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hands create. The Governor made it clear. He doesn't want to go out here and see any of these condemned people, and he certainly doesn't want to watch an execution. And we have people on the floor of the Legislature who understand nothing and know nothing about this issue. All the Governor has to do is call in the newest member of the Legislature, the youngest, and say take this bill and run with it and you'll be branded as the man who wants the state to kill and that's what his reputation and his career is built on. This needs to be talked about. Things need to be called what they are. The flunkies who carry the Governor's dirty water because they don't know better than they make all of these simple, shallow statements about, well, we got to discuss it at some time and better sooner than later. And we ought to do this because if we don't the courts are going to stop us from killing people. He doesn't know what he sounds like. He doesn't listen to himself, and he doesn't read his words or if he does, he doesn't understand. And if killing by the state is something that cannot be discussed on this floor, nothing should be discussed on this floor. I spend time helping people with bills I don't even like. And I'm going to take some time to talk about something that does mean something. And that amendment has more truth than poetry in what it is recommending. It was an incident in a bank that focused the Governor's attention on the death penalty because he's like a vulture or a buzzard. The Bible said--I call it the "Bibble," "Holly Bibble"--where the carcass is there will the buzzards be gathered together. The "Bibble" says the eagles, but for these purposes, the buzzards or the vultures. And that's why they are clustered around the death penalty and what it can do for their political career. And if they ever have children and the child says, Daddy, what did you do in the Legislature? Well, I made it possible for the Legislature and the state to kill people. And the child will say, Daddy, I want to grow up just like you. But since he can't be in the Legislature to kill people, he goes, gets Daddy's gun and goes down the street and shoots somebody.

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: These things are not supposed to have any impact. The actions of the state are to have no impact? And