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Why would citizens oppose a "common sense" proposal to ban concealed carry weapons near government buildings or even churches? Wouldn't it solve a potential problem? Logic and common sense tells us you will not stop criminal use of weapons by depriving the law abiding citizens of their right to self defense from those very criminals. For example, at the Sandy Hook School massacre, witness accounts said the first to die was the petite woman school principal who ran toward the boy who had stolen the rifle from his murdered mother. She went towards him with open hands as if to try to get the weapon when he shot her dead and then went on to kill 19 more. But what if instead of approaching him with open hands, she had a Beretta in her hand and stopped the evil killer. 20 innocent children would still be alive. For more proof, the Colorado movie theater massacre was by a man who passed by 5 other theaters to attack and kill in the only one which was a "gun free zone." So why is it Ohio schools have never had a multiple shooting? Schools in Ohio are not gun free zones, but moreover, some school teachers and staff are trained and certified to have their weapons WITH them in the school. Simple proof that "When guns are outlawed, only outlaws will have guns." Statistically, lives are saved when law abiding citizens have adequate protection

against criminals.

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