

## Why am I pro-life?

“Abortion is profoundly anti-women. Three-quarters of its victims are women: half the babies and all the mothers”(St. Mother Teresa). Killing a baby, or killing an innocent human is never justifiable under any circumstance. I am pro-life because a baby is a human, a baby is God’s creation, and it is in my faith.

One of the reasons that I am pro-life is that even though the baby is in the womb, it is still a human. Science has proven that life starts at conception. That is a fact, not an opinion, and to disagree would be wrong. All people have a right to life. One statement used against pro-life people is that “It won’t know it died.” Does this mean that if you’re sleeping, I can stab you? No, because that would be murder; just like abortion. I also have another question, what if you waited nine months and then killed your baby? You would not be treated normally, you would go to jail and be known as the person that killed a baby. That would be murder, just like abortion.

A human is God’s creation, it is not the parents’ creation, it is God’s creation. That is another reason why I am pro-life. God loves each and every one of us. Jeremiah 1:5 states, “Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, before you were born I set you apart; I appointed you as a prophet to the nations.” This means that even before you were formed, you were God’s creation. God loves all of us, and He would not want somebody to murder His creation, His gift. God’s gift of life is sacred; all life is sacred, and everything God made has a purpose, even a baby in the womb

Being pro-life is in my faith. One of the first sins was killing when Cain killed Abel. Cain killing Abel was not permissible by God and neither is abortion. The 5th commandment states, “You shall not kill.” Every time abortion is committed the 5th

commandment is broken, one of the most important ones. The baby did nothing wrong to deserve death, and the baby was innocent. Jesus calls us to love one another, and killing is not loving.

Killing a baby, or killing any innocent human is never justifiable under any circumstance. I am pro-life because a baby is a human, a baby is God's creation, and being pro-life is in my faith. Abortion is not only against babies, but also mothers. If we can get the mothers to re-think it, not only can we save a baby, we can save a mother too.

**Sources:**

St. Mother Teresa quote: <https://marchforlife.org/mother-teresa-favorite-quotes/>

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