

A Message from Phillip Adams on Dying with Dignity

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How and when I chose to die is none of Cardinal Pell's or Prime Minister Howard's business. I have no interest in their opinions and will not yield to their bullying. Let them address the problems of mega-death - caused by war, ecological catastrophe or AIDS.

One's own personal death is just that. One's own. Personal. It is not a political issue. It is my business, and my family's. To hell with their immoral moral posturing.

The high ground on which they stand is a pile of bones, the victims of stupid and sadistic policies on issues like Iraq, AIDS and the on-going disgrace of indigenous health. To the Prime Minister I say 'mind your own business'...and to the Cardinal (with the greatest respect) 'piss off Pell'.

Signed
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