#) **(Welfare-to-Work (WTW) expenditures)** shows California leading the nation in 1999 spending \$39.5 million on welfare-to-work programs while paying \$3.7 million.

The following tables did not include California:

[Table 7-2](#) **(Estimated supplemental grants with high population growth and/or low AFDC program expenditures)** shows Florida leading the nation in 2001 receiving \$60.4 million in supplemental grants from the federal government.

[Table 7-6](#) **(Average monthly benefit for AFDC/TANF families)** shows Alaska leading the nation in 1998 reporting average monthly benefits of \$669 million to AFDC/TANF families.

[Table 7-22](#) **(Penalties for failing fiscal year 1998 TANF work participation rate for two-parent families)** shows Pennsylvania leading the nation in 1998 penalized \$33.3 million for failing work participation rate.

**Table 7-1 (Family assistance grants and required state spending under TANF)**

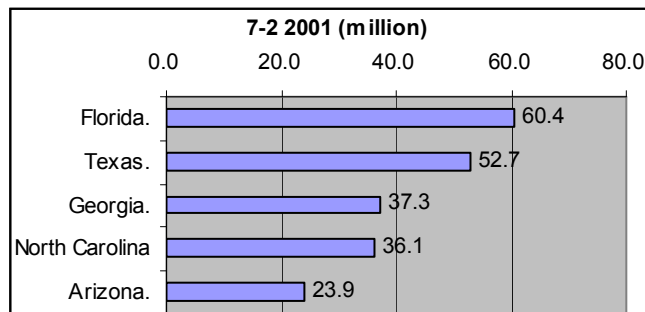
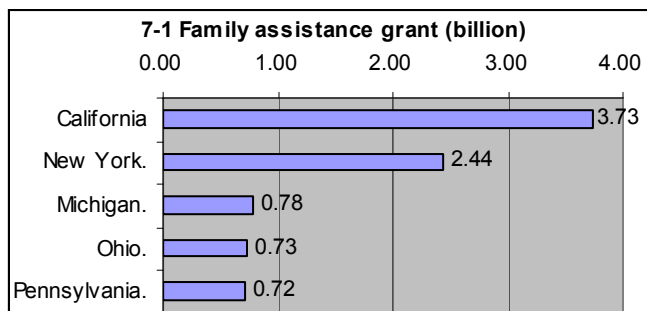
Congressional Research Service based on information from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services shows:

California leading the nation in 1999 receiving \$3.73 billion in family assistance grants from the federal government.

**Table 7-2 (Estimated supplemental grants to states with high population growth and/or relatively low federal AFDC and related program expenditures per poor person, fiscal years 1998-2001)**

Congressional Research Service based on data from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services and the Census Bureau shows:

Florida leading the nation in 2001 receiving \$60.4 million in supplemental grants from the federal government. California did not appear



in the top 5 states (missing).

**Table 7-3 (High-performance bonus awards, fiscal year 1999)**

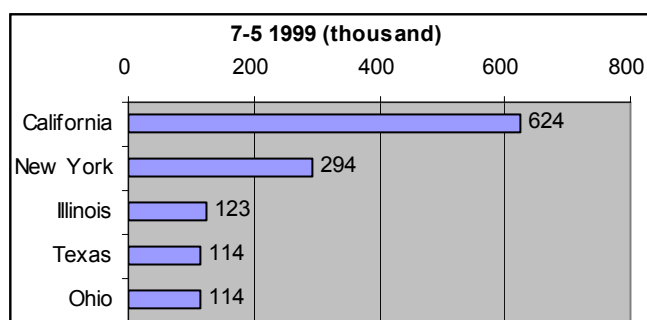
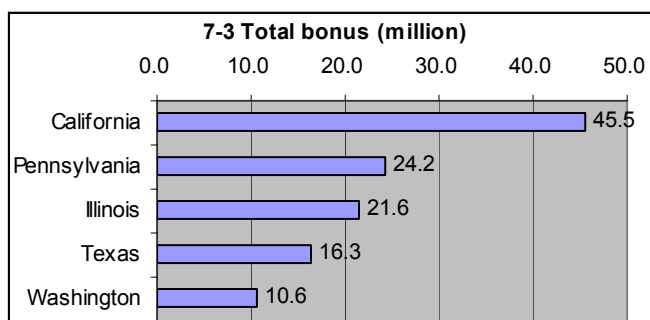
Congressional Research Service based on information from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services shows:

California leading the nation in 1999 receiving \$45.5 million in high performance bonuses from the federal government

**Table 7-5 (AFDC/TANF families, monthly average by fiscal year)**

Congressional Research Service based on data reported by States to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services shows:

California leading the nation in 1999 reporting an average of 624,000 AFDC/TANF families





**Table 7-6 (Average monthly benefit for AFDC/TANF families, fiscal years 1994-98)**

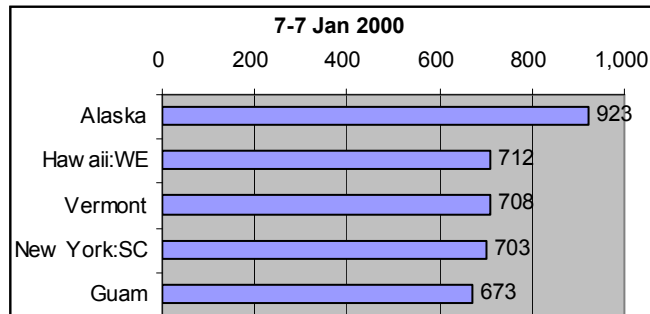
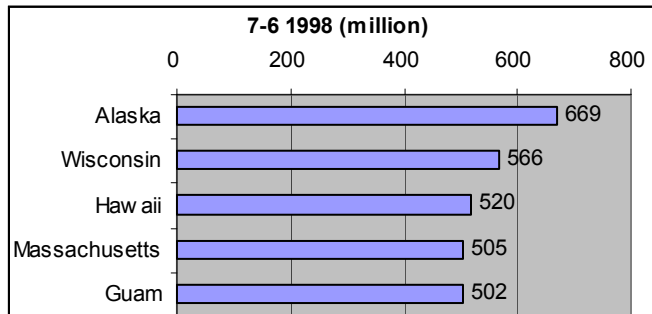
Congressional Research Service based on data reported by States to the U.S.Department of Health and Human Services shows:

Alaska leading the nation in 1998 reporting average monthly benefits of \$669 million to AFDC/TANF families. California did not appear in the top 5 states (missing).

**Table 7-7 (Maximum combined AFDC/TANF benefits for a family of three (parent with two children), July 1994- January 2000)**

Congressional Research Service based on data reported by States to the U.S.Department of Health and Human Services shows:

Alaska leading the nation in 2000 allowing a maximum of \$923 / mo. in AFDC/TANF benefits for a family of 3. California did not appear



in the top 5 states allowing a maximum of \$626 / mo.

**Table 7-8 (Maximum monthly TANF benefit for families of one to six persons, January 1, 2000)**

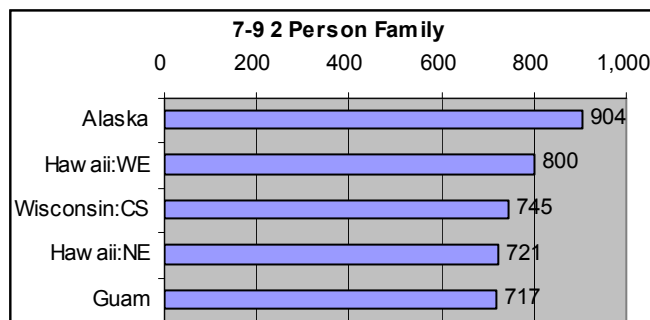
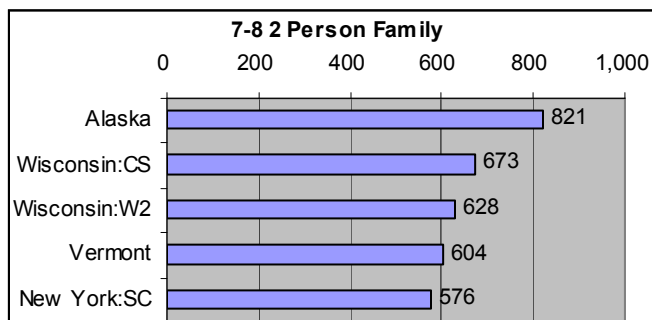
Congressional Research Service on the basis of a telephone survey of States shows:

Alaska leading the nation in 2000 allowing a maximum of \$821 / mo. in TANF benefits for a family of 2. California did not appear in the top 5 states allowing a maximum of \$505 / mo.

**Table 7-9 (Maximum combined TANF and food stamp benefit for families of one to six persons, January 1, 2000)**

Congressional Research Service shows:

Alaska leading the nation in 2000 allowing a maximum of \$904 / mo. in TANF & Food Stamps benefits for a family of 2. California did not appear in the top 5 states allowing a maximum of \$627 / mo.



**Table 7-10 (AFDC/TANF maximum benefit for a three-person family by state, selected years 1970-2000)**

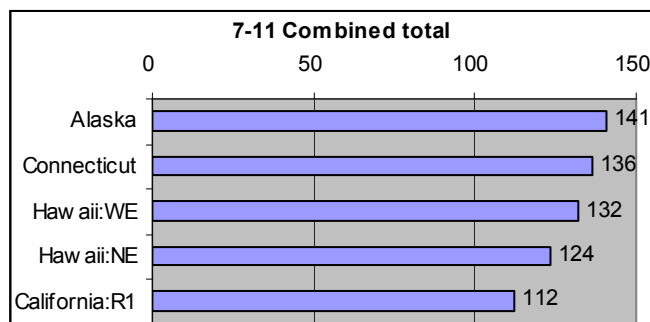
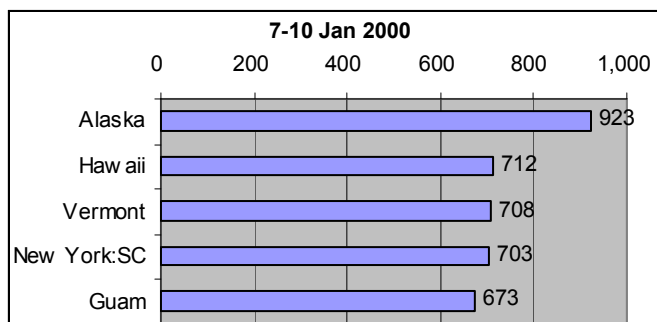
Congressional Research Service on the basis of data from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services and the Congressional Research Service shows:

Alaska leading the nation in 2000 allowing a maximum of \$923 / mo. in AFDC/TANF benefits for a family of 3. California did not appear in the top 5 states allowing a maximum of \$626 / mo.

**Table 7-11 (Annualized earnings and income from selected major benefit programs for single parent with two children working half time at minimum wage in month 13 of employment, January 1, 2000)**

Congressional Research Service based on State and Federal minimum wage laws, EIC law, food stamp law, and the CRS January 2000 Survey of State TANF benefit levels and program rules shows:

Alaska leading the nation in 2000 allowing 141% of poverty level (\$14,450 / yr.) from wages and benefits for a family of 3 working half time. California appears fifth allowing 112%.



**Table 7-12 (Earnings and income from selected major benefit programs for single parent with two children working full time at minimum wage, working in month 13, annualized, January 1, 2000)**

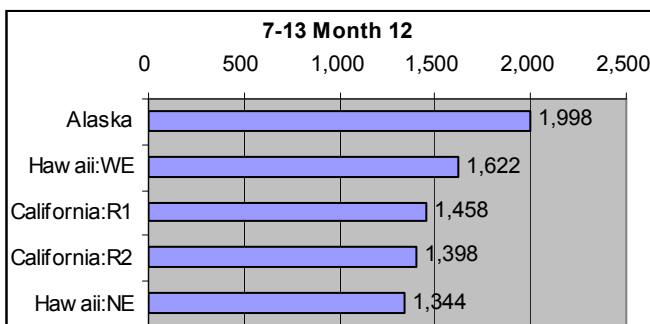
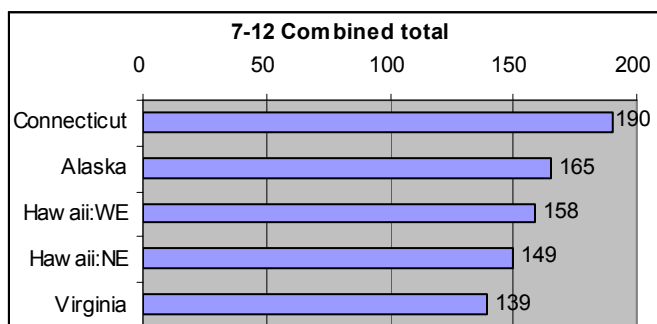
Congressional Research Service based on State and Federal minimum wage laws, EIC law, food stamp law, and the CRS January 2000 Survey of State TANF benefit levels and program rules shows:

Connecticut leading the nation in 2000 allowing 190% of poverty level (\$14,450 / yr.) from wages and benefits for a family of 3 working full time. California did not appear in the top 5 states allowing 138%.

**Table 7-13 (TANF breakeven points —monthly earnings that end eligibility, single-parent family with two children, January 1, 2000)**

Congressional Research Service based on the CRS January 1, 2000 Survey of State TANF benefit levels and program rules shows:

Alaska leading the nation in 2000 allowing \$1,998 / mo. benefits for a family of 3 working full time after working 12 mo. California appears third allowing \$1,458 / mo.



**Table 7-14 (State use of cumulative TANF grants for fiscal years 1997, 1998, and 1999)**

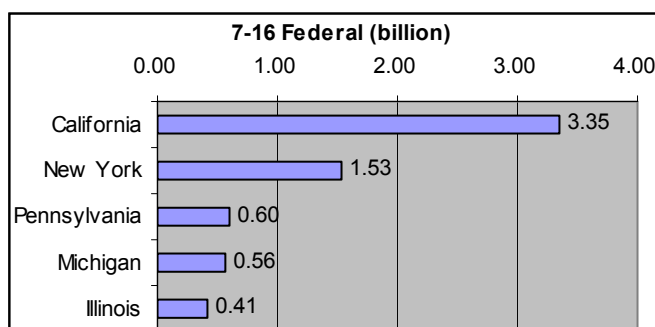
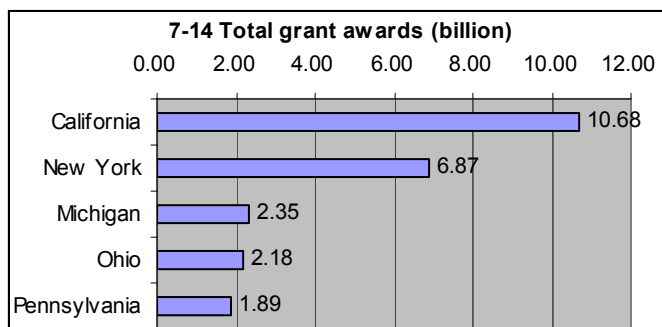
Congressional Research Service based on data from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services shows:

California leading the nation in 1997, 1998, and 1999 receiving 10.7 billion in TANF grants

**Table 7-16 (Federal and state expenditures in AFDC/TANF and related programs, by state, fiscal years 1995 and 1999)**

Congressional Research Service based on data from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services shows:

California leading the nation in 1999 receiving 3.35 billion in TANF grants



**Table 7-17 (TANF grants, transfers and expenditures, fiscal year 1999)**

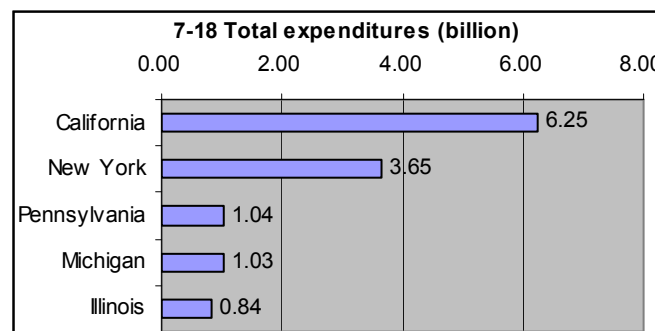
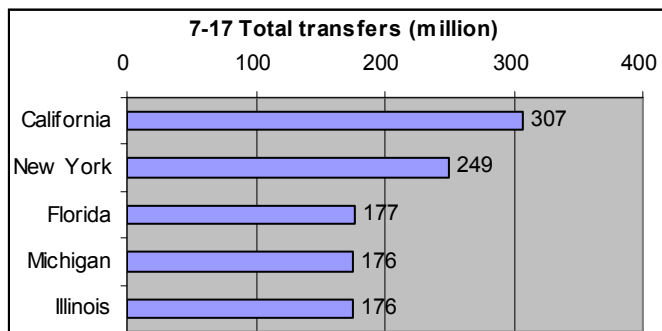
Congressional Research Service based on data from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services shows:

California leading the nation in 1999 transferring \$307 million of funding to CCDF.

**Table 7-18 (Total TANF and TANF MOE expenditures, by state and major category, fiscal year 1999)**

Congressional Research Service based on data from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services shows:

California leading the nation in 1999 spending \$6.25 billion of TANF / MOE funding.



**Table 7-19 (State maintenance-of-effort (MOE) expenditures by program category, fiscal year 1999)**

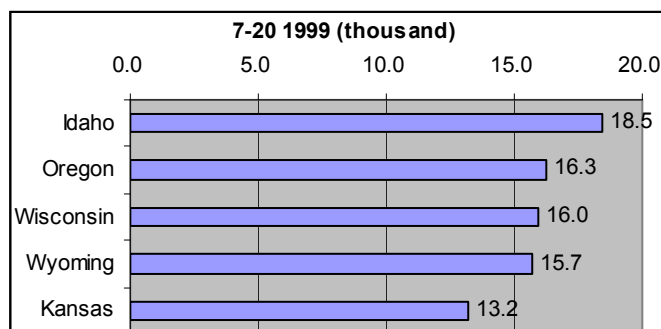
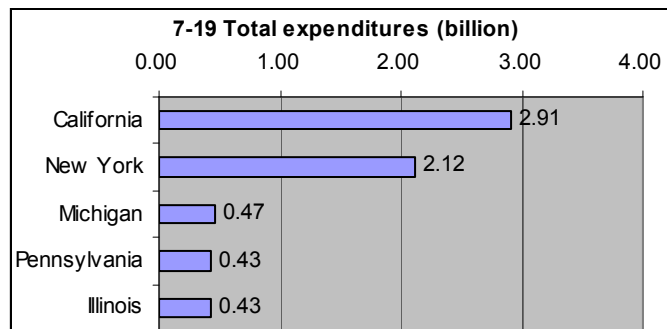
Congressional Research Service based on data from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services shows:

California leading the nation in 1999 spending \$2.91 billion of MOE funding.

**Table 7-20 (Total TANF/AFDC and related program expenditures per family (excludes TANF MOE expenditures that could also be counted toward the CCDF MOE), by state, fiscal years 1998-99)**

Congressional Research Service based on data from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services shows:

Idaho leading the nation in 1999 spending \$18,500 per family of non-MOE funding. California did not appear in the top 5 states spending \$9,800.



**Table 7-21 (TANF work participation rates, fiscal year 1998)**

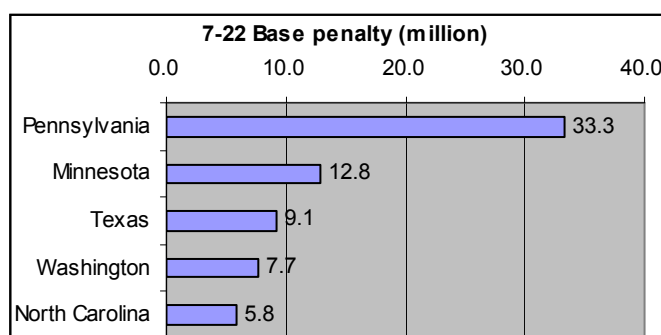
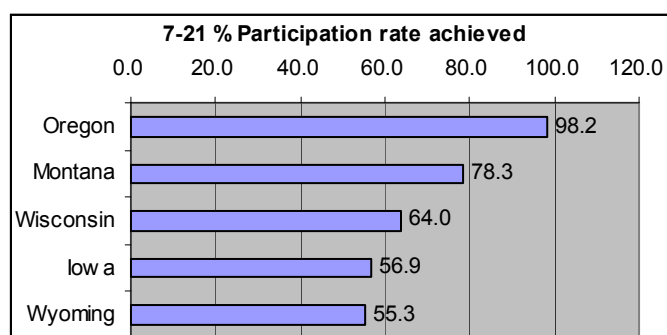
Administration for Children and Families, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services shows:

Oregon leading the nation in 1998 reporting 98.2% work participation rate. California did not appear in the top 5 states reporting 36.6%.

**Table 7-22 (Penalties for failing fiscal year 1998 TANF work participation rate for two-parent families (proportional reduction based on degree of failure)**

Office of Family Assistance, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services shows:

Pennsylvania leading the nation in 1998 penalized \$33.3 million for failing work participation rate. California did not appear in the top 5 states (missing)



**Table 7-23 (TANF work participants for all-family category by work activity, fiscal year 1998)**

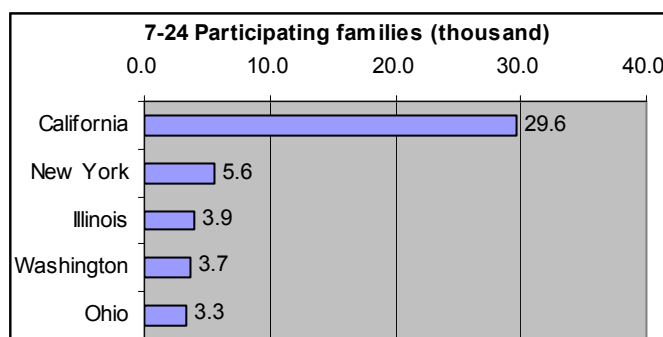
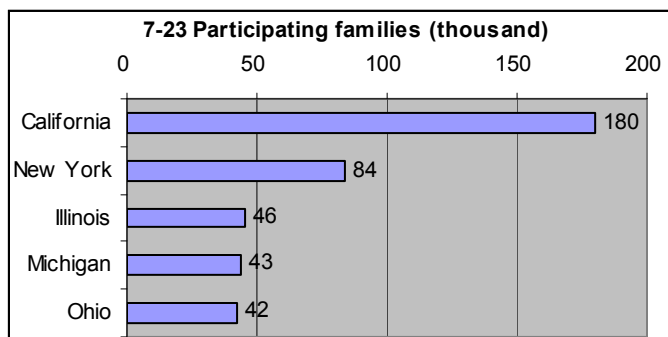
Congressional Research Service based on data in U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (1999, table 3:5) shows:

California leading the nation in 1998 reporting 180,000 families participating in work.

**Table 7-24 (TANF work participants for two-parent family category by work activity, fiscal year 1998)**

Congressional Research Service based on data in U.S. Department, 1999, table 3:6 shows:

California leading the nation in 1998 reporting 29,600 families with 2 parents participating in work.



**Table 7-26 (Percent of TANF adults engaged in work or job preparation activity, fiscal year 1998)**

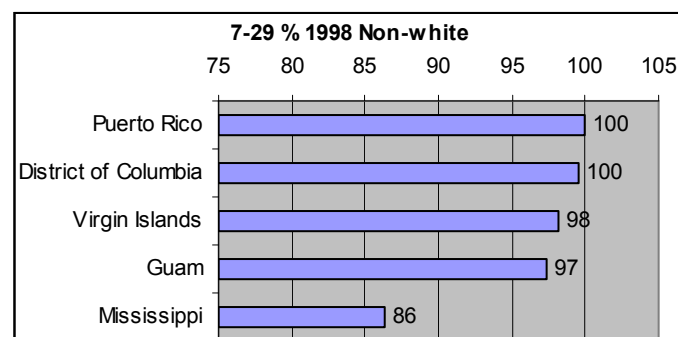
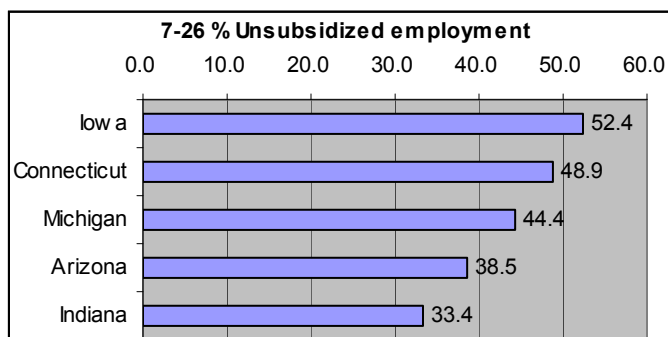
Congressional Research Service tabulations of the fiscal year 1998 Emergency TANF Data Report sample shows:

Iowa leading the nation in 1998 reporting 52.4% families participating in unsubsidized work. California did not appear in the top 5 states reporting 28.0%.

**Table 7-29 (Percentage of AFDC/TANF adults who are nonwhite, fiscal years 1994-98)**

Congressional Research Service based on fiscal year 1994-97 AFDC-QC files and tabulations of the fiscal year 1998 Emergency TANF Data Report sample shows:

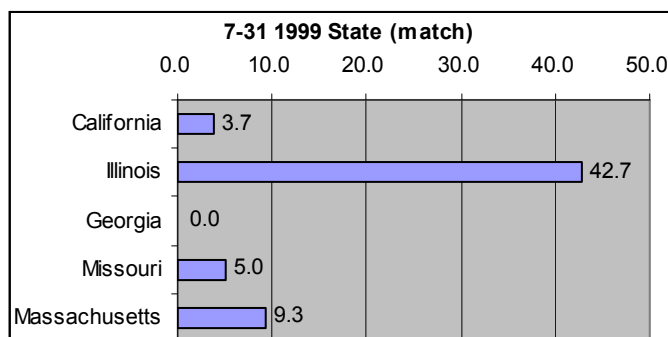
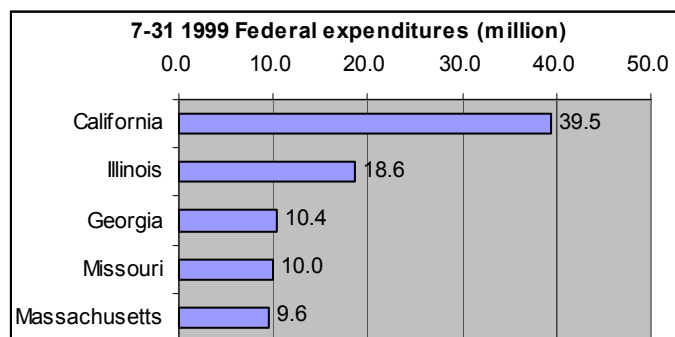
Puerto Rico and District of Columbia share leading the nation in reporting 100% non-white adults on TANF. California did not appear in the top 5 states reporting 68.0%.



**Table 7-31 (Welfare-to-work expenditures, fiscal years 1998 and 1999)**

Congressional Research Service based on data from the U.S. Department of Labor shows:

California leading the nation in 1999 spending \$39.5 million on welfare-to-work programs while paying \$3.7 million.



The tables not included in this analysis do not compare states and include:

Table 7-4 (Historical trends in AFDC/TANF enrollments, fiscal years 1970-99)

Table 7-15 (Total, federal, and state expenditures for TANF and predecessor programs (AFDC, EA, and JOBS), fiscal years 1990-99)

Table 7-25 (Percent of AFDC/TANF adults engaged in work or job preparation activity, fiscal years 1994-98)

Table 7-27 (Composition of AFDC/TANF families, selected years, 1969-98)

Table 7-28 (Racial/ethnic composition of AFDC/TANF adults, fiscal years 1994-98)

Table 7-30 (Child's relationship to head of household by family type, fiscal year 1998)

Table 7-32 (Returns to TANF within 1 year of exit)

Table 7-33 (Selected provisions of state TANF programs)



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## Executive Summary

Of the 23 tables included in the US House Green Book in section 8 entitled "Child Support Enforcement (CSE)", 16 tables compare states regarding CSE statistics.

California leads the nation in 10 of the 16 tables and appears in the top 5 states in 13 of the tables.  
California may have grounds to change these rankings after reviewing the data in Table 8-2 and Table 8-22

**Table 8-2 (CS guideline awards)** is completely erroneous showing Indiana leading the nation demanding \$899 / mo. (20% of the NCP's income) for 2 children with California appearing fourth in the nation demanding \$770 / mo. (18% of the NCP's income). The child support calculator provided on the Internet shows California leading the nation demanding \$1,750 / mo. (40% of the NCP's income) with Indiana not appearing in the top 5 states with \$1,194 / mo. (27% of NCP's income).

**Table 8-22 (% of CS paternities established)** is erroneous showing Maryland leading the nation in 1998 establishing 155% paternities. The percentages presented were calculated using **Table 8-20 (paternities established)** versus **Table 8-21 (out-of-wedlock births)**. The percentage of paternity establishment must be calculated from cumulative totals from prior years to eliminate children born from prior years having their paternity established in later years. Table 8-20 skips paternities established by states in 1988 and 1994 while Table 8-21 skips out-of-wedlock births reported by states in 1988 and 1992 which only allows a cumulative total of the last four consecutive years (1995 - 1998). The four-year cumulative percentage of paternity establishment shows Wyoming leading the nation with 110% paternity establishment (717 paternities over and above out-of-wedlock births). California ranks third with 105% (34,539 paternities over and above out-of-wedlock births). Clearly California would lead the nation if the number of paternities established over and above their reported out-of-wedlock births were considered. It should be pointed out that the paternity percentages reported by states determine the amount of federal incentive payments. The data suggests three possible explanations for states reporting numbers that exceed 100%:

- Establishment of paternities for children born in other states.
- Establishment of paternities for children born within a marriage but not from the husband.
- Establishment of paternities due to fraudulent or redundant enforcement orders.

**Table 8-4 (Financing of the Federal / State CSE program)** shows California leads the nation in 1998 spending \$515 million in child support enforcement administration costs.

**Table 8-10 (Profile of collections and expenditures)** shows California leading the nation in 1998 receiving \$84 million in federal incentive payments.

**Table 8-11 (Total CS collections)** shows California leading the nation in 1998 collecting \$1.37 billion in child support money.

**Table 8-12 (Total AFDC CS collections)** shows California leading the nation in 1998 collecting \$611 million of AFDC money

**Table 8-13 (Total non-AFDC CS collections)** shows Ohio leading the nation in 1998 collecting \$1.05 billion of non-AFDC money. California appears fourth collecting \$761 million

**Table 8-14 (Average of AFDC CS cases making a collection)** shows California leading the nation in 1998 averaging 303,129 AFDC cases.

**Table 8-15 (Average of non-AFDC CS cases making a collection)** shows the exact same numbers reported by the top 5 states in Table 8-14. The tables should represent opposing collections and not all states show the same numbers in both tables. Table 8-12 and Table 8-13 show a marked difference in money collected and may imply that the numbers reported by states are erroneous in Table 8-14 or Table 8-15.

**Table 8-16 (% of CS orders that include health insurance)** shows Hawaii leading the nation in 1998 establishing 100% of CS orders that include health insurance. California does not appear in the top 5 states establishing 76%.

**Table 8-17 (% of AFDC payments recovered)** shows Arkansas leading the nation in 1996 recovering 41% of AFDC money. California does not appear in the top 5 states recovering 11%.

**Table 8-18 (Federal income tax refund collections)** shows California leading the nation in 1998 intercepting \$152 million in tax refunds destined for noncustodial parents.

**Table 8-19 (CS collections per total administrative expenditures)** shows Michigan leading the nation in 1998 collecting \$7.2 for every administrative dollar. California does not appear in the top 5 states collecting \$2.7.

**Table 8-23 (Share of program savings)** shows California leading the nation in 1998 pocketing \$189 million in the administration of the child support enforcement program.

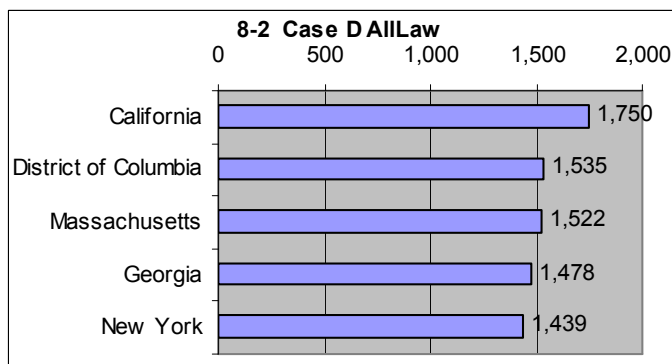
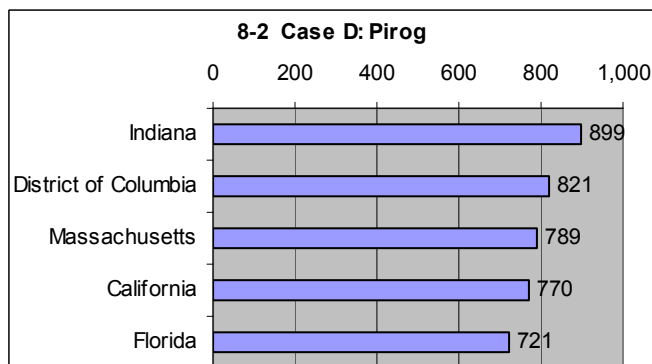
**Table 8-2 (Amount Of CS Awarded By State Guidelines In Various Cases)**

Data provided by Pirog, Klotz, and Byers was based on a hypothetical case D which specified a NCP earning \$4,400 / mo., the CP earning \$1,750 / mo., and 2 children and showed:

Indiana leading the nation in child support demanding \$899 / mo. (20% of NCP income) for child support.

Data provided by AllLaw.com using the same hypothetical case as above showed:

California leading the nation in child support demanding \$1,750 / mo. (40% of NCP income) for child support.



**Table 8-4 (Financing Of The Federal/State CS Enforcement Program, Fiscal Year 1998)**

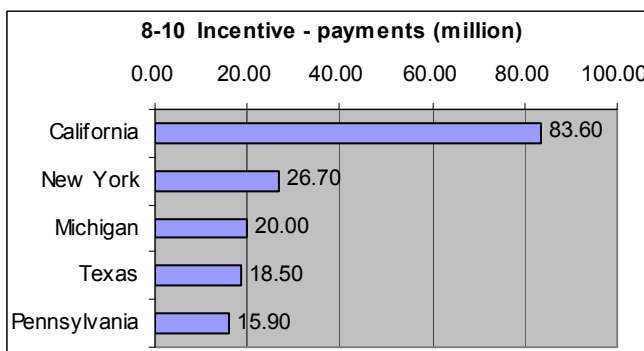
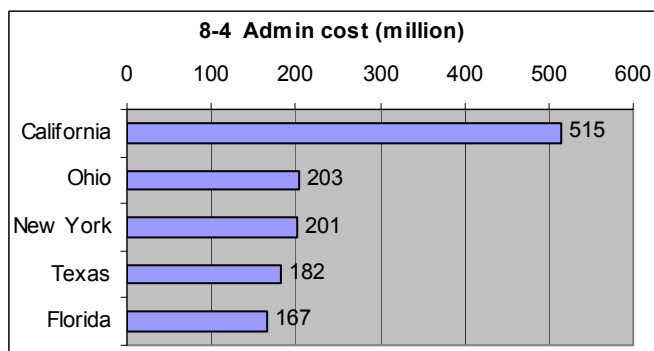
Data provided by Office of Child Support Enforcement, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services shows:

California leads the nation in 1998 spending \$515 million in child support enforcement costs.

**Table 8-10 (State Profile Of Collections And Expenditures, Fiscal Year 1998)**

Office of Child Support Enforcement, US Department of Health and Human Services shows:

California leads the nation receiving \$83.6 million in CSE incentive money.



**Table 8-11 (Total CS Collections By State, Selected Fiscal Years 1979-98)**

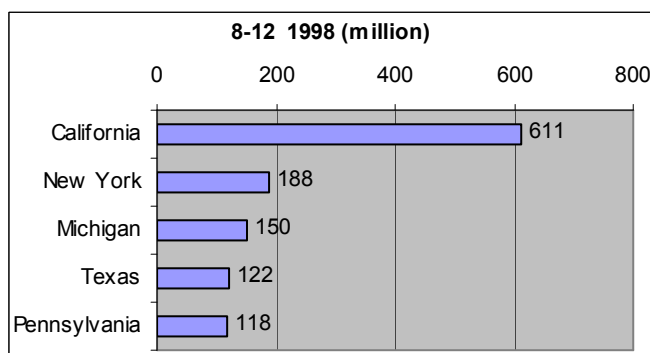
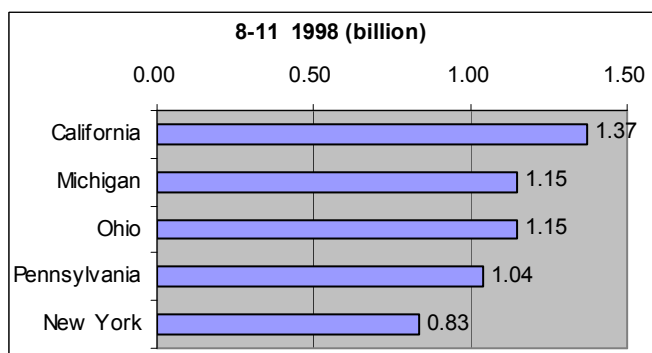
Office of Child Support Enforcement, US Department of Health and Human Services shows:

California leads the nation in 1998 collecting \$1.37 billion in child support.

**Table 8-12 (Total AFDC Collections By State, Selected Fiscal Years 1979-98)**

Office of Child Support Enforcement, US Department of Health and Human Services shows:

California leads the nation in 1998 collecting \$611 million in AFDC money.



**Table 8-13 (Total Non-AFDC Collections By State, Selected Fiscal Years 1979-98)**

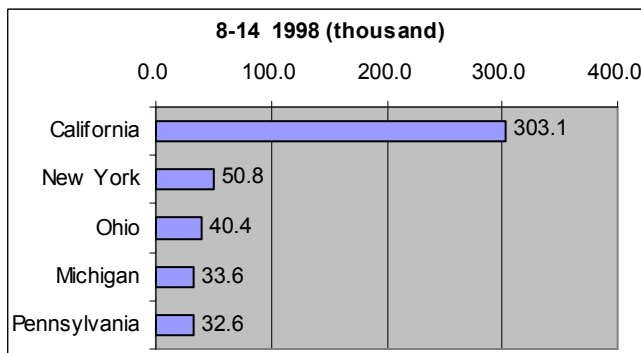
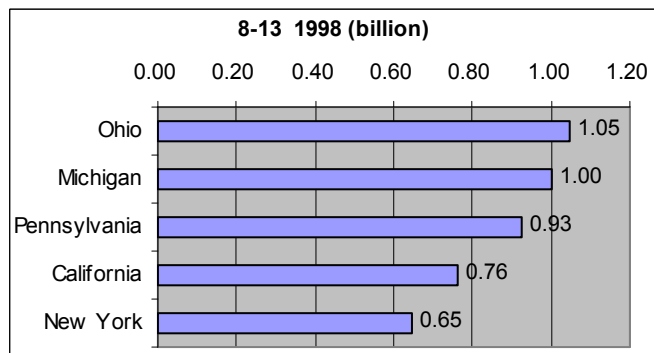
Office of Child Support Enforcement, US Department of Health and Human Services shows:

Ohio leads the nation in 1998 collecting \$1.05 billion in non-AFDC money. California is fourth collecting \$760 million.

**Table 8-14 (Average Number Of AFDC CS Cases Collection Made, By State For Selected Fiscal Years 1978-98)**

Office of Child Support Enforcement, US Department of Health and Human Services shows:

California leads the nation in 1998 collecting an average \$303,100 in AFDC money



**Table 8-15 (Average Number Of Non-AFDC CS Cases, Collection Made By State, Selected Fiscal Years 1978-98)**

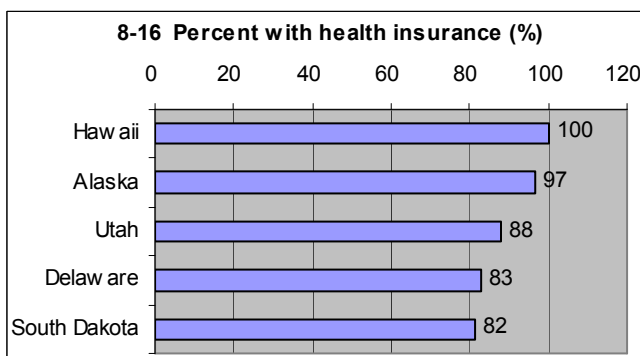
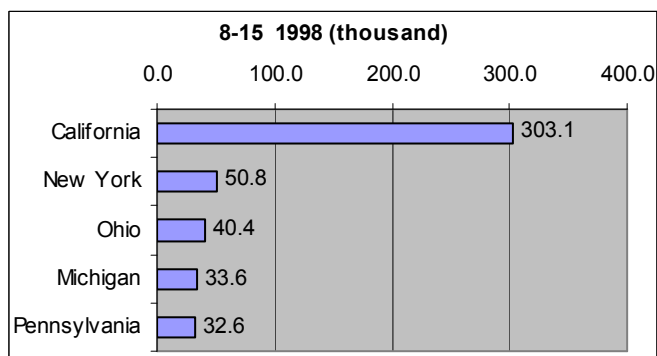
Office of Child Support Enforcement, US Department of Health and Human Services shows:

California leads the nation in 1998 collecting an average \$303,100 in non-AFDC money. The top five states reported the exact same numbers in Table 8-14.

**Table 8-16 (CS Orders Established, Enforced, And Modified, Include Health Ins By State, Fiscal Year 1998)**

Office of Child Support Enforcement, US Department of Health and Human Services shows:

Hawaii leads the nation establishing 100% child support orders that included health insurance. California does not appear with 76%.



**Table 8-17 (Percentage Of AFDC Payments Recovered CS Collections By State, Selected Fiscal Years 1979-96)**

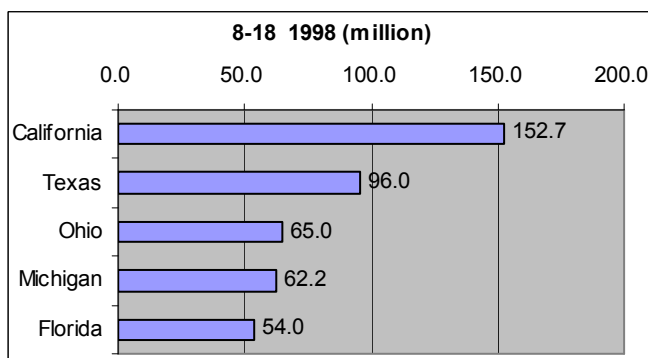
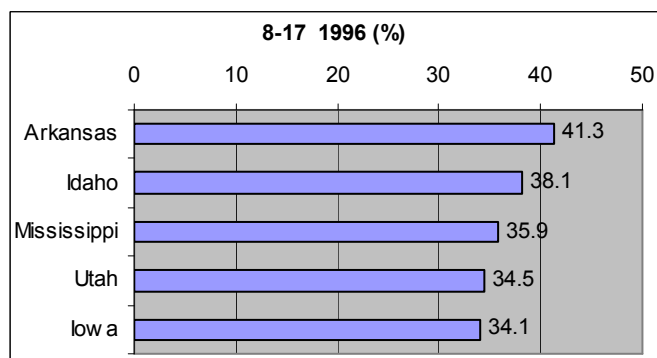
Office of Child Support Enforcement, US Department of Health and Human Services shows:

Arkansas leads the nation recovering 41% of AFDC money through child support. California does not appear with 10.6%.

**Table 8-18 (Federal Income Tax Refund Offset Collections By State, Fiscal Years 1983-98)**

Office of Child Support Enforcement, US Department of Health and Human Services shows:

California leads the nation collecting \$153 million in income tax refund money from noncustodial parents.



**Table 8-19 (Total CS Collections Per Dollar Of Total Adm. Expenditures By State, Selected Fiscal Years 1978-98)**

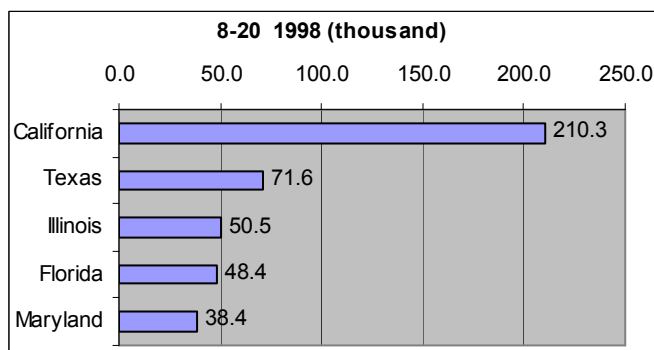
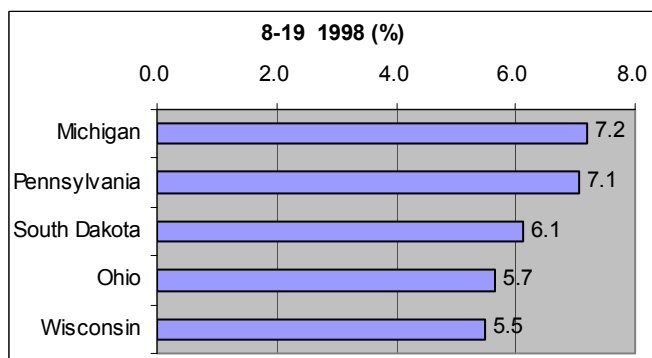
Office of Child Support Enforcement, US Department of Health and Human Services shows:

Michigan leads the nation a ratio of 7.2 child support collections per dollar of administration costs. California does not appear with a ratio of 2.7.

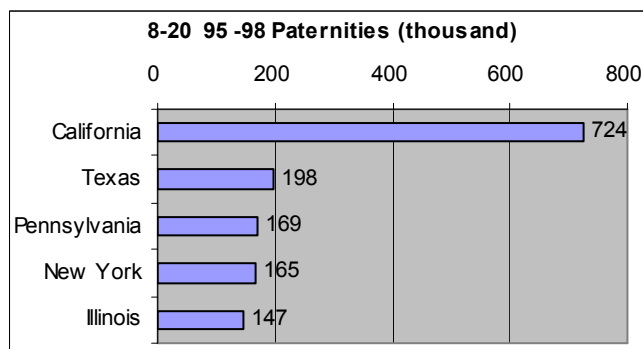
**Table 8-20 (Number Of Paternity's Established By State, Selected Fiscal Years 1979-98)**

Office of Child Support Enforcement, US Department of Health and Human Services shows:

California leads the nation in 1998 establishing 210,300 paternities.



California leads the nation in 1995 through 1998 establishing 724,000 paternities over the 4-year period. A cumulative 12-year total spanning 1987 through 1998 was not possible since Table 8-20 omitted years 1988 and 1994.

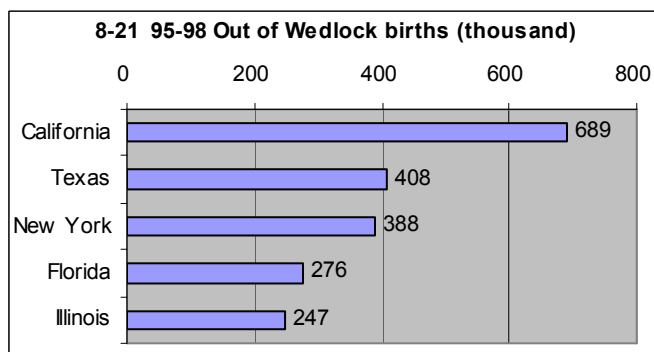
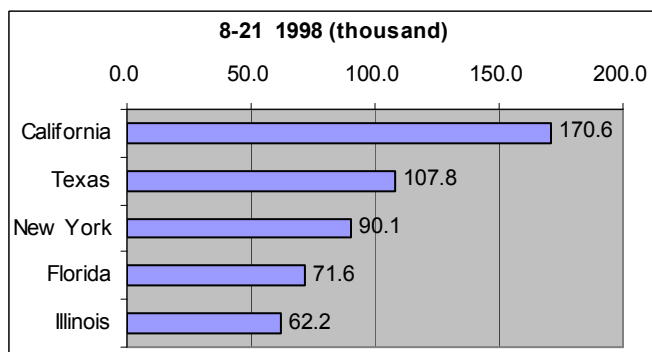


**Table 8-21 (Out-Of-Wedlock Births By State, Selected Fiscal Years 1987-98)**

Office of Child Support Enforcement, US Department of Health and Human Services, and National Center for Health Statistics

California leads the nation in 1998 reporting 170,600 out-of-wedlock births.

California leads the nation in 1995 through 1998 reporting 689,000 out-of-wedlock births over the 4-year period. A cumulative 12-year total spanning 1987 through 1998 was not possible since Table 8-21 omitted years 1988 and 1992.

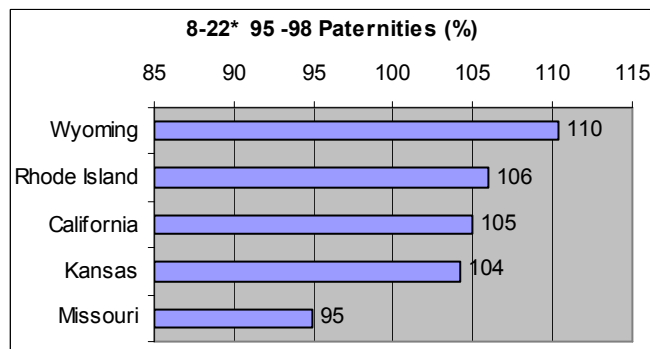
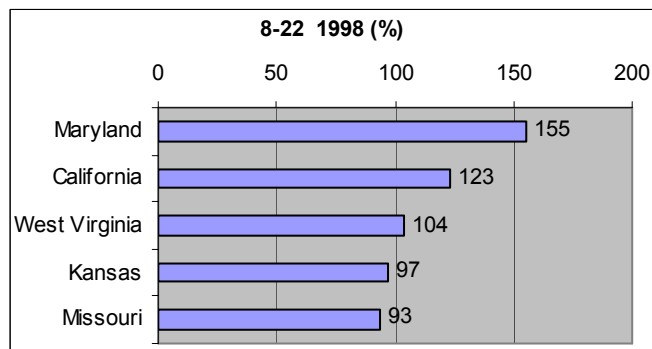


**Table 8-22 (Percentage Of CS Paternity's Established By State, Selected Fiscal Years 1987-94)**

Office of Child Support Enforcement, US Department of Health and Human Services, and National Center for Health Statistics

Maryland leads the nation in 1998 establishing 155% paternities vs. out-of-wedlock births. California is second establishing 123%.

Wyoming leads the nation in 1995 through 1998 establishing 110% paternity vs. out-of-wedlock births over the 4-year period. California is third establishing 105%. A cumulative 12-year total spanning 1987 through 1998 was not possible since Table 8-20 omitted years 1988 and 1994 and Table 8-21 omitted years 1988 and 1992.

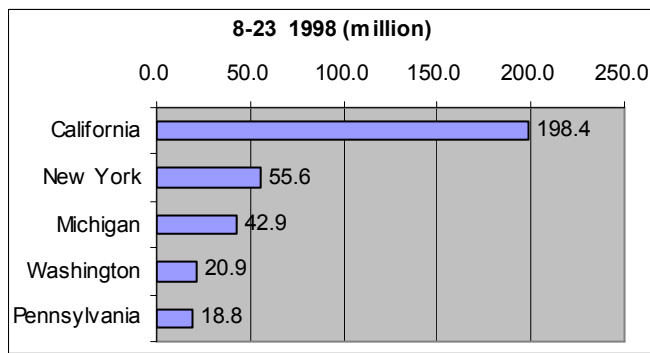
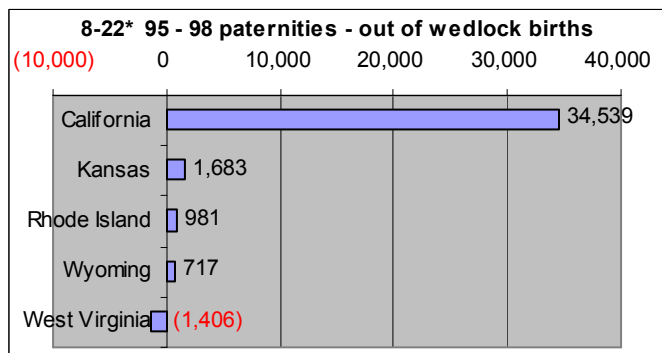


California leads the nation in 1995 through 1998 establishing 34,539 paternities over and above out-of-wedlock births over the 4-year period. A cumulative 12-year total spanning 1987 through 1998 was not possible since Table 8-20 omitted years 1988 and 1994 and Table 8-21 omitted years 1988 and 1992.

**Table 8-23 (State Share Of Program Savings By State, Fiscal Years 1989-98)**

Office of Child Support Enforcement, US Department of Health and Human Services shows:

California leads the nation in 1998 pocketing a \$198 million profit in the administration of child support enforcement.



The tables not included in this analysis do not compare states and include:

Table 8-1 (Summary Of National CS Program Statistics, Selected Fiscal Years 1978-98)

Table 8-3 (CS Collections Made By Various Enforcement Techniques, Selected Fiscal Years 1989-98)

Table 8-5 (Federal And State Share Of CS ``Savings," Fiscal Years 1979-98)

Table 8-6 (CS Payments Awarded And Received By Women With Children, By Selected Characteristics, 1997)

Table 8-7 (CS Payments For All Women, Above And Below The Poverty Level, Selected Years 1978-97)

Table 8-8 (CS Award Status And Inclusion Of Health Insurance, By Selected Characteristics Of Women, 1997)

Table 8-9 (Comparison Of Measures Of IV-D Effectiveness With Census CS Data, 1978-95)

Table 8-24 (States Using Income Shares And Percentage Of Income Approaches To Establish CS Guidelines)



**Jim Undershine, GZS of LB, 12-14-01**

In response to the Massachusetts Bar Association wondering what do about their child support guideline.

Child support guidelines are simply a means by which a state can start a cash flow. If the cash flow gets interrupted the states can start exercising their powers granted by the federal government to squeeze the cash out of the "deep pockets" parent. If all guidelines were fair then child support enforcement would lose federal funding. The system that is forced on the states, makes it unprofitable to make child support affordable.

Massachusetts has the most aggressive child support guideline in the nation (when one child is considered) demanding 31% of the NCP's net income. The legislators at the federal level will never have visibility of the amounts demanded by states because the information has been fraudulently presented by an independent entity who aspires to institute family and social responsibility ([FASR](#)) and who are being paid by the government to serve as a clearinghouse for child support enforcement statistics /1/. The independent entity that leads states into temptation aspires to do something socially useful, have fun, and make money and go by the name of Policy Studies Inc. ([PSI](#)).

These feminists (FASR) and profiteers (PSI) are setting the stage for a nuclear reaction from parents. The federal laws that were created to serve the people of this nation are being subverted by these terrorists who are targeting families for genocide. The fission is now turning to fusion and we all stand together on ground zero. The system targets heterosexual taxpayers who dare to raise a family and allows states to motivate homicide, domestic violence, depression, persecution, abortion, and child custody. USC 18 1091 strictly forbids this and labels it genocide.

Is it not enough that NCPs are systematically crucified, and that family law violates every one of the Ten Commandments. A young man setting out in the world is now being told to "go find something for us to beat you with". In every instance in family law "the baby is thrown out with the bath-water" and then prosecuted for its involvement. The NCP is "kicked when he is down", then they "rub salt in his wounds", and then they "steal candy from babies".

I refuse to expose my children to this system and there are many who feel the same way.

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Mr. Undershine is a conscientious objector to the family law machine. Los Angeles County, CA and Monterey County, CA are double billing Mr. Undershine and refuse to stop. The California Attorney General refuses to recognize this as consumer fraud. Mr. Undershine owes \$170,351 to LA County and \$52,484 to Monterey County. Payments made toward both these accounts total \$0. Mr. Undershine faces a 60 day jail term if he does not become current by March, 2002. LA County Municipal Court Case # 9CRO4751.

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/1/ For more information see "Ways and Means Duped by Pirog" on my website <http://www.gndzerosrv.com>

Jim Untersshine, GZS of LB, 10-30-01

## Federal

Legislators at the Federal level are being asked to identify independent entities that operate as sole source consultants to the various branches of our Federal government. Please identify the Indiana University at Bloomington (IUB) based Institute for Family and Social Responsibility (FASR), who has provided erroneous data in Table 8-2 of the US House of Representatives, Committee on Ways and Means "[Green Book](#)" found in "Section 8 - Child Support Enforcement Program". The data that appears in the "[Green Book](#)" appears to be a desperate attempt to make the State of Indiana lead the nation regarding child support awards ordered in that State. A comparison of the data presented in the "[Green Book](#)" with data using the child support calculator for each state provided by the web site [All Law](#) is shown in Figure One and Figure Two.

## State

Legislators at the State level are being asked to identify independent entities that operate as sole source consultants to the various branches of our State governments. Please identify Policy Studies Inc ([PSI](#)) who has lured States and countries abroad into instituting a "*money machine*" that serves to exploit our children at the expense of the taxpayers. The guideline amounts that are shown in Figure Three reflect the outrageous child support amounts that guarantees non-compliance of the child support system in many states.

## Figure One

The data shown in the Figure One reflects all State child support guidelines in regard to a specific hypothetical situation defined as Case D. The data shows Indiana as the most aggressive child support guideline of all the states. The author of this data is Pirog-Good from the University of Indiana at Bloomington (IUB) based Institute for Family and Social Responsibility (FASR) The following paragraph appears in the "[Green Book](#)" under the subheading "*Determining the amount of support order*" that appears in Section 8 and details the hypothetical cases:

Pirog, Klotz, and Buyers (1997) have examined the differences in child support guidelines across States. Their approach was to define five hypothetical cases of custodial mothers and noncustodial fathers that capture a range of differences in income, expenses, and other factors that influence the amount of child support payments computed under the guidelines adopted by the various States. State 1997 guidelines were then applied to each of the five cases to compute the amount of child support that would be due. In each of the five cases, the mother and father are divorced. The father lives alone while the mother lives with the couples' two children, ages 7 and 13. The father pays union dues of \$30 per month and health insurance for the children of \$25 per month. The mother incurs monthly employment-related child care expenses of \$150.

The income of the fathers and mothers are:

- Case A: father--\$530; mother --\$300
- Case B: father--\$720; mother--\$480
- Case C: father--\$2,500; mother--\$1,000
- Case D: father--\$4,400; mother--\$1,760**
- Case E: father--\$6,300; mother--\$4,200

## Figure Two

The data that was reported in the "[Green Book](#)" in Figure One can be compared to the data provided by "[All Law.com](#)" using their child support calculator for each State in Figure Two (New Hampshire and Vermont did not have a calculator). The disparities between the child support amounts are nauseating, and must be regarded as an attempt to cover-up the truth in presenting this data to the government as fact. The hypothetical situation described for this study allowed the erroneous California amount to be easily identified. Since in California a non-custodial parent who has 0% custody will be forced to pay 25% of his net salary for one child, 40% for two children, and 50% for three children regardless of how much he or the custodial parent earns.

## Figure Three

To present a baseline of child support amounts among the various States, the parent's net income was set at NCP=\$4,400, CP=\$1,760, NCP=0% custody, with the number of children varied from one to three. Figure Three shows the percentage of net income the NCP must pay to support each child.

## Top five States exploiting children are:

- **One child:** Massachusetts (31%), Georgia (28%), Wash DC (27%), California (25%), and Minnesota (25%).
- **Two children:** California (40%), Wash DC (35%), Massachusetts (34%), Georgia (34%), Tennessee (32%)
- **Three children:** California (50%), Tennessee (41%), Wash DC (40%), Georgia (38%), Massachusetts (37%), Hawaii (37%), and Delaware (37%).

***"Let him who seeks continue seeking until he finds. When finds, he will become troubled. When he becomes troubled, he will become astonished, and he will rule over all."*** Jesus Christ

Figure One: Erroneous data presented in "Green Book"

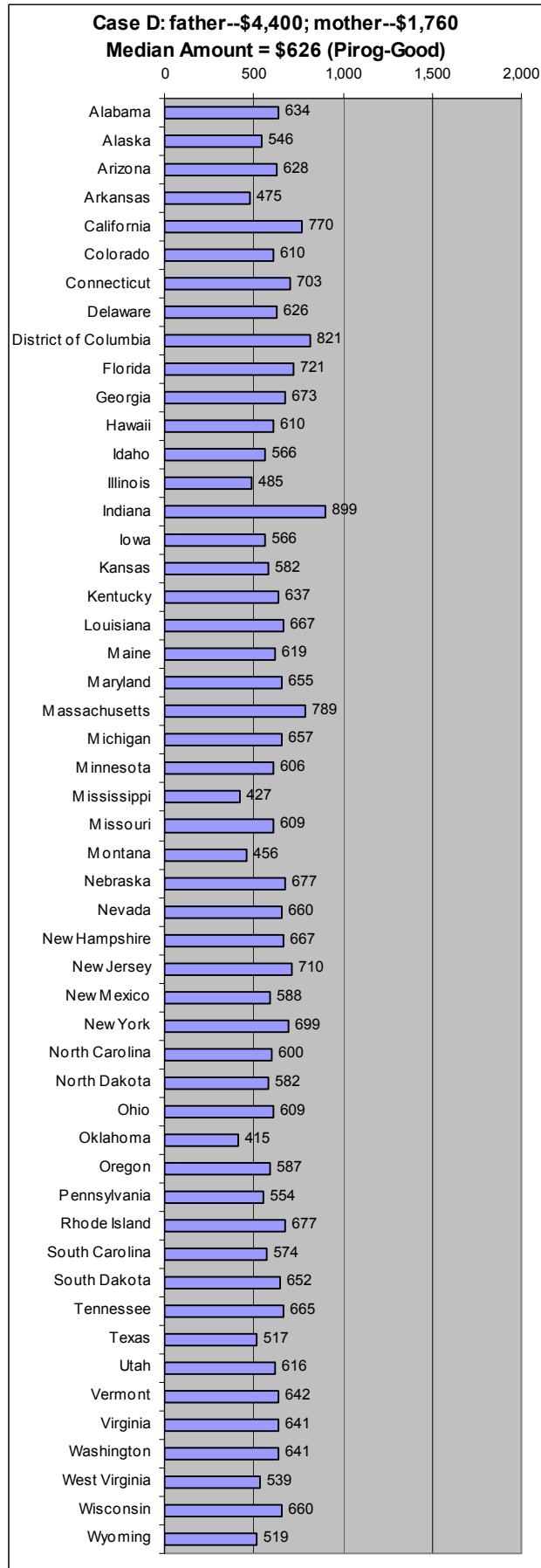


Figure Two: Data obtained using AllLaw.com

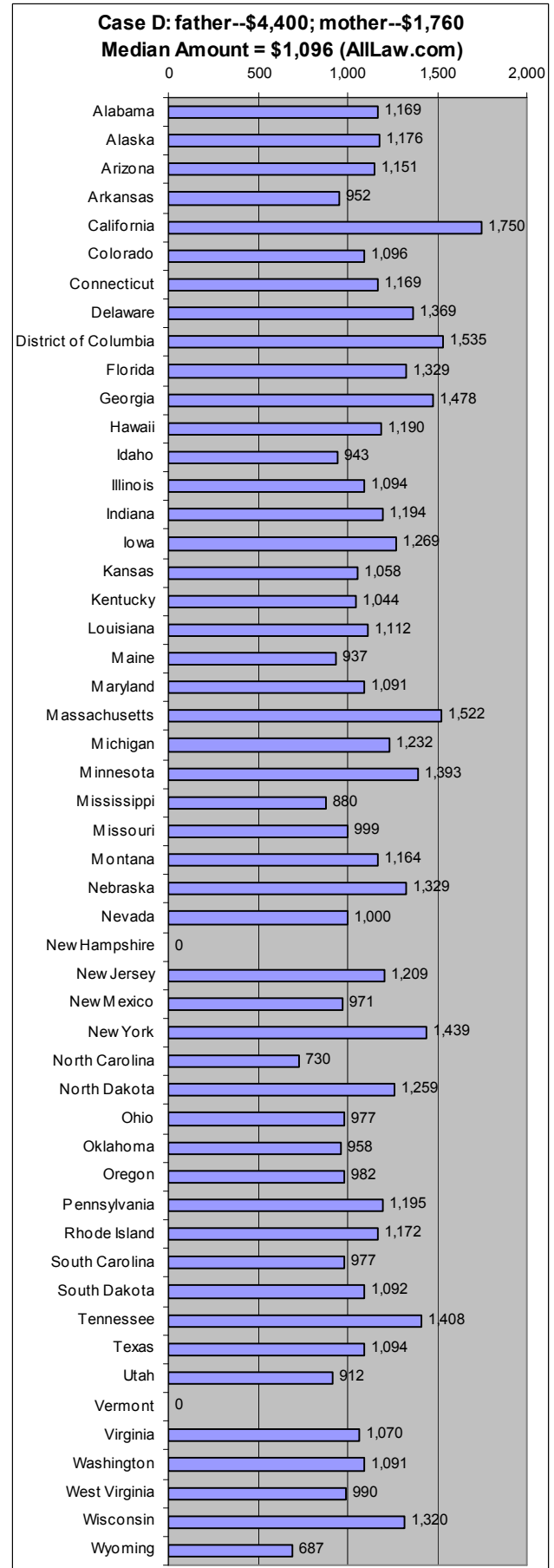
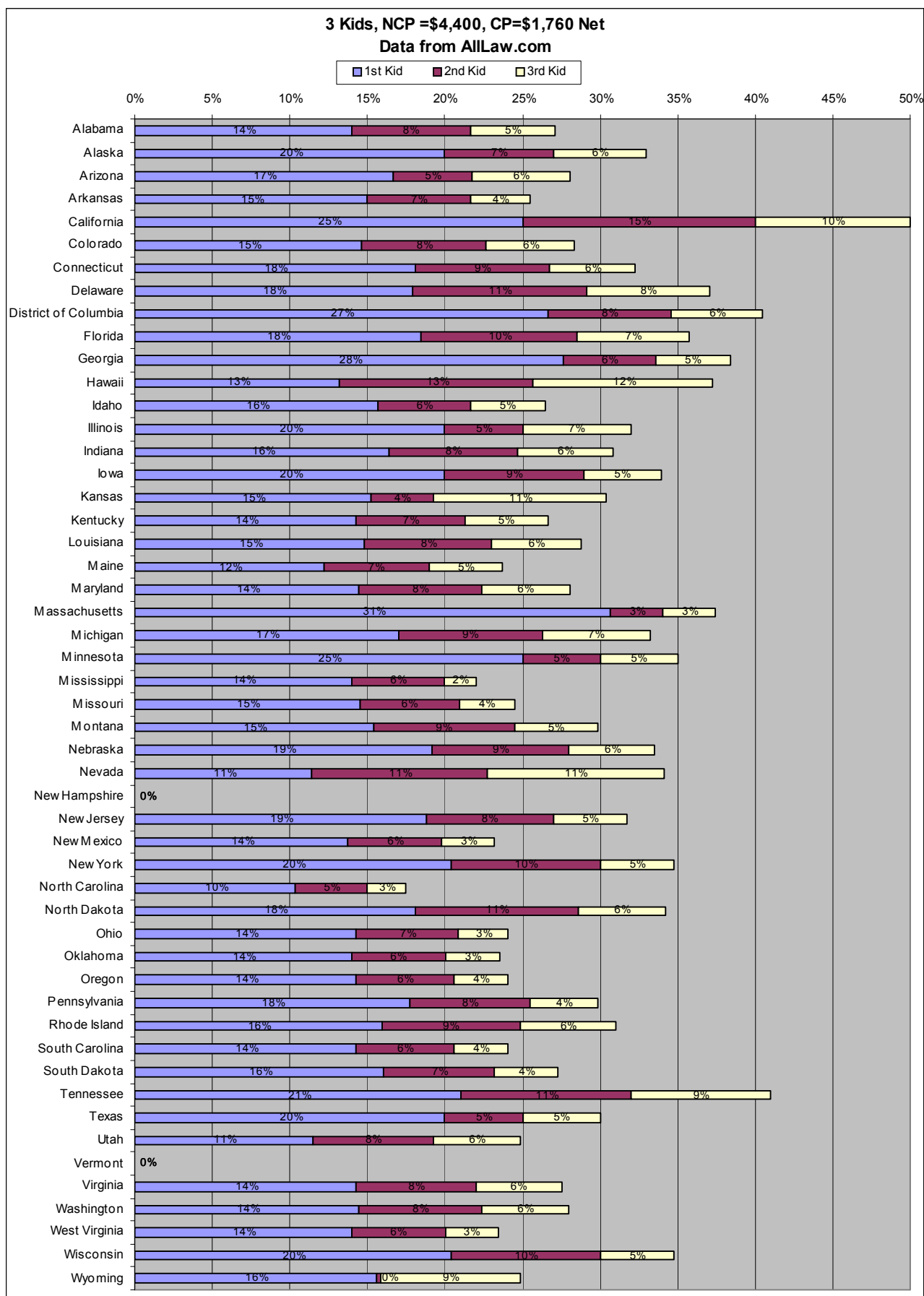


Figure Three: Data obtained using AllLaw.com showing huge disparities between the State's child support guidelines.



Jim Untersshine, GZS of LB, 10-16-01

## The Implements of Our Own Destruction

Independent entities are using the power of a federal mandate to provoke the self-destruction of heterosexual taxpayers that dare to raise a family in this country. The federal government has given each state the license to create a "*money machine*" that is designed to defraud the federal government, parents, and children. The misdirected anguish that is provoked by the existence of this "*money machine*" has led to the murder, suicide, and financial insolvency of many parents and children all over the country.

## Federal Mandate

The child support guideline that exists in each state must comply with the provisions specified by the federal government in the United States Code. Failure to comply with these provisions of the federal law leaves the state powerless to enforce child support orders since "criminal non-support" is reduced to "vagrancy" without it.

## Child Support Guidelines

Many states are being convinced to demand elevated amounts of money from non-custodial parents (NCP) while diminishing the federal protection of the NCP from discrimination from their employer. This arrangement provokes marital breakups by fraudulently guaranteeing the potential custodial parents (CP) a lucrative tax-free income for up to 18 years. Needless to say this promise is empty, but the financial insolvency of the NCP is almost certainly guaranteed. The devastation that is faced by the NCP due to the unfair guideline has provoked the death of many parents and children in misdirected anguish.

## Review of Child Support Guidelines

The child support guideline must be reviewed at least every four years by each state as required by federal law. Many states focus their review on the ability of the civil courts in their state to impose their guideline on parents, regardless of whether the child support order was contested or not. The side effects of the child support guideline on the parents and children are of little consequence, since this will not diminish the amount of federal funding the state may receive by forcing the NCP into financial insolvency.

## Family Law

By stepping foot in civil court, the parents unknowingly relinquish all rights they may have in regard to their children, allowing the state to be in control of the family from that day forward. The attorneys and evaluation professionals that serve as officers of the court are well paid to provide the illusion of due process before finally sentencing the "*deep pockets*" parent to financial insolvency.

## Compliance of Child Support Orders

Federal funding received by the state relies on the cessation of child support payments by the NCP. Forcing the CP to apply for welfare insures a filing for enforcement of current child support orders or forces the CP to obtain a court order to be enforced. This is crucial to the state since it allows the Department of Child Support Services (DCSS) to start accumulating the 10% interest on the unpaid arrearage. The federal government pays 70% of the cost of welfare during this phase while the states 30% will be paid back when the NCP finally starts paying again.

## Enforcement of Child Support Orders

It is in the state's best interest not to pursue non-paying NCPs while the initial court order is still in force. Dragging the NCP to criminal court, forces the NCP to the civil court to obtain a downward modification, which would immediately lower the interest that would be owed to the state as well as the amount of federal funding being paid to the state.

## Accounting of Child Support Payments

DCSS in the county where enforcement is filed will continue to process the filing independently from all other agencies and courts. Money not paid directly through DCSS will be ignored. Court ordered deviations will be ignored. Filings for enforcement with other agencies will be ignored. Federal laws regarding consumer fraud and deprivation of rights and privileges will be ignored. The needs of the parents and children will be ignored.

## Independent Entities Engaged in Terrorism

The United States is currently harboring a terrorist organization that has poisoned the antidote provided by the federal government to cure the child support problem that is endangering the families of this country. This terrorist organization has made a false profit convincing states to defraud the federal government at the expense of the families exposed to their malicious agenda. This terrorist organization is currently employed by the state of California to conduct the review of the state's child support guideline. This terrorist organization is currently employed by the state of California to conduct an investigation regarding the state's child support accounting procedures. This terrorist organization has subverted 49 states in the United States, as well as Australia, Canada, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands. [Policy Studies Inc](#) (PSI) exists to "*Do socially useful work, have fun, and make money*", they aspire to "*create an environment which encourages employees to take risks without being penalized for errors*", and is the sole source for child support consultation services in the United States.

Independent entities are now forming terrorist organizations to pursue and harass the victims of the current child support system. They are allowed to act as bail bondsmen pursuing a client that cheated them out of their money. They fraudulently promise CPs that they have the power to make a NCP pay, or make their life miserable if they don't. It is not in the best interest of the state to bring the NCP to court since this would only lower their federal funding. This anomaly is built into the current child support system and begs the existence of these terrorist organizations that persecutes parents in the name of their children.

### Unification of Parents

13% of the US population (28 million) comprise the parents exposed to this current child support system that exists to exploit their children. The remaining 87% of the US population are taxpayers who must pay the fraudulent amounts of money that the states are allowed to collect in the operation of their "*money machine*". The needs of parents and children are being ignored to perpetuate this outrage. It is time for parents to stand together to put an end to this sacrilegious attack on America's most precious resource. It is time to focus our faith on our children and prove to them that parents have the power to protect them. Parents must demand to be "[Custody Free in 2003](#)" to guarantee that the sins of the parents will not be visited on their children by failing to recognize a common threat.

The federal government must be made to understand the ways and means that implements of their own creation are being used against heterosexual taxpayers that dare to raise a family in this country.

### The Beginning is Here



**Jim Undershine, GZS of LB, 10-09-01**

As a scientist, I find it hard to nick-pick a collection of individual perceptions of reality, which the present system of child support seems to be based on. The answer to obtaining factual data relative to how much it costs to support children, is the answer to the child support "problem".

Each state has been given license by the federal government to create a credit account that allows them to defraud their depositors (NCPs) and their customers (children). Their merchants (CPs) are paid without requiring proof that the goods and services are being delivered to the customers (children). When the depositors (NCPs) stop the cash flow, the federal government is required to make up the difference at the rate of 70%.

The obvious answer to this "problem" is to convince the credit card companies to set up an account that a family can open that will be used for all expenses related to the support of their children. Each parent holds a card and itemized charges to this account can be used to establish the amounts that each parent must make to keep the balance at a certain level. This will establish the child support amount required by each if they become separated and provide real data concerning child support that can be accumulated by the credit card companies. The credit card companies spent millions of dollars lobbying for legislation to prevent customers from discharging their debts without realizing that everyone going through a divorce is forced to do just that. This system eliminates custody of the children from the equation.

Custody free child support is welfare reform and allows the family to be spared from being subjected to the state operated exploitation of children that is supported by the federal government. It is the only way for a family to escape the legal persecution that is part of the Family Law package. It is the prenuptial agreement and a mandatory part of the wedding vows that must be adopted by the church. It will guarantee the Preservation of the family, the Welfare of the family members, and Prosperity of the family (PWP).

**We must do this in the name of our children.**

Jim Unterschine, GZS of LB, 10-03-01

The summary that follows draws data from the US Census Department publications. A collection of plots were extracted from the tables provided by the US Census Department and are appended to this summary page.

## People

There are **214 million** people over 18 years of age in the US.

There is a higher percentage of females than males ( **52% vs 48%** )

## Marital Status

A higher percentage of males are married than females ( **58% vs 55%** )

The rate of marriage is decreasing for both at **0.4% per year**

A lower percentage of males are divorced than females ( **8% vs 10%** )

The rate of divorce is increasing for both at **0.2% per year**.

## Parents

There are **14 million** custodial parents comprising **7%** of the population.

There is a higher percentage of female custodial parents than males ( **85% vs 15%** )

Custodial parents by number of children showed: **57%** for 1 child, **28%** for 2, **11%** for 3, and **4%** for 4.

Custodial parents by education showed: **37%** HS +, **22%** No Degree, **19%** No HS, **13%** Bachelor +, and **9%** Associates.

## Salaried Income

The mean salary of a custodial parent is: **\$27,500 per year ( \$2,300 per month )**.

The highest paid custodial parents had a bachelor degree or higher education and received: **\$47,600 per year ( \$4,000 per month )**.

The lowest paid custodial parents did not work and received: **\$9,000 per year ( \$760 per month )**.

## Child Support Income

The mean child support income was: **\$4,700 per year ( \$400 per month )** for custodial parents receiving full child support payments.

The highest paid custodial parents had a bachelor degree or higher education and received: **\$6,000 per year ( \$500 per month )**.

The lowest paid custodial parents needed food stamps and received: **\$2,800 per year ( \$230 per month )**.

**59%** of the custodial females were awarded child support

Custodial females by marital status showed: **32%** single, **31%** divorced **22%** married, **13%** separated, and **2%** widowed.

Custodial females by race showed: **57%** White, **28%** Black, and **15%** Hispanic.

Custodial females by age showed: **39%** 30 - 39, **33%** 40+, **27%** 18 - 29, and **1%** 15 - 17.

Custodial females by education showed: **37%** HS+, **22%** No Degree, **20%** No HS, **12%** Bachelor +, and **9%** Associates.

## Child Support Ordered

There are **7.0 million** custodial parents that are due court ordered child support.

There are more females due to receive child support than males ( **88% vs 12%** ).

There is **\$29.1 billion** in child support to be paid to custodial parents.

There are more females due child support than males ( **91% vs 9%** ).

Custodial females receive a higher percentage of owed child support than males ( **60% vs 47%** ).

Custodial males are owed a higher percentage of child support than females ( **52% vs 40%** )

## Child Support Received by Children

It is presumed that a significant portion of the **\$29.1 billion** is spent to support the children.

**100%** of the dependent children wish they had a legal right to their money.

**100%** of non-custodial parents wish the money spent on child support was actually spent on the children.

## Family Law Summary (Continued)

### Marital Status - [MS1](#)

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The US population in the year 2000 totaled 103 million males and 111 million females

### Marriage

The percent of the population that were married in 2000 was reported to be 57.9% for males and 54.9% for females.

Figure One shown below represents the percentage of the US population of all races that were married from 1950 to 2000.

Figure Two shown below represents the percentage of the US population of all races that were married from 1993 to 2000.

Figure One suggests a constant decrease of 0.4% per year in marriage from 1970 to 2000.

Figure Two shows that from 1993 to 2000 the change in marriage is nearly 0.3% per year.

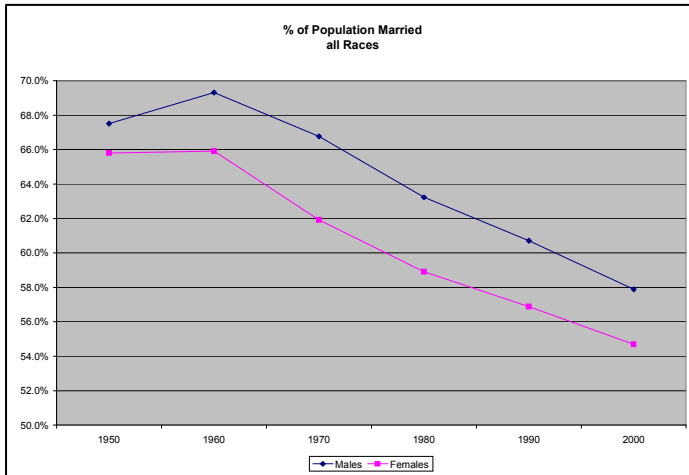


Figure One: Married percentage of population 1950 to 2000.

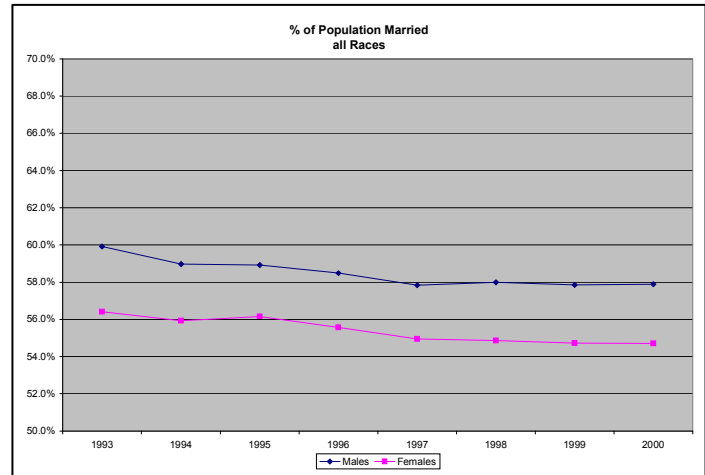


Figure Two: Married percentage of population 1993 to 2000.

### Divorce

The percent of the population that were divorced in 2000 was reported to be 8.3 % for males and 10.2% for females.

Figure Three shown below represents the percentage of the US population of all races that were divorced from 1950 to 2000.

Figure Four shown below represents the percentage of the US population of all races that were divorced from 1993 to 2000.

Figure Three suggests a constant increase of 0.2% per year in divorces from 1970 to 2000.

Figure Four shows that from 1993 to 2000 the change in divorce is nearly 0.2% per year.

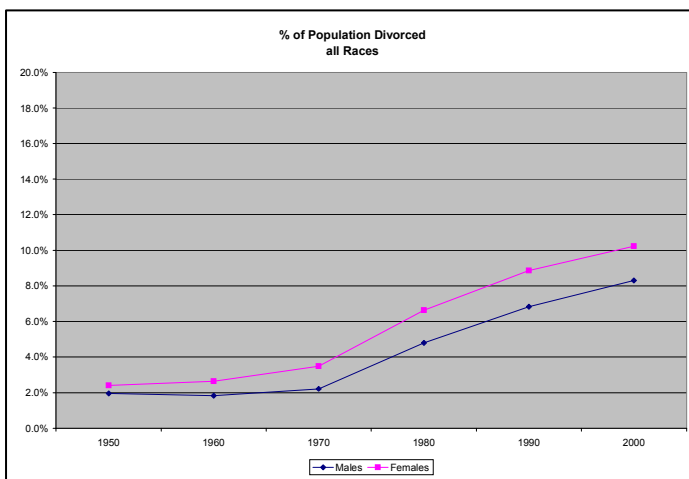


Figure One: Divorced percentage of population 1950 to 2000.

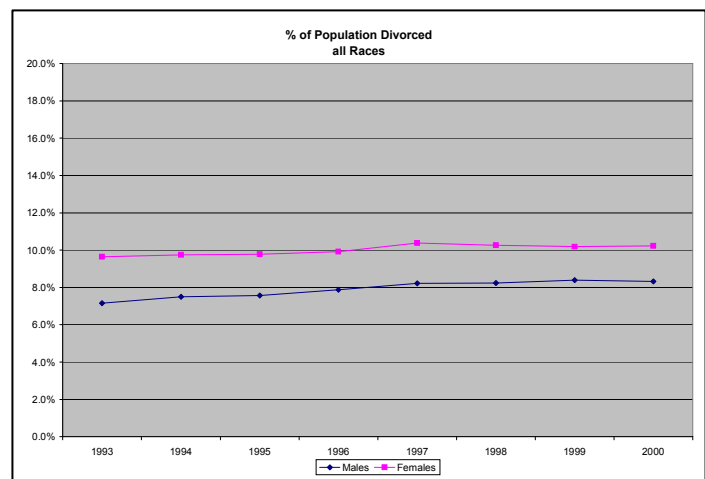


Figure Two: Divorced percentage of population 1993 to 2000.

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**Child Support - [Table 1](#)**

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There are 7.0 million custodial parents that are due court ordered child support.

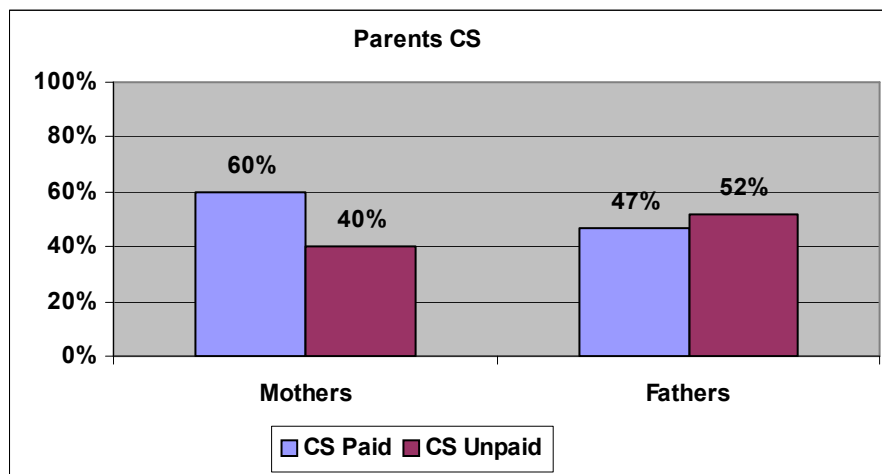
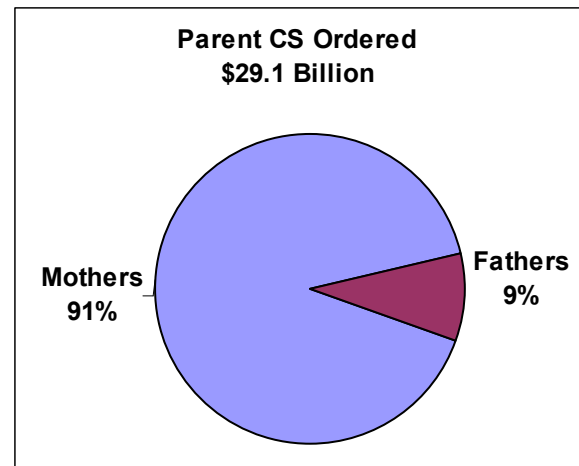
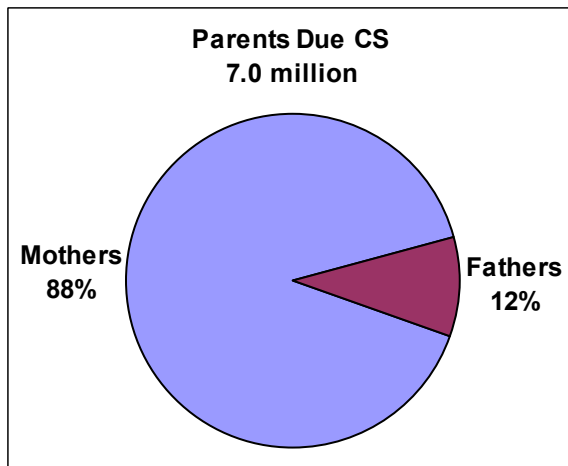
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There are more females due child support than males (91% vs 9%).

Custodial females receive a higher percentage of owed child support than males (60% vs 47%).

Custodial males are owed a higher percentage of child support than females (52% vs 40%).



## Family Law Summary (Continued)

### Child Support - [Table 4](#)

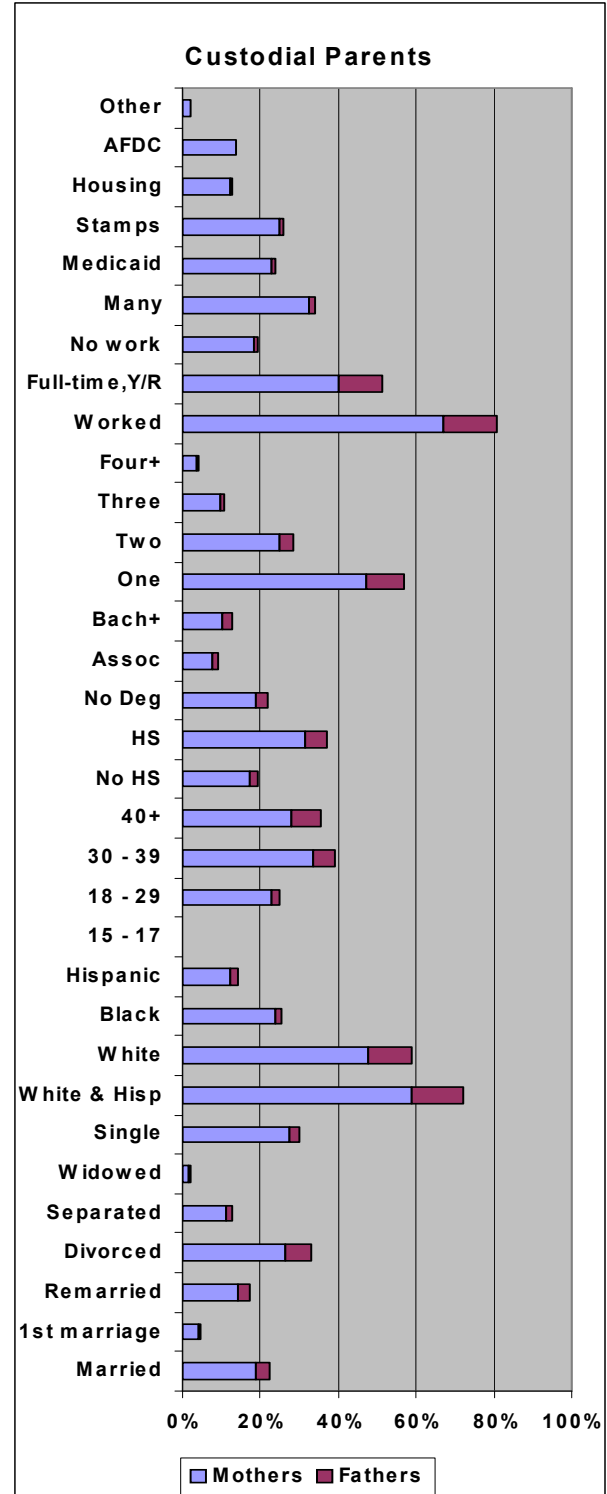
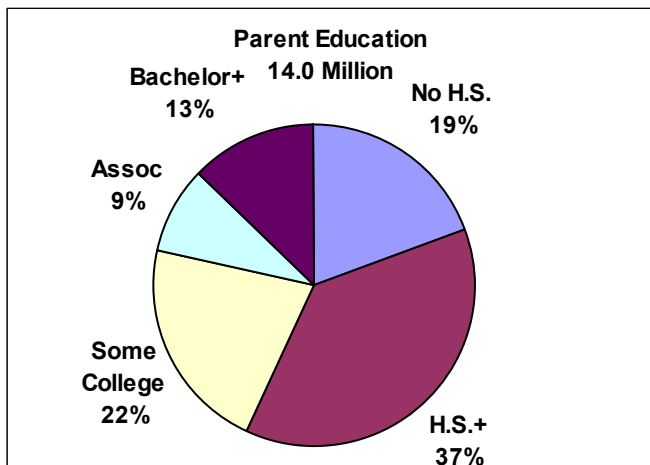
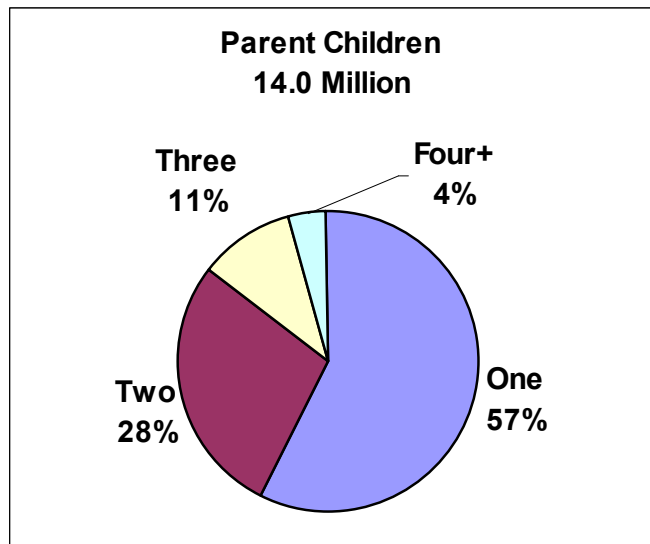
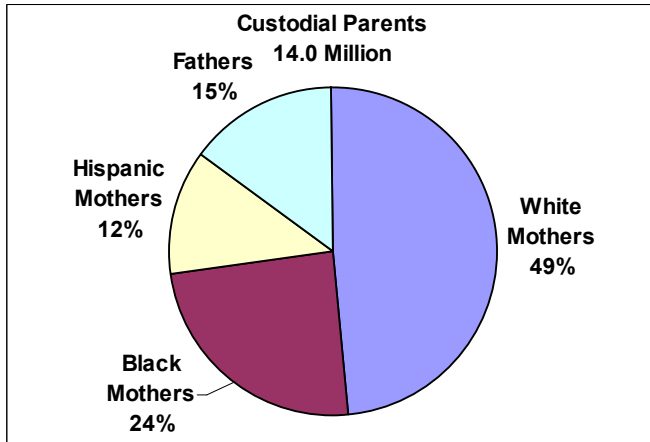
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US Census reports 14.0 million custodial parents.

Custodial fathers of all races represented 15% of the custodial parents

Custodial parents by number of children showed 57% for 1 child, 28% for 2, 11% for 3, and 4% for 4.

Custodial parents by education showed 37% HS +, 22% No Degree, 19% No HS, 13% Bachelors + and 9% Associates.



## Family Law Summary (Continued)

### Child Support - [Table 6](#)

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The US Census survey reported 14 million custodial parents.

### Income

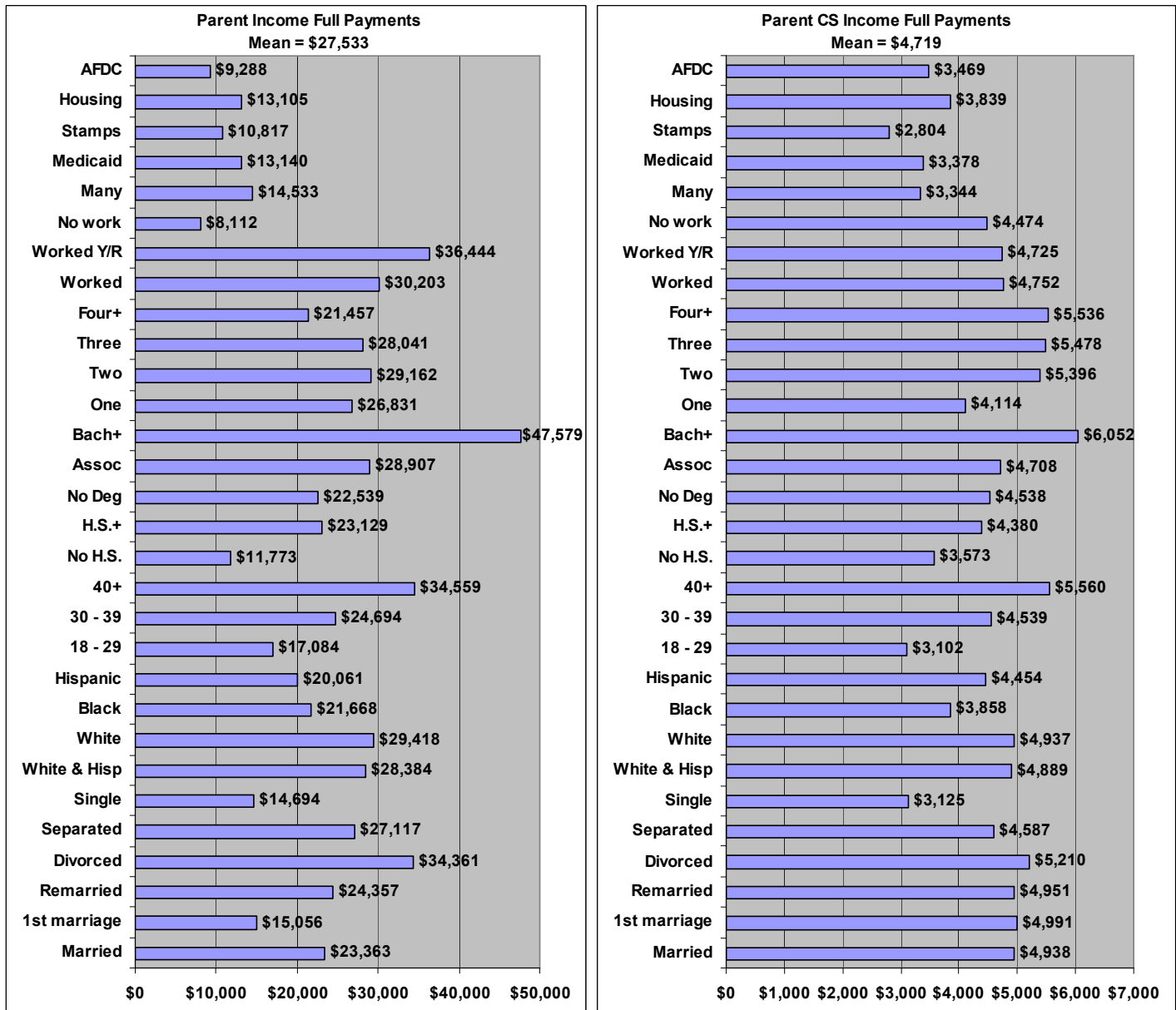
The mean income was \$27,533 per year (\$2,294 per month) for custodial parents receiving full CS payments.

The highest paid custodial parents had a bachelor degree or higher education and received \$47,579 per year (\$3,965 per month).  
The lowest paid custodial parents did not work and received \$9,112 per year (\$759 per month).

### Child Support

The mean child support income was \$4,719 per year (\$393 per month) for custodial parents receiving full CS payments.

The highest paid custodial parents had a bachelor degree or higher education and received \$6,052 per year (\$504 per month).  
The lowest paid custodial parents needed food stamps and received \$2,804 per year (\$234 per month).





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### Child Support - [Table 8](#)

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US Census reports 11.9 million mothers are custodial parents.

59% of custodial mothers were awarded child support

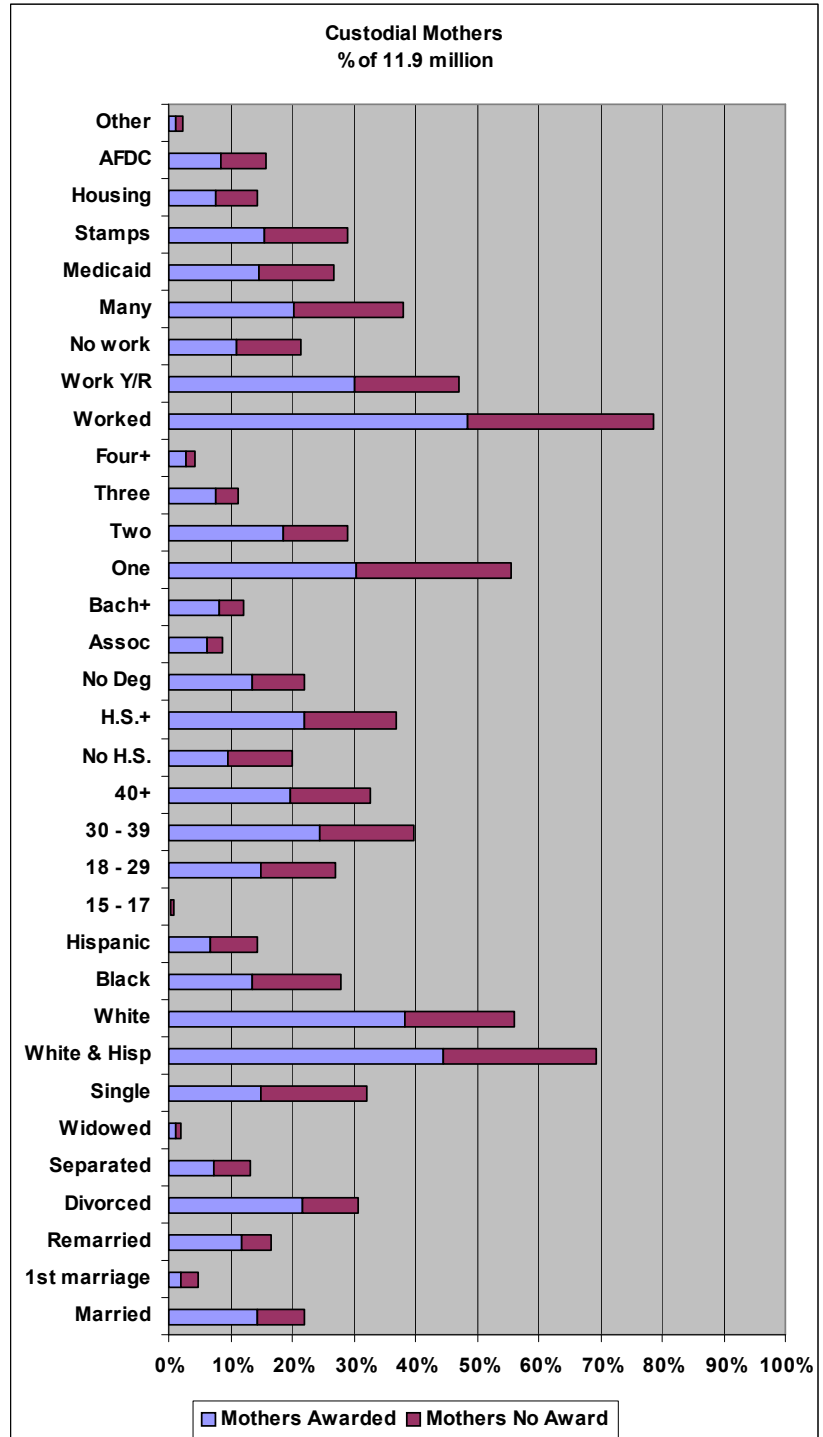
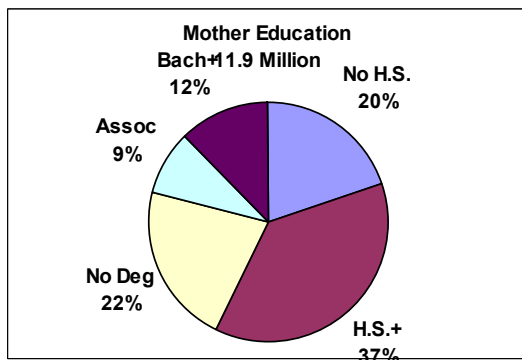
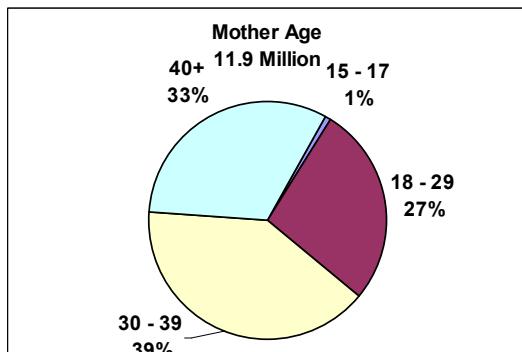
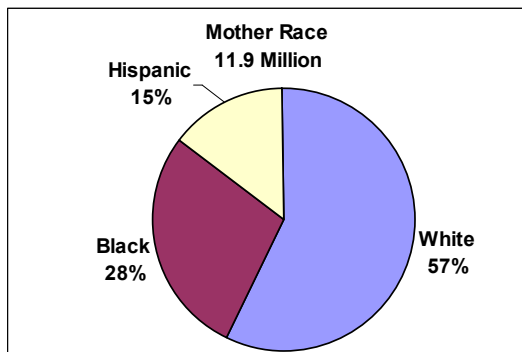
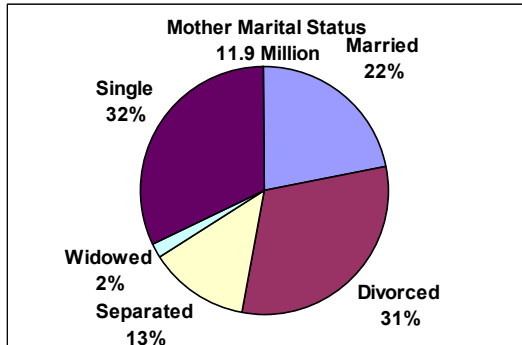
41% of custodial mothers were not awarded child support

Custodial mothers by marital status showed 32% Single, 31% Divorced, 22% Married, 13% Separated, and 2% Widowed.

Custodial mothers by race showed 57% White, 28% Black, and 15% Hispanic.

Custodial mothers by age showed 39% 30 - 39, 33% 40+, 27% 18 - 29, and 1% 15 - 17.

Custodial mothers by education showed 37% HS +, 22% No Degree, 20% No HS, 12% Bachelors +, and 9% Associates.



Jim Untersshine, GZS of LB, 09-29-01

Jesse Jackson revealed his plans to lead a 12 million-man march into Afghanistan today in response to the Taliban invitation to arbitrate world peace on behalf of the rest of humanity. *"I would be a fool not to"* said Jackson *"I was weighing possible options that might be open to me after my recent exposure to the child support system in this country and decided that living in Afghanistan may be a pretty sweet deal."*

The United Nations Security Council tonight unanimously adopted a U.S.-authored resolution compelling all UN member countries to sever financial, political and military ties with terrorist groups and freeze their assets.

*"I could do that standing on my head"* said a Los Angeles County deadbeat dad. *"This country already seized my bank accounts and suspended all my licenses, if I was lucky enough to be a terrorist I wouldn't have to face this ever-growing arrearage."*

Deadbeat dads from all across the nation gathered at the Gulf Coast Coliseum in Biloxi, MS for a gala extravaganza featuring a wet T-shirt contest sponsored by Hugh Hefner and a chili cook-off sponsored by Hooters. Located across the street from Jefferson Davis (Confederate president) mansion and just a stone's throw from the glimmering dock side gambling on the Gulf Coast, the coliseum was filled to capacity with deadbeat dads of all ethnicity's and religious denominations. *"All proceeds from dock-side gambling will be donated to repay back child support"*, said an Internal Revenue agent from the area.

Jackson explained, *"The plan is to work out a unilateral indentured servant exchange program with Afghanistan. Many refugees in Afghanistan would like to live in America and many American deadbeats would like to escape indentured servitude. It's a win-win proposition. It will be the largest pilgrimage in recent times and will allow these deadbeats to atone for daring to raise a family"*

When a spokesman for child support services was asked how this plan would affect operations, he said, *"As long they don't get a downward modification while they are in Afghanistan, why should we care. It gives us a good excuse as to why we are not pursuing them. We get a lot of flack from custodial parents about that."*

Jackson added, *"I'm sure I can convince the Taliban to turn over Osama bin Laden. I intend to stay there until they do."*

Jim Unterschine, GZS of LB, 09-18-01

"Help us [Robert Williams](#), your our only hope!" was the cry from the world leaders in response to the all-out search for the terrorists responsible for masterminding these recent atrocities.

"Nobody is better than we are, when it comes to rooting out terrorists" said Robert Williams of [Policy Studies Inc. \(PSI\)](#). "We have been practicing on deadbeats for quite sometime. Now all we need to add is an option to kill them if we find them."

When asked how PSI plans to attack this legally, Williams said "We have been working with Congress to make USC 42 666 retroactive, allowing all descendents of deadbeats to be sought for back child support. With the names of these terrorists, and a default court order in Los Angeles County, we can file for enforcement for at least 25% of their income (whatever we determine it to be, without prejudice to either party)."

When asked how this will facilitate the capture of these terrorists, Williams said, "That part is like falling off a log. The system is already in place to root out evil doers. We will be able to have the IRS freeze any bank accounts, garnish wages, suspend passports, suspend driver's licenses, arrest, persecute, and now we might be able to kill them. It is a very exciting time for us here at PSI, we are pushing the envelope in our chosen field."

When asked why Los Angeles County was chosen, Williams said, "PSI owns Los Angeles County. PSI just completed an investigation of the accounting procedures in Los Angeles County in regard to their child support agency." When asked what the outcome of the investigation was, Williams said, " You wouldn't believe me if I told you."

When asked if Los Angeles County will be rewarded for acting on behalf of the world, Williams said, "Child Support Services will collect 10% of the arrearage until it is paid off. In the mean time, 70% of the back child support reported to the federal government will be paid to the state."

When asked how much the state could possibly collect, Williams said, "We will have to talk with the federal government to see how much they can afford. We can make it anything we want. That's the beauty of default court orders."

Williams adds, "I hope this will send a clear message to all terrorists out there. If you hijack planes, murder innocent members of the flight crew, cause wholesale destruction to major cities, attack defense headquarters, slaughter innocent civilians, and attempt to start WWII, then you will be treated the same as a deadbeat."

Jim Undershine, GZS of LB, 09-17-01

The United States has issued an ultimatum vowing to punish those countries harboring independent entities that seek to wreak havoc on the world. This in the wake of terrorist attacks directed at the Trade Towers in New York and the Pentagon in Washington DC.

The country is now on "full alert" attempting to identify the enemy within our gates and the mastermind behind the independent entity that plots to terrorize American families. We are attempting to recognize the "ways and means" in which implements of our own creation can be used against us.

Rarely do you receive closure in atrocities like this, but few recognize that in this case we did. The perpetrators of this act of barbarity have already been put to death, and the independent entity that orchestrated these acts will never be taken alive. The masterminds and the "sleepers" are now sentenced to a life of paranoia, worrying about who will betray them, or who may imprison them, fearing the wrath of the victims of their treachery. **They are pilgrims with no place to go.**

The horrific events are horrific because of the enormity of the instantaneous body count. The closure we seek will come in understanding the cause that these terrorists gave their lives for. Why were they forced to resort to an act of destruction in a desperate attempt to heighten our awareness? What are they trying to say?

A similar [terrorist attack](#) took place at 19 High Meadow Lane in Amherst, New Hampshire around 7:30 am August 25, 2001. The story was reported by the Boston Globe and never received national attention. The terrorist piloting this plane hit his target, reducing it to rubble. A witness described the scene as "more surreal than anything else". The body count was reported to include one.

How can we relate these events just described to gain insight into the motivation of these atrocities? What is the common denominator in the suicides of these martyrs? The real motivation may be our country's betrayal of those ideals that we so adamantly profess, and our hypocrisy to openly deny it. **Betrayal, in all its forms, has no place in civilized society.**

America was founded on freedom and equality and we profess these truths to be self-evident, that all people are equal under the law, that we are granted rights that will be protected, and that we are free to express ourselves if we are denied these rights and liberties. America is a melting pot of those people from other countries who embraced this glorious concept and many have made great sacrifices to be a part of it. We Americans cherish their contributions to our way of life and have gained a deeper understanding of their culture.

The success of America to lead by example and to grow to command great respect must be tempered by those things that we profess to be true. We must set our sights on equality, and to help those seeking the same. We could share with the world that the lesson we learned is that: **"The cause for supremacy is a bandwagon, and invites a stick in your spokes".**

The independent entity responsible for the mountain of carnage in New York, is not the one responsible for the drop in the bucket in New Hampshire. The victims of that independent entity are found strangled in the trunks of cars, they have their throats slit on their front porch, they have their brains blown out kneeling over toilets and sitting in their cars, they are the victims of misdirected anguish.

Anguish that is born from being forced out of your home, forced to stay away from your children, and forced to be an indentured servant. The same anguish that is born from being betrayed by a legal system that has been corrupted by an independent entity to drive you into financial insolvency in the hope to label you a "deadbeat". The body count attributed to this independent entity easily surpasses those victims of circumstance entombed under the rubble in New York. This independent entity is using our love to kill each other, they do it every day, all over the world. **They do it in the name of our children.**

The Mayor of New York was attacked by the one, before being attacked by the other. Rudolph Giuliani was forced to endure the full force of them both, and with the strength of many Samoans, he assured everyone that our nation would relentlessly protect us.

***God bless you Saint Rudy, for your strength to endure the devastation of family court, the immeasurable courage to wade through the rubble of your own kingdom, and the clarity to identify who caused the first. For this you shall never taste death, and will live forever in the minds of our children, with Disney, Henson, Herman, and all others who have chosen to serve them.***

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**The Beginning Is Here**

Jim Undershine, GZS of LB, 09-11-01

The *First Family* passes test of character with flying colors today, after much conflagration and terror.

President Bush led the Sarasota, Florida elementary school children in a moment of silence after being told of the horrific events of this morning.

The First Lady, Laura Bush told the media "*Parents need to reassure their children everywhere in our country that they're safe.*" while participating in a Senate committee regarding early education.

Edward Kennedy also made a solemn contribution telling the media ``*We are not going to see the business of America deferred because of terrorism whether its in education or another area of public policy.*"

It is truly amazing how the soul will confess, those things we hold true, when we are forced to stare into the face of death.

If the lives that were lost in this hour of calamity, could only be dedicated to those feelings just described, by those people so widely revered, we have signaled the beginning of a new age dedicated to our children, to bond with them religiously, to protect them unselfishly, and insure their everlasting prosperity.

Jim Untersshine, GZS of LB, 09-10-01

The Metatron (the voice of the one true God) made a rare appearance to express the concerns of the Almighty.

**"Betrayal, in all its forms, has no place in civilized society."** said the Seraphim, still smoldering from his fiery entrance.

**"Children are the closest thing to God on Earth"** he belted out, causing a back draft that charred the entire room.

**"The Ten Commandments were provided for your protection."** he said, stamping out a small flare-up.

**"Could you possibly try not to break, every single one?"** he crooned spreading his many wings aloft.

Obviously referring to Family Law as it relates to the Ten Commandments

**God is one and unique** -- Children are closest to God not Mom

**Worship of images** -- Worship the children not money

**Misuse of God's name** -- Children must have rights to their money not Mom

**The Sabbath must be observed** -- Persecution of parents never takes a day off

**One's parents must be honored** -- Labeling a parent "deadbeat"

**Murder** -- Provoking misdirected anger between family members

**Adultery** -- No fault divorce

**Theft** -- Wage garnishment

**False testimony** -- Default court orders

**Coveting one's neighbor's goods** -- Impound car for 30 days if you drive on suspended license

**"The son of God was crucified to warn you of this day"** he continued, wafting the smoke from his eyes.

**"This time God thinks they know what they do."** he said, coughing intermittently.

Obviously referring to Family Law as it relates to crucifixion

**Splinters in your mind, driving you mad** -- Child support guideline denies children any legal rights to their support.

**Slashing the backbone of your support** -- Garnishment of your wages or freezing your bank accounts leaving you with nothing

**Carrying a monumental burden until you collapse** -- Financial burden that you can never discharge ([USC 42 666](#))

**Attached to this monumental burden you are unable to feed yourself** -- Your business license is suspended forcing you into financial insolvency

**Attached to this monumental burden you can not transport yourself** -- Your passport is revoked and your driver's license is suspended

**Attached to this monumental burden you are stuck inside** -- You are charged with criminal nonsupport and are sentenced to debtor's prison

**"Your children will judge you all. The beginning is near."** he exclaimed, piling out of the window and soaring upward.

This surprise appearance of the Metatron was in response to Los Angeles County Department of Child Support Services (DCSS) charging God with CAPC 270 (Failure to Provide) regarding God's son (Jesus Christ).

A spokesman from DCSS explained **"Policy Studies Inc (PSI) has convinced our lawmakers to make [USC 42 666](#) retroactive."**

Referring to the **"Bradley Amendment"** that makes it impossible to discharge a child support arrearage. *Now we can persecute the descendents of these deadbeats who thought they were getting away with not paying child support. In fairness to the fathers we persecute today, we must persecute the fathers of the past. We just want to be fair about this and at the same time send a clear message that 'no one is above the law'."*

When asked how much God owed in back child support, the spokesman for DCSS said **"In California, the non-custodial parent must pay close to 25% of his net income for one child. A default court order set God's child support amount at \$10 million per month, without prejudice to either party."** When asked why the amount was so high, DCSS replied **"The good news is the separation between church and state allows us to sentence God in absentia. The bad news is the federal government is refusing to pay 70% of God's reported arrearage. We are feeling sort of ripped off because the federal government is not living up to their promises like PSI said they would."**

When asked about Policy Studies Inc (PSI) the DCSS spokesman said **"PSI has been invaluable in our persecution of heterosexual taxpayers in California, as well as many other states and countries abroad. California does whatever PSI says when it comes to child support enforcement. California even has PSI review our child support guideline every four years to assure everyone that our state complies with a federal mandate that allows us to do business. If we get a little greedy, we just call PSI to clean things up. I don't know what we would do without them."**

When a spokesman representing PSI was asked how they have become such an influence in destroying families and provoking the wrath of God, he responded **"At PSI we feel that it is socially useful for us to have fun and make money. We encourage our employees to take chances without worrying about being punished for their mistakes."** When asked about possible legal liability for their actions PSI responded **"If someone asked you to jump off a cliff, would you do it? We never said any of this was legal. We said that we couldn't believe it wasn't."**

**Detached From The Nation, We Slip Into Oblivion**

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Jim Untersshine, GZS of LB, 09-09-01

The unification of church and state has never been so critical as it is right now. Marriage is a milestone attained by the church and a foundation for a family to build.

The separation between Church and State prohibits the faithful from stepping foot on Armageddon and dooms the Apocalypse to be lost by forfeit. An [INDEPENDENT ENTITY](#) has attempted to clear the field of opposition by subverting the focus of our faith. The support they gather is in the name of our children, but these idolaters are making a false profit by raising a false icon.

The faithful are being systematically crucified by family law for entering into a religious partnership. Family law has been corrupted by an INDEPENDENT ENTITY who has led many governments into temptation at home and abroad. This INDEPENDENT ENTITY is convincing states to defraud the federal government in the name of our children. The INDEPENDENT ENTITY conspires with the Judicial and Executive branches of many states to deceive their own Legislative branch.

The Church has the power to wake up these Legislators, to open their eyes to this conspiracy, to avoid the inevitable, and protect the faithful. The legislature is the people and the people are the faithful. The Church has the power to protect its followers by demanding that the faithful expose this threat to their legislators. The Church has the power to rise and demand: **"LET MY PEOPLE GO"**

## It has Come to Pass

Like a thief in the night, an INDEPENDENT ENTITY has risen to lay pestilence upon the faithful. The sinister injustice that has been advocated by this venomous threat has provoked the murder of many of the faithful in misdirected anger.

By poisoning the antidote provided by the federal government, USC 42 666 is being used to seal the fate of many of the faithful by sentencing them to a life of indentured servitude or imprisonment. Forcing the faithful into financial insolvency allows this persecution to reap a false profit. The level of involvement in this conspiracy to defraud the federal government seems to mute the objections of the righteous. Appeasement is encouragement and gives tacit permission to persecute.

The degree of avarice, greed, and hedonism that is professed openly by the corporate slogan of this INDEPENDENT ENTITY and identifies this threat to humanity: **"Do something socially useful, have fun, and make money"**

The INDEPENDENT ENTITY is drawing nigh to Los Angeles, summoned by the state of California to absolve their Executive branch for their trespasses. The INDEPENDENT ENTITY is drawing nigh to San Francisco, summoned by the state of California to absolve their Judicial branch for their trespasses.

Judgement day is upon us. We will be judged by our children. The beginning is near.

## Family Law Stigmata

**Splinters in your mind, driving you mad.** --Child support guideline betrays your protection granted by federal law. Children are taken from their sole provider and have no legal rights to their support.

**Slashing the backbone of your support to the bone.** --Garnishment of your wages leaving you with nothing. Freezing your bank accounts

**Carrying a monumental burden until you collapse** --Financial burden that you can never discharge (USC 42 666). Inability to sustain your existence

**Attached to this monumental burden you are unable to feed yourself** --You are forced into financial insolvency. Your business license is suspended

**Attached to this monumental burden you can not transport yourself** --Your passport is revoked. Your driver's license is suspended

**Attached to this monumental burden you are stuck inside** --You are charged with criminal nonsupport. You are sentenced to debtor's prison



Jim Undershine, GZS of LB, 08-06-01

Any independent entity that advocates the destruction of the family must be regarded as a threat to national security and a clear and present danger to the prosperity of a culture. These independent entities operate with impunity in their pursuit of financial rewards. These independent entities subvert the executive and judicial branches of our state governments in an effort to deceive the legislative branch. These independent entities have successfully guided many states into defrauding the federal government without any plausible deniability to defend themselves. These independent entities do this in the name of our children. A false profit is being made by raising a false icon.

A Deadbeat Dad is created from a heterosexual taxpayer that fathers a child and refuses family adversity.

- [Virginia](#) says 'Advocates for Deadbeat Dads must not know the truth'
- [Wisconsin](#) says 'A Deadbeat Dad cannot father anymore children'
- [Oregon](#) says 'A Deadbeat Dad cannot associate with anyone'
- California says 'A Deadbeat Dad can be billed fraudulently'
- [North Carolina](#) says 'Deadbeat Dads must pay if they are held hostage abroad'
- [Texas](#) says 'Deadbeat Dads must pay if they are falsely imprisoned'
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The Emancipation Proclamation says '*That on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January, AD 1863, all persons held as slaves within any State or designated part of a State the people whereof shall then be in rebellion against the United States shall be then, thenceforward, and forever free; and the executive government of the United States, including the military and naval authority thereof, will recognize and maintain the freedom of such persons and will do no act or acts to repress such persons, or any of them, in any efforts they make for their actual freedom.*'

The Emancipation Proclamation was not written to shame the South. It was written to provide a rebuttable defense for US citizens against profiteers who seek to strip them of their freedom.

It is somehow ironic that Mississippi is the only state that still entertains "Yo fault" (causal) divorce, where there exists some sense of decency. Other states have adopted "No fault" divorce out of apathy while regarding marriage contracts as a nuisance. Mississippi demands a non-custodial parent to pay only 23% of their income for three children. Mississippi leads the nation in its fair treatment of indentured servants, not because of a federal mandate, but because it is the right thing to do.

**Families are urged to seek asylum in Mississippi to avoid slavery.**

## Wisconsin Case Stirs Child-Support Debate

DAVID CRARY, AP National Writer, 07-12-01

NEW YORK (AP) - In the quest to collect unpaid child support, authorities have booted cars, revoked drivers' licenses, seized bank assets and issued wanted posters of deadbeat parents.

Now a Wisconsin Supreme Court ruling, ordering a child-support debtor to father no more children while he's on probation, has intensified debate over whether enforcement tactics can violate civil rights.

"When we get to the point of taking away people's rights to procreate, absolutely we're going too far," said Dianna Thompson, executive director of the American Coalition for Fathers and Children in Lake Forest, Calif.

"When parents have problems supporting their children, we have different standards for mothers and fathers," she said. "We give mothers welfare and we give fathers jail."

Wisconsin's high court ruled Tuesday that David Oakley, a 34-year-old father of nine who owed \$25,000 in support, can be ordered not to father any more children during a five-year probation imposed in 1999. He faces eight years in jail if he fails to comply.

The court's four male justices upheld the ban, while the three female justices dissented, saying that having children is a basic constitutional right.

The American Civil Liberties Union (news - web sites) expressed dismay at the ruling, depicting Oakley as a scapegoat even though his conduct might be reprehensible.

"There's a long, ugly history of attempts by the government to control the reproduction of poor people," said Catherine Weiss, director of the ACLU's Reproductive Freedom Project in New York.

Weiss said that Wisconsin has been among the most aggressive states in pushing low-income parents off welfare rolls. "Now they turn around and scapegoat the deadbeat dads," she said.

This is not the first time the ACLU has raised questions about child-support enforcement. The director of the ACLU's Virginia chapter, Kent Willis, objected last year when the state announced that it would immobilize the cars of deadbeat parents with pink and powder-blue car boots.

"This is part of a whole trend to reverse the way we do criminal justice to a system we were using in the 17th century," Willis said. "This is public humiliation."

Enforcement tactics such as car-booting and license revocation have also been assailed by fathers-rights groups, including Thompson's coalition.

"I've never understood the philosophy behind that," she said. "If you take away someone's ability to get to work, how are they going to be able to earn money to make their payments?"

The Wisconsin decision shows questionable judgment because it not only punishes Oakley, but puts any woman who gets pregnant by him into a bind, Justice Ann Walsh Bradley wrote in her dissent.

"It places the woman in an untenable position: have an abortion or be responsible for Oakley going to prison for eight years," Bradley wrote.

But Geraldine Jensen, president of the Association for Children for Enforcement of Support, applauded the ruling. She contends that child-support statutes "are the least enforced laws in this country."

"The courts are very soft on this crime against children," said Jensen, whose advocacy group is based in Toledo, Ohio. "We would like to see child support taken as seriously as paying taxes."

Jensen called the Wisconsin decision "an extreme measure for an extreme situation, after they tried other ways to deal with it."

Increasingly over the past decade, fathers-rights groups have depicted the child-support system as riddled with abuses and inequities. On Internet sites, activists exchange reports of suicides and imprisonments resulting from what they contend are overzealous enforcement efforts.

In Massachusetts, attorney David Grossack is preparing a lawsuit to challenge the so-called Bradley amendment, a 1986 federal law which says child-support obligations cannot be retroactively reduced or forgiven by a judge.

Grossack, in a telephone interview Thursday, said he knows fathers who have fled abroad to escape support payments which they considered excessive.

## **Wisconsin Case Stirs Child-Support Debate (Continued)**

“It’s a human rights travesty,” he said. “Before people start talking about the Taliban or the North Koreans, they should look at the divorce system in the United States.”

Child-support enforcement was strengthened throughout this country as a result of the welfare reform legislation enacted by Congress in 1996. Steps to streamline collection of payments and toughen penalties for deadbeats have boosted national child support revenues from \$12 billion in fiscal 1996 to a record \$18 billion in fiscal 2000.

## Oregon vs Hill

07-27-01

### [59] C. Accessory Indictment and Conviction

[60] Hill argues that the indictment charging her with being an accessory after the fact is deficient as a matter of law because it did not specify the principal crime, Charlie's alleged violation of the Deadbeat Parents Punishment Act. To support her argument, Hill relies on *United States v. Innis*.<sup>29</sup> *Innis* concerned whether the defendant's prior conviction for being an accessory after the fact was a crime of violence that qualified him for sentencing as a career offender.<sup>30</sup> Because the crime underlying *Innis*'s accessory offense was murder for hire, the Government argued that it should be considered a crime of violence. We agreed. In passing, we noted that because "[c]ommission of the underlying offense is a prerequisite for conviction as an accessory after the fact[,] . . . an indictment charging one as an accessory after the fact must plead the underlying offense as well as the accessory offense."<sup>31</sup>

[61] In *Innis*, we were primarily concerned with ensuring, in a case in which a court planned to base a dramatic sentencing enhancement on a violent prior offense under the guidelines' career offender provisions, that a jury had found beyond a reasonable doubt that violence was an element of the crime.<sup>32</sup> The underlying offense was included in *Innis*'s indictment.

[62] Thus, our statement there was dictum. Until now, whether the underlying offense is an essential element that must always be pleaded in an accessory indictment in order to provide defendants with constitutionally adequate notice has not been squarely presented to this court. We hold that the underlying offense is an essential element that must be pleaded.

[63] The Supreme Court has held that an indictment is sufficient if: (1) it contains the elements of the offense charged and fairly informs a defendant of the charge against which he must defend; and (2) it enables him to plead an acquittal or conviction in bar of future prosecutions for the same offense.<sup>33</sup> These requirements reflect the rights guaranteed by the Sixth<sup>34</sup> and Fifth<sup>35</sup> Amendments, respectively.

[64] So long as a statute's words "fully, directly, and expressly, without any uncertainty or ambiguity, set forth all the elements necessary to constitute the offense intended to be punished,"<sup>36</sup> an indictment that tracks the statute verbatim satisfies the above requirements. The question thus becomes, does the accessory statute set forth all the elements necessary to constitute the offense? We now hold that it does not.

[65] The accessory statute provides that "[w]hoever, knowing that an offense against the United States has been committed, receives, relieves, comforts or assists the offender in order to hinder or prevent his apprehension, trial or punishment, is an accessory after the fact."<sup>37</sup> The first part of this statute, "knowing that an offense against the United States has been committed"<sup>38</sup> is intentionally ambiguous, and for good reason:

[66] It would be tremendously burdensome and inefficient to have a separate accessory statute for every possible principal crime. The phrase "a crime against the United States " simply fills in a blank for administrative ease; obviously, however, a conviction based on something so vague would not be constitutional.

[67] If a defendant may not be convicted of being an accessory to "a crime against the United States," with no underlying crime specified, then she should not be able to be indicted for the same. If an element is necessary to convict, it is also necessary to indict, because elements of a crime do not change as criminal proceedings progress. Thus, we concur with the First Circuit that "an indictment charging one as an accessory after the fact must plead the underlying offense, as well as the accessory offense."<sup>39</sup>

### [68] CONCLUSION

[69] Because we hold that it is constitutional for the United States to prosecute Hill for harboring her husband and because there was sufficient evidence to convict her of that crime, we affirm her harboring conviction. We reverse her conviction for being an accessory after the fact because her indictment was insufficient as a matter of law.

[70] AFFIRMED in part, REVERSED in part, and REMANDED for entry of an amended judgment.

## Proven Innocent, But Still Owes Society

By Jim Sciutto ABCNEWS.com, 06-25-01

William Gregory was jailed for a rape he did not commit. But when he was released from prison, he found society still ready to collect on a debt - and no help from the state.

William Gregory spent eight and a half years in a Kentucky Prison for a rape he did not commit - leaving his son on state child support.

But with his freedom came a twist straight out of Kafka: not only did he get no compensation, but the state then sued him for the child support it paid while he was in prison.

"At least compensate me for the time," said Gregory, who was released on account of DNA evidence. "Say 'I made a mistake. We made a mistake, and pay that man!'"

He said he had nothing when he got out of jail.

"I was sleeping on the street," Gregory said.

Little Chance of Compensation for Many

Only 13 states and the District of Columbia pay compensation to people wrongly imprisoned, and most of them set limits ranging from \$5,000 a year in Wisconsin to \$36,000 per year in California.

This week, the Senate Judiciary Committee will consider increasing compensation in federal cases to \$50,000 per year - \$100,000 for capital crimes - and encourages states to do the same.

"If somebody has been locked up like that you just can't say 'here is a coat and here is \$10, just run along,'" said committee chairman Sen. Patrick Leahy, D-Vermont.

Under the 11th Amendment, individuals cannot sue the government for damages. Their best hope is often a federal civil rights case. People who are wrongly convicted of a crime have a better chance of getting compensation if they can prove police framed them.

But if their conviction was the result of a mistake - faulty fingerprint analysis, or incorrect eyewitness testimony - then, at least for now, there are no established legal remedies.

Justice: Not Always Perfect?

Still, some state lawmakers say the system does enough as is.

"People are guaranteed a fair trial," said Bill Graves, a state representative in Oklahoma. "They are guaranteed justice. That's what the Constitution provides for. It does not provide for a perfect system."

A study by Ohio State estimates that as many as 10,000 prisoners - or about one in 200 - are innocent.

Of the few who are released, two-thirds, like William Gregory, get only their freedom.

# Our Child-Support Policies Exile Noncustodial Parents

John Smith, DAILY JOURNAL, 08-03-01

Recently, the public got a rare glimpse at the Draconian measures our government is taking in a desperate effort to make child support work. The occasion was the Wisconsin Supreme Court's decision to imprison David Oakley if he fathered another child. Because he could not support his children, they reasoned, having another child amounted to child abuse Wisconsin v. Oakley, 629 N.W.2d 200 (Wis.2000). The ruling was so unusual, even liberal groups were stunned at the decision, a decision made on the slipperiest of slopes.

The obvious problem comes with equating child rearing with income. If Oakley can be legally prevented from having children because he doesn't earn enough money, should we start cracking down on low-income families?

Should we start a sterilization program for those who don't earn enough? And with news stories telling us it takes over \$250,000 to raise a child born today, this means that anyone earning less than \$14,700 per child, after taxes and after personal expenses are paid, would fall into this abuse category.

Another sticky point the Wisconsin Supreme Court missed was that of welfare mothers. Instead of jail, these women who bear children they can't support are offered money. If Oakley is guilty of child abuse because of the lack of money, what about the millions of welfare mothers? Welfare is a grant to the mother - but a loan to the father because fathers are responsible for repaying welfare in the form of child support. The father has no say (and often no knowledge) of the mothers applying for and getting welfare, but the father is held responsible for repaying the government - complete with interest and fines.

The Wisconsin decision is just the most recent case in a long line of Draconian measures that threatens everyone's rights. The U. S. Department of Health and Human Services has proposed that food stamps be denied to parents in arrears. Up to 65 percent of gross wages can be garnished for child support.

In Walton County Ga., the sheriff has proposed work camps for fathers who fail to pay child support. After DNA evidence freed a death row prisoner, the State of Texas charged him with failure to pay child support while on death row.

An American held hostage in an Iraqi POW camp was jailed one day after returning home to the U.S. for failing to pay child support while incarcerated. Patricia Hill of Umpqua, Ore., was charged with harboring a fugitive in a child support case. The fugitive? Her husband.

Privacy has gone out the door, as bureaucrats and politicians "get tough" in hopes of making this 26-year-old policy failure work. Government agencies scan everybody's bank account, through a program known as Financial Institution Data Matching, whether the person had to pay child support or not. The National Directory of New Hires searches all new employees within 20 days of their date of hire in hopes of finding a secret stash of money.

The Federal Parent Locator System tracks the whereabouts of noncustodial parents.

But after 26 years of getting tougher, things aren't better. Money isn't the solution; it's the problem. Child support policy is based on the notion that one parent can be replaced by money.

In reality, child support - with its excessive awards and Draconian punishments - only serves to force noncustodial parents into exile, irreparably harming the children.

Child support is, like welfare was, a single-mother household enabler. And few things could be more detrimental to children than being raised in a single-mother household. Kids need both parents.

The problem is that our current laws focus solely on dollars collected. Our laws need to change this focus to increasing parental involvement of both biological parents. Shared parenting - where each parent gets equal physical custody (time) of their children - must become the presumption in law.

It should not be easy for one parent or a judge to skirt this law. Neither parent could move outside a geographic area, usually a school district or county, unless they reach a voluntary agreement.

Ditto for custody arrangements. With each parent spending equal time raising their children, the need for child support disappears. By removing the weapons and rewards for fighting, kids will get what they need the most: increased parental involvement. Family court dockets will also be cleared out.

Instead of having the government dictate how much money one parent must spend each month regardless of their current economic circumstance, the parent should be required to support their children. This would hold each parent responsible for their actions.

Oakley's sentence should be to support all of his children, half of the time. Whether he feeds them fillet mignon or hot dogs is his choice. We must not confuse the paying of child support with supporting your child.

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Jim Undershine, GZS of LB, 07-30-01

*'Non-custodial representatives who advocate change in child support guidelines will not be appointed'*

Cover-up is defined as an effort or strategy of concealment, especially a planned effort to prevent something potentially scandalous from becoming public.

Legislators are urged to take an active interest in child support guideline reviews conducted in their respective states. The motive behind the [Secretary of Virginia](#), to eliminate an appointed representative of non-custodial parents in the review of their state's child support guideline, may expose a clear and present danger to the rights granted to heterosexual taxpayers by a federal mandate.

The Legislative branch of many states are being misled by what they may think is a well represented and comprehensive review the child support guideline in their state. In reality, the Legislature is being presented with the findings of independent entities with regard to the success of family law courts in their state to impose the child support guideline on non-custodial parents.

In California, the same independent entity (Policy Studies Inc.) that is conducting the states child support guideline review for the Judicial Council (Judicial branch) is the same entity investigating the child support enforcement agency (Executive branch) regarding fraudulent accounting practices. This independent entity has led the state of California by the nose in their implementation of their present guideline and are now covering up the ongoing fraud in the state's effort to enforce it.

Driving the only parent capable of financially supporting the children into financial insolvency guarantees the state federal funding. This is not what the federal government had in mind when they allowed each state to practice family law. The review of each state's child support guideline is supposed to insure the state's compliance with the federal mandate as well as assessing the effects on the children and parents exposed to the guideline.

[Dr Baskerville](#) is being punished for [pointing out the obvious](#), and being made an example of for expressing his outrage. This is not only admired, but expected, as a concerned representative for non-custodial parents and children. His views are shared by many and should be addressed as part of the review, not disregarded as if he is not allowed to participate.

**Silencing or eliminating all advocates for change  
amongst those who advise legislation  
turns objective review into law prearranged  
and signals the fall of a nation.**

**THE BEGINNING IS NEAR**



Secretary of Virginia



COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

Office of the Governor

James S. Gilmore, III  
Governor

Claude A. Allen  
Secretary of Health and Human Resources

July 23, 2001

Stephen Baskerville, Ph.D.  
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Dear Dr. Baskerville:

In accordance with state and federal statutory mandates, Virginia must conduct a review of its Child Support Guideline, currently required triennially. Certain government and special interest groups must be represented on the Panel convened for this purpose. To accomplish this for the upcoming guideline review, we invited nominations of persons believed by advocates of such groups to be able to represent their particular interests. Your name was suggested, along with a number of others, as a potential noncustodial parent (NCP) representative, and was submitted to this office for review and final selection.

After looking over the credentials that you sent demonstrating your qualifications to serve on this Panel, we offered you appointment as an NCP representative on April 27, 2001, which you accepted. However, upon reviewing your opinions published in the June 17, 2001, *Washington Times*, we question whether you would be able to work effectively with other Panel members.

The sole purpose of the Panel is to review the existing Virginia Guideline as set forth in *Code of Virginia §§ 20-108.1 and 20-108.2*. I understand that some interest groups take major issue with some of the premises of the child support enforcement laws and regulations, as well as implementation practices. That certainly is their right. However, the panel is not the appropriate forum for addressing these issues, but rather the U. S. Congress.

I have read your statement in the June 17, 2001, *Washington Times*, and the criticism of the motivations of those who either sit on the Panel or administer the program. Your statement that "The review panel was selected by the director of the state's Division of Child Support Enforcement (DCSE) ..." is erroneous. Factually, the Director submitted only a nominee to represent the Executive branch. He was unaware of all other nominees for the Panel.

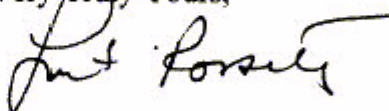
## Secretary of Virginia (Continued)

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July 23, 2001  
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From this, I find it difficult to see how you could effectively participate along with representatives of other groups that very likely have different perspectives than yours, in a cooperative effort to improve Virginia's existing Guideline within its existing legal and regulatory parameters.

Accordingly, I believe it to be in the best interest of all concerned to rescind your appointment to the 2001 Virginia Triennial Child Support Guideline Review Panel. Thank you for your willingness to participate, even if in a context counter to the Panel's purpose.

Very Truly Yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Louis F. Rossiter". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Louis F. Rossiter, Ph.D.  
*Secretary of Health and Human Resources*

LFR/jsc

c: Bill Brownfield  
Panel Liaison

## **Professor ousted from child-support panel**

**Daniel F. Drummond, THE WASHINGTON TIMES, 08-04-01**

Virginia Gov. James S. Gilmore III's health secretary has dismissed from a child-support advisory panel a Howard University professor who has criticized the group in an op-ed article in The Washington Times.

Health and Human Resources Secretary Louis F. Rossiter last week dismissed political science professor Stephen Baskerville from the 2001 Virginia Triennial Child Support Guideline Review Panel. He cited a June 17 op-ed article in The Times in which Mr. Baskerville accused the panel of cronyism and of criminalizing fathers.

"I find it difficult to see how you could effectively participate along with representatives of other groups that very likely have different perspectives than yours," Mr. Rossiter wrote in a July 23 letter to Mr. Baskerville.

The Times has obtained a copy of the letter.

Mr. Baskerville, a divorced father of two who lives in Northern Virginia, said he was removed from the panel because of his politically incorrect views about child support and its enforcement.

He also said the law forming the panel calls for disparate points of view among its members.

"It bothers me that the Gilmore administration claims they are being more diverse, and here they are excluding opinions that are not approved of by the government," said Mr. Baskerville, who was appointed to the panel April 27 by Secretary Claude A. Allen. Mr. Allen is now a deputy secretary in the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Richard Parker, a spokesman for Mr. Rossiter, said Mr. Baskerville was not dismissed for his views but because Mr. Baskerville, in assailing the panel, did not display an open mind.

During an appearance Thursday in Springfield, Mr. Gilmore said he was unaware of the situation but doubted that Mr. Rossiter would dismiss Mr. Baskerville solely because of his views.

Gilmore spokeswoman Lila White said the governor, who is also chairman of the Republican National Committee, "is fully confident in his secretary for health and human resources."

Virginia's Division of Child Support Enforcement estimates the state has 200,000 delinquent parents who collectively owe more than \$1.7 billion in support for more than 541,000 children. Last year, the state collected more than \$391 million in support payments.

The 12-member child support advisory panel was formed in 1988 and is required by federal law to meet at least every four years. The next panel will convene this summer.

In a June 17 op-ed article in The Times, Mr. Baskerville said the actions of the 1999 panel amounted to "the foxes guarding the hen house" and that "at least 10 of the 12 members derived income from the divorce system: two judges, four lawyers, a feminist, an enforcement official, two custodial parents, and a legislator."

"All of these people have a stake in encouraging divorce and criminalizing fathers and therefore in making child support as onerous as possible," Mr. Baskerville wrote, adding that the state had an inherent conflict-of-interest in choosing the panel's members.

According to documents provided by Mr. Rossiter's office, five of the 12 members of the 1999 panel are also on the 2001 board.

As a member of the panel, Mr. Baskerville would have represented parents who pay child support. His criticisms of the child support system have appeared in 13 other opinion pieces in The Times and Insight magazine since 1999.

Mr. Parker said Mr. Baskerville should have made his concerns known first to the panel, adding that the 14-year university professor is free to express his views at any of the panel's public hearings.

"Before it even started, he was criticizing it," Mr. Parker said. "He should have expressed his concerns in the context of the panel and not the press."

Mr. Baskerville said his criticisms in his op-ed article reflect a minority viewpoint and should not be construed as an "official comment" on the panel, adding that he hopes to be reappointed. But Mr. Parker said Mr. Rossiter's decision is final.

## Letter to Editor

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Dear Mr. Pruden,

A column I wrote for the Washington Times in June has led to my removal from a government panel in Virginia to which I had been duly appointed. Enclosed is a letter from Louis F. Rossiter, Virginia Secretary of Health and Human Resources, in which he explicitly states that the reason for my dismissal from the Child Support Guideline Review Panel was views expressed in your newspaper. "Upon reviewing your opinions published in the June 17, 2001, Washington Times, we question whether you would be able to work effectively with other Panel members," Secretary Rossiter writes. "I find it difficult to see how you could effectively participate along with representatives of other groups that very likely have different perspectives than yours."

This is obviously a serious breach of governmental ethics. It threatens the integrity of the review process in which I was selected to participate. It also carries implications for the Bill of Rights when citizens can be dismissed from public service solely because of their views published in respected newspapers. (The column has been reprinted in the Fredericksburg Free Lance-Star and is also under consideration at other Virginia newspapers.) I need hardly tell you too that it is an open insult to your readers and your newspaper when views that have been deemed worthy of airing by your editors are then suppressed by government officials in what is ostensibly a forum for reviewing government policy based on a diversity of public viewpoints.

Enclosed is my reply to Sec. Rossiter, along with letters to Governor James Gilmore and Attorney General Mark Earley, setting forth my concerns more fully. It is my conviction that this action is part of a much larger system of government lawlessness that includes not only conflicts of interest, but mass incarcerations without trial, unlawful searches and seizures, the illegal removal of children from their parents, and other serious violations of constitutional rights.

The Times has already published at least two letters to the editor on this matter (also enclosed), and I have seen the article in today's Metropolitan section. Yet I hope you will also consider issuing your own response, in the name of the Washington Times. This is nothing less than a challenge to the role of the Washington Times as a legitimate and leading voice of the community. If the views it publishes are considered beyond the pale of acceptable opinion and dismissed as unworthy of even being considered by Virginia state officials, then those officials are dangerously insulated from the concerns of the citizens they claim to serve.

The Washington Times has already shown great courage and national leadership in publishing on this troubled and secretive underworld of unaccountable government power. I also urge you, as I have similarly urged Governor Gilmore and Attorney General Earley, to conduct a more extensive investigation into ethical improprieties and violations of civil rights within the machinery governing involuntary divorce, child custody, and child support not only in Virginia but nationwide.

Yours sincerely,  
Stephen Baskerville

## Appetite for Family Destruction

Stephen Baskerville, *Washington Times*, 06-17-01

A little-noticed commission is beginning work in Virginia that has major implications nationwide for both families and governmental ethics. Every four years, each state is required to review its guidelines for child support. In Virginia the outcome may be less remarkable than the process.

The last review in 1999 was a classic case of the foxes guarding the hen house. The review panel was selected by the director of the state's Division of Child Support Enforcement (DCSE), and at least 10 of the 12 members derived income from the divorce system: two judges, four lawyers, a feminist, an enforcement official, two custodial parents, and a legislator. All these people have a stake in encouraging divorce and criminalizing fathers and therefore in making child support as onerous as possible. "By virtue of the Director of DCSE deciding its make-up, conflict-of-interest concerns are both evident and also reflective of much larger improprieties."

The words are from the minority report of Barry Koplen, the lone representative of parents paying court-ordered child support. A full-time clothier, Mr. Koplen was appointed only after fundamental decisions had already been taken and by his own account had neither the time nor the expertise to attend to his duties. Yet he was told he would serve or no one would.

Mr. Koplen set about to educate himself on the intricacies of the child-support industry. The result was a scathing indictment of how powerful interests can hijack the machinery of government not simply to line their pockets but to seize children and used them as weapons against law-abiding parents. Mr. Koplen accused the commission of nothing less than "criminal wrongdoing" in jailing parents "without due process of law." He discovered a political underworld where government officials are feathering their nests and violating citizens' rights while cynically proclaiming their concern for children. "This is frightening in its disregard for due process," Mr. Koplen wrote. "The violation of constitutional rights [is] perpetrated by both our courts and the DCSE."

The review process was hardly better than the system itself: "conducted in a manner so questionable as to cast doubt on its credibility," said Mr. Koplen. "We had been asked to blind ourselves to the illegal incarceration of thousands of citizens in our state, to the harassment and pursuit of parents by attorneys on loan to DCSE." By controlling this panel, judges, lawyers, and plainclothes police are making the same laws they adjudicate and enforce.

Perhaps most questionable is that the system used in the Old Dominion (and some 30 other states) is largely the creation of one man, who also happens to preside over the nation's largest private child support contractor. Robert Williams created Policy Studies Inc., to compound the ethical conflict, while working as a paid consultant to the Department of Health and Human Services, which in turn imposed his system on the states. "His company's participation in child support guideline determination and the profit it derives from its child support collection division points to an obvious conflict of interest," Mr. Koplen noted. "His proposal's higher numbers meant more collections" for his company.

So why should we care about punitive burdens on divorced fathers? If they don't want to pay child support perhaps they shouldn't have gotten divorced.

That is precisely the point: Most noncustodial parents are divorced involuntarily and without legal grounds. The same interests represented on the review panels can force divorce on the parents whose property they then confiscate – for the children, of course. This makes unilateral divorce very lucrative for all concerned. High guidelines, Mr. Koplen points out, "create an irresistible incentive to divorce for the party most likely to be rewarded with child custody and child support." Coerced child support, along with forced attorneys' fees, is the financial fuel of the divorce machinery.

Academic studies by Sanford Braver, Margaret Brinig and Douglas Allen, and others confirm that the parent expecting custody usually files for divorce. Divorcing parents can then plunder their spouses by an assortment of charges that are "punitive and inappropriate," as Koplen puts it, and which render them subject to "incarceration and criminalization." This "civil rights nightmare" is perpetrated under the guise of providing for children by the very people who are forcibly destroying their homes. The divorce industry, in short, has turned children into cash cows.

Similar chicanery operates in other states. "The commissions appointed to review the guidelines have been composed . . . of individuals who are unqualified to assess the economic validity of the guidelines, or who have an interest in maintaining the status quo, or both," writes William Akins, a Georgia district attorney writing in the *Georgia Law Journal*.

This time around the eyes of the nation will be on Virginia to see if it will continue to enrich the divorce industry by engineering the destruction of its children's homes.

STEPHEN BASKERVILLE

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"A single, seemingly powerless person who dares to cry out the word of truth and to stand behind it with all his person and all his life, ready to pay a high price, has, surprisingly, greater power, though formally disfranchised, than do thousands of anonymous voters."  
— Vaclav Havel

## Letter to Rossiter

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Dear Secretary Rossiter,

Your letter of August 28 has left me still more perplexed as to how you claim to justify removing me from a government panel based on the opinions I expressed in The Washington Times.

Am I to conclude that my column has created for you and your fellow officials a "hostile work environment"? Are citizens who criticize government officials or express opinions in respected newspapers now guilty of sexual harassment?

Where can this possibly end, Mr. Secretary? Are citizens who disagree with government policy now liable to legal action from public officials because of the impact their criticism has on government workplaces? Should Virginians interpret your words as a threat of such action if they persist in exercising their right of free speech? Are civil servants now immune from criticism or accountability to the citizens they serve by virtue of their "work environment" or because of how criticism makes them (in your words) "feel"?

Once again I am astounded, this time that you invoke ideologically charged terms to exclude citizens from policymaking and policymakers where the law requires that they be included.

You say you have no intention of suppressing ideas or rigging the panel's recommendations. Yet you make it clear that citizens who make "negative public comments" about government officials are, by that fact alone, unwelcome in the halls of government because of the "environment" their dissent creates. If "people who sometimes behave rudely" are simply expressing their views, as I was, then your definition of rude behavior is wide indeed. Have these citizens violated the law or committed some legal infraction for which they forfeit their right to petition the government? Or are they (like thousands of Virginia parents) simply being declared beyond the boundaries of constitutional protection by the fiat of officials who are trying to insulate themselves from criticism? Since when do we ostracize citizens from public affairs because of subjective evaluations by civil servants that they have been "rude"?

You express concern that I write on subjects you believe to be beyond the scope of the panel's mandate (though ironically you yourself invoke experiences in other panels as a justification for excluding me from this one). This is hardly surprising, since I do frequently publish writings on other subjects. From my c.v. you can see that I have written on politics in seventeenth-century England and religious controversy in fifteenth-century Bohemia, both of which I presume are beyond the scope of the panel's mandate, but you have expressed no concern that these writings disqualify me from serving on the panel to which I was duly appointed.

Despite all efforts at obfuscation, it is clear, as you yourself have expressly stated, that I was removed from the panel for one reason: because I criticized the government. "The decision to rescind was based on your very negative public comments about the panel . . . before the first meeting was even scheduled."

In fact, my column describes the work of the previous panel, conducted in 1999, based on the Minority Report of Barry Koplen, published by that panel itself. Contrary to your assertion therefore, I was commenting not upon a panel that had not yet convened but on one whose work was concluded some two years ago.

It would appear then that you are doing precisely that of which you accuse me: prejudging my performance before I have even taken up my duties. The difference is that you derive your assessment of my future actions from nothing other than my published views, whereas my concerns were based on the past actions of a panel whose duties had already concluded.

Your spokesman reportedly told the press I was dismissed because I "did not display an open mind": "He should have expressed his concerns in the context of the panel and not the press." Yet I am not the one excluding other viewpoints from the panel. This is the argument of tyrants and dictators throughout history: We within the government will determine what is true and fit for the public to hear. Such attitudes are precisely the reason we have and need a free press.

As with most infringements of the First Amendment, it appears that something else is being covered up here. As the Fredericksburg Free Lance-Star recently editorialized, "Baskerville's key point - that when it comes to state-dictated child-support issues the fix is in - is only strengthened when he's sacked for making it."



## Letter to Rossiter (Continued)

Your action against me does bear a striking similarity to the punitive treatment of forcibly divorced parents within the child support system administered by your office. Like parents whose private lives are subject to control by the penal apparatus before they have done anything wrong - parents placed under custody orders, restraining orders, wage garnishment orders, and more in anticipation of future criminality - I have been removed from the panel before it even meets because of what my published views lead you to fear I might do or say. "The effective application of Soviet police power," wrote George Kennan, "involves the punishment of people primarily for the crimes they have not committed, rather than for those they have - the punishment of those who might rebel, rather than those who do." In an observation that may also be relevant here, Kennan goes on to point out, "It even involves, precisely for this reason, a species of intimacy and collaboration with the real criminal element in society."

What is most disturbing in your correspondence, therefore, may be what you do not say. Throughout this affair you have not indicated the slightest concern over the allegations made by Mr. Koplen and myself, along with numerous other Virginia parents. At least two citizen representatives appointed to government panels by your office have, with the concurrence of parents throughout the Commonwealth, alleged civil rights violations of the most serious order - including widespread incarcerations without trial, charge, or counsel, the wholesale removal of children from legally unimpeachable parents by government officials, and the denial of due process of law to thousands of citizens. All this is in addition to allegations of serious conflicts of interest and ethical improprieties within the government. With one questionable exception, you have not refuted or even addressed any of these allegations. Yet neither have you expressed even the most perfunctory concern over whether there may be truth to these charges, nor have you offered to conduct even a cursory inquiry of the facts to see if they are even partially true.

This silence - along with your move to silence me and intimidate any representative who serves on this panel - is deafening. Not only does it convey contempt for the concerns and freedoms of Virginians. By your silence, reinforced by your action, citizens of the Commonwealth are left with little choice but to conclude that our allegations are valid and that innocent people are indeed being subject to an unprecedented onslaught of bureaucratic terror. They may conclude that you see your responsibility as protecting not the rights and integrity of Virginia's families, but the political chastity of government goons from the "hostile work environment" that predictably arises when they set themselves to the business of taking away people's children.

I realize your administration has inherited rather than created this problem and that similar abuses are rife in virtually every government. It is apparent you have been driven to this action by the logic of a corrupt and immoral system you did not create. This is one more illustration of how the divorce industry is poisoning government at every level. Nevertheless I urge you to act now before the government of the Commonwealth is further compromised. While many have called upon you to resign over this incident, I would urge a more constructive course. Before you and your administration become more deeply embroiled in the destruction of Virginia's families, the exploitation of its children, and the betrayal of its constitutional tradition, I urge you to initiate an immediate investigation into the violations of the constitutional freedoms of Virginia's citizens now being carried out under color of law.

Yours sincerely,  
Stephen Baskerville

cc:  
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Hon. Randolph A. Beales, Attorney General  
Wesley Pruden, The Washington Times

## **County Child Support Program's Accounting Under Scrutiny by State**

*.Services: Inflated figures could affect funding statewide. A private firm is hired to examine the system.*

**GREG KRIKORIAN, TIMES STAFF WRITER, 06-03-01**

State officials are examining Los Angeles County's long-criticized child support accounting practices after finding that inflated collection figures could jeopardize tens of millions of dollars in federal funds for California.

Continuing deficiencies in Los Angeles County's child support program also have prompted the state to take the unprecedented step of hiring an outside consulting firm to recommend improvements.

"L.A.'s performance continues to be a problem for the statewide program," Curtis L. Child, director of the California Department of Child Support Services, said Friday. "And when they have such a significant percentage of the statewide caseload, it affects the state's ability to do well on [federal] performance measures."

Within weeks, he said, Denver-based Policy Studies Inc. will begin a three-month examination of Los Angeles County's Bureau of Family Support Operations. The \$250,000 study will coincide with the transfer of Los Angeles County's program from the district attorney's office to a new county Department of Child Support.

The transfer is part of the Legislature's 1999 overhaul of California's child support system, which was taken away from district attorneys after years of poor performance. Under new state regulations, each of the state's 58 counties will have a separate agency with responsibility for collecting child support for single parents and repaying the government for the cost of welfare for families with dependent children.

In Los Angeles County alone, state officials say, the transfer of the program from the district attorney's office to a new department will save \$1.3 million in administrative overhead--money that will now be put back into child support programs.

But even as Los Angeles County moves toward a new program, the administration of its current child support collections remains controversial.

Last week, state director Child confirmed that officials are examining Los Angeles County's accounting practices after learning from child support advocates that the county had been double-counting collection numbers for past-due support.

The practice, officials said, was discovered in the quarterly reports sent to both the state and the county commission that oversees child support. And the financial consequences could be severe for California's child support program if the county's quarterly numbers are reflected in the yearly totals submitted to the federal government.

"Obviously, our concern is that we look at the [actual] quarterly numbers and there is a . . . drop from what was reported," Child said. "If that held, we would have some trouble. It would put us in jeopardy of losing our federal performance money . . . and that could mean tens of millions of dollars."

Wayne Doss, director of the Los Angeles County program, was unavailable for comment. A department spokeswoman, Yvonne Palmer, said the county's quarterly numbers have been corrected and will have no impact on its final year-end report.

Palmer added that the county has no problem with the hiring of the outside consulting firm. State officials have indicated that they may also use the firm to examine other counties, depending on what they find in Los Angeles. "We are not being singled out," she said. As for the department's performance, Palmer said that its collections have increased by an annual average of 21% during the last several years--a figure that exceeds the statewide improvement rate. Although a previous audit by PricewaterhouseCoopers found that the county's program needed improvements, Palmer said the report concluded that the caseload was "perhaps the most difficult . . . of any jurisdiction in the nation."

The most recent state reports to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services show that Los Angeles County remains far behind the rest of California in the child collection measurements established by the federal government.

In comparing the state's 58 counties for fiscal 2000, Los Angeles ranked 34th in cost-effectiveness, 45th in establishing paternity, 48th in collecting past-due child support, and 55th in both collecting current support and percentage of cases in which the county has obtained a court order for support.

"There has not been significant improvement in Los Angeles County's performance [in recent years]," said Child. "Now that we have a statewide program . . . we are looking at the reasons for Los Angeles County's historically lower performance."

Beyond the county's staffing and procedures, state and federal officials also are looking at the reliability of the child support collection data generated by the county Bureau of Family Support Operations.

Under new federal guidelines, the reliability of that information is subject to annual review on a state-by-state basis. Final numbers are not available, but preliminary reports suggest that Los Angeles County's data reliability falls well below the 90% required by federal regulations.

"It looks as if L.A.'s [data] reliability is a cause for concern," Child said.



## **County Child Support Program's Accounting Under Scrutiny by State (Continued)**

If that proves true when the auditing is complete, Los Angeles County's performance would make the state subject to additional federal scrutiny. And if the data problems are not corrected, Child said, the federal government could cut the state's welfare funding by \$72 million, to \$144 million.

Against that backdrop, state officials hope the pending transition of child support programs to new county departments will provide a fresh start for improving services, including the reliability of performance statistics. "As part of the transition, data reliability is now a priority for us in the state," Child said. "We are concerned about two things: how well counties are doing and how accurate is their data."

In anticipation of the new department, Los Angeles County officials have narrowed the choices for a director to five finalists.