

Who We Are Alliance Defending Freedom (ADF) is an alliance-building legal organization that advocates for the right of people to freely live out their faith. We exist to keep the doors open for the Gospel by advocating for religious liberty, the sanctity of human life, freedom of speech, parental rights, and marriage and family.



What We Do

We work primarily in two strategic channels of advocacy:





ADF PARTNERS WITH OVER **300** ALLIED ORGANIZATIONS



ADF HAS PLAYED A ROLE IN **72** SUPREME COURT VICTORIES



ADF HAS WON NEARLY

LEGAL

We are engaged in legal advocacy through the work of our in-house legal team comprising of more than 90 highly qualified lawyers, working alongside our network of more than 4,473 Network Attorneys around the world.



COMMUNICATIONS

In addition to success in the courtroom, we recognize the critical importance of being directly engaged in the court of public opinion. To that end, we have a dedicated team of communications professionals committed to measurably impacting key cultural debates.

Transformational Training

FOR TODAY: We train attorneys in constitutional law and biblical world-view at our Academy, building a formidable force to secure and advance religious freedom. Since its launch, ADF Network Attorneys have provided more than 100 million pro bono hours of legal services in defense of religious freedom, free speech, marriage and family, life, and parental rights. **FOR TOMORROW:** We train law students, and those who are engaged in culture shaping professions, through leadership training programs such as the Blackstone Legal Fellowship, Law School Prep Academy, and Journalism Academy. Over 3,000 students have been trained and deployed, directly and powerfully creating an impact on current and future seats of influence.

International Advocacy

Vashington, DC With headquarters in Vienna and additional offices located in other centers of legal and political influence, ADF International is at the forefront of defending religious freedom, the sanctity of life, and marriage and family around the world. Additionally, we have consultative status at the United Nations in New York City and the Organization of American States in Washington, D.C., and have secured 26 victories at the European Court of Human Rights, one of the most influential courts in the world. On a national level, we work with local partners to provide training, funding, and legal advocacy.

Who Founded ADF

In 1993, Christian leaders from across the country gathered to address the growing peril to religious freedom in America. These leaders, including Dr. Bill Bright, Dr. James Dobson, Dr. D. James Kennedy, Larry Burkett, and more than 30 others, recognized that those who sought to defend this God-given, constitutionally protected principle in the courtroom were undermanned, undertrained, and underfunded. From that critical meeting, Alliance Defending Freedom was founded.

For more information on Alliance Defending Freedom and how you can support our work, visit our website at www.adflegal.org.

Our Promise

Religious freedom is a bedrock principle upon which our nation was founded. This principle must be defended and advanced for the betterment of all people and the flourishing of the next generation. But we cannot stand alone. With God's grace and guidance, your prayerful support and financial gifts can make all the difference in our efforts to keep the doors open for the Gospel.



Without Christ; we can do nothing. John 15:5

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