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Navy Chaplain Ordered Dismissed Immediately

By Jennifer Morehouse

(CR) – A navy chaplain who was court martialled for praying “in Jesus’ name” has had his 16 year military career ended. A federal appeals court in Washington cleared the way for the U.S. Navy to dismiss Chaplain Gordon Klingenschmitt.



“It’s now official and final. Yesterday I was booted from the Navy. As of midnight last night, I became a civilian. Yesterday, I received orders to separate by 1 Mar 07, so I signed the DD 214 ending my 16 year military career,” he told reporters.

Earlier, Klingenschmitt told reporters that the costs of the battle have been high but worthwhile. Congress has instructed that the policy be rescinded, and other chaplains will have the freedom that Klingenschmitt sought.

“My sacrifice purchased their freedom. My conscience is clear, the fight was worth it, and I'd do it all again,” he said.

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