



Pro-Life Bulletin Board

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When is a father not a father?

Abortion remains a thorny issue in America, unresolved despite the frantic efforts of pro-aborts. This was highlighted in a Pennsylvania court case. A 23-year-old woman, ten weeks with child, wanted to abort her baby, though news reports never used the word “baby.” The father, always called “the boyfriend” in press accounts, objected and sued in court to stop the abortion. Though the baby’s father attempted to argue that a father should have rights regarding the fate of his preborn child, the judge ultimately would not hear of it.

After all, the judge ruled, “a woman’s right to have an abortion is not subject to being vetoed by a woman’s husband or partner. Neither an ex-boyfriend nor a fetus has standing to interfere with a woman’s choice to terminate her pregnancy.”

Please read those words very carefully. What do they really mean according to the laws of God? In essence, the judge is saying that a mother has a “right” to murder her own child. He is arguing that no one has, or should have, any power to prevent her from perpetrating that act herself or paying someone else (the abortionist) to do it.

Would the judge have ruled this way if that couple’s child was a month old and resting in her crib rather than in her mother’s womb?

Clearly, after nearly 30 years of legally sanctioned human sacrifice (which is really what the act of abortion is) the judicial system has failed to be just. For the most part, judges are convinced that abortion is not an act, but merely a part of those abstract rights every American is entitled to under the law. The problem with that kind of thinking is that we, as a nation, have become slaves to the awful sin that takes thousands of innocent lives every single day.

If you have ever wondered what you could do to make a difference and to serve the Lord in putting a stop to this heinous and barbaric act, now is the time to get involved.

Please do not wait for an elected official to act in defense of all innocent persons. The pro-life movement has done that already, and failed. Politicians rarely stand up for principle. They compromise and, by doing so, betray the babies.

Please do not wait for a court to rule that the 1973 *Roe v. Wade/Doe v. Bolton* decisions are no longer the law of the land. The U. S. Supreme Court has repeatedly stated that the *Roe v. Wade/Doe v. Bolton* decisions are the law of the land and must be protected. To be honest, a change of one or two justices will probably not alter that fact.

Please do what is possible:

- Commit yourself to the Lord and ask Him to help you make a difference by telling the truth about the child.
- Educate your family, your fellow Christians, and your co-workers and use pro-life materials to make the point.
- Pray for those who favor killing the babies.
- Learn how to help young people fully understand and appreciate the sanctity of every person’s life from conception.

Abortion is an evil that will only be overcome by God and His power working through each and every one of us. As Mother Teresa has said, “Be a pencil in the hand of God.”

Pregnant and in need of help?

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