

Golden Rules

Measuring Life by a Different Standard

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The recent losses of Supreme Court Justice Antonin Scalia and Former First Lady Nancy Reagan marked the passing of great Americans who were stalwart defenders of the United States of America. Nancy will always be remembered for her “Just say No to drugs” campaign, and Scalia, for his vigorous defense of Constitutional integrity. With their deaths, America has lost two of the few remaining icons opposing the advance of the big-government agenda.

Here’s hoping that their attempts to *Measure Life by a Different Standard* will endure and return our nation to greater heights. Below is a compilation of some of the famous quotes by Justice Scalia and Ms. Reagan, and is offered in celebration of their life’s work.

If you’re going to be a good and faithful judge, you have to resign yourself to the fact that you’re not always going to like the conclusions you reach. If you like them all the time, you’re probably doing something wrong. - Scalia

A man who has made no enemies is probably not a very good man. - Scalia

As long as judges tinker with the Constitution to ‘do what the people want,’ instead of what the document actually commands, politicians who pick and confirm new federal judges will naturally want only those who agree with them politically. – Scalia

The right of parents to direct the upbringing of their children is among the unalienable rights with which the Declaration of Independence proclaims all men are endowed by their Creator. – Scalia

What is a moderate interpretation of the text? Halfway between what it really means and what you’d like it to mean? – Scalia

The court makes an amazing amount of decisions that ought to be made by the people. - Scalia

I don’t intend for this to take on a political tone. I’m just here for the drugs. – Reagan

There is no job description for the First Lady. She’s only there because her husband got elected President. – Reagan

I believe that people would be alive today if there were a death penalty. – Reagan

I must say, acting was good training for the political life which lay ahead for us. – Reagan

For eight years, I was sleeping with the President, and if that doesn’t give you special access, I don’t know what does! – Reagan



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