

# Street Evangelist for Women's Equality

Speaking up for women wherever I am



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Dear Mickey B,

When I worked for BGCT, I supported Texas Baptist Men and was very proud to do so. As I told Bill Arnold when I set up my monthly contribution, I wanted to give the money in my lifetime when I could see the good work that it did. In addition, if the Lord came before I died, then I would have lost the privilege of helping this ministry.

Things have changed in my life since then.

"They want my money, but they don't want my voice." I threw your letter in the trash can. I dusted off the coffee grounds and decided to write to you.

I, too, am concerned about the needs of people affected by Harvey and all the other disasters that befall innocent people, causing hunger and destruction in their wake.

I am also concerned about the spiritual condition of the world and know that it is not just money that spreads the gospel. It is the voice and actions of people.

*How then will they call on him in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in him of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone preaching?  
(Romans 10:14 ESV)*

In 2016, I wrote Dr. Paige Patterson and asked to speak with him for just a few minutes. He told me he was too busy saving souls to take time away from his desk. Of course, I was going to offer him a multitude of women who would gladly help him save those souls so he could take time off to pursue other activities.

I am an advocate for Christian women's equality in the church and in the home. I believe the need is so great that women must be allowed to use their voices in pulpits and churches as pastors, deacons, and leaders.

My money goes to Christians for Biblical Equality to help bring this about.

You feed the body. I'll feed the soul.

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