

A Mother's Protest of Abortion

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Mr. Chairman and members of the committee,

I write to you in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, as supporter of Minnesota Right to Life, and as a mother of four young children.

In the Bible Ezekiel 33 tells the tale of a watchman who did not cry out when his city was attacked, and he is told he will bear the blood guilt unless he sounds the warning.

I write compelled as a watchman. I write to warn you of your iniquity that my hands may be clean of the blood you wish to spill and your own soul's demise. I have sat here in multiples committees and listened to testimony after testimony come before you and others like you. You have been informed that an in-utero preborn child has its own DNA and thus its own autonomy and does not fall under the "choice" of the mother and her own body. You have received witness of mothers and grandmothers who years after the choice of the abortion still grieve at the choice that was made and their empty arms, who never want another to suffer as they have, knowing that an abortion harms both the baby and the mother.

You have heard many stories, and I have heard them too. I have seen you choose to ignore them all, medical fact, and personal woes both, neither have swayed you. I have seen politicians sit in this room and gaslight your own fellow Senator and his constituents that "partially born alive is not a thing" ...when I am old enough to have remembered the national sigh of relief when partial birth abortion was federally banned in 2003. Whether you chose to use the common colloquialisms or not, you know it's a thing.

I understand you don't care what I think, you don't care what I want. But I come all the same, to convict or condemn as your heart allows. Genesis 18:25 says "Shall not the judge of all the earth do right?" This earth is not all there is. There is a hereafter, and in that hereafter, you shall meet this Judge, God over all the earth, and if you proceed to push this bill without repentance you will not be forgotten or forgiven by Him.

But not only in the hereafter. We, the members of the pro-life community will not forget either. We will pursue as many of those we can who are in politically weak positions to get them pushed out of office. We will campaign, and we will vote against them every chance we get, for years to come. I mention this only as it seems to be what truly matters to you, but my main message is this. Innocent blood cries out to the Lord God and He shall demand recompense, if you do not listen to the cries for mercy for these tiny souls who cannot speak for themselves, neither will the heavenly Father listen to your cries of mercy on your judgment day.

Do not be deceived, you have those whispering lies in your ears that God loves you, God does not love workers of iniquity, only through repentance and the blood bought covering of Jesus Christ can you be forgiven. This bill is a work of iniquity. Repent and be saved.

-- Anna Dorr