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I fully support equal parenting time becoming the norm, with the judge able to make adjustments based on individual family history.

I have seen equal parenting time work in our family with my grandson who thrived knowing that his time was divided evenly and routinely between his two homes. He came to appreciate and value the differences in the life styles of his parents and their new partners and to benefit from their individual strengths.

As a long-retired school principal, I have seen the stress and distress placed on children whose parents are in a power struggle--where they are giving their child nothing but negative examples of their other parent, and where parents are always in conflict.

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