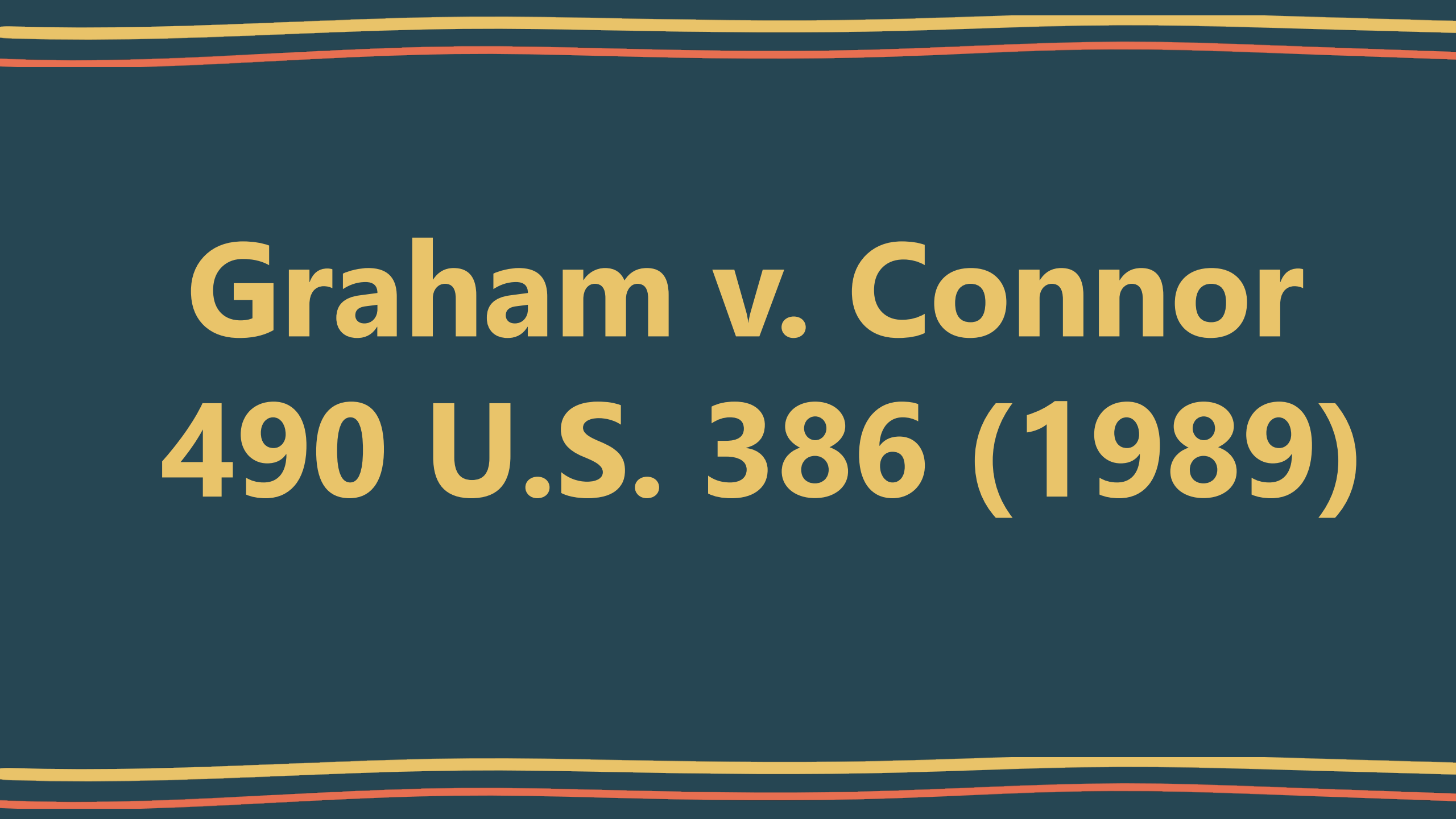




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A Question of Values...

- Retributive lens: sees crime as a violation of the state, defined by lawbreaking and guilt. Justice determines blame and administers consequences, directed by systematic, procedural rules.
- Values: consistency, predictability, punishment (in hopes of deterrence), incapacitation.
- Question: "What should be done with the offender? "

- Restorative lens: crime is a violation of people and relationships. It creates obligations to make things right. Justice involves the victim, the offender, and the community in search for a solution, which promote repair, reconciliation, and reassurance.
- Values: relational and needs theory.
- Question: "What can be done to make things right?"