



The Issue of Unplanned Pregnancy

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Abortion has gone from an illegal act to a constitutional right in less than two decades in America. Once unethical for doctors, it is now an industry grossing over \$300 million per year. Once unlawful for women, it is now protected by state and national legislators. Once an act frowned upon by society, it is now a merit badge worn proudly by some leaders of the feminist movement. In the clamor for a national re-examination of *Roe vs. Wade*, it's time for a new look at God's perspective.

■ Current Conditions

■ Biblical Realities

1. People are made like God in the womb.
Genesis 1:27
2. People are formed by God in the womb.
Job 31:14-15
3. People are known by God in the womb.
Psalm 22:9-10; Luke 20:36-40

4. People are selected by God in the womb.
Jeremiah 1:5
5. People are valued by God in the womb.
Luke 1:41, 44; 18:15

■ Contemporary Arguments

1. "It's not a convenient time for a baby."
Matthew 6:25-26
2. "I can't afford to have a baby right now."
Psalm 37:23-26
3. "I'm not in a stable relationship."
Psalm 68:4-6
4. "I've been told the baby has a problem."
Isaiah 45:9-12
5. "I am a victim of rape or incest."
Deuteronomy 24:16-17

■ Specific Instructions

1. You have relinquished your freedom of choice.
1 Corinthians 6:19-20
2. You have the responsibility for a new moral system.
1 Thessalonians 4:3-7
3. You have the opportunity for a new value system.
Proverbs 24:10-12
4. You have the obligation to protect innocent victims
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