

PROPONENT TESTIMONY--Written only-SB5

To Chairwoman Gossage and Committee:

From time to time I do sidewalk ministry at Planned Parenthood in hopes to plead with mothers not to murder their innocent babies. Unfortunately, babies are being murdered in this state under the color of law and without consequences to this heinous crime. In 2020, I required knee surgery but could not get surgery because the Governor indicated it was an "elected" surgery. Yet, at that time, I was spending 6 days a week doing sidewalk ministry all the while the same Governor allowed abortions to continue; an elective surgery that Kansas laws have made legal. It is no wonder why this state is in constant confusion. The blood of innocent babies is on the hands of every lawmaker here when you choose not to treat abortion as murder.

Nonetheless, according to the KDHE Abortions in Kansas 2021, 5462 out of the 7849 abortions conducted in this state were within 9 weeks of gestation. Additionally, 5,321 abortions used Mifepristone to end pregnancies. This has been legal for over 25 years, and nothing has changed with impending prolife legislation. Such legislation has only affirmed abortion and confused the people. However, we are now at a point where this type of medication is being prescribed via telemedicine, which is grievous. While this state allows medication to kill babies within current law, we cannot even get Ivermectin to treat illnesses as such legislation is constantly being shut down. This is also grievous and twisted. There is no logic to any of this.

Psalm 94:20-23 King James Version (KJV)

Shall the throne of iniquity have fellowship with thee, Which frameth mischief by a law? They gather themselves together against the soul of the righteous and condemn the innocent blood. But the LORD is my defence; And my God is the rock of my refuge.

I urge you to support and pass SB5. Start treating abortion like it is murder. Abortion is not healthcare. It is the murder of those who are made in the image of God. You should be glad your mother did not abort you so you can be where you are at today to make the crooked straight. Please do not forfeit your soul concerning this matter. Do what is right in the eyes of YOUR Creator.

Respectfully,

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