

Greetings Representatives.

I write to you today in opposition to HCR 3013.

My response is simple.

Gay people exist.

Gay people have always existed.

Gay people will always exist.

Representatives Tveit, K. Anderson, Morton, S. Olson, Rohr, Henderson, Hoverson
And Senators Clemens, Enget, Lemm, Magrum, Weston

It does not matter what you put down on pieces of paper.

It does not matter what laws you enact.

These people will continue to exist.

We already have a problem retaining people, instead of losing them to our neighboring states.

And yet, you continue to scrape the bottom of the barrel to give the more reasons to leave.

Because it is clear as day to anyone, that there is no intent in this bill, nor in any other bill, to retain these rights in North Dakota.

How many rights do you need to strip away before you finally feel accomplished?

How low into the mud must you roll before you feel washed clean?

How much more hate do you need to push forward before you feel happy and content?

To me it is obvious,

You seek to strip people just like you of their rights because you despise them.

You shroud your disgust in legalese to convince yourself that you are doing it for some greater good.

You make false claims that appeal to history, but are entirely fabricated.

The founders believed in Freedom, what your bill seeks to do is limit existing freedoms.

They state plainly that All men are created equal, but you don't believe that do you?

Because you seek to to remove guarantees of equality. Because you see some of your constituents as "Lesser".

Because you want your opinions as laws, so that you may kick down at people different than you.

you claim that Marriage as an institution has been recognized as Hetersexual - by default- for more than two-thousand years.

If you would look at this own country's people, or many other nations across the world, you will see that this is false.

You refer to "the laws of nature and God",

Why don't you subpoena God and Nature, bring them before the courts and ask them for their testimony on what their interpretation of this bill is?

Sexuality in Nature is much more complex than your black and white definition here, and the God you speak of would probably encourage you to love thy neighbor, and to accept them as they are, as we are all made in the image of him.

My guess though is that neither God nor Nature would comply with your subpoena, and not show up on any date requested.

I urge you to end this bill.

It is harmful to our State, it is harmful to our nation.

Inequality is never justified.

We've been down these roads many times before, and every time we venture there we only find pain, violence, death, and atrocity.

This is not an original idea, you all are just copying off the homework of villains from the past.

You weaken the rule of law when you pass law that the majority of people do not agree with, and push us further towards lawlessness.

This bill does not benefit anyone, except those so fragile minded that they cannot handle the idea of true freedom and equality.

I urge all members of the Legislature to not pass this bill.