

# TIME MAGAZINE/ABT SRBI – July 31 – August 4, 2008 Survey

FINAL DATA-August 5, 2008

BASE= 808 Registered Likely Voters Except Where Noted

Q1. ARE YOU REGISTERED TO VOTE IN THE DISTRICT WHERE YOU LIVE RIGHT NOW, OR NOT?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
YES, REGISTERED TO VOTE	100%

Q2. AT THIS POINT, WOULD YOU SAY YOU'LL DEFINITELY VOTE IN THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION, PROBABLY VOTE, MAY OR MAY NOT VOTE DEPENDING UPON HOW YOU FEEL AT THE TIME, PROBABLY NOT VOTE, OR DEFINITELY NOT VOTE IN THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
DEFINITELY VOTE	90%
PROBABLY VOTE	10%

Q3. IF THE CANDIDATES IN THE NOVEMBER PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION WERE BARACK OBAMA AND JOHN MCCAIN, AND YOU HAD TO CHOOSE, FOR WHICH OF THESE CANDIDATES WOULD YOU VOTE?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
BARACK OBAMA	43%
JOHN MCCAIN	37%
OTHER/NEITHER	3%
UNDECIDED/DON'T KNOW/NO ANSWER	17%

Q4. DO YOU LEAN MORE TOWARD BARACK OBAMA OR JOHN MCCAIN?  
BASE: UNDECIDED REGISTERED LIKELY VOTERS (132)

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
LEAN MORE TOWARD BARACK OBAMA	19%
LEAN MORE TOWARD JOHN MCCAIN	20%
OTHER	1%
WOULD NOT VOTE FOR EITHER	3%
UNDECIDED/DON'T KNOW/NO ANSWER	58%

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Q4. DO YOU LEAN MORE TOWARD BARACK OBAMA OR JOHN MCCAIN?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
BARACK OBAMA/LEAN MORE TOWARD BARACK OBAMA	46%
JOHN MCCAIN/LEAN MORE TOWARD JOHN MCCAIN	41%
OTHER/NEITHER	3%
WOULD NOT VOTE FOR EITHER	*
UNDECIDED/DON'T KNOW/NO ANSWER	10%

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Q4. DO YOU LEAN MORE TOWARD BARACK OBAMA OR JOHN MCCAIN?

BASE: REGISTERED LIKELY VOTERS WHO DISAPPROVE OF BUSH (523)

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
BARACK OBAMA/LEAN MORE TOWARD BARACK OBAMA	66%
JOHN MCCAIN/LEAN MORE TOWARD JOHN MCCAIN	20%
OTHER/NEITHER	3%
WOULD NOT VOTE FOR EITHER	1%
UNDECIDED/DON'T KNOW/NO ANSWER	10%

Q5. IS THERE ANY CHANCE THAT YOU MIGHT CHANGE YOUR MIND, OR NOT?

BASE: REGISTERED LIKELY VOTERS WHO WOULD VOTE FOR BARACK OBAMA/JOHN MCCAIN/OTHER/NEITHER (676)

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
CHANCE	20%
NO CHANCE	79%
DON'T KNOW/NOT SURE	1%

Q5. IS THERE ANY CHANCE THAT YOU MIGHT CHANGE YOUR MIND, OR NOT?

BASE: REGISTERED LIKELY VOTERS WHO WOULD VOTE FOR BARACK OBAMA/JOHN MCCAIN/OTHER/NEITHER / LEAN TOWARDS BARACK OBAMA/JOHN MCCAIN (727)

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
CHANCE	26%
NO CHANCE	73%
DON'T KNOW/NOT SURE	1%

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Q5. IS THERE ANY CHANCE THAT YOU MIGHT CHANGE YOUR MIND, OR NOT?  
BASE: REGISTERED LIKELY VOTERS WHO WOULD VOTE FOR BARACK OBAMA (326)

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
CHANCE	20%
NO CHANCE	78%
DON' T KNOW/NOT SURE	2%

Q5. IS THERE ANY CHANCE THAT YOU MIGHT CHANGE YOUR MIND, OR NOT?  
BASE: REGISTERED LIKELY VOTERS WHO WOULD VOTE FOR JOHN MCCAIN (326)

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
CHANCE	17%
NO CHANCE	82%
DON' T KNOW/NOT SURE	1%

Q5. IS THERE ANY CHANCE THAT YOU MIGHT CHANGE YOUR MIND, OR NOT?  
BASE: REGISTERED LIKELY VOTERS WHO WOULD VOTE FOR ANOTHER CANDIDATE/NEITHER (24)

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
CHANCE	49%
NO CHANCE	51%

Q6. AND WHAT IF THE ELECTION WERE HELD TODAY AND THE CANDIDATES WERE BARACK OBAMA, THE DEMOCRAT, JOHN MCCAIN, THE REPUBLICAN, BOB BARR, THE LIBERTARIAN CANDIDATE, AND RALPH NADER, AN INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE, FOR WHOM WOULD YOU VOTE?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
BARACK OBAMA	43%
JOHN MCCAIN	40%
BOB BARR	3%
RALPH NADER	3%
OTHER/NEITHER	2%
UNDECIDED/DON' T KNOW/NO ANSWER	10%

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Q7. DO YOU LEAN MORE TOWARD BARACK OBAMA, THE DEMOCRAT, OR MORE TOWARD JOHN MCCAIN, THE REPUBLICAN, BOB BARR, THE LIBERTARIAN, OR RALPH NADER, AN INDEPENDENT?  
 BASE: UNDECIDED REGISTERED LIKELY VOTERS (80)

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
LEAN MORE TOWARD BARACK OBAMA	12%
LEAN MORE TOWARD JOHN MCCAIN	12%
LEAN TO RALPH NADER	1%
UNDECIDED/DON'T KNOW/NO ANSWER	75%

Q6. AND WHAT IF THE ELECTION WERE HELD TODAY AND THE CANDIDATES WERE BARACK OBAMA, THE DEMOCRAT, JOHN MCCAIN, THE REPUBLICAN, BOB BARR, THE LIBERTARIAN CANDIDATE, AND RALPH NADER, AN INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE, FOR WHOM WOULD YOU VOTE?

Q7. DO YOU LEAN MORE TOWARD BARACK OBAMA, THE DEMOCRAT, OR MORE TOWARD JOHN MCCAIN, THE REPUBLICAN, BOB BARR, THE LIBERTARIAN, OR RALPH NADER, AN INDEPENDENT?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
BARACK OBAMA/LEAN MORE TOWARD BARACK OBAMA	44%
JOHN MCCAIN/LEAN MORE TOWARD JOHN MCCAIN	41%
BOB BARR/LEAN TO BOB BARR	3%
RALPH NADER/LEAN TO RALPH NADER	3%
OTHER	2%
UNDECIDED/DON'T KNOW/NO ANSWER	8%

Q7A. ARE YOU VERY ENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT THE CANDIDATE YOU'RE SUPPORTING, SOMEWHAT ENTHUSIASTIC, NOT VERY ENTHUSIASTIC, OR NOT AT ALL ENTHUSIASTIC?

BASE: DECIDED REGISTERED LIKELY VOTERS (748)

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
VERY ENTHUSIASTIC	34%
SOMEWHAT ENTHUSIASTIC	43%
NOT VERY ENTHUSIASTIC	14%
NOT AT ALL ENTHUSIASTIC	8%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	2%

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Q8. TURNING AGAIN TO THE RACE BETWEEN BARACK OBAMA AND JOHN MCCAIN, WHICH CANDIDATE WOULD BEST BE DESCRIBED BY EACH OF THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS?

A) IS THE MOST LIKELY

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
BARACK OBAMA	65%
JOHN MCCAIN	20%
OTHER	*
NEITHER	4%
BOTH, SAME	4%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	6%

Q8. TURNING AGAIN TO THE RACE BETWEEN BARACK OBAMA AND JOHN MCCAIN, WHICH CANDIDATE WOULD BEST BE DESCRIBED BY EACH OF THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS?

B) BEST UNDERSTANDS THE CONCERNS OF PEOPLE LIKE YOURSELF

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
BARACK OBAMA	48%
JOHN MCCAIN	35%
OTHER	*
NEITHER	10%
BOTH, SAME	2%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	5%

Q8. TURNING AGAIN TO THE RACE BETWEEN BARACK OBAMA AND JOHN MCCAIN, WHICH CANDIDATE WOULD BEST BE DESCRIBED BY EACH OF THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS?

C) WOULD BEST PROTECT THE U.S. AGAINST TERRORISM

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
BARACK OBAMA	29%
JOHN MCCAIN	56%
OTHER	*
NEITHER	3%
BOTH, SAME	4%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	7%

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D) BEST ABLE TO HANDLE THE ECONOMY

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
BARACK OBAMA	43%
JOHN MCCAIN	39%
OTHER	*
NEITHER	8%
BOTH, SAME	1%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	8%

Q8. TURNING AGAIN TO THE RACE BETWEEN BARACK OBAMA AND JOHN MCCAIN, WHICH CANDIDATE WOULD BEST BE DESCRIBED BY EACH OF THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS?  
E) WOULD BEST HANDLE THE SITUATION IN IRAQ

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
BARACK OBAMA	36%
JOHN MCCAIN	51%
OTHER	*
NEITHER	4%
BOTH, SAME	2%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	7%

Q8. TURNING AGAIN TO THE RACE BETWEEN BARACK OBAMA AND JOHN MCCAIN, WHICH CANDIDATE WOULD BEST BE DESCRIBED BY EACH OF THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS?  
F) WOULD BEST BE ABLE TO RESTORE AMERICA'S IMAGE IN THE WORLD

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
BARACK OBAMA	52%
JOHN MCCAIN	33%
OTHER	*
NEITHER	7%
BOTH, SAME	1%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	7%

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I) WHO SHARES YOUR VALUES

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
BARACK OBAMA	41%
JOHN MCCAIN	39%
OTHER	*
NEITHER	10%
BOTH, SAME	5%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	4%

Q8. TURNING AGAIN TO THE RACE BETWEEN BARACK OBAMA AND JOHN MCCAIN, WHICH CANDIDATE WOULD BEST BE DESCRIBED BY EACH OF THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS?  
J) IS MOST GUIDED BY HIS RELIGIOUS BELIEFS

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
BARACK OBAMA	30%
JOHN MCCAIN	28%
NEITHER	11%
BOTH, SAME	4%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	27%

Q8. TURNING AGAIN TO THE RACE BETWEEN BARACK OBAMA AND JOHN MCCAIN, WHICH CANDIDATE WOULD BEST BE DESCRIBED BY EACH OF THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS?  
K) IS THE CANDIDATE WHO SWITCHES HIS POSITIONS FOR POLITICAL REASONS

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
BARACK OBAMA	40%
JOHN MCCAIN	26%
NEITHER	5%
BOTH, SAME	14%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	15%

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L) IS THE REAL CANDIDATE OF CHANGE

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
BARACK OBAMA	61%
JOHN MCCAIN	17%
NEITHER	13%
BOTH, SAME	2%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	7%

Q12. IS BARACK OBAMA PRETTY MUCH JUST ANOTHER POLITICIAN, OR IS HE REALLY A DIFFERENT KIND OF CANDIDATE?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
LIKE OTHER POLITICIANS	37%
DIFFERENT KIND OF CANDIDATE	52%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	10%

Q12. IS JOHN MCCAIN PRETTY MUCH JUST ANOTHER POLITICIAN, OR IS HE REALLY A DIFFERENT KIND OF CANDIDATE?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
LIKE OTHER POLITICIANS	61%
DIFFERENT KIND OF CANDIDATE	32%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	7%

Q13. HOW WELL DO EACH OF THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS DESCRIBE BARACK OBAMA AND HIS CAMPAIGN FOR THE PRESIDENCY?  
A) OBAMA IS PRETTY MUCH JUST ANOTHER POLITICIAN

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
VERY WELL	33%
SOME	22%
NOT MUCH	12%
NOT AT ALL	30%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	3%

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Q13. HOW WELL DO EACH OF THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS DESCRIBE BARACK OBAMA AND HIS CAMPAIGN FOR THE PRESIDENCY?  
B) OBAMA'S ELECTION WILL HELP TO HEAL AMERICANS' RACIAL HISTORY AND DIVISIONS

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
VERY WELL	30%
SOME	28%
NOT MUCH	10%
NOT AT ALL	28%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	4%

Q13. HOW WELL DO EACH OF THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS DESCRIBE BARACK OBAMA AND HIS CAMPAIGN FOR THE PRESIDENCY?  
C) OBAMA GIVES A GREAT SPEECH, BUT DOESN'T HAVE MANY OTHER QUALIFICATIONS FOR PRESIDENT

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
VERY WELL	36%
SOME	22%
NOT MUCH	11%
NOT AT ALL	27%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	4%

Q13. HOW WELL DO EACH OF THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS DESCRIBE BARACK OBAMA AND HIS CAMPAIGN FOR THE PRESIDENCY?  
D) THE REAL BARACK OBAMA HOLDS EXTREME POSITIONS WHICH WON'T BE REVEALED UNTIL AFTER HE'S ELECTED, NO MATTER WHAT HE SAYS NOW

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
VERY WELL	28%
SOME	25%
NOT MUCH	11%
NOT AT ALL	28%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	9%

Q13. HOW WELL DO EACH OF THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS DESCRIBE BARACK OBAMA AND HIS CAMPAIGN FOR THE PRESIDENCY?  
E) BARACK OBAMA'S ELECTION WILL RESTORE A SENSE OF HOPE AND INSPIRATION TO AMERICA

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
VERY WELL	38%
SOME	23%
NOT MUCH	12%
NOT AT ALL	23%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	4%

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Q13. HOW WELL DO EACH OF THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS DESCRIBE BARACK OBAMA AND HIS CAMPAIGN FOR THE PRESIDENCY?  
 F) BARACK OBAMA ISN'T WHITE OR BLACK; HE'S A LITTLE OF BOTH

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
VERY WELL	40%
SOME	23%
NOT MUCH	7%
NOT AT ALL	11%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	19%

Q13. HOW WELL DO EACH OF THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS DESCRIBE BARACK OBAMA AND HIS CAMPAIGN FOR THE PRESIDENCY?  
 G) BARACK OBAMA HAS THE CAPACITY TO UNITE A DIVIDED NATION

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
VERY WELL	35%
SOME	27%
NOT MUCH	11%
NOT AT ALL	24%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	3%

Q13A. DO YOU SEE OBAMA MORE AS A TRADITIONAL BLACK CANDIDATE, MORE AS A TRADITIONAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY CANDIDATE, OR MORE AS A CANDIDATE FOR CHANGING AMERICAN POLITICS?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
TRADITIONAL BLACK CANDIDATE	8%
TRADITIONAL DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE	43%
CANDIDATE FOR CHANGING AMERICAN POLITICS	40%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	9%

Q13B. PLEASE TELL ME HOW IMPORTANT THE ISSUE IS TO YOU PERSONALLY IN VOTING IN THIS YEAR'S PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

A) THE NATION'S ECONOMY

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
EXTREMELY IMPORTANT	48%
VERY IMPORTANT	47%
SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	5%
NOT TOO IMPORTANT	*
NOT IMPORTANT AT ALL	1%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	*

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Q13B. PLEASE TELL ME HOW IMPORTANT THE ISSUE IS TO YOU PERSONALLY IN VOTING IN THIS YEAR'S PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

B) GAS PRICES AT THE PUMP

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
EXTREMELY IMPORTANT	34%
VERY IMPORTANT	42%
SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	18%
NOT TOO IMPORTANT	3%
NOT IMPORTANT AT ALL	2%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

Q13B. PLEASE TELL ME HOW IMPORTANT THE ISSUE IS TO YOU PERSONALLY IN VOTING IN THIS YEAR'S PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

C) THE SITUATION IN IRAQ

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
EXTREMELY IMPORTANT	37%
VERY IMPORTANT	48%
SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	11%
NOT TOO IMPORTANT	1%
NOT IMPORTANT AT ALL	1%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

Q13B. PLEASE TELL ME HOW IMPORTANT THE ISSUE IS TO YOU PERSONALLY IN VOTING IN THIS YEAR'S PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

D) IMMIGRATION

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
EXTREMELY IMPORTANT	21%
VERY IMPORTANT	36%
SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	31%
NOT TOO IMPORTANT	6%
NOT IMPORTANT AT ALL	4%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

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Q13B. PLEASE TELL ME HOW IMPORTANT THE ISSUE IS TO YOU PERSONALLY IN VOTING IN THIS YEAR'S PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

E) GLOBAL WARMING

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
EXTREMELY IMPORTANT	20%
VERY IMPORTANT	31%
SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	29%
NOT TOO IMPORTANT	8%
NOT IMPORTANT AT ALL	10%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

Q13B. PLEASE TELL ME HOW IMPORTANT THE ISSUE IS TO YOU PERSONALLY IN VOTING IN THIS YEAR'S PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

F) SO-CALLED 'VALUES ISSUES,' SUCH AS ABORTION AND GAY MARRIAGE

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
EXTREMELY IMPORTANT	15%
VERY IMPORTANT	25%
SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	26%
NOT TOO IMPORTANT	15%
NOT IMPORTANT AT ALL	17%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	3%

Q13B. PLEASE TELL ME HOW IMPORTANT THE ISSUE IS TO YOU PERSONALLY IN VOTING IN THIS YEAR'S PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

G) TERRORISM

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
EXTREMELY IMPORTANT	36%
VERY IMPORTANT	43%
SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	18%
NOT TOO IMPORTANT	2%
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Q13B. PLEASE TELL ME HOW IMPORTANT THE ISSUE IS TO YOU PERSONALLY IN VOTING IN THIS YEAR'S PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

H) HEALTH CARE

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
EXTREMELY IMPORTANT	36%
VERY IMPORTANT	42%
SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	17%
NOT TOO IMPORTANT	2%
NOT IMPORTANT AT ALL	2%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	*

Q13B. PLEASE TELL ME HOW IMPORTANT THE ISSUE IS TO YOU PERSONALLY IN VOTING IN THIS YEAR'S PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

I) TAXES

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
EXTREMELY IMPORTANT	29%
VERY IMPORTANT	43%
SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	21%
NOT TOO IMPORTANT	5%
NOT IMPORTANT AT ALL	2%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

Q13B. PLEASE TELL ME HOW IMPORTANT THE ISSUE IS TO YOU PERSONALLY IN VOTING IN THIS YEAR'S PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

J) REDUCING WORLD POVERTY

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
EXTREMELY IMPORTANT	17%
VERY IMPORTANT	33%
SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	32%
NOT TOO IMPORTANT	9%
NOT IMPORTANT AT ALL	6%
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Q13B. PLEASE TELL ME HOW IMPORTANT THE ISSUE IS TO YOU PERSONALLY IN VOTING IN THIS YEAR'S PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

K) THE AIDS EPIDEMIC IN AFRICA

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
EXTREMELY IMPORTANT	14%
VERY IMPORTANT	27%
SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	39%
NOT TOO IMPORTANT	12%
NOT IMPORTANT AT ALL	7%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

Q14A. IN GENERAL, DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE WAY PRESIDENT BUSH IS HANDLING HIS JOB AS PRESIDENT?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
APPROVE	29%
DISAPPROVE	66%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	5%

Q14B. DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE JOB PRESIDENT BUSH IS DOING IN EACH OF THESE AREAS?

A) HANDLING THE ECONOMY

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
APPROVE	21%
DISAPPROVE	73%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	6%

Q14B. DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE JOB PRESIDENT BUSH IS DOING IN EACH OF THESE AREAS?

B) HANDLING THE SITUATION IN IRAQ

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
APPROVE	35%
DISAPPROVE	62%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	3%

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Q15. WHICH OF THESE POSITIONS BEST REPRESENTS YOUR VIEWS ABOUT ABORTION?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
A WOMAN SHOULD BE ABLE TO GET AN ABORTION IF SHE WANTS ONE IN THE FIRST THREE MONTHS OF PREGNANCY, NO MATTER WHAT THE REASON	46%
ABORTION SHOULD BE LEGAL ONLY IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES, SUCH AS WHEN A WOMAN'S HEALTH IS ENDANGERED OR WHEN THE PREGNANCY RESULTS FROM RAPE OR INCEST	40%
ABORTION SHOULD BE ILLEGAL IN ALL CIRCUMSTANCES, EVEN IF THE MOTHER'S LIFE IS IN DANGER	10%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	4%

Q16. SHOULD GAY AND LESBIAN COUPLES BE ALLOWED TO MARRY, GIVING THEM FULL LEGAL RIGHTS OF MARRIED COUPLES, OR NOT?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
SHOULD BE ALLOWED	47%
SHOULD NOT	47%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	6%

Q16A. DO YOU FAVOR OR OPPOSE AN AMENDMENT TO THE U. S. CONSTITUTION THAT WOULD BAN SAME-SEX COUPLES FROM GETTING MARRIED?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
FAVOR	35%
OPPOSE	58%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	7%

Q18. DO YOU THINK THE UNITED STATES WAS RIGHT OR WRONG IN GOING TO WAR WITH IRAQ?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
RIGHT	35%
WRONG	58%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	8%

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Q19. WHAT IF A PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE TOOK A POSITION ON THAT WAS DIFFERENT FROM YOUR OWN, WOULD YOU STILL CONSIDER VOTING FOR HIM BECAUSE OF HIS POSITION ON OTHER ISSUES, OR WOULD YOU NOT VOTE FOR HIM UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES?  
A) ABORTION

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
STILL CONSIDER VOTING FOR HIM	73%
NOT VOTE UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES	20%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	6%

Q19. WHAT IF A PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE TOOK A POSITION ON THAT WAS DIFFERENT FROM YOUR OWN, WOULD YOU STILL CONSIDER VOTING FOR HIM BECAUSE OF HIS POSITION ON OTHER ISSUES, OR WOULD YOU NOT VOTE FOR HIM UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES?  
B) GAY MARRIAGE

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
STILL CONSIDER VOTING FOR HIM	72%
NOT VOTE UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES	22%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	6%

Q19. WHAT IF A PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE TOOK A POSITION ON THAT WAS DIFFERENT FROM YOUR OWN, WOULD YOU STILL CONSIDER VOTING FOR HIM BECAUSE OF HIS POSITION ON OTHER ISSUES, OR WOULD YOU NOT VOTE FOR HIM UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES?  
C) U. S. POLICY TOWARD IRAQ

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
STILL CONSIDER VOTING FOR HIM	67%
NOT VOTE UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES	26%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	7%

Q24. DO YOU BELIEVE THAT THE BIBLE IS THE ACTUAL WORD OF GOD AND IS TO BE TAKEN LITERALLY, WORD FOR WORD, OR NOT?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
BIBLE IS THE ACTUAL WORD OF GOD	47%
NOT	48%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	6%

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Q26. DO YOU THINK A PRESIDENT SHOULD OR SHOULD NOT ALLOW HIS OWN PERSONAL RELIGIOUS FAITH TO GUIDE HIM IN MAKING DECISIONS AS PRESIDENT?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
SHOULD ALLOW	49%
SHOULD NOT ALLOW	38%
DEPENDS	8%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	5%

Q27. ON ANOTHER TOPIC, BARACK OBAMA HAS SAID HIS FAMILY WOULD GET A DOG AFTER THE ELECTION WHETHER HE WON OR LOST. DO YOU THINK THEY SHOULD GET A...?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
LABRADOR RETRI EVER	18%
BEAGLE	6%
POODLE	6%
YORKSHIRE TERRIER	4%
DACHSHUND	3%
SOMETHING ELSE	22%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	40%

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	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
MALE	47%
FEMALE	53%

F1. WHAT IS YOUR AGE?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
18-24	4%
25-29	5%
30-34	11%
35-39	7%
40-44	10%
45-54	26%
55-64	17%
65 OR OLDER	20%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	1%

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F2. WHAT IS THE HIGHEST GRADE OF SCHOOLING THAT YOU'VE COMPLETED?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
8TH GRADE OR LESS	1%
SOME HIGH SCHOOL	3%
HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	18%
SOME COLLEGE	25%
COLLEGE GRADUATE	32%
POSTGRADUATE STUDY/LAW OR MEDICAL SCHOOL	20%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

F3. ARE YOU OF HISPANIC ORIGIN OR DESCENT?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
YES	9%
NO	91%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

F4. WHAT IS YOUR RACE?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
WHITE	78%
BLACK	10%
ASIAN	2%
HISPANIC	4%
OTHER	4%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	2%

F5. GENERALLY SPEAKING, DO YOU USUALLY THINK OF YOURSELF AS A REPUBLICAN, A DEMOCRAT, AN INDEPENDENT, OR SOMETHING ELSE?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
A REPUBLICAN	27%
A DEMOCRAT	35%
AN INDEPENDENT	30%
SOMETHING ELSE	7%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	2%

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F6. DO YOU LEAN MORE TOWARD THE REPUBLICAN OR DEMOCRATIC PARTY?  
BASE: INDEPENDENT VOTERS (233)

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
LEAN MORE TOWARD REPUBLICAN PARTY	33%
LEAN MORE TOWARD DEMOCRATIC PARTY	41%
DON'T LEAN/INDEPENDENT/ SOMETHING ELSE	23%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	3%

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F6. DO YOU LEAN MORE TOWARD THE REPUBLICAN OR DEMOCRATIC PARTY?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
REPUBLICAN/LEAN MORE TOWARD REPUBLICAN PARTY	37%
DEMOCRATIC/LEAN MORE TOWARD DEMOCRATIC PARTY	47%
DON'T LEAN/INDEPENDENT/ SOMETHING ELSE	13%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	3%

F7. IN POLITICS AS OF TODAY, DO YOU CONSIDER YOURSELF TO BE VERY CONSERVATIVE, SOMEWHAT CONSERVATIVE, MODERATE, SOMEWHAT LIBERAL, OR VERY LIBERAL?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
VERY CONSERVATIVE	13%
SOMEWHAT CONSERVATIVE	27%
MODERATE	31%
SOMEWHAT LIBERAL	16%
VERY LIBERAL	9%
SOMETHING ELSE	2%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	3%

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F8. JUST FOR CLASSIFICATION PURPOSES, DO YOU CONSIDER YOURSELF A CATHOLIC, PROTESTANT, MORMON, GREEK OR RUSSIAN ORTHODOX, JEWISH, MUSLIM, ATHEIST, AGNOSTIC, OR SOMETHING ELSE?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
CATHOLIC	24%
PROTESTANT	37%
MORMON	1%
GREEK OR RUSSIAN ORTHODOX	*
JEWISH	2%
MUSLIM	1%
ATHEIST	2%
AGNOSTIC	4%
SOMETHING ELSE	25%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	3%

F9. DO YOU CONSIDER YOURSELF AN EVANGELICAL OR BORN-AGAIN CHRISTIAN?  
BASE: CHRISTIANS / UNSPECIFIED RELIGION (731)

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
YES	40%
NO	57%
DON'T KNOW/NO ANSWER	4%

F10. ASIDE FROM WEDDINGS AND FUNERALS HOW OFTEN DO YOU ATTEND RELIGIOUS SERVICES?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
MORE THAN ONCE A WEEK	15%
ONCE A WEEK	28%
ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH	14%
A FEW TIMES A YEAR	18%
SELDOM	14%
NEVER	9%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	2%

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F11. FINALLY, JUST FOR CLASSIFICATION PURPOSES, WAS YOUR TOTAL FAMILY INCOME BEFORE TAXES LAST YEAR...?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
LESS THAN \$20,000	9%
\$20,000 TO JUST UNDER \$35,000	11%
\$35,000 TO JUST UNDER \$50,000	14%
\$50,000 TO JUST UNDER \$75,000	19%
\$75,000 TO JUST UNDER \$100,000	13%
\$100,000 TO JUST UNDER \$150,000	14%
\$150,000 OR MORE	12%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	9%

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