

Why am I pro-life?

“There really is only one choice, and I choose life.” That baby is alive. I’m pro-life because the baby is God’s creation, everyone should have a chance to live, and there’s always adoption.

We are all made in God’s image at the moment of conception until *natural death*. “Each life is a gift from God and ultimately belongs to him. He has sole authority over life and death” (Gospel of Life). Euthanasia is awful and should never be used no matter the situation. “Euthanasia, so-called mercy killing” is wrong (Fr. Eric Olsen). If your grandma can’t work that doesn’t mean that you can kill her. Abortion is equally awful. Science proves that life starts at conception. Human life is sacred and precious. God already knew you in your mother’s womb. “Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you” (Jer 1:5). We are all valued, but our value doesn’t come from our hair or clothes we wear, it comes from God.

Everyone has the right to life, but some people take it away. The right to life comes from God. The fifth commandment says “you shall not kill.” As St. Mother Teresa said, “and if we accept that a mother can even kill her own child, how can we tell other people not to kill each other?” We were alive in the womb, even though science proves that, some people still say that unborn babies are just tissue. People say, “my body, my choice,” but that’s a lie. It’s not your body, it’s the baby’s body. That baby is innocent and should not be put to death because of their parents not expecting them. Maybe you weren’t expecting the baby, but that baby is still wanted. Babies bring joy and are blessings.

Another reason why I'm pro-life is that there is always adoption. I know families that can't have kids and they want to adopt but the birth mom said no to life for her child. It's sad to think of all the cousins, friends, colleagues, classmates, teammates, and all of the children who would come after them. It is much better for that person to live and get put up for adoption then die before their life outside of the womb has even started. Even if they are going to suffer during their life because of an illness or something, we are all going to suffer sometime in our life. God doesn't want us to suffer, but abortion kills the baby and makes the mother suffer. So we can spare that suffering by having that baby live.

How can someone think of something so awful to kill a living person. I'm pro-life because the baby is God's creation, everyone should have a chance to live, and there's always adoption. I pray that the truth of life will come out, and you can help. Join me in being pro-life.

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