

## Obama Claims Jesus Wants to Raise your Taxes

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To overcome notions that President Barack Obama is a Muslim or an atheist firebrand, he is now making theological arguments contending that Jesus Christ wants to raise taxes and endorses ObamaCare, carbon-trading schemes, government-funded abortions, boosting government deficit spending and opposes fracking drilling of natural gas. Fox News reports that, "President Barack Obama linked his economic policies to the Christian faith, saying on Thursday that meeting the nation's challenges requires strong values as much as smart policies."

Making his third appearance as president at the National Prayer Breakfast, Obama attempted to justify many of his actions, including his call to raise taxes and sign the ObamaCare healthcare overhaul bill. He claimed these maneuvers were not only economically sound but deeply rooted in Christian values.

Fox News quotes Obama as saying that, "when I talk about shared responsibility, it's because I genuinely believe that in a time when many folks are struggling and at a time when we have enormous deficits, it's hard for me to ask seniors on a fixed income or young people with student loans or middle-class families who can barely pay the bills to shoulder the burden alone."

Obama added, "but for me as a Christian, it also coincides with Jesus' teaching that, for unto whom much is given, much shall be required."

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