

Wesley Smith Joins Terri Schiavo Life & Hope Network Board of Directors

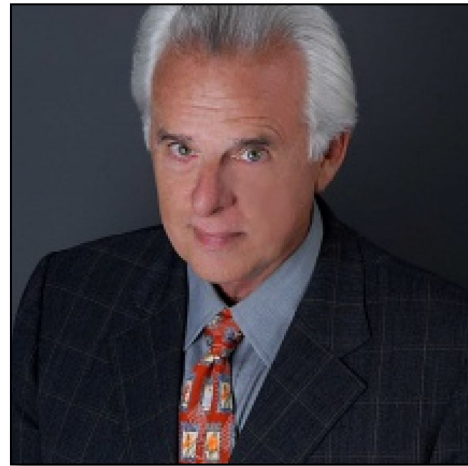
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PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 28, 2017 / — The Terri Schiavo Life & Hope Network is pleased to announce that Wesley J. Smith, international public speaker and Senior Fellow at the Discovery Institute's Center for Human Exceptionalism, has joined the Network's Board of Directors.

Smith is an internationally renowned opponent of assisted suicide and a premier advocate for the intrinsic dignity of all human life, a concept he calls "human exceptionalism." Smith was named a Great Defender of Life by the Human Life Foundation for his work against the legalization of assisted suicide and euthanasia. He has penned hundreds of opinion articles and is the author or co-author of fourteen books. Smith is a regular contributor to "The Corner" for National Review on issues germane to human life and dignity.



"Bobby Schindler and the Network that he leads are dedicated to fighting for medically vulnerable persons and their families," Smith said. "The Network courageously stands against the grain of a coarsening culture to defend the most defenseless among us. I'm proud to stand with Bobby in furthering the work of the Terri Schiavo Life & Hope Network."

Smith's book *Forced Exit: Euthanasia, Assisted Suicide and the New Duty to Die* (1997) became a classic in the movement opposing assisted suicide and euthanasia. He is also the award-winning author of *Culture of Death: The Age of "Do Harm" Medicine and Consumer's Guide to a Brave New World*, which examines the ethical challenges posed by euthanasia, human cloning, stem cell research, and genetic engineering. He is also a renowned public speaker lecturing internationally on the issues of assisted suicide, bioethics, and human exceptionalism.

The Terri Schiavo Life & Hope Network upholds human dignity through service to the medically vulnerable.

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