

My name is Reed Christensen, I am 67 years old. I have been married for 46 years to my loving wife whom I met at a church dance when we were both 17. From 19-21 years old I served as a church missionary in Korea. I came back from my two year mission on a Thursday evening, and we were married on Saturday morning.

My wife and I went to four years of college together. At the end of that time we had two children. I did ROTC and after college I was commissioned as a Second Lieutenant in the Army and went on active duty to Germany in 1983. I did four years active duty and four years reserve duty.

After my Army service I went back to school to get a Masters in Electrical Engineering and afterwards got a job in Oregon with the chip company Intel. I worked for 30 years on their processor design teams.

We have five children, all of whom are married to wonderful spouses and who are raising their own families. We have sixteen grandchildren.

On January 6<sup>th</sup>, 2021 I traveled to Washington D.C. to participate in the “Stop the Steal” rally. My personal reason for going was that I hoped that seeing a million patriots at the rally would give the Republicans the spine to do something to face up to a stolen Federal election. What I saw at the Capitol Building transformed me from a rally-goer to a protester. I tried to cross a police line. As a result of this I was charged with multiple felonies. I took my case to court, lost on all counts, and was sentenced to 46 months incarceration. I had served 16 months when I was pardoned by President Trump.

My wife and I have suffered much loss due to being politically persecuted by the Biden regime. I have documented nine counts of Bill of Rights violations in a legal complaint which I filed with the Eastern Arkansas Federal District Court. A copy has been submitted to this panel. A magistrate judge has recommended the complaint be dismissed, but the case has not yet reached a final conclusion.

I am grateful to this panel for working to document the political persecutions that were done en masse during the previous administration. I am happy to answer any questions.