

Cartoons for the Classroom

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Any limits to religious freedom?



Tim Eagan, The Press Democrat / Courtesy of AAEC

Talking points

1. What are these cartoons saying about religious freedom?
2. A county clerk was briefly jailed for refusing to obey court rulings on gay marriage. Was she denied religious freedom?
3. Did she use the power of her government office to impose her religious views on others?
4. Do we have a right to disobey the law because of a religious belief? Any law? Any religious belief? Why? Why not?
5. What does the Constitution say about establishing a state religion and freedom of religion?

Between the lines

"We invite the state . . . to joyfully meet us in a court of law for clarifications on our core religious values." - Bill Levin of the First Church of Cannabis.

<http://www.sltrib.com/home/2711532-155/pot-smoking-indianapolis-church-sues-over-marijuana>

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