

EQUAL CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS
FOR VICTIMS OF CRIME



"These people have suffered immeasurable loss. It seems doubly criminal that they might lose their voice as well."

– Actor Kelsey Grammer

Marsy's Law for All was pleased to have the support of Kelsey Grammer in Illinois where voters overwhelmingly passed Marsy's Law with nearly 78% of the general election vote. A similar measure passed in California and efforts to advance Marsy's Law in a number of other states are already underway.

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WHEN A CRIMINAL IS CHARGED,
THEY'RE GIVEN A LIST OF RIGHTS.

BUT WHAT ABOUT RIGHTS FOR VICTIMS AND THEIR FAMILIES?



Marsalee “**Marsy**”
Ann Nicholas
was a beautiful, vibrant
University of California
Santa Barbara student
who was stalked
and killed by her
ex-boyfriend in 1983.

Only a week after Marsy was murdered, her brother and mother, Marcella, walked into a grocery store after visiting Marsy’s grave and were confronted by the accused murderer.

They had no idea he’d been released on bail.

Marsy’s family’s story is typical of the pain and suffering that the family members of murder victims endure.

“The United States Constitution currently provides specific rights for those accused and convicted of crimes but fails to provide equal rights for victims of crime”.

– Dr. Henry T. Nicholas

SUPPORT MARSY’S LAW TO GIVE RIGHTS TO VICTIMS.

A PLACE AND A VOICE.

The right to be treated with courtesy, fairness and respect for their dignity and privacy throughout the criminal justice proceedings.

The right to receive information about their rights and the services available to crime victims.

The right to receive timely notification of proceedings and other major developments in their case.

The right to receive timely notification of changes to the offender’s custodial status.

The right to be present at court proceedings. The right to provide input to the prosecutor before the plea agreement is finalized.

The right to be heard at plea or sentencing proceedings or any process that may result in the offender’s release.

The right to restitution.

Dr. Henry Nicholas
Chairman
Marsy’s Law for All

