

Choices of Today

One point six million lives are taken each year due to abortion. Innocent children are losing their right to life every single day. Doctors/parents are stealing their chance to say their first words, take their first steps, or just be a kid for a day.

Most young women do not consider the options they have. Abortion is considered an option because it is covered up by many excuses. We are inundated with the same false excuses everyday. A mothers health is another big topic and that is a result of three percent of abortions. Rape and incest account for only one percent of abortions, and there are precautions that can be taken to prevent pregnancy that may result from those events. There are ways to prevent being in the position to take the life of an innocent child who is yet to meet the world. This all evolves around personal responsibility.

Ninety-five percent of abortions are due to unplanned pregnancies. It is not an excuse that you did not take the responsible precautions to prevent pregnancy. If you are willing to put yourself in the position of becoming pregnant, you must be responsible for knowing the risks.

If you are pregnant and you are seeking help, there are options for you that do not include abortion. If you're not ready for a child adoption is an option. In America, there are approximately two million couples waiting to adopt a child. You can contact your local Foundation for Life resources to seek help. Do not take the life of a child that has not had the chance not only to live but who could do great things for all of humanity.

When preventing unwanted pregnancies, abstinence from sex is the only birth control method that is completely effective. If you are willing to have sex you need to be willing to accept the risk of pregnancy. Personal responsibility is a choice that only effects you, but abortion is a choice that effects more than you. An innocent child should not have to pay for your choices. Once you become pregnant you are responsible for that baby. You are responsible for what happens to him/her. Pressuring actions like abortion can leave an affect on you that you will regret. Taking a child's life is not something you want to be responsible for.

Have personal responsibility and give a child the opportunity to experience life. Do not take away something that is not yours. Innocent babies have suffered enough so join in, stop making excuses and make a difference. Give a child the voice they deserve today and everyday.

Thomas Jefferson wrote in the Declaration of Independence, "All men have certain unalienable rights these being life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness." It is time to honor those rights for all Americans including the ones who have yet to be born.