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		Total	CLIN	OBAM	NOPR
Number of Interviews - 1,312	Vote Estimate Not for On-Air Use	100	41	56	2
Are you: (n=1,311)	Male	46	34	64	2
	Female	54	47	50	3
Sex by race (n=1,285)	White men	41	32	65	2
	White women	50	49	48	3
	Black men	0	-	-	-
	Black women	0	-	-	-
	Latino men	1	-	-	-
	Latino women	1	-	-	-
	All other races	7	-	-	-
Are you: (n=1,286)	White	91	41	56	3
	Black	1	-	-	-
	Hispanic/Latino	2	-	-	-
	Asian	0	-	-	-
	Other	6	-	-	-
AGE (60 and over) (n=1,303)	18-29	14	25	74	2
	30-44	19	32	66	2
	45-59	36	43	54	3
	60 or over	30	52	45	2
Age-65 (n=1,303)	18-24	7	-	-	-
	25-29	7	-	-	-
	30-39	13	33	65	2
	40-49	15	40	59	1
	50-64	38	43	54	3



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Age-65 (n=1,303)	65 or over	19	57	40	3
Age 65 & over (n=1,303)	18-64	81	38	60	2
	65 or over	19	57	40	3
Age by race (n=1,279)	White 18-29	14	24	74	2
	Latino 30-44	1	-	-	-
	Latino 45-59	1	-	-	-
	Latino 60+	1	-	-	-
	All other	7	-	-	-
	White 30-44	17	34	64	2
	White 45-59	32	44	53	3
	White 60+	27	52	46	3
	Black 18-29	0	-	-	-
	Black 30-44	0	-	-	-
	Black 45-59	0	-	-	-
	Black 60+	0	-	-	-
	Latino 18-29	0	-	-	-
2007 total family income: (n=1,175)	Under \$15,000	9	-	-	-
	\$15,000 - \$29,999	16	44	52	4
	\$30,000 - \$49,999	26	41	56	3
	\$50,000 - \$74,999	22	38	61	1
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	15	37	62	1
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	8	-	-	-
	\$150,000 - \$199,999	2	-	-	-
	\$200,000 or more	3	-	-	-



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Total family income: (n=1,175)	Less than \$50,000	50	42	54	3
	\$50,000 or more	50	38	61	2
Total family income: (n=1,175)	Less than \$100,000	87	40	57	2
	\$100,000 or more	13	39	59	2
What was the last grade of school you completed? (n=1,270)	Did not complete high school	3	-	-	-
	High school graduate	20	48	49	3
	Some college or associate degree	28	44	53	4
	College graduate	30	37	62	1
	Postgraduate study	20	35	63	2
College Education (n=1,270)	No college degree	50	46	50	4
	College graduate	50	36	63	1
What was the last grade of school you completed? (n=1,270)	High school graduate or less	22	50	47	3
	More than high school grad	78	39	59	2
No matter how you voted today, do you usually think of yourself as a: (n=1,271)	Democrat	60	45	53	2
	Republican	9	40	54	6
	Independent or something else	31	34	63	2
Party by race (n=1,246)	White Democrats	53	46	52	2
	White Independents	29	34	63	3
	Black Democrats	0	-	-	-
	Black Independents	0	-	-	-
	Latino Democrats	2	-	-	-
	Latino Independents	0	-	-	-
	All Republicans	9	39	55	6
	All other	7	-	-	-



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On most political matters, do you consider yourself: (n=1,256)	Very liberal	14	35	64	2
	Somewhat liberal	31	35	64	1
	Moderate	40	45	52	3
	Somewhat conservative	11	44	53	2
	Very conservative	4	-	-	-
On most political matters, do you consider yourself: (n=1,256)	Liberal	45	35	64	1
	Moderate	40	45	52	3
	Conservative	15	49	48	4
When did you finally decide for whom to vote in the presidential primary? (n=1,062)	Just today	11	50	43	8
	In the last three days	5	-	-	-
	Sometime last week	5	-	-	-
	In the last month	18	40	59	1
	Before that	61	39	59	2
Time: Last three days/Earlier than that (n=1,062)	Today/In the last three days	16	49	45	6
	Sometime last week or earlier	83	40	58	2
Time: Last week/Earlier than that (n=1,062)	Today/In last 3 days/Sometime last week	21	50	45	5
	In the last month or before that	79	39	59	2
Are you: (n=1,249)	Protestant	28	52	45	3
	Catholic	26	46	52	2
	Mormon/LDS	2	-	-	-
	Other Christian	17	41	56	3
	Jewish	1	-	-	-
	Muslim	0	-	-	-
	Something else	6	-	-	-



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Are you: (n=1,249)	None	20	24	75	2
Religion, combined Protestant and other Christian. (n=1,249)	Protestant/Other Christian	47	48	49	3
	Catholic	26	46	52	2
	Jewish	1	-	-	-
	Something else	7	-	-	-
	None	20	24	75	2
Religion, combined Protestant and Other Christian, among Whites. (n=1,279)	Protestant/Other Christian	42	48	49	3
	Catholic	21	47	51	2
	Jewish	1	-	-	-
	Something else	6	-	-	-
	None	18	24	74	2
How often do you attend religious services? (n=1,279)	More than once a week	5	-	-	-
	Once a week	22	52	44	4
	A few times a month	12	38	60	2
	A few times a year	31	42	57	2
	Never	28	32	66	2
How often do you attend religious services? (n=1,279)	Weekly	27	51	45	4
	Occasionally	43	41	57	2
	Never	28	32	66	2
Church attendance by Religion (n=1,279)	Protestant/Attend weekly	11	62	33	6
	Protestant/Do not attend weekly	18	47	52	1
	Catholic/Attend weekly	10	45	52	2
	Catholic/Do not attend weekly	15	47	52	1
	All Others	45	31	66	3



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Do you or does someone else in your household own a gun? (n=1,262)	Yes	68	41	57	3
	No	32	42	56	2
Which ONE of these three issues is the most important facing the country? (CHECK ONLY ONE) (n=1,312)	The economy	48	42	56	3
	The war in Iraq	31	38	60	1
	Health care	16	46	51	3
Which ONE of these four candidate qualities mattered most in deciding how you voted today? (CHECK ONLY ONE) (n=1,312)	Can bring about needed change	55	17	81	2
	Cares about people like me	12	50	47	3
	Has the right experience	21	92	7	1
	Has the best chance to win in November	8	50	46	3
Which was more important in your vote for president today? (n=1,312)	My candidate's positions on the issues	50	40	58	2
	My candidate's leadership/personal qualities	45	41	57	2
Has the current recession or economic slowdown affected you and your family: (n=1,312)	A great deal	35	44	54	2
	Somewhat	48	40	57	3
	Not much	13	35	63	2
	Not at all	3	-	-	-
Has the current recession or economic slowdown affected you and your family: (n=1,312)	A great deal/Somewhat	83	42	56	2
	Not much/Not at all	16	38	59	3
Did either of these candidates for president attack the other unfairly? (n=1,279)	Only Hillary Clinton did	21	5	94	1
	Only Barack Obama did	3	-	-	-
	Both did	33	51	45	4
	Neither did	38	49	49	2
Did either of these candidates for president attack the other unfairly? (n=1,279)	Hillary Clinton did	53	34	64	2
	Hillary Clinton did not	41	52	46	2
Did either of these candidates for president attack the other unfairly?	Barack Obama did	36	55	42	3



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Did either of these candidates for president attack the other unfairly?	Barack Obama did not	58	34	65	2
No matter how you voted today, would you be: (n=1,312)	Satisfied only if Hillary Clinton is the nominee	18	97	2	1
	Satisfied only if Barack Obama is the nominee	26	0	99	1
	Satisfied if either one is the nominee	48	41	56	2
	Dissatisfied if either one is the nominee	5	-	-	-
No matter how you voted today, would you be satisfied with Clinton: (n=1,312)	Satisfied	67	56	41	2
	Dissatisfied	31	8	89	3
No matter how you voted today, would you be satisfied with Obama: (n=1,312)	Satisfied	74	27	71	2
	Dissatisfied	24	85	11	4
Regardless of how you voted today, which one of these candidates do you think would be more likely to beat John McCain in November? (n=1,312)	Hillary Clinton	33	91	7	2
	Barack Obama	60	13	85	2
Has the length of the Democratic primary campaign mostly: (n=1,279)	Energized the Democratic Party	48	45	54	1
	Divided the Democratic Party	44	38	58	4
Which candidate do you think is honest and trustworthy? (n=1,312)	Only Hillary Clinton	13	96	2	2
	Only Barack Obama	32	2	97	1
	Both of them	39	51	47	2
	Neither of them	13	54	40	6
Which candidate do you think is honest and trustworthy? (n=1,312)	Hillary Clinton is	52	62	36	2
	Hillary Clinton is not	45	18	80	2
Which candidate do you think is honest and trustworthy? (n=1,312)	Barack Obama is	71	29	69	2
	Barack Obama is not	26	75	21	4
If these are the only candidates on the ballot in November, for whom would you vote? (n=1,279)	Hillary Clinton, the Democrat	73	48	50	2
	John McCain, the Republican	18	27	69	4
	Would not vote for president	7	-	-	-



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	John McCain, the Republican	16	69	26	5
	Would not vote for president	4	-	-	-
If Hillary Clinton is the Democratic nominee, should she pick Barack Obama as her vice presidential running mate? (n=1,279)	Yes	58	37	60	2
	No	36	47	51	2
If Barack Obama is the Democratic nominee, should he pick Hillary Clinton as his vice presidential running mate? (n=1,279)	Yes	51	56	42	2
	No	44	23	75	2
Which candidate do you think shares your values? (n=1,312)	Only Hillary Clinton	16	96	3	1
	Only Barack Obama	23	3	97	0
	Both of them	48	39	59	2
	Neither of them	11	47	44	9
Which candidate do you think shares your values? (n=1,312)	Hillary Clinton does	64	53	45	2
	Hillary Clinton does not	34	17	80	3
Which candidate do you think shares your values? (n=1,312)	Barack Obama does	71	27	72	1
	Barack Obama does not	27	77	20	4
In deciding your vote for president today, was the gender of the candidate: (n=1,279)	The single most important factor	2	-	-	-
	One of several important factors	12	64	34	2
	Not an important factor	85	37	60	2
In deciding your vote for president today, was the gender of the candidate: (n=1,279)	Important	14	65	33	2
	Not important	85	37	60	2
In deciding your vote for president today, was the gender of the candidate: (n=1,279)	Men who say gender was a factor	4	-	-	-
	Men who say gender was not a factor	41	31	67	2
	Women who say gender was a factor	10	70	28	2
	Women who say gender was not a factor	44	43	54	3





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In deciding your vote for president today, was the race of the candidate: (n=1,279)	The single most important factor	2	-	-	-
	One of several important factors	9	47	51	2
	Not an important factor	87	40	58	2
In deciding your vote for president today, was the race of the candidate: (n=1,279)	Important	11	50	47	2
	Not important	87	40	58	2
In deciding your vote for president today, was the race of the candidate: (n=1,279)	Whites who say race was a factor	9	52	45	3
	Whites who say race was not a factor	79	40	58	2
	Blacks who say race was a factor	0	-	-	-
	Blacks who say race was not a factor	0	-	-	-
	All other races	9	42	56	2
In your vote in today's presidential primary, how would you rate the importance of Obama leaving Trinity Church? (n=1,062)	Very important	14	67	29	4
	Somewhat important	14	52	47	0
	Not too important	23	38	59	3
	Not at all important	46	32	66	1
In your vote in today's presidential primary, how would you rate the importance of Obama leaving Trinity Church? (n=1,062)	Very/Somewhat important	27	59	38	2
	Not too/Not at all important	70	34	64	2
Geo Stratum Code (n=1,312)	Urban West	39	42	55	2
	Rural West	32	38	60	2
	East	29	44	54	2
Population of area, five categories (n=1,312)	Over 500 thousand	-	-	-	-
	50 to 500 thousand	44	39	59	2
	Suburbs	4	-	-	-
	10 to 50 thousand	7	-	-	-
	Rural	45	43	54	3

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Population of area, three categories (n=1,312)	City over 50 thousand	44	39	59	2
	Suburbs	4	-	-	-
	Small city and Rural	53	42	55	3