



## STATEMENT OF ALISON SANDLIN

I, Alison Sandlin, hereby state under penalty of perjury that the following are true:

1. I am a resident of Denver, Colorado.
2. I have been in a committed relationship with another woman, Katie Allen, since 2004.
3. In 2005, Katie and I were planning to have a commitment ceremony.
4. Katie and I visited Masterpiece Cakeshop in Lakewood, Colorado on August 6, 2005, for the purpose of tasting and potentially ordering a wedding cake.
5. After a brief wait, we met with a female representative of the Cakeshop. She asked Katie and me to sit down at a table, encouraged us to select some cake flavors, and served us samples of those flavors. We talked with this woman about our cake preferences and wedding plans for several minutes.
6. The woman we had been speaking with eventually asked which one of us would be the bride in the wedding we were planning. I told her that we both would. The woman then asked if we were having two separate ceremonies, and I clarified that Katie and I were marrying each other.
7. The woman we had been speaking with then said "we can't do it then." She explained that she was one of the owners of Masterpiece Cakeshop and that company policy prevented her from selling a cake for a same-sex wedding.
8. The woman also said that she was "sorry" she would be unable to do business with us but that Masterpiece Cakeshop had established a policy of not taking cake orders for same-sex weddings because the owners believed in the word of Jesus.
9. I was very upset and heartbroken that Masterpiece Cakeshop was unwilling to serve us because we were having a same-sex wedding. I felt that Katie and I had been discriminated against on the basis of our sexual orientation.
10. I asked the woman we had been speaking with if there was someone else I could talk to about the shop's discriminatory policy. She pointed out Jack Phillips and identified him as another owner of Masterpiece Cakeshop.

11. Mr. Phillips told us that Masterpiece Cakeshop would not provide cake for a same-sex wedding because such weddings were "illegal" in Colorado. He went on to say that his business also would not provide cakes for pedophiles.

12. We left Masterpiece Cakeshop without being able to place a cake order.

Date: January 8, 2013

Signed: Allen Bellin