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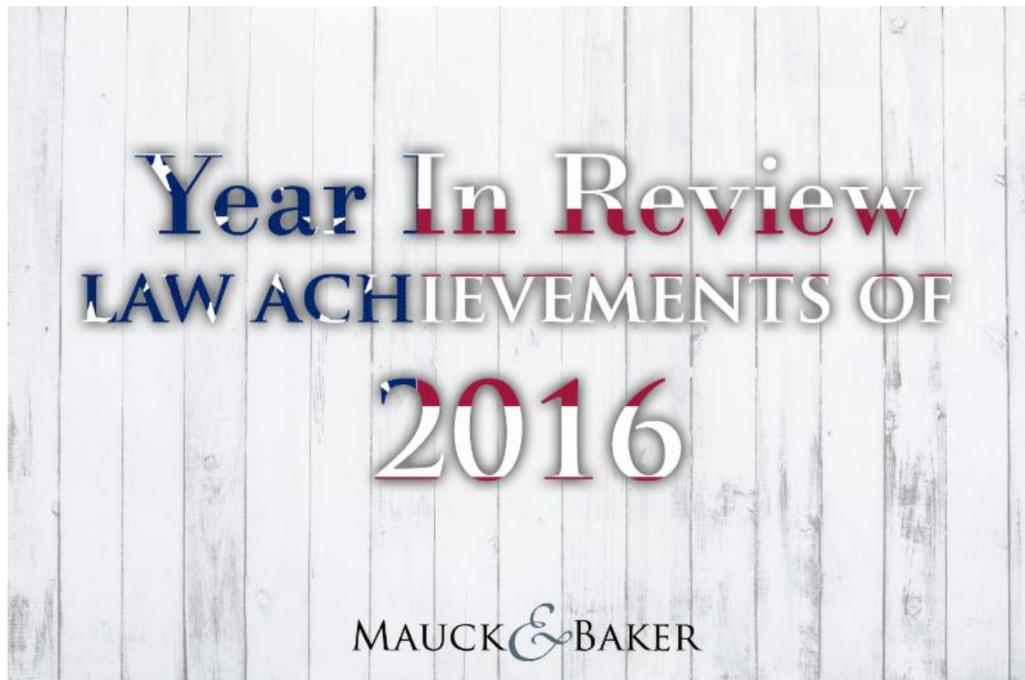


"Have legal see if there's a way I can make my New Year's resolution retroactively."

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**Year In Review: Law Achievements of 2016**

From the Firm



We are grateful for the fruitful labor God commissioned us with in 2016. Join us as we take a look at our year in review and prayerfully pursue God's glory in the legal work yet to come! Achievements include a pregnancy care center safe from giving abortion referrals, pastors challenging the ban on counseling those with unwanted same-sex attraction, Illinois Bible Colleges' right to award degrees, and the beginning of several churches to open their doors after some hostile and tumultuous zoning processes.

FULL STORY

## Pregnancy Center of Rockford Wins Injunction

Lawsuit Update

In December, the Circuit Court of Winnebago County granted Pregnancy Care Center of Rockford a preliminary injunction against a new law that forces pro-life healthcare professionals to make or aid in abortion referrals. This will temporarily halt SB 1564 from being applied to the pregnancy care centers who are plaintiffs in the suit.



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## Remaking the World Veteran Center



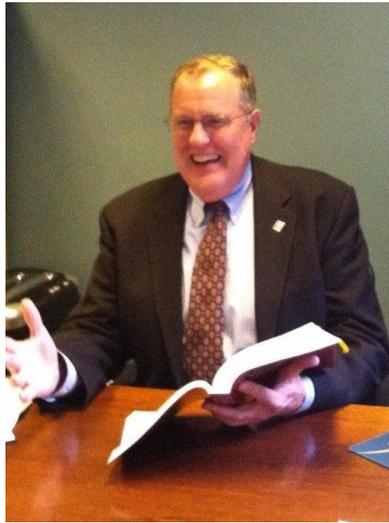
"They send us all over the world to fight terrorism and crime and violence in other countries and we feel that here in America we are faced with the same challenges. If we can go there to make those countries more habitable and friendly...then we believe we should be able to do that here at home too."

John Worthy, U.S. Army Veteran

Director of Remaking the World Veteran Center

## [The Role of Lawyers in Preparing for Christ's Second Coming](#)

We're kicking off the new year with two interviews from Christian Legal Society leaders. Look for these upcoming Lawyers for Jesus podcasts or tune in to WYLL AM 1160 on weekends. **Steve Denny** is president of the Northern Illinois Chapter of CLS and **Sally Wagenmaker** is secretary of that local chapter as well as president-elect of Christian Legal Society National. Attorney John W. Mauck spoke on that same topic at Loyola University's CLS chapter, [click here](#) to watch his presentation.



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