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To Ms. Preston,

It is my belief that all non-profit organizations - be they religiously positioned or not - should be treated equally. The IRS gives churches special, privileged treatment through disclosure exemptions to which all other 501(c)(3) organizations must comply. We taxpayers are subsidizing tax-exempt groups; we have a right to know what entities are exempt from taxation and to review their general financial disclosures.

The privilege of tax exemption must come with accountability.

Please make all churches conform to the same IRS requirements as all other 501(c)(3) groups. They are not any more or less important than secular groups. To treat them differently steps on the Constitution.

Thank you for your consideration,

- Ned Pyle