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At press time we are a little more than 70 percent to our financial goal as we conclude 2015. (The need is heavy for several reasons: 1) we have had a very demanding Summer and Fall with the Kentucky Derby/Religious Liberty issue as well as the 2015 elections; 2) “Kentucky Derby” slot machine court case left us in a financialangling situation; and 3) it is a very challenging 2016 General Assembly before us. And, as a matter of fact that we have had an external audit of our financial situation. We will be left with a deficit of $35,000. But it would be helpful if each family contributed at least $500 so that it costs to provide to the people of our organization.

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State Auditor Mike Harmon - Republican

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State Treasurer Allison Ball - Republican

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- The gambling interests have attempted to position themselves in such a way that they can advise Gov. Bevin to allow them to continue to operate even though the court case about their legality has not been completed.
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- Secretaries of state are appointed by the governor and each may be the best news for the people of Kentucky as the 2016 legislative agenda for the family is contemplated.
- The Secretary of State Alison L. Grimes brought a new approach to several of the key issues that Beshear was unwilling to face.
- The take-away for Kentucky citizens should be this: Let’s make the difference by voting as No. 3. Will you make a difference now when governance begins? (The bottom line is this: Pray with faith - Let your voice be heard - Leave your encouraging and guiding message with your state senator or representative or both. The message is spiritual adumbration, not a political one. In other words, “Let your prophetic voice be heard” (in order to guide and encourage civic leaders).

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**The Kentucky Marriage Movement**

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The Kentucky Marriage Movement

Love & Respect’s Dr. Emerson Eggerichs

Various regional events listed below

Lexington, Feb. 5
Love & Respect video conference - The Eggerichs
Great Commission Fellowship
225 Walnut Street, W Kearny, KY 40390

Cynthiana, Feb. 12-14
Love and Life conference - Greg Williams
Lesburg Christian Church
6005 KY Hwy 1420 North, Cynthiana, KY 41031

Owensboro, April 15-16
Art of Marriage video conference - Family Life
Belleview Baptist Church
4250 Route 56, Owensboro, KY 42301

Wilmore, Feb. 5-6
Love and Respect video conference - The Eggerichs
Porter Memorial Baptist Church
4300 Nicholls Road, Lexington, KY 40515

London, March 11-12
Art of Marriage video conference - Family Life
Calvary Baptist Church
111 North McWhorter Street, London, KY 40741

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“Instant Racing” advocates are baffling

After questioning for five years that Instant Racing machines were hooded strictly on past historical horse races, machine advocates surprised the court with a “Notice of Correction” on Sept. 18 stating that “random number generator (like all other slot machines) can have additional purposes.”

During the motion hour, on April 15, 2015, counsel for the KHRC indicated to the court that historical horse racing wagers utilize a random number generator for the sole purpose of selecting a race upon which a patron may wager. Subsequent to that hearing, counsel for the KHRC ascertained that a random number generator has additional purposes.

“Given 40 million dollars in purses that Gov. Beshear failed to address, there will be huge demand for cash at the time of the very beginning of the legal process,” said Martin Colten, senior litigation policy analyst for The Family Foundation. “You can see how well placed Instant Racing/slot machine proponents could attempt to move Gov. Beshear.”

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However, when asked by Stan Cave, The Family Foundation’s attorney, “Exactly what else does the random number generator do?” their response was, in essence, “We’re not saying.”

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Republicans have won three RepublicanGovernors since World War II (James Barnett 1967-1971 and Ernie Fletcher 2003-2007), they will probably elect a drift in the tone of the "business as usual" setting full steam ahead for decades for decades. But that drift is likely to be more pronounced next year, not only because Governor Bevin was also one of three Republicans. That fact changes the mood considerably, and will also change the Franklin politicians that have controlled things from up to bottom.

All of this is to say that there are other roles - State Treasurer, State Auditor and Commissioner of Agriculture - thatvoters expect Beshear to be taking over the Pray with faith, Leave your encouraging and guiding message with guiding line for voting on Nov. 3. Will you make a difference now when governance begins? (The The Line is open during the 2016 Session from 7:00 AM to 9:00 PM ET. The 800 number is 800-564-2611. Please note our official incorporation name.

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Combine these policies with the revelations this Summer about Planned Parenthood’s sale of fetal body parts for research and you have a whole new impetus for transparency and legislative democracy.

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Charter Schools - Gov. Beshear campaigned on a platform of Charter Schools to help children in failing schools start over again in a new school that is run by the administra-tors and teachers that the parents choose, rather than those sent from Frankfort. When parents "buy in" to their children’s education, good things have always happened.

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Other Executive offices (5)
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Kentucky State Senate (38)
27 Republicans 11 Democrats
Kentucky State House (100)
52 Republicans 48 Democrats

The Secretary of State is the administrative officer of the state of Kentucky. It will be interesting to see whether Gov. Bevin will complete what Beshear started or whether he plots a new course without expanded gambling.

The department of state is divided into two divisions: 1) The Division of Administration, which is responsible for fiscal and personnel matters, elections, public documents, legal affairs and special projects and commissions; and 2) The Division of Business Filings, which is responsible for all functions of the department relating to business filings, including business entity filings and filings under the Uniform Commercial Code.

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