

THAT'S LIFE

*¹³ For you formed my inward parts;
you knitted me together in my mother's womb.*

*¹⁴ I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully
made.*

*Wonderful are your works;
my soul knows it very well.*

*¹⁵ My frame was not hidden from you,
when I was being made in secret,
intricately woven in the depths of the earth.*

*¹⁶ Your eyes saw my unformed substance;
in your book were written, every one of them,
the days that were formed for me,
when as yet there was none of them.*

Psalm 139:13-16

- Life is a gift.
- We have been created in the image of God.

*So God created man in his own image, in the
image of God he created him; male and female he
created them. Genesis 1:27*

*Then the LORD God formed the man of dust from
the ground and breathed into his nostrils the
breath of life, and the man became a living
creature. Genesis 2:7*

- God alone has the power and authority to give life.

*In his hand is the life of every living thing and the
breath of all mankind. Job 12:10*

*The Spirit of God has made me, and the breath of
the Almighty gives me life. Job 33:4*

- It is God who is the giver and taker of life.

*See now that I, even I, am he, and there is no god
beside me; I kill and I make alive; I wound and I
heal; and there is none that can deliver out of my
hand. Deuteronomy 32:39*

- When does life actually begin?

- Once we determine this answer there is no longer a controversy or a debate.
- If the unborn are NOT human beings there is no need for this argument.
- If the unborn ARE human beings there is no legitimate argument to justify abortion.
- God knows us in our Mother's womb.

*Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and
before you were born I consecrated you; I
appointed you a prophet to the nations. Jeremiah
1:5*

*There are multiple examples in scripture of God
blessing children in the womb – But when he who
had set me apart before I was born, and
who called me by his grace. Galatians 1:15*

*Listen to me, O coastlands, and give attention,
you peoples from afar. The LORD called me from
the womb, from the body of my mother he named
my name. Isaiah 49:1*

*for he will be great before the Lord. And he must
not drink wine or strong drink, and he will be filled
with the Holy Spirit, even from his mother's
womb. Luke 1:15*

*Therefore be careful and drink no wine or strong
drink, and eat nothing unclean, ⁵ for behold, you
shall conceive and bear a son. No razor shall come
upon his head, for the child shall be a Nazirite to
God from the womb, and he shall begin to save
Israel from the hand of the Philistines.” ⁶ Then the
woman came and told her husband, “A man of
God came to me, and his appearance was like the*

appearance of the angel of God, very awesome. I did not ask him where he was from, and he did not tell me his name, ⁷ but he said to me, 'Behold, you shall conceive and bear a son. So then drink no wine or strong drink, and eat nothing unclean, for the child shall be a Nazirite to God from the womb to the day of his death.'" Judges 13:4-7

- As believers in Jesus, who trust and believe in God's Word, it is impossible to deny that the unborn are not persons from the very initial stage of life in the womb.

"To endorse or even be neutral about killing innocent children created in God's image is unthinkable in the scriptures, was unthinkable to Christians in church history, and should be unthinkable to Christians today." Randy Alcorn

- God's forgiveness is complete.

For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him; as far as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our transgressions from us. Psalm 103:11-12

I, I am he who blots out your transgressions for my own sake, and I will not remember your sins. Isaiah 43:25

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. 1 John 1:9