

# National Black Church Initiative

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## **The National Black Church Initiative Stands with Chick-Fil-A 1 Billion Percent**

*Gay organizations are just plain silly*

**Washington, D.C.**— The National Black Church Initiative (NBCI), a coalition of 34,000 churches spanning 15 denominations and representing 15.7 million African Americans, stands with Chick-Fil-A on the assertion that gay marriage is not legal nor biblically relevant. A private business and its CEO has every right to adopt whatever policy they want based on their moral character and teachings from the Bible. Dan Cathy's opinion is also consistent with NBCI's stance that according to biblical scripture, there is no such thing as marriage equality. The gay community is trying to plant a concept of marriage that has neither cultural nor biblical basis. Biblical marriage has been around for 2000 years. There is no such historic, biblical or cultural context for gay marriage. It is a social construct by the gay community to legitimize and undermine the pure notion of biblical marriage between a man and a woman. Gay marriage has no biblical, social or cultural significance in the context of 2000 years of biblical marriage. So for what it's worth, gay marriage cannot ever be recognized by anyone who's apart of western biblical society.

The Rev. Anthony Evans, President of NBCI says, "The Word of God is clear: a marriage can only exist between a man and a woman. When the church says that this marriage means nothing, it is not in any way undermining the beauty of God's creation of the two individuals. God truly loves both of them. And there still is an opportunity for salvation if they accept the Lord Jesus Christ as their personal Savior, repent for their sin (marriage), and seek salvation.

What we are saying, is the marriage in itself (gay) means nothing largely because it does exist in the perspective of God's ordained true concept. He does not recognize it. Therefore, the church cannot recognize it."

### **About NBCI**

NBCI is a coalition of 34,000 African American churches working to eradicate racial disparities in healthcare, technology, education, housing, and the environment. NBCI's mission is to provide critical wellness information to all of its members, congregants, churches and the public. The National Black Church Initiative's methodology is utilizing faith and sound health science. The National Black Church Initiative's purpose is to partner with major organizations and officials whose main mission is to reduce racial disparities in the variety of areas cited above. NBCI offers faith-based, out-of-the-box and cutting edge solutions to stubborn economic and social issues. NBCI's programs are governed by credible statistical analysis, science based strategies and techniques, and methods that work.

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