

**Proponent Testimony for The *Value Them Both* Constitutional Amendment for Life
Joint Senate Judiciary and House Federal and State Committee**

January 21, 2020

Dear Chairman Barker, Chairman Wilborn and Members of the Joint Committee

Unlimited abortion hurts women and children. It is not a Kansas Value. I urge you to support the "Value Them Both" Amendment to the Kansas Constitution. Kansas deserve a right to vote on this issue:

It is unthinkable to force taxpayers to fund the morally-reprehensible act of mercilessly taking the life of an unborn child in its mother's womb for any reason. Life is a precious gift from the Almighty Creator and should never be so callously thrown away. Women deserve to have full knowledge of what an abortion involves that is not couched in language to make it appear nebulous and casual or normal.

Please approve the *Value Them Both* Constitutional Amendment. Give us and others in Kansas the right to make decisions on this contentious issue.

Thank you for this opportunity and for all your work for the people of Kansas.

Respectfully,

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