

What's One More?

345,672 yearly, 28,806 monthly, 947 daily, 39 hourly. Those numbers are how many babies Planned Parenthood kills on a regular basis. Each one of those children had a purpose, and it was taken from them without being given a choice. People are depriving their families of a son, daughter, brother, sister, grandson, granddaughter, nephew, niece, and the list goes on and on.

Imagine for a moment that George Washington's parents had believed in abortion. Where would we be as a country today without his fundamental ideas and leadership? Imagine if Thomas Edison's parents had believed in abortion. We would be sitting in darkness right now. What about great authors such as Charles Dickens, J. R. R. Tolkien, C. S. Lewis, Ray Bradbury, and Mark Twain, just to name a few. Who would have written *Oliver Twist*, *The Hobbit*, *The Chronicles of Narnia*, *Fahrenheit 451*, or *Tom Sawyer*? Who would have invented the lightbulb, or been our first president? Without these great people their fundamental ideas and concepts would be lost. They are incredibly important to our history, and every day we are potentially depriving the world of more and more inventors, authors, and politicians.

My brother was born seven weeks early. My mom's life was in danger, but that did not mean that my brother needed to be aborted. There is always another way. My brother needed to be delivered early, not killed. There is never a reason to take a helpless baby's life. Our country has been desensitized to abortion and euthanasia. All of us have heard "My Body, My Choice", but what about the baby's body? What about its choice? We are teaching the people of our nation to devalue life. If a man kills another man, then he will go to prison. If a woman gets an abortion it is welcomed and even encouraged. It is concerning how far we've come as a country to get to the point where we are today.

In answer to the question, “What’s One More?” the correct response is: One more life is actually monumental. Without our founding fathers, would we even have a country to call home? Would we even be a free country? Without our great authors, who would have invoked the deep thinking that only literature can? Without Charles Babbage, the creator of the computer, would I even be able to type this essay? Without my brother would my family be complete? The answer is no. Every life is a gift from God.

Sources

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