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**“Day of Remembrance” Centers Victims of Abortion Over Politics**
*Pro-Lifers Mourn the 65 Million Unborn Victims of Abortion September 14th*

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**[YOUR CITY], [DATE RELEASE SENT]** — As Vice President Kamala Harris and former President Donald Trump enter the final days of the 2024 presidential race, abortion is yet again at the center of American political discourse. But on Saturday, September 14, pro-life advocates across the country will draw attention to the 65 million unborn children killed by abortion in the U.S. since it became legal across the country in 1973. These victims of abortion will be memorialized during the 12thannual [National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children](https://nationaldayofremembrance.org/), which will be observed in [Your City] with a graveside memorial service at [Time, including a.m. or p.m.] at [Gravesite Name and full address].

“Though I’m glad that abortion hasn’t been swept under the rug in American politics, the fact remains that it’s often treated more like a political football than the deadly serious issue it truly is, with real human lives hanging in the balance,” said [Full Name of Local Pro-Life Spokesperson], one of the organizers of the Day of Remembrance in [Your City]. [Last Name of Spokesperson] says those lives will be front and center this Saturday. “It changes everything when you realize that actual victims of abortion are buried right beneath your feet. These tiny children were never born. Never learned to walk. Never had a first day of school. They were never even given names. And yet, some of them were buried here in [Your City].” [Briefly detail how and when fetal remains were buried at this site, if known.]

[Last Name of Spokesperson] says the hiddenness of the victims of abortion makes them particularly easy to forget. “Unlike the victims of violence in Gaza or Ukraine that we see on the news and social media, the children killed by abortion are hidden in their mothers’ wombs, and then treated as medical waste after they’re killed,” [Last Name of Spokesperson] said. “A grave is the only visible representation they have, so we visit their graves, and we call on our nation to remember them.”

The service in [Your City] is one of more than 200 prayer services taking place in 40 states on the National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children. Services will feature testimonies from women who regret their abortions, reflections by clergy of various faiths, solemn music offered by local choirs, and other moving presentations.

The memorial service in [Your City] on Saturday will include [briefly describe what will take place at your service, including information about any guest speakers].

The National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children has been held on the second Saturday of September since 2013. The event, sponsored by Citizens for a Pro-Life Society and the Pro-Life Action League, is intended to humanize the unborn victims of abortion by highlighting the fact that every abortion results in a dead body that must be disposed of. While most of these bodies are incinerated, thrown in the trash, or flushed down the drain, a tiny handful have been retrieved from trash bins, landfills, and pathology labs and given a proper burial.

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See also [NationalDayOfRemembrance.org](https://nationaldayofremembrance.org/).