



A Proclamation by the Governor

WHEREAS, the Preamble to the 1864 State Constitution states "we the people of the State of Nevada, grateful to Almighty God for our freedom, establish this Constitution;" and

WHEREAS, the State of Nevada will join together with the entire country on May 3, 2012 to celebrate the National Day of Prayer; and

WHEREAS, the National Day of Prayer was established by a Joint Resolution of Congress in 1952 and was signed into law by President Harry S. Truman; and

WHEREAS, in 1988, the law was amended and signed by President Ronald W. Reagan, permanently setting the day as the first Thursday of May every year; and

WHEREAS, each year the President of the United States signs a proclamation encouraging all Americans to pray on this day, and since 2005, state governors and the governors of several U.S. territories signed similar proclamations; and

WHEREAS, the theme for the 2012 National Day of Prayer is "One Nation Under God"; and

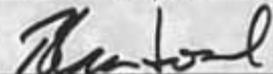
WHEREAS, the State of Nevada recognizes this special day, and joins with Americans across the nation in support of the National Day of Prayer;

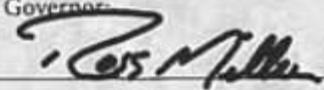
NOW, THEREFORE, I, BRIAN SANDOVAL, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, do hereby proclaim May 3, 2012 as

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER IN NEVADA



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Nevada to be affixed at the State Capitol in Carson City, this 23rd day of February, 2012.


By the Governor _____ Governor


Secretary of State

By _____ Deputy