

July 23, 2014 - Colorado, Iowa, Virginia Voters Back Pope On Climate, Quinnipiac University Swing State Poll Finds; Voters Say Leave Same-Sex Marriage Alone

Virginia Crosstabs

36. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom
Approve	45%	7%	90%	42%	40%	49%
Disapprove	51	89	8	52	55	47
DK/NA	4	3	2	6	5	4

TREND: Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President? (*High also 52% Nov 2012)

	Jul 23 2015	Apr 13 2015	Feb 19 2015	Mar 27 2014	Sep 19 2013	APPROVE.....	
						High Jan 10 2013*	Low Sep 15 2011
Approve	45	45	44	44	44	52	40
Disapprove	51	53	53	52	52	44	54
DK/NA	4	2	4	4	4	3	6

55. Do you think the federal government should or should not pursue policies that try to reduce the gap between wealthy and less well-off Americans?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom
Should	54%	26%	87%	55%	52%	56%
Should not	37	65	7	37	41	34
DK/NA	8	9	6	9	6	10

56. Do you support or oppose increasing taxes on higher income earners to reduce the amount of taxes paid by the middle class?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom
Support	56%	38%	83%	54%	52%	60%
Oppose	38	57	13	39	42	35
DK/NA	5	5	5	6	6	5

TREND: Do you support or oppose increasing taxes on higher income earners to reduce the amount of taxes paid by the middle class?

	Jul 23 2015	Feb 19 2015
Support	56	56
Oppose	38	39
DK/NA	5	6

57. Do you support or oppose allowing same-sex couples to get married?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom
Support	49%	29%	65%	53%	46%	51%
Oppose	43	63	29	36	45	41
DK/NA	9	8	6	11	9	8

58. As you may know, the Supreme Court ruled that same-sex marriages should be legal in all fifty states. Do you support or oppose this ruling?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom
Support	49%	25%	69%	55%	45%	53%
Oppose	46	68	28	41	50	42
DK/NA	5	7	3	4	5	5

59. Would you support or oppose a constitutional amendment that would allow states to ban same-sex marriage?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom
Support	40%	61%	24%	33%	41%	38%
Oppose	55	30	73	63	54	55
DK/NA	6	8	3	5	4	7

60. Do you think businesses should or should not be allowed to refuse service to gays and lesbians?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom
Should be allowed	32%	50%	15%	31%	34%	31%
Should not	61	42	82	62	59	63
DK/NA	7	8	3	8	8	6

61. What if the business says homosexuality violates its owners' religious beliefs; in that case do you think the business should or should not be allowed to refuse service to gays and lesbians?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom
Should be allowed	45%	64%	21%	46%	46%	44%
Should not	47	28	75	46	47	48
DK/NA	8	9	4	8	7	8

62. Do you support or oppose the health care law passed by Barack Obama and Congress in 2010?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom
Support	44%	9%	85%	42%	40%	47%
Oppose	50	87	12	51	55	46
DK/NA	6	4	3	7	5	7

TREND: Do you support or oppose the health care law passed by Barack Obama and Congress in 2010?

	Jul 23 2015	Feb 19 2015	Mar 27 2014
Support	44	42	44
Oppose	50	53	52
DK/NA	6	5	4

63. Do you think that climate change is or is not - a moral issue?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom
Yes/Moral issue	44%	23%	66%	43%	45%	43%
No	50	73	28	49	50	49
DK/NA	6	3	6	8	5	8

64. Do you think that climate change is or is not - caused by human activity?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom
Yes/Human activity	64%	45%	86%	68%	65%	64%
No	27	44	9	24	27	28
DK/NA	8	10	5	8	8	9

65. Do you agree or disagree with the message from Pope Francis calling on the world to do more to address climate change?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom
Agree	64%	42%	84%	69%	62%	65%
Disagree	27	46	10	23	30	25
DK/NA	9	12	6	8	8	10