

## Controversial Topic Abortion

### Verses To Think About

#### *Isaiah 49:15*

<sup>15</sup> Can a woman forget her sucking child, that she should not have compassion on the son of her womb? yea, they may forget, yet will I not forget thee.

#### *Psalms 139: 13-16*

<sup>13</sup> For thou hast possessed my reins: thou hast covered me in my mother's womb.

<sup>14</sup> I will praise thee; for I am fearfully and wonderfully made: marvellous are thy works; and that my soul knoweth right well.

<sup>15</sup> My substance was not hid from thee, when I was made in secret, and curiously wrought in the lowest parts of the earth.

<sup>16</sup> Thine eyes did see my substance, yet being imperfect; and in thy book all my members were written, which in continuance were fashioned, when as yet there was none of them.

### Discussion

As of April 8, 2018 abortion is a very sensitive topic. I placed these verses above because there are some people out there who believe that life only begins outside of the womb. Let's look at things **biblically**.

Psalms 139: 12-16 shows us that life clearly starts before we are "born". For God knew us since the beginning of time. Now if you take the time to study your Bible you'll truly understand that no matter what stage the baby is in; whether it'd be from the day of conception or 8 weeks, it is a life form, it is a human. It is a being that God himself has a plan for. The bible warns us about the devil being very talented in conforming our minds to justify sin (that sin being murder). It's sad to think that there are many Christians out there thinking abortion is okay. It is NOT okay to kill the most innocent life form on this earth. We as Christians need to be the ones to encourage those women to not abort these precious lives.

Here is the research results of women not wanting to have the baby

"The reasons most frequently cited were that having a child would interfere with a woman's education, work or ability to care for dependents (74%); that she could not afford a baby now (73%); and that she did not want to be a single mother or was having relationship

problems (48%). Nearly four in 10 women said they had completed their childbearing, and almost one-third were not ready to have a child. Fewer than 1% said their parents' or partners' desire for them to have an abortion was the most important reason. Younger women often reported that they were unprepared for the transition to motherhood, while older women regularly cited their responsibility to dependents.”

More than half of the abortions are because they didn't believe they could support the child or thought it would be a 'burden' on their work/school life. Not because it would hurt them physically. You know why these are the results? The Bible doesn't lie when God says He won't give us something we can't handle; everything happens for a reason. Again, we as Christians need to start being more open about the love and support God gives us in hope that more people have the correct view. Even in Isaiah 49:15 God tells us that even if the mother (notice how I said mother, not host) of the womb is to forget about her son (or daughter) that He has not in any way forgotten us.