

A Schizophrenic Society

Isaiah 5:20

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Fetus means “a developing human from usually two months after conception to birth.” (Websters)

Woe to those who call evil good and good evil, who put darkness for light and light for darkness, who put bitter for sweet and sweet for bitter. (Isaiah 5:20)

I. The language used in the descriptions has power to shape people's perceptions.

"You never need late-term abortion to save a woman's life. If necessary, you accomplish the delivery," he said.

– Former abortion doctor, Anthony Levatino

II. Late term abortions are not medically necessary.

The wicked band together against the righteous and condemn the innocent to death. (Psalms 94:21)

III. Abortion providers are profiting handsomely.

1.25 million children aborted yearly according to Planned Parenthood's research arm, the Guttmacher Institute.

788 abortion clinics nationwide according to Business Insider.

Abortion prices \$350 to \$3300 (2014 article Clearhealthcosts website)

\$1.25 million dollar income per clinic per year.

Typical MacDonalds: 2.4 million in average sales on a 20% profit margin, open 5760 hours a year

An abortion provider need only work 270 hours a year to make his quota of 1600 terminations, in other words: seven weeks of full-time work.

They have become filled with every kind of wickedness, evil, greed and depravity. They are full of envy, murder, strife, deceit and malice. (Romans 1:29)

IV. Abortion enablers are targeting minorities and the disabled.

For you created my inmost being;

you knit me together in my mother's womb.

I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made;

your works are wonderful,

I know that full well.
My frame was not hidden from you
when I was made in the secret place,
when I was woven together in the depths of the earth.
Your eyes saw my unformed body;
all the days ordained for me were written in your book
before one of them came to be. (Psalms 139:13-16)

If people are fighting and hit a pregnant woman and she gives birth prematurely but there is no serious injury, the offender must be fined whatever the woman's husband demands and the court allows. But if there is serious injury, you are to take life for life, eye for eye, tooth for tooth, hand for hand, foot for foot... (Exodus 21:22-24)

V. Common sense safeguards are under attack.

According to the Quint Boenker Premie Survival Foundation babies born at 24 weeks gestation have a 39 percent chance of survival. Those born just three weeks later have an 87 per cent chance of survival.

"You shall not murder." (Exodus 20:13)

Illinois HB 2495:

- It would eliminate any restrictions on post-viability abortions and allow abortions for any reason whatsoever throughout all nine months of pregnancy
- It would eliminate the requirement that a second physician be present to provide immediate medical care for any child born alive as a result of a post-viability abortion
- eliminate any restrictions on where abortions may be performed
- It would allow non-physicians to perform abortions, both surgical and medical
- It would undermine institutional and individual rights of conscience
- provide a basis to nullify regulations governing the operation of abortion clinics
- allow DCFS to use public funds to pay for abortions
- require health insurance policies to include coverage for all abortions, with no exemptions, even for churches and other religious organizations
- eliminate any requirement to investigate fetal deaths or maternal deaths resulting from abortions or to record fetal deaths resulting from abortions
- impose no restrictions on fetal experimentation
- provide a basis for barring lawsuits or criminal actions over the wrongful death of a wanted unborn child
 - violent offenders may not be held accountable for harming a child in utero

HB 2467 - guts current Illinois parental notification laws

What can and should we do?

Fear the Lord

"The fear of the Lord—that is wisdom, and to shun evil is understanding." (Job 28:28)

God has judged and punished nations, including Israel, in the past for child sacrifice. (see Jeremiah 19:3-8)

Leave retaliation to the Lord.

It is mine to avenge; I will repay.

In due time their foot will slip;
their day of disaster is near
and their doom rushes upon them.” (Deuteronomy 32:35)

Pray

- For duped women to find healing and forgiveness in Jesus
- For those who serve women and lobby legislators
- For abortion enablers to wake up and repent
- For truth about these issues to prevail
- For an end to this barbaric practice

...if my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will heal their land. (2 Chronicles 7:14)

Discuss

Don't be afraid to winsomely be salt and light

Talk to people – ask questions

Write or call legislators – No on HB 2467 and HB2495

Support

Give to those who support life