

Les Riley

Personal Les Riley is a sinner saved by grace. Gratefully married to Christy for 31 years, father of 10; grandfather of nine. He is the fifth of seven generations of his family in Desoto County, and a farmer and small businessman near Hernando.

Ministry Les has been involved in pro-life ministry for 25 years. Helping close abortion clinics, open pregnancy centers, involved in adoption, foster care and aid for mothers in need. Les founded and led Personhood Mississippi -- seeking to recognize life at conception and restore the rule of law in the face of Supreme Court usurpations. Les has been sued by Planned Parenthood and the ACLU. Les has also been involved in missions in Uganda, Jackson & Delta, Colorado, and inner city Memphis. Currently serving as the Executive Director of the Morning Center, a private charity pro-life medical ministry.

Politics -- Les has been involved with the conservative movement, pro liberty and pro Constitution politics for 28 years. Running for office twice, helping with multiple campaigns, and serving for 16 years as chairman of the Mississippi Constitution Party. Les has also spent time lobbying for these causes in Jackson & Washington

Media -- Les has published a number of articles and recently contributed a chapter to a new pro-life book [Personhood: A Tree of Life](#). Les has spoken at the Mississippi state capital at national and local pro-life events, Tea Party events, Obamacare symposiums, and he has been a regular guest on radio programs and podcasts. Les has been interviewed or featured on Fox, WRCV, WPTY, American Family Radio, *The Clarion Ledger*, *The Washington Times*, NPR, MPB, BBC, and Generations with Kevin Swanson. Les was repeatedly attacked in 2011 by Rachel Maddow, and liberal publications like Mother Jones and Time magazine.

Health Care reform -- Les has been involved a private sector businesses and ministry efforts aimed at Health Care reform. Currently he is serving as Executive Director of the Memphis Morning Center; a member of Samaritan Ministries -- an Obamacare exempt alternative to insurance; and as an advisor to Good Shepherd Health -- a membership based discount and charity pharmacy