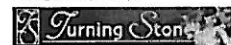




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## Plea: Do what is right

Posted by Post-Standard Editorial Board May 14, 2009 5:01AM

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On the heels of the state Assembly's overwhelming passage of the same-sex marriage bill this week, the Empire State Pride Agenda has launched a television ad in the Syracuse, Buffalo and Albany markets to pressure the Senate into following course

That Syracuse is one of the three markets chosen for the ad is hardly a mystery. Democrats, who are pushing the bill, have a slight, 32-30 advantage in the Senate, and six Democratic senators oppose gay marriage. Two of them -- David Valesky of Oneida and Darrel Aubertine of Cape Vincent -- represent portions of Central New York.

The ad features a couple who point out that one of their daughters is happily married to the person she loves, but that the other is denied that right. The ad is simple, affecting and logical. Hopefully, it will get a few people -- maybe even Valesky and Aubertine -- to rethink their opposition to this important and inevitable civil rights legislation.

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Posted by **chappyjtc** on 05/14/09 at 10:12AM

I hope they do what is right!!!!!!

Some of you appear to be confused!!!!

Right is voting this down. I am Happy that at least their are a few senators that no the difference of what is right and wrong.

And for those that don't believe that it should be voted down. Ask yourself and then do the research. What a wild animal does to its own when its not normal? Are we to say nature is wrong? Homosexuality is not something you are born with. It is something that can be learned but you still have the choice as Adam And Eve did. They made the wrong choice. Why should we help more people make the wrong choice? So do what is right Senators!! Vote against same sex marriages!!!!

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Posted by **Zold4u** on 05/14/09 at 3:32PM

If it is civil rights legislation, then a civil union should be the answer.

Senators vote for your constituency - the majority of whom are opposed to same sex marriages.

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