## Thus Spoketh Harry Reid

After winning reelection to the Senate on November 2, Harry Reid told his crowd of supporters:

"I intend to get back to Washington and get to work getting this economy back on track. I intend to work to stop the spending and stop mortgaging our children's and grandchildren's future."

(Of course, it should be remembered that "What's said in Las Vegas stays in Las Vegas.")

But Reid was not the only prominent person making a heartfelt pledge about his future intentions. Other statements made on election night were:

Mitch McConnell: "I intend to work closely with Rand Paul and incorporate as many of his ideas as possible into the Republican agenda."

Charlie Sheen: "I intend to become a Buddhist monk."

Obama: "The results of this election have truly humbled me" and "I intend to release my long-form birth certificate."

Oprah: "I intend to go back on my diet."

Barney Frank: "I intend to go back to Washington where I will work feverishly to promote and protect strong family values."

Jesse Jackson: "I intend to never again make a public statement."

Michelle Obama: "I intend to give up ice cream, lobster, and five-star hotels."

Eliot Spitzer: "I intend to give up women."

Charlie Schumer: "I intend to stay away from the media."

David Axelrod: "I intend to start using shampoo."

Robert Gibbs: "I intend to tell the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth."

Britney Spears: "I intend to always dress conservatively."

Dick Durbin: "I intend to stop doing my Eddie Haskell impression."

Nancy Pelosi: "I intend to grow old gracefully."

Keith Olbermann: "I intend to vote for Sarah Palin in 2012."

Patty Murray: "I intend to get my teeth fixed."

Jimmy Carter: "I intend to fully support Israel."

Sarah Palin: "I intend to return to Alaska and completely remove myself from the political spotlight."

Chris Matthews: "I intend to help everyone go to grad school so that they can be as brilliant as I am."

Ed Begley, Jr.: "I intend to buy a different-colored Hummer for each day of the week."

John Edwards: "I intend to never again look in a mirror."

Katie Couric: "I intend to report the news objectively."

Rachel Maddow: "I intend to steal Brad Pitt from Angelina Jolie."

Lindsay Lohan: "I intend to remain sober and drug-free."

Miley Cyrus: "I intend to dress appropriately for my age."