

Wednesday, October 29th, 2025

The Honorable President Donald J. Trump
1600 Pennsylvania Ave
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear President Trump,

We commend your steadfast commitment to religious liberty and your nomination of Former Congressman Mark Walker as Ambassador-at-Large for International Religious Freedom. However, seven months have passed since his nomination, and urgent action is now critical.

Across the globe, people of faith endure relentless persecution, imprisonment, and death. Congressman Walker, a former minister with expertise in Intelligence and Counterterrorism from his congressional service, is exceptionally qualified to advise you and Secretary Rubio on confronting these atrocities.

His confirmation is essential to advancing this vital mission.

We are eager for Senate Foreign Relations Committee Chairman Jim Risch to prioritize Ambassador-Designate Walker's nomination for the committee's next hearing.

I join dozens of faith leaders in urgently supporting Congressman Walker's confirmation as Ambassador-at-Large for International Religious Freedom.

Thank you for your unwavering dedication to this cause. We continue to pray for your leadership in America and worldwide.

May God guide and bless our nation.

Respectfully,

Dr. Ben Carson, Vice
Chair of the Religious
Liberty Commission

Dr. Jack Graham,
*Prestonwood Baptist
Church*

Darrell C. Scott, *New
Spirit Revival Center*

Newt Gingrich, *Former
Speaker*

Ralph Reed, *Faith and
Freedom Coalition*

Eric Metaxas, *Author*

Dr. Robert Jeffress, *First
Baptist Church Dallas*

Jentezen Franklin, *Free
Chapel*

Dr. Ronnie Floyd, *Cross Church*

Rob McCoy, *Godspeak Calvary Chapel*

Gary Bauer, *American Values*

Dr. Alveda King, *Speak for Life*

Tony Perkins, *Family Research Council*

Kelly Shackleford, *First Liberty Institute*

Jonathan Falwell, *Liberty University*

Mike Farris, *Founder of Patrick Henry College*

Frank Pavone, *Priests for Life*

Lucas Miles, *Influence Church*

Craig DeRoche, *Family Policy Alliance*

Dede Laugesen, *Save the Persecuted Christians*

Lorenzo Sewell, *180 Church*

David Barton, *WallBuilders*

Tim Barton, *WallBuilders*

Mario Braminick, *Latino Coalition for Israel*

Kristen Waggoner, *Alliance Defending Freedom*

Travis Johnson, *Pathway Church*

Dr. Jim Garlow, *Well Versed*

Chad Connelly, *Faith Wins*

Tim Lee, *Tim Lee Ministries*

Clint Pressley, *Southern Baptist Convention*

Dr. Scott Colter, *Danbury Institute*

Jason Rapert, *Natl. Association of Christian Lawmakers*

Kevin Sorbo, *Actor*

Luke Moon, *Philos Project*

Alex MacFarland, *Alex MacFarland Ministries*

Dr. Gary Hollingsworth, *ERLC*

Troy Miller, *Natl. Religious Broadcasters*

Ryan Helfenbein, *Freedom Center, Liberty University*

Dr. Jeff Myers, *Summit Ministries*

James E. Ward Jr., *Insight Church*