

Bio for Karen England

Capitol Resource Institute
Executive Director

Karen England has been a staunch defender of family values for more than eleven years. She currently serves as the Executive Director for Capitol Resource Institute (CRI). CRI is the oldest and largest pro-family public policy organization in California.

Karen is the architect behind “Day at the Capitol” This successful program, held several times a year, is designed to train and equip ordinary citizens to take an active roll in the legislative process. Karen is a lively and informative speaker who passionately shares her vision for people making a difference in their communities and around the world.

Because of her love for young people and her vision to help train up the next generation of pro-family leaders, Karen directs and coordinates the “City on the Hill Youth Leadership Conference” (COTH). COTH is a hands-on approach to learning about state government. Students at COTH become mock legislators for a week and carry and debate legislation currently being considered in Sacramento. Karen also speaks at both public and private high schools, conducting mini-seminars on civic involvement.

Karen began her active involvement in public policy as a volunteer for Concerned Women for America and Eagle Forum, as their Legislative Liaison. She joined these organizations because she was outraged by policies that lacked commonsense and were harmful to families. Throughout the years she has successfully advocated for public policy that strengthens families and protects traditional values for future generations.

In 2005, Karen was the appointed spokesperson for the Prop 73 campaign, passionately and articulately advocating for parental notification before children ages 12-17 undergo a surgical abortion.

Prior to the Republican National Convention in New York City in 2004, Karen was named the Housing Director for the California Delegation. She has also had the privilege of serving on the Board of Directors of the California Republican Assembly (CRA). CRA is the oldest Republican grassroots organization in California.

Karen has appeared on numerous radio and television programs providing commentary on pro-family issues including *Fox News*, the *Laura Ingram Show*, *World Net Daily*, and others. Karen has also appeared in numerous print media articles throughout California and across the nation.

Karen is happily married to John England and resides in Roseville, California, with their daughter Jordan.