

Sermon: “The Truth About Unborn Children”

Text: Selected Scriptures

Many Americans would rather not discuss abortion at all— claiming that what happens in the womb is too dark and mysterious for us to understand. But what truth does the Bible reveal about unborn children?

1. Unborn children are _____
by the _____ of _____.

“At two months of age the human being is less than one thumb length from the head to the rump....but everything is there...hands, feet, head, organs, brains. In the fourth week there is consciousness. All are in place. His heart has been beating for a month already and fingerprints can be detected. His heart is beating at two months at 150-170 beats per minute. To accept the fact that after fertilization a new human being has come into being is no longer a matter of taste or opinion.”

-Dr. Jerome LeJone, University of Rene Descartes

Psalm 139:13-16 NIV *“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.”*

2. Unborn children are _____ a _____ by the
_____ of _____.

Planned Parenthood’s own research revealed that women were choosing abortion because having a baby was personally inconvenient to their lives.

Unique destiny: Samson, Jeremiah, John the Baptist, Paul the Apostle, Jesus

“Every embryo is a person, a creative possession of God with days planned ahead, a life ordained in heaven to be lived on earth.” -D.A. Carson

3. Unborn children are _____ by the
_____ of _____.

Luke 1:15 NIV *“...he will be filled with the Holy Spirit even before he is born.”*
the Holy Spirit makes an impact on every human life.

Genesis 1:1-3 ESV *“In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth. The earth was without form and void, and darkness was over the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God was hovering over the face of the waters.”*

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

Psalm 104:30 ESV *“When you send forth your Spirit, they are created...”*

“You can transmit physical features but you cannot make a soul...You cannot through sexual relationships create an immortal, eternal soul. At the time of conception when the physical factors come together, God has to impart a soul.”

-John MacArthur

4. Unborn children are _____ by the _____ of
_____.

Deut. 10:18 NIV *“He defends the cause of the fatherless and the widow, and loves the foreigner residing among you, giving them food and clothing.”*

Psalm 68:5 NIV *“A father to the fatherless, a defender of widows, is God in his holy dwelling.”*

Jeremiah 22:3 NIV *“This is what the LORD says: Do what is just and right. Rescue from the hand of the oppressor the one who has been robbed. Do no wrong or violence to the foreigner, the fatherless or the widow, and do not shed innocent blood in this place.”*

Exodus 21:22-25 In ancient Israel, “reciprocal justice” was given to anyone who injured or killed an infant. God was serious about protecting innocent life.

God’s amazing grace is sufficient to forgive those who experienced abortion. Abortion is NOT the unforgiveable sin, and God stands ready to forgive you and redeem you with His love.

How will you actively support “pro-life” causes in 2022?

