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Message:

I'm a native born Texan and a Christian who wants to direct my remarks to Christian legislators who are inclined to support this redistricting effort. In Matthew 20 and Luke 19, Jesus said, "You know that the rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. It will not be so among you, but whoever wishes to be first among you must be your slave, just as the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many." Jesus modeled this for those of us who would be disciples by taking off his tunic, wrapping a cloth around his waist, and washing feet.

To redistrict now is more tyrant and not Christ-like. I live in District 33 amongst a diverse group of neighbors, all of us made in the image of God. For some reason, you have provided us no maps, but I can foresee one that slices through my southern Dallas neighborhood to create a district from Brownwood to Gun Barrel City. Or maybe a district will be created that resembles a beast with seven heads and ten horns that combines us with Amarillo. A word of caution: I worked with some good people in Amarillo to defeat a pit-neighbor-against-neighbor travel ban by 20 points. You never know what brings people together.

To those who support this unnecessary redistricting, I call on you to instead remove your tunic of power, wrap a towel around your waist, and serve all the people of this state, not the power hungry in Washington, DC

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