



December, 2010

Dear CWA Friend,

**“Christmas came in November”** was a phrase we often heard just after pro-family candidates were elected to Congress, state legislatures all across America, and here in Maine!

That is a pleasant thought, but much follow up work is needed!

CWA is working with state legislators to introduce pro-family bills this session. Every day it’s important to take targeted, positive steps to continue the momentum of the November election.

**As you plan your year-end giving, would you prayerfully consider a special gift to help CWA Maine be as effective as possible in what may be the most important post-election season we will experience in our lifetime.**

It takes so little to do so much – because of our dedicated volunteers.

**Our Encourage-A-Legislator Prayer Program for this session:**

186 volunteer prayer warriors – one committed to pray for each legislator.

186 Packets (printing and postage)	\$372 (\$2.00 per packet)
8 postcards sent to each legislator	\$280 (\$1.50 per legislator)
Constant contact e-mail service	\$360 (\$30 per month)

**Multiple trips to Augusta to testify at hearings, work on bills to be submitted, attend meetings with other Maine pro-family organizations:**

Paying only for the gas to make the trips \$800 a session (\$50 a trip)

**Project 535 trips to Washington D.C. This is a CWA national project where volunteers meet with our legislators on site, “lobbying” for legislation to support pro-family issues:**

One trip a month would be optimum \$4800 (\$400 a month)

I Peter 5:8 reminds us to “Be alert and of sober mind. Your enemy the devil prowls around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour. Resist him, standing firm in the faith.”

**Your gift of \$360 or \$280 would take us a long way toward our goal of being an active, effective voice on pro-family issues. Even if you can underwrite only the cost of a few packets or postcards, your gift would be greatly appreciated.**

**As always, your gifts to Concerned Women of America of Maine are tax-deductible.**

**Donations sent to P.O. Box 17, Holden, ME, 04429 are used right here in Maine!** Gifts given to our national Washington, D.C., office are utilized for national issues.

All for Jesus,

Charla Bansley  
State Director  
CWA of Maine

PS. I hope you will partner with us this post-election season. The enemy would like nothing better than to catch the church napping, content with our “Christmas in November.”

**Concerned Women for America of Maine**

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