

# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Hardin

My name is Dian I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Houston TX

//1974

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

3. What type of abortion was performed?

Saline

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

I was only 16 and my parents took me so, they really were who the professionals spoke with about that , not me.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I wasn't told anything

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

my parents

9. How has abortion affected you?

It is demoralizing in more ways than one. The memory never goes away and...the medical issues that could have occurred are frightening ! If not for God, I would be a total wreck emotionally and could be ill with no telling what kind of disease.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

No one knows but my parents and I

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

I would appeal to her nurturing side and explain the gift of life inside of her. I would tell her about organizations that would help here through if she decided to keep her baby or explain adoption to her through a church or adoption agency of some kind. I would want her to know that there is an "out" and she doesn't have to take her baby's life.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be

legal?

Abortion is an act of selfishness that defies reason. Life begins at conception.

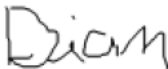
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**The State of TX**

**County of Hopkins**

My name is Victoria Smith. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Dallas TX

12/08/1999

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

Though pain information was conveniently left out.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was never told about the pain and emotional effects that affect so many women after their abortions.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My mom

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Abortion left an emptiness and uncertainty in my life forever. I have one child and another child due to be born in 10 weeks. But no matter how much joy they bring into my life. I will never forget the what-ifs about my first child. I will never forget that I could have had another child. I will never let the first week of August go by without thinking that I could be celebrating a birthday. I will never forget the love that that unborn child brought between myself and someone I don't even see anymore. I have suffered with depression and guilt since shortly after the abortion. I know longer suffer with depression from it but still I suffer with guilt, especially now that I am a Christian. I do know that God forgives me and I find peace in that, BUT I will never forget.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

It has caused guilt in all the family members that knew about it.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

That she needs to carefully consider how God will feel about it now and how she will feel about it later. She will never get that opportunity back. And no matter how much she tries to forget about it she

won't.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I would tell them that they have obviously NEVER experienced it themselves. They need to think about the joy that they would be missing in their lives had they or their wives decided to terminate the pregnancy of one of their children.

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The State of TX

County of Bexar

My name is Rande Snyder. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

New Carrollton VA

06/15/1976

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was told that the fetus was merely a blob of tussie and not really a baby yet.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

There was no warning of the emptiness I would feel afterward. mor of the pain I would feel during the procedure.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

The father of the baby & a mental health counselor

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It made me feel like less of a valuable human being myself. I became promiscuous due to a severely lowered self esteem and was borderline suicidal for years.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I know it lowered my son's opinion of me for a long time and made him doubt his value to me as a result. He had a lot of confusion and emotional pain after he found out about it. I'd gotten pregnant by a man I'd been seeing while separated from his own Dad, and that man insisted I have the abortion and got a mental health counselor to back him up. My son had to go through a lot of counseling after he found out about it when he was twelve.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

To please think about the life God has placed in her womb, and to either consider keeping the baby and if that's really not an option, to put it up for adoption, but murder is never the way to go.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

That this is legalised murder -- the intentional taking of a human life. It is the most heinous kind of murder, which is infanticide -- the killing of tiny, innocent babies and just because they may not be viable outside the womb does not justify murder for any reason.

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The State of TX

County of Bowie

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### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Shreveport LA

04/01/1985

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

10

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

D&C

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was 15 yrs old, and had no choice. I do remember someone talking to me, but I don't remember what they said. I felt like I was in a trance.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was not aware of the potential long term effects.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

my parents

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I was depressed and responded by intentionally getting pregnant again, just months later, to have a baby to replace the one I had killed. As a teen, I talked to my baby in heaven and told her I was sorry. I have felt guilty and regretted my abortion for the majority of my life. Somehow my abortion made me feel unloved, and displaced. Only in the last 5 years have I forgiven myself.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My children have a sibling, that they were denied knowing. My parents have felt guilty, and I lost trust in them.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

That abortion is a permanent solution to a temporary problem. That abortion is murder, that their child needs them, their mother, to protect and nurture them.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

Abortion is murder, it kills a baby, and the heart of a mother.

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The State of TX

County of Tom Green

My name is Ruth McLemore. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Giessen , Germany

//1982

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

In the hospital, in the operatin room

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

They told me it was nothing, just a small procedure. A little scraping inside the uterus, that was it.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Nobody told me that my life would never be the same, that the pain,the shame and guilt would tear me apart. I felt like i had no soul for a long time.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

i became very promiscuous,addicted to drugs and alcohol, i basicly tryed everyting to kill the memory, the thoughts and the way i felt. So dirty and ugly.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My Mom and Dad where very devastated but thought it was the best.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

No matter what there are different solutions, "DO NOT ABORT".Don't believe when they tell you that you will be just fine. It's a lie from the pits of hell.I would tell her to seek Jesus and he WILL take care of her and her Baby.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Making abortion legal is one of the biggest wrong doing of our Government.Either they don't care or have

no interest in truly researching what it will do to a person/woman/man anybody involved. Oh by the way, the Fetus no matter how small or new "Is a person". With a heart beat, feeling and the baby will feel the pain. It's not just a blood clot.

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The State of TX

County of Harris

My name is M M I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Honolulu TX

03//1980

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

14

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Not sure. It was done in the doctors' office.

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was just told it was a simple procedure removing a blob of tissue and that it would just take a few minutes of my time and then it would be all over and that my life would return to normal.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was only told that if I experienced continued bleeding or a foul smelling discharge, to go back to the doctor.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My fiancée who was pressured by his friends.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I became reckless with drugs, alcohol and relationships. I lost my mind, hearing a baby crying all the time even when none was around. I became depressed and suicidal. I felt I deserved to die. I lived with guilt and regret and unforgiveness. I felt I was forced to make a choice against my own conscience. I lived with anger for many years.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My anger overflowed and hurt those closest to me. I broke off my relationship with baby's father. My fiancée's mother was really hurt that the life of her grandchild was taken. She said if she had only known, she would have done whatever she could to help me.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Be informed first. Yes, you may be in a crisis, but this will pass. Do not make a hasty decision that

you may regret down the road. Consider adoption if parenting is not an option.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

This atrocity has gone on in our nation far too long. The war on women is being waged in the hearts of many who have violated their own consciences and bodies by succumbing to the pressures of this society that say abortion is the easy way out. In our nation alone, 54 million lives have been taken, the equivalent of New York's, Florida's and Illinois' population combined. You have only listened to one side of the issue all these years. It is your responsibility to hear the other side of the story. Many women's rights are being denied because abortion is legal. Life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness has been denied some 54,000,000 of America's pre-born citizens. I say no more. The voices of the unborn ring out from heaven and say "No more!"

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## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Wharton

My name is Rhonda Meek. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Austin TX

09//1987

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

10

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

I'm not sure - no one ever told me.

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I just went in and told them I wanted an abortion. A price was quoted to me, after it was paid, the procedure was performed without any explanation of what would happen.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was only informed about physical consequences, nothing more (such as complications to look for once discharged).

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

At that time in my life I had an ongoing problem with drugs. After the abortion, my drug use escalated, I became depressed and out of control. I felt very guilty about the abortion even though I told myself it was the right think to do. I eventually ended up in long term rehabilitation

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Since I didn't know who the father of my baby was, it made no effect on him. But I never told anyone in my family - not for many years.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would tell her to get all the information she can about abortion. I would tell her to view an ultrasound of her baby before choosing to terminate it. I would tell her to think of the many options there are available to unmarried pregnant women now besides abortion.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I would tell them that in my experience, it was obvious to me (in retrospect) that the "respected" physician performing my abortion was in his surgical garb (gown, mask, scrubs, gloves) and going room to room performing abortions. I would tell them I never saw the abortionist's face. I would tell them that the nurse who assisted the doctor was taking turns inhaling nitrous oxide with me, laughed and asked me not to tell. I would tell them what it was like being in a recovery room full of weeping women. I would ask them to reconsider allowing abortion as a form of contraception and for it to be used in only the most extremem cases when the mother's life is in danger or in the event of a rape.

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**The State of TX**

**County of Harris**

My name is Diana Miller. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Houston TX

05/10/1979

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

10

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Full

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was only 16 years old and had no real understanding of the capacity of what was about to take place. I remember a nurse did tell me that some day I would struggle deeply with my decision. I thought there was no way I would struggle once the "problem" was gone. Boy was she right. I have just now been set free of that very wrong decision. I am now 45 years old.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My mother

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I led a very promiscuous life wanting to be loved so badly. I have had a wrong view of sex my whole adult life. I didn't really want children, but God chose to give me two beautiful outstanding boys anyway. It moved me to tears more than once to know that my creator found me trustworthy to raise two of his children.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

It has not been voiced by others but I know that it has affected my marriage and my parenting. It has

taken me years to overcome and heal from the affects of my teenage decisions.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Please don't do it. have the baby and either love it and recieve what God has for you in that decision or allow someone else the privedge to love that child through adoption. The suffering of abotion is not worth it. Find out what makes you want to hace sex outside of marriage and change. There is no human being on this earth that can fill the spot in your heart that desries to be loved like God can. We were designed that way on purpose.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

it is not just ending a pregnancy, which is horrible within itself. It goes so much deeper than that. Abortion should not be legal because it is crippling our society and making us sick. Physically and mentally. Cancer is on the extreme rise as well as mental illness. LOOK and LISTEN. There is a direct correlation to emotions and these illnesses. We have stored up the emotions of our decision and we now suffer the affects of it. You cannot get rid of a problem by simply treating the symptom. Our country is severly screwed up and we should be ashamed!!! We were founded on Godly principles and there isn't any of those principles evident in todays leadership. Wake up and let go of control. ABORTION IS WRONG.

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The State of TX

County of erath

My name is Debra I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Dallas TX

//1980

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

6

3. What type of abortion was performed?

D&C

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

I knew I was destroying a life, killing a child, but this was simply knowledge. I was not told anything about the development of the fetus.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

Emotional/pshchological consequences were never mentioned.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

guilt for many years afterward. I drank a lot to shut it out.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

I believe it affected my relationship with my mother. I always wondered if she knew.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

don't do it. carry the baby nine months and give it up for adoption.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

Stop making a distinction between killing a child in the womb from killing one outside the womb. Killing is killing. We are lying to ourselves when we justify a wrong. Most women know in their core it is wrong. That is why it is so incredibly painfull afterwards.

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**Signature**

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## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Rockwall

My name is L M. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Dallas TX

08/08/1988

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

6

3. What type of abortion was performed?

standard

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

I was unaware that my baby already had a heart beat.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

The psychological ramifications were not adequately discussed.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

Initially I seem unaffected, though I spiraled into drug abuse and promiscuity. Years later when I was married and expecting my first child, the realization that I had taken the life of my first born (would have been) child overwhelmed me.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

I robbed my family of a beautiful life

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Please, please let your baby have life. Even if you feel inadequate to care for her, someone else is longing for a child. We make decisions based upon a moment in our lives often without considering how we will feel about them years later. Though I now have a beautiful family, I still long for my first conceived child who would now be 20 years of age.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

No woman, or man should ever be given the legal right to take life. The decision to give or take life is God's alone. Women have so many choices--they make a ton of them before they become pregnant. Please, please don't allow women to continue making this choice, one that will impact their lives negatively for many years!

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The State of TX

County of Bexar

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### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

San Mato CA

06/27/1976

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Do not know

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I had no idea how the abortion would be performed. Medical staff did not give any information.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was not informed of the emotional tramau I may experience after the aborition for the rest of my life. No counseling was offered.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I was 26 when I had the aborition today at 57 I think of what could have been. I will always live with the guilt,and regret. For a long time after the aborition I had wierd nightmares. Once the procedure is done, thiers no going back.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

The regret and saddnes, effects everyone involved.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Only a cold hearted murder could say an aborition has no or little consequences in your life. Take a good look at what your about to do. Is this really your only choice, or have you researched other alternative. I have forgiving myself, but I will die with a terrbile void in my life based on a decison I made over 30 years ago.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be**

**legal?**

It is not the job of the courts to permit the murder of millions innocent victims, whose only crime is to have been conceived. For those sitting in the courts today I ask you, how much do you value your life ? If someone took your life should thier not be justice?. Based on my experience My life may have been different if my abortion had not been so easily available.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Collin

My name is Yvonne Moore. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

New Orleans LA

//1978

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

don't know the name

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I knew it killed my unborn child but how it did it I found out later.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Everyone informed me that it was the best for everyone involved. But they forgot about the baby and my soul.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

No one gave me other options.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I had 2 abortions at age 18 and 19. I'm currently 51 and the past 30 years have been full of grief and pain of the loss of my 2 children. My relationships with other have been unhealthy. Words really cannot express the regret and pain of those choices.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I'm not sure. Other than my husband is missing out on a "happy" wife and it affects our intimacy.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

DON'T!!!!!! There are other choices for life for the child. Adoption. You will deal with this choice one way or the other. It doesn't go away no matter what choice you make. So choose LIFE.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

When you kill the children of the future, you are negatively effecting that future. In the past civiliazations kill there children for gods approval. And in our time we are killing children for the god of "choose". It is wrong! We must take care of the children!!!

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Hood**

My name is Melanie Morgan. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Fort Worth TX

10//1982

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

I really am not sure. I was 17 at the time.

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

It was not explained to me the procedure and how they would dispose of the baby.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Not the emotional pain and the mental torment and guilt that would take place afterwards.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My father. He said I had to, so my brother took me

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I carried the pain and the guilt and mental torment for years, until I attended the Fall Creek Falls Women Retreat in Fall Creek Falls, Ok. I used to cry everyday. It was a dirty little secret that, ate at me on the inside. I could not scrub it off and could never get rid of it until Jesus set me free. Until that day all I could do was grieve. I feel like the Lord wants me to take a stand and speak out so other women will not be affected by the devils deception.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I know my mom was so grieved by it, because she did not stand up to my father. I do not have a relationship with my father. I have not talked to him in years.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Do not do it. The emotional and mental torment and the guilt will eat you up on the inside, until Jesus sets you free. And you will always have the what ifs.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

Based on my experience, no it should not ever be legal.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Hays**

My name is Viola Morgenstern. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Corpus Christi TX

12/20/1981

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

6

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

I am not sure.

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

They didn't tell me that I would carry the pain, shame, heaviness of this act for all my life. I am childless never again was I able to sustain a pregnancy past the first trimester

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I am childless never again was I able to sustain a pregnancy past the first trimester. I still carry the pain, shame, heaviness of that abortion.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My mother will never hold my child. I will never know grandchildren. That child would be 27 now

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Look at my pain. I wouldn't wish this on anyone. You don't know is to come. There are options.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

You don't know the harm that this has made in my life. The taking of my only child's life has left a wound that never heals it bleeds it causes me shame, tears, and pain still.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of BOWIE

My name is DONNA I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

DALLAS TX

//1982

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

10

3. What type of abortion was performed?

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I WAS TOLD WHAT THE ABORTION WOULD DO TO MY BABY & MY BODY BUT I WAS NOT TOLD I WOULD LIVE TO REGRET IT FOR THE REST OF MY LIFE, THAT I WOULD BE FILLED WITH GUILT & SELF CONTEMPT, THAT I WOULD ACHE TO SEE THIS CHILD & THAT THE ONLY PEACE FROM THIS WOULD COME FROM JESUS.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

HUSBAND

9. How has abortion affected you?

I HAVE HAD 2 ABORTIONS BETWEEN 1981 & 1985 THIS WAS ONE OF THE BIGGEST MISTAKES I HAVE MADE IN MY LIFE -- I HAVE WONDERED CONSTANTLY WHAT THOSE 2 PRECIOUS CHILDREN WOULD HAVE LOOKED LIKE, WHAT THEIR PERSONALITIES ARE LIKE AND WHAT GOD CREATED THEM TO BE & TO DO - I HAVE BEEN BURDENED BY GRIEF, REMORSE AND HATING MY SELF. GOD HAS SET ME FREE OF THESE FEELINGS, AND I KNOW I WILL SEE THOSE 2 PRECIOUS BABIES IN HEAVEN - IMAGING THE SURPRISE FOR MY OTHER 3 KIDS, WHEN THEY MEET SISTERS OR BROTHERS THEY DIDN'T EVEN KNOW THEY HAD.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

NO ONE KNOWS EXCEPT MY PASTOR AND MY NEW HUSBAND - ANY TIME THE SUBJECT COMES UP MY HUSBAND IS VERY PROTECTIVE OF ME AND MY FEELINGS AS HE KNOWS WHAT A PAINFUL SUBJECT THIS IS.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

DON'T WALK, RUN AS FAST AS YOU CAN IN THE OPPOSITE DIRECTION, WHAT MAY SEEM AN EASY OPTION OR SOLUTION IS A LIE OF THE DEVIL, IF YOU CAN'T CARE FOR YOUR CHILD THERE ARE MILLIONS OF PEOPLE THAT ARE WAITING FOR IT. THIS IS SOMETHING YOU NEVER, EVER FORGET & WILL REGRET FOR THE REST OF YOUR LIFE.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

FORGET IT -- LIFE BEGINS AT CONCEPTION -- GOD CREATED THAT CHILD FOR A PLAN & A PURPOSE - ABORTION WILL RIP OUT THE HEART OF EVERY WOMAN & MAN THAT HAS EVER BEEN A PART IN IT. THE SELF HATRED, THE GUILT AND ANGUISH ARE NOT WORTH IT - IT IS ONE OF AMERICA'S LARGEST PROBLEMS.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Collin

My name is Kim Moss. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Dallas TX

06/15/1991

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

11

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Vacuum aspiration

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

To my knowledge no details were provided how it would be performed nor were any risks discussed.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

As previously stated no side effects or risks were mentioned prior to my abortion

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It brought much guilt, shame and despair. Because of the depression I failed in relationships with friends and boyfriends. I did not feel I could trust anyone. I also felt I was damaged goods that could never be repaired and chose to live my life that way for a couple of years. Giving way to drinking alcohol and getting so drunk sometimes I could not remember what happened the night before. I lived in secret for 18 years in fear of being rejected and shamed for "my choice". There has been a great void in my life.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My choice not only affected me but it has affected my husband, friends, parents, and my brother and my children one day when they are told the truth. They hurt because they see the hurt it has caused me. My parents felt helpless because I chose not to involve them in my and my boyfriend's choice. They feel guilt for not being there. Some friends have chosen to look down on me and treat me differently for my choice.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

You may think it is a quick fix to a problem. But it is NOT. There is a baby growing inside of you. One that has a purpose and a plan whether it involves you being the mother or not. There are big ramifications for choosing an abortion, lots of emotional side effects-pain, hurt, loneliness, shame, depression just to name a few.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Abortion is not a woman's choice. It affects not only her life but her family and friends. Why doesn't the family have a say in what happens to their grandchild, neice or nephew. It is not a fetus. It is a baby. A baby ordained by God with a plan and a purpose. God is the giver of life and death and the choice should remain His.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Bastrop

My name is Llana Moss. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Venice CA

//1972

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

6

3. What type of abortion was performed?

unknown

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

In 72.. there wasn't much information

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

"friends"

9. How has abortion affected you?

Even though I have forgiven myself and have repented to God for what I did...and have received forgiveness.. it's never easy knowing I interfered with a human beings life process.. I can only imagine what most women go through when they don't know how to release the guilt and longing for that child..

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Thre is always another option and one that won't forever change your future!

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

I'd expect I'd have the right words to speak at that moment..

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Montgomery**

My name is Diana Nash. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Houston TX

09//1990

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

11

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I don't remember a lot about the procedure, but no one told me that what was inside of me was a baby. No one told me I had other options and there was no period to think about what I was going to do.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No one explained what the risks were to me.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I still think about how old my child would be and what he/she would be like. I feel like it is the worst thing I have ever done.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would tell them that no matter what the reason is that they feel they are unable to take care of a child, that abortion should not be an options. There are many other things they can do.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Some people believe that abortion is wrong except in the case of rape or incest. Well, my pregnancy was the result of a rape. At the time, I was a single mother with 3 small boys struggling to make my life better. I had a good job and was attacked at gun point in the parking garage where I worked. It was not a case of date rape, but a brutal assault by a violent stranger who was never caught. The only people in my family who knew I was pregnant were my aunt and uncle who were both employed at the same bank where I worked and my mother. I tried to think of carrying a baby to term that was conceived in such an awful way. I knew I would never be able to keep it. I did not think it would be fair to me or to the child. I also tried to imagine giving it up for adoption, but I could never think how I would explain that to my sons and I worried that they would fear I would give them away if they did something wrong. In my mind, which I admit was not at its emotional best, I had no other choice, but to abort the baby. As traumatic as the assault was, and I have had many sleepless nights over the years, the knowledge of what I did to an innocent child has been much more traumatic than the rape ever was.

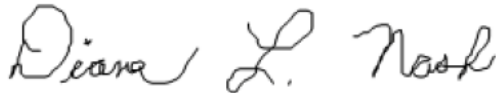
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of bandera

My name is tammy I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

san antonio TX

05//2006

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

4

3. What type of abortion was performed?

I took a pill

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

the Dr. told me I would just take this pill and I would lose my baby. Which is exactly what happened. No details, but then again I didn't ask or want to know.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

Tremendous guilt. Fear of God that I did such a horrific thing and went against my beliefs. Feelings of I'm a horrible person. Self persecution. I'm a baby killer, would my friends and church family still love me if they knew the truth. Feel like I have to keep a deep secret. I have been branded and having other children ( before my abortion) I can't help but feel like my family has been shortchanged and I lost an opportunity to feel love and give love to another beautiful, gift from God. I rejected Gods love and gift to me and live knowing someday when I see God face to face I will have to talk to him about it. I know I'm forgiven but someday I still fear that.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

Dealing with my mood swings and not knowing why, because not everyone knew. My husband dealing with my regret. My children eventually knowing and realizing they could of had a sibling, and explaining to them what I did...

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Spiritual guilt, fear, regret and a lot of what ifs..... I was given a pill, not a procedure done in an office. A

small pill there, and some to take home. A pill fixes everything right? We always turn to medicine... for me if a Dr. did it I wouldn't be okay with it but I could blame it on him/her. I was in control of this. I took the pills. Its a long drawn out procedure, hours and hours of filling your stomach cramp and knowing you are killing your baby. It is AWFUL!! and I chose it. I will never forget the feeling of knowing that pain and then flushing it down the toilet....it was a human life I killed and discarded like nothing. If i had known the full details I wouldn't of done it. The Dr. said the baby was the size of a pin top. a small dot was all. They don't want to save the baby, the don't tell the truth. They tell you what will make it easier for you to not think of it as a human. IT is not something you can take back, forgiving yourself for committing this act is almost impossible. For me it was impossible until I finally, years later forgave myself through the grace of God.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

It is preying on the individuals who are lost and scared and don't know what else to do. Abortion is thought of as a short, quick solution but has long term effects. It convicts not only the girls physical health, but mental and spiritual conditions. Stress from carrying the guilt can alter every aspect of her life. When you go to talk to someone about an abortion in an abortion clinic, you are entering into a place of work. Its just a job to them. You are just another girl who got herself in a mess and they have the answer you want to hear. At the time. I don't think anyone can be prepared to kill a baby. Any info. they give you can not ever be enough to prepare you for this life changing and killing event. I chose to stop my babies heart from beating and in doing so a part of my heart is broken forever.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Webb

My name is J D I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Laredo TX

//

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was never told, or I least I tend to try to forget how the abortion was going to be performed through suction. It was as if I did not want to know how I was destroying a life by my decision. As far as what an abortion does, I was just told the doctor would have my womb cleaned after that. I remember every now and then when they were doing the abortion that I saw someone (don't recall who) throwing down 'things' on a bucket. I somehow knew it was a baby boy though I don't recall seeing any parts. I was already traumatized when I went to the clinic. At first I had an appointment already at an abortion clinic in Houston but was so pressured by my husband that I was afraid to die and then my first child would be raised by him and his homosexual friend. At the time, my husband did not care enough for my well being. I did not want another child of mine to suffer in this world. I already had one that I loved so dearly. So, I decided to move back to my hometown and perform the abortion there so that in case something happened to me, my first child would be in the hands of my family. My mother and little sister were with me though were not very pleased with the idea but respected mine.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I did not know of any. The only thing was that I should have to take care of myself afterwards as if I had had the baby.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My husband.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Always with the longing of a boy child and a cry here and there. Letting it out with different trustworthy

people along my life has helped relieve the pain and suffering but most of all having asked forgiveness from God and I knew in my heart He had forgiven me but it took a long....long time for me to forgive myself...i still regret it....I think it is a never ending situation....forgiveness is always there but so are consequences.... I would try to fill the void i felt all along by trying to help young people and even considering one particular girl as my child when in reality i knew she was not but I thought I could please God and ease my soul by doing that as a substitute for what I was missing and had horribly decided on.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My daughter was affected, having always wanted to have brothers and sisters. Whenever she would mention that she was feeling lonely, without yet knowing what i had done, and that she wanted to have had a brother or sister, that would crush my heart. The day came when I had to tell her and we both cried our hearts out.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Seek God first and everything will fall into place. Get support. Don't make any decisions that you will later regret. Children are the joy of parents.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

To review all the hurt and pain of each of the women/girls who have had abortion. Court should evaluate the emotional melt down of girls and women considering what situation they are in at present and perform a psychological study of consequences which, without a doubt, will show to society the short and long term consequences that any decision for abortion, whether legal and further more illegal, will have upon self, those around the woman/girl, and family and society as well.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Harris**

My name is Patricia Bilbo. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Houston TX

05/01/1994

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

surgical

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was never told of the aftermath that has affected the rest of my life in a negative way.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

baby's father

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Untrusting, depression, over-eating, accident prone

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

not able to give myself completely to others, very guarded, not trusting, not able to have normal relationships

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Reconsider your choice, it will affect youi the rest of your life...

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

If you believe the holocaust was legal - then vote yes on keeping abortion legal. If you believe killing anyone for any reason is legal, then vote yes for keeping abortion legal. Abortion is killing viable babies bottom line.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Taylor

My name is Sarah Allen. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Wood Dale IL

05/11/2001

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

9

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

D&C

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

The councilor asked me if I wanted an abortion & I said yes. I was not told what would happen during the procedure. He asked if anyone was forcing me to get the abortion & I said no. He told me where to sign. Even when I was in the little room to get the ultrasound so they could see how far along I was, the girl didn't speak to me. She was talking to a girl, training her I guess, and I looked at the monitor & asked "Where's the heartbeat?" All she said was "There isn't one." And she turned the monitor so I couldn't see and ignored me the rest of the time.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

They didn't tell me I might cry all the time. They didn't tell me I might want to see the baby or hold her. I didn't know it was a small baby, I really thought it was a blob of tissue with a mush of heart pushing blood. I didn't know she had little arms and head and legs.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Mom & boyfriend

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I can't even express in this box how much this abortion has affected me. I was 16, yes. But I could have given the baby up for adoption and no one even mentioned that option to me. Everyone thought this was the easy way. The 'soon to be baby' wouldn't be able to tell the difference because it was just a clump of cells anyway. Still, somehow, that 'tissue' caused me to wake up afterward & cry & scream that I killed my baby. I guess whatever feelings I suppressed came out. It was all heartache. I took my baby's future away.. I stole her chance at life. I don't know how I could think it was my right to rip her

little body to shreds just because she happened to be unlucky enough to be inside my body.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My mom wont talk to me about it. My boyfriend & I broke up almost immediately afterward. My husband has had to hear me cry & has to hold me over the years when I become engulfed in the pain & sorrow.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

First I would tell her to look at how far her baby is developed in a prenatal chart. I would urge her to get an ultrasound.. 3D if she can. I would ask her to Google what a D&C means & take a look at the picture drawings. Or if she's further along, look at what the procedure actually does. I'd tell her it's not the easy way. If you let your child be adopted (the waiting list for babies is sooo long) you can live with yourself. Watch the 'silent scream' on youtube. I'd also say 'Please don't. What's growing inside you IS a baby.'

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I would tell them this hurts women so much more than you might think. You want to help women get out of a hard situation, I'm sure. But so many of us end up feeling like murderers. We do cry. We feel loss. We are under pressure and feel we have no better choice. But if abortion is not an option, this world will be forced to offer something better. Women deserve better.

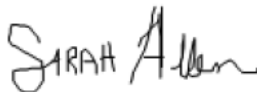
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Dallas

My name is Gail Hargrove. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Dallas TX

04/29/1984

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

3

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

DNC

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was under the belief and impression that the baby was only a couple of cells. Big lie. That the baby was not alive. Big lie. That I would not feel a thing. Big lie. That I could go back to living as always without looking back as tho nothing had happened. Big lie.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I had no idea that 26 years later I would still be affected by such a heinous and cruel cold act. God has forgiven me, I have forgiven myself, and I have been given peace. But when I think about how I was deceived, it makes me want to "act" and do something to prevent this from happening again to other women.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I came to realize that my perfectionist behavior and attitude had everything to do with my act of abortion. Perfect marriage, perfect home, perfect child, perfect career - everything looked really good to everybody else. But my heart, soul, core was hurting and very sick.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Not particularly. My husband died and I never told him. I told my daughter, but she and I came to a God-given closeness because of my testimony. He worked it all out for the good. My second husband knows, but because of his Godly heart, has no judgment or condemnation toward me.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

That she will suffer and the consequences are not worth it.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

That killing babies in this country under the disguise of "a woman's right to choose" is a deceptive lie. That the truth is a woman goes to get an abortion in order to kill her child because she did not control her impulses and as a result of that, she has not got that right to take the life of her unborn child. God is the One who makes decisions concerning life and death. Not us.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Bexar

My name is Mary Cochran. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Lubbock TX

10/22/1986

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

DNC

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

Not really, Just brought into a room and told to lay on the table and put my feet in the stirrups. This is the first time I had had any female type of exam. They told me there would be some pain after a shot was given to me and I would feel some tugging. A Nurse held me down by my right shoulder.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I went to a recover area for a short period of time. They told me to take it easy for 2 days and everything would be fine. What they did not tell me was that the abortion could be "incomplete" which it was, and I got an infection and the DNC had to be repeated.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

The father, he said "It's either me or the baby"

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I have never been the same again. I lost myself that day. I became a shell of a person. First, I developed severe depression and used "cutting" as a coping mechanism to deal with the grief. I had three other children and had much difficulty bonding with them when they were infants. I always felt God was going to punish me for what I had done. I am not diagnosed as Bi-polar and take medication and go to weekly therapy appointments. I have attempted to take my life 3 times due to the guilt of this decision, which wasn't even my decision in the first place. There was coercion.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My family has difficulty dealing with me being bi-polar and all of the symptoms that go along with that. I

grieve the death of the aborted child each year by hanging out in cemeteries and my family thinks this is weird. It is difficult for me to hold down a job.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would tell a woman facing an unwanted pregnancy that adoption and abortion are both emotional and painful decisions but with very different outcomes. With abortion, there is grief and the loss of life. There is no way to mend that loss and nowhere to place that grief. It destroys a mother's hopes and dreams of what a child should be. With adoption there is the pain of giving of the child, and living life wondering how they are doing but no grief that you robbed that child of life itself. You can actually congratulate yourself that you had the guts (painful as it may be) to give that child the greatest gift of all...life and with a family that chose them. You can also know that when that child becomes an adult, they may seek you out and you can have a relationship. With abortion, you cannot meet again until you have passed from this world.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I think abortion should not be legal. It is being used as a form of birth control and the thought of it's aftermath is not being taken into consideration. I have suffered for 22 years and attempted suicide 3 times over the grief and guilt of my abortion. I still am troubled by it on a daily basis. I take 3 medications to stabilize me mentally. I wish I could turn back time, and change that day.....I would be a different person now.

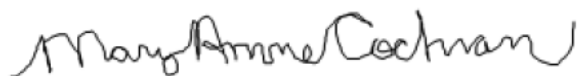
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Bexar

My name is Darlene Johnson Davis. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

San Antonio TX

02//1975

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

6

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

vacum

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

no i was not

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

My abortion has cause other abortion in my life easily. It has cause drugs and drinking problems in my life, and a not a true life purpose in this world in my 20's.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I have loved freely with lot's of men, no respect for myself and aborted the babies that were those men and they never knew about them. And how would i know who was the fathers. It effects the whole world my children could have fought wars and giving other life to sustain life for want it is.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

You have one abortion and it makes it easier to have another. The pain never goes away your children are always with you no matter if you did not want them, their spirit's and their soul's was your responsibility. The pain i well discribe is like your heart being stab over and over again when your tears far over your face they feel has thick has blood, when you die of thirst your eyes bleed blood. the pain is never ending.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be**

legal?

I regret my abortions, and for my selfishness and to be free from children in my early teens because i could do it! and it was so easy to do and no regrets at the time when i was 15,16,17,18,. .... For living a lie in my 20's, 30's and 40's. In my late 40's i put them to rest and named them. their spirit's and soul's are free and they are now my army of Angel's who are by my side every day of my living life. A women gives life she is the fruit of the earth please let her produce the sweets of this earth.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Henderson**

My name is Misty Bridges. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Dallas TX

10/25/1985

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

7

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction tube

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I never was told exactly what was going to take place.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I don't remember any information relating to post abortion trauma or the side effects of future pregnancies.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

post abortion trauma for over 20 years

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

They have been on the receiving end of post abortion trauma

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Please consider adoption and life begins at conception, the effects of post abortion trauma will be with you forever and it is murder to a child.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

It is no different than killing someone by other means. A life taken is a life taken- there is no other way to explain it.

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A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rusty Bridges". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "R" and "B".

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Harris

My name is Amy Dean. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Overland Park KS

04/30/1982

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

DNC

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

They told me what they were going to do. But I do not remember them telling me or warning me of any side effects other than bleeding.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

At the time all were telling me that is was not a baby. The subject of life was not talked about. I did not know that my babies heart was beating.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Abortion was the only option ever talked about.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I was eighteen. I'm now forty-six. For twenty-five years I hid from this. My friends, my church, my children did not know or could I ever tell them. I killed my baby. How do you tell that to your children? I did not realize how this truly effected me as I did not bring it up. When I was forty-three I wanted to volunteer at the Pregnancy Help Center. However, I could not until a was healed. I was able to go through Forgiven and Set Free with some wonderful ladies. Today I have been Set Free but it was at a great price.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My husband has loved me through all of this. My grown children now know and support me as well.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

That it is truly a baby. It's heart is beating. It is a life. The decision will effect the rest of your life. The

pain you feel you may not even know where it comes from. The shame, the hiding, the keeping it all inside is paralyzing.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

If a woman can have an abortion and take her child's life and that be legal. How can someone else kill a pregnant woman and be charged with two murders? Is it life or not? Abortion is taking a life.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Harris

My name is Cindy Arbaugh. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Houston TX

03//1981

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

11

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

vaccuum thing

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was given a paper to read and just held it in my hand and never really looked at it. I was asked if I had any questions and I answered no.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I don't remember being informed of any consequences, I was numb and just wanted to get it over with.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I was never able to bond completely with the one daughter that I delivered. We have had a rocky relationship from the very beginning. I did not understand why when she was born that I didn't want to hold her at first. I now understand that I didn't think I deserved to have children afer murdering the two that I had previously had abortions with. I went for about twenty-five years before I realized why I could not hold babies. My daughter was going to have a baby and I received healing just in the nick of time to be able to hold my beautifuly grand-girl when she arrived.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My relationships with others has been negatively affected over the years through uncontrolled anger that would manifest itself in ways that I could not understand. It drove a wedge between me and my daughter for years. Also, I have suffered depression over the years at in the spring which is when both of my abortions occurred and in the fall which would be the birthdays of my murdered children. The depression affected my family and also my jobs. I didn't understand where the depression was coming

from until my daughter was pregnant and I discovered the Pregnancy Help Center. I knew that I wanted to help others who were pregnant not go through what I was going through and to help those who were suffering from the pain, shame, and guilt of murdering their very own gift from GOD, but I never realized that I needed help for it until I went through the training and received healing for myself.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

If she were open to hear what I have to say, I would tell her what I went through and how I have had to live with it for the past twenty-nine years of my life. How I wonder who they would have grown up to be. How I wonder what kind of difference they would have made in the Kingdom of God Almighty. I have plenty to say to someone who is considering abortion, if they are open to hear what I have to say.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

If it were not legal I would not have even thought about it. I would never have crossed my mind as an option. With it being legal it appears to be harmless, but it is not. It is by far the most life altering decision that I ever made and I have always regretted it!

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Jefferson

My name is P D I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Los Angeles CA

03/30/1973

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

15

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

don't know - I was asleep

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

At the time there were no ultrasounds and Roe v Wade had just passed. No one explained anything to me except they would get rid of my problem.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was only thinking about getting rid of a problem. No one said anything about how I would think of this decision in later years.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

my mother

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I have had 2 abortions both when I was under age 25. Now I have 2 beautiful children. I often think about the 2 that I killed it gives me great pain. I didn't think of it as killing them, until I allowed my 3rd child to live. When I felt him moving inside of me I realized that I had actually killed my children!! That is something I can never undo!!

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

It hasn't that I know of. I guess my parents might have been hurt by it, but they never said.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

You can never undo the murder of your own child. No matter how much you forgive yourself and pray for forgiveness from God - which DOES happen - you can never forget! NEVER! If you must get rid of the child, please consider adoption! You can rest assured that at least the child has a chance at life!

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

The courts should consider the long term emotional and psychological effect abortion has on a woman. Pregnancy is a wonderful experience. A child grows inside of a woman and is actually a part of her. I have never met a woman yet who has come back later and said that abortion was a wonderful experience. Most women don't even admit they had one.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Houston

My name is Rachel I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Tulsa OK

01/17/2002

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

7

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

In utero suction with sedation.

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was not informed of the higher incidence of breast cancer, miscarriages, and suicide prior to my abortion.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Both my mother and father.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I have had serious symptoms of depression including spontaneous outbursts of crying and anger, inability to accurately judge reality, suicidal thoughts, alcohol and drug abuse and promiscuous sexual relationships. The desire for a replacement baby, fear of having committed an unforgivable sin, and self-hate.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

The hate I have for myself affects every relationship in my life. I don't respect myself and therefore have difficulty respecting others with my words and actions. The symptoms I struggle with keep me from having good relationships because I feel unlovable, unclean, and worthless. My alcohol and drug abuse hurt my parents and my good friends.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Your baby is not an accident, problem, or mass of cells. It is a living human being who deserves love, compassion- and most importantly- life. Abortion will not save you or preserve your lifestyle. Abortion

kills your baby and part of you. Your broken heart will lead you to depression and self-destructive behavior. Abortion places you at a greater risk for miscarriages, breast, cancer, drug and alcohol addiction, and suicide. Nothing will heal your broken heart and nothing fills the void of your murdered child. Reach out and speak with someone who can help you keep yourself from becoming the next victim of abortion, the "un-choice." You and your baby deserve life- don't throw that right away with an abortion.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Abortion kills an innocent child. My abortion killed a part of me, too, and I would give anything to change my decision. I did not save my own life with my abortion, but killed that of my innocent, unborn child, Avery Elaine. My life will never be the same and my abortion continues to make me a hateful, careless woman who struggles with depression, a violent temper, and self-destructive habits. I was not informed of the higher incidence of breast cancer, miscarriages, and suicide prior to my abortion. I stole my baby's right to life. Stop the cycle of women having the option to legally kill another human being. There is no rationale- lies, excuses, "special circumstances", or otherwise - that justifies this form of murder.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of USA**

My name is Cami Hill. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Lubbock TX

04//1982

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

7

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction or vacuum type of abortion

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

As I remember the day, it was like going for the procedure and the procedure was completed and I left after sitting in a room for some time.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No one ever told me about the emotional side effects that I would deal with for many years after the abortion. Also, I was not told anything about the developmental stages of an unborn child.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I kept this secret from 1982 until 2007 thinking that I would go to my grave without letting anyone know. I did not realize that my lack of self esteem, unworthiness, anger, depression, protectiveness of my children all were symptoms of this secret. Through the grace of God and a Post Abortion group session was I able to come to grips with all of the side effects that had crippled my life.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My relationship with my husband was affected by my secretiveness. I felt unworthy to have two wonderful daughters and felt that I would be punished for my choice by their lives being taken from me. I lived a life of fear which kept me from being the wife and mother that I could have been. I had a hard time building relationships with people.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Abortion seems like an easy way out and a relief but the choice will stay with you the rest of your life in

some form. You may be able to bury the choice for awhile but the effects will surface.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

When I chose to have an abortion my baby was forming. It was a little human being and if more people realized the growth development of unborn babies it would shock them. Abortion is an easy fix that produces emotional side effects that will hamper a person from being the person they can be. Women need to be told both the development stages of an unborn baby and about the emotional side effects that will occur from having an abortion.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Smith

My name is S E I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Dallas TX

05/21/2010

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

5

3. What type of abortion was performed?

surgical

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

Depression, guilt, and pain

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

I have only told a few people and they are hurting also.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Don't do it. There is ALWAYS another option, and before you say "no there isn't always" stop. THERE IS ALWAYS ANOTHER OPTION.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

Abortion should never be legal. All children are created for a purpose. Having done it and knowing the depression I have, I would not recommend it to anyone for any reason.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of usa

My name is Annette I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Albuquerque NM

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2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

17

3. What type of abortion was performed?

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I did not know of the potential physical or psychological effects of this procedure

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

boyfriend

9. How has abortion affected you?

I have felt the guilt and fears for over 20 years

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

depression

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

I would ask them to reconsider due to all the after effects of an abortion

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

It should not be legal!!! Abortion not only murders a child but murders the woman as well

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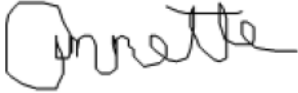
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Harris

My name is Rosa I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Houston TX

09/15/1997

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

6

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Suction Aspiration

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

It has been 14 years since my abortion and I do not remember receiving any type of counseling on consequences of abortion. They made it seem that it was a simple procedure and my life would go back to normal once it was over.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My boyfriend at the time.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

My abortion affected me in ways that I would have never thought of. Immediately after my abortion I felt regret and cried for days. I went through periods of depression afterwards. I vowed that I would never tell a soul what I did. Six years later I got married and immediately told my husband that I did not want children, I never told him about my abortion. The truth was I felt I didn't deserve children. I was a murderer, I only deserved misery. These feelings affected my marriage and my ability to truly love because I felt unloved and not worthy of true love.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My abortion affected my now ex-husband. Because of all the emotions I was dealing with it changed the type of person I was. Once loving and compassionate, I became controlling, angry, and I desquised myself as a "perfect" person. I played the part of a very well put together person. No one knew I was completely broken inside.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would first tell her to do all the research she can on the physical effects of having an abortion. No one explained the medical procedure that was done to me and any of the possible physical affects like hemmoraging, breast cancer, and infertility. This is not just a "simple" procedure. Then I would tell her my experience of my life NOT going back to normal after the abortion. Abortionists do such a great job of reassuring us that having an abortion is like ereasing the fact that we were ever pregnant. An abortion doesn't make a woman "un"pregnant, but the mother of a dead child. I would also tell her of the long term effects it has on her relationship with God and with her family. Having an abortion doesn't just affect the woman.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Having abortions legal is like allowing someone to brutally mutilate their own body and then send them away with a band-aid. With my abortion, I allowed someone mutilate my body by removing my child and possibly allowing the doctor to forever take away my chances of ever being a mother.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Orange

My name is Lisa Chisholm. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Odessa TX

02/22/1981

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

4

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

I'm not sure

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I wasn't told anything....I was simply asked my name and asked to wait in the waiting room until they called my name. Nothing more was said.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

There was no conversation about anything from the receptionist or the nurses or the doctor performing the abortion. It was a silent, agonizing experience.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My boyfriend and my parents.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

For 20 plus years, I have cried every time I think of what I did. I have experienced so much depression and fear of intimacy due to my "choice" of killing my baby. (It still makes me cry to have to admit that)

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My parents have suffered much regret for pressuring me to have an abortion. It has affected every relationship I've ever had, especially with men, ultimately ending because of my fear of intimacy due to the loss of my baby and the psychological damage that loss has caused.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would give anything to share my experience with any girl/woman, pregnant or not, how horrific that decision is. It's something that rips your soul and darkens your outlook not only on life but people as well. It is so detrimental to your psychological make up that it can destroy you as well as every

relationship.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

The damage reaches much further than just eliminating an unplanned pregnancy. Not only does it eliminate the life of a child, but it jeopardizes the life of a woman and all those who love her and wish to love her. It is far better to face an "unplanned pregnancy" than to face a life-time, which affects everyone around you, of psychological and physical torment.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Dallas

My name is Debby Efurd. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Dallas TX

06/07/1973

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

7

3. What type of abortion was performed?

D&C

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

I was counseled on the legal aspects of the procedure, not the psychological, moral, ethical or spiritual aspects.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

See above.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

Family dynamics

9. How has abortion affected you?

For 38 years I have kept my abortion a secret. It has affected my physical and mental health, as well as my relationships within and outside my family.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

My parents and my son have been affected due to the dysfunctional relationships that were continued.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Life begins at conception; the abortion procedure doesn't clean out a mass of cells, but erases future life.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

Laws allowing abortion are wrong; if a society doesn't value the very core of its citizenship, it will

eventually crumble.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Bexar

My name is A G I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

San Marcos CA

//2001

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

12

3. What type of abortion was performed?

Unsure, suction?

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

I just went in, the doctors gave me a medication to numb my cervix, they did an ultrasound to make sure I was pregnant, and I had to lay on the table while they left the ultrasound going and then they performed the abortion.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I filled out a form of consent but they never went over it with me so that I understood completely.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

My mom

9. How has abortion affected you?

I felt guilty for a long time. It also was a source of shame, guilt, and awkwardness between my husband and I when I was pregnant with out child. Every time I went to the doctor I had to say how many times I had been pregnant, how many I carried to term and those I didn't why I didn't. However, I no longer feel shame or guilt because of God's love and forgiveness.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

It caused tension between my husband and me for a long time. It also is an unspoken event between my mom and I because I see it as murder, I didn't want it, and if she sees it the way I do then she has to admit to the murder as well. Therefore I cannot even talk to her about my participation and call from God in the Pro Life movement.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

I was adopted and my mom chose life for me. There are many people who are desperate for children who cannot have them who would love your baby. There are also organizations to help you financially and with housing if you do decide to keep you baby. All children are God's children. If you turn to Him, He will guide you, direct you, and assist you in your motherhood. There is no shame in your situation. There is love, help, and hope from other women who have been there. You are not alone.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Using the same logic that many of these babies would be born into poverty, abused, and would eventually be part of the foster system, would you then suggest that the humane thing to do for people who are poor, homeless, unloved, have no family, have been abused, etc. is to euthanize them? Of course not. However, that is essentially the exact same logic used in the abortion debate. Double standard. Second, babies feel pain in the womb. Ultrasounds of babies aborted with saline are shown to try to get away from the saline. It is obvious that they can feel it. Murder is murder no matter how you look at it.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Coryell

My name is Tina I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Killeen TX

02/12/1990

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was told it was just a blob of tissue and that no life was formed. I later after taking anatomy and physiology in college realized what I had done and was devastated.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Never was I told of the emotional distress it would cause me for the rest of my life. I was a murderer. I took an innocent, helpless life out of the safest place life should be protected in "the womb."

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

my boyfriend at the time was not ready for a child

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I value life more. I am living a life of regret, guilt and shame. I constantly wonder what if. I thank God every day for His forgiveness and try to make the very best out of what I have. But, I continue to grieve over my loss.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I have three beautiful girls and one boy who will never know their siblings until the day of Jesus Christ.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Your choice is life or death for another human being. What if someone had the power to choose that for you, what would you do? Do that very thing for the life growing inside of you...choose life!

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be**

legal?

YOU ARE TAKING LIFE INTO YOUR HANDS AND GIVING CONFUSED, SCARED AND OFTEN POOR YOUNG WOMEN THE HORRIBLE CHOICE TO MURDER A HUMAN BEING. YOU WILL BE HELD ACCOUNTABLE FOR EVERY LIFE YOU HAVE GIVEN THE LIBERTY TO KILL. ABORTION IS MURDER!

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of bexar

My name is k f I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Shawnee Mission KS

08//1980

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

used some vaccume thing

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was scared and did not really want to go through with it

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No one told me that I would think about this everyday for the rest of my life. No one told me the sense of loss I would feel. No one told me that forgiving myself would never come.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Because we were so young my parents chose

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Not a day has passed that I have not thought about my baby. I still pray for the baby. I still long for this child. I married the father and we both regret this loss. We were told not to talk about this and we have four more children. The oldest three know and we have expressed our sorrow to them. The loss for us is as if the child had been born to us.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My mother and father regret the choice they made for me. My mother who is alive is so sorry for the choice because our marriage is so amazing. Our children are so close and those that know feel our pain deeply.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Don't!!!! Please, I have so much guilt and worry about my father's fate since he has passed away. We have all asked for forgiveness from God but forgiving myself is the most painfull thing to do! If I forgive

myself, will I forget? Will this beautiful life ever forgive me?

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I have been taking classes towards a nursing degree and all of the books say that life begins at conception!!!!!! Why does the court say different!??? It angers me to think that I took a life at 16 yrs old without knowing what an incredible sense of loss I would feel. Please stop the shame and give life a chance! This is the first time for me to publicly face this, understand how hard this is!

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Harris

My name is Nona Ellington. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Houston TX

10/20/1983

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

5

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was not given the option of seeing a sonogram, I was not informed that my pregnancy was a baby. I was told that my baby was a blob of tissue. I was not given the option of hearing my baby's heartbeat.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was not told of the emotional side effects of the abortion or the fact that I was at a high risk for many damaging physical effects at my age of 15.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Planned Parenthood and my peers at school

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It ruined any chance of giving birth. As a result, I had 5 miscarriages, 3 of them tubal pregnancies, requiring emergency surgery and were very near death experiences. I have suffered from several bouts of depression and attempted suicide, self mutilation and an 18 year long abusive marriage as an aftermath of the abortion.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

It devastated my father to find out that his grandchild was killed. He said to me when I told him many years later, "if I had known that I had a grandchild, I would have raised him myself". Everyone in my life was emotionally affected, because of the effects it had on me.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Please, please ask to see a sonogram and to hear the heartbeat of your baby and have the doctor

explain to you what you are seeing on the sonogram. If I had seen a sonogram of my baby, I would have chosen life, instead of death for all of my babies and my womb. My experience of emotional trauma after abortion is the same as millions of other women and their families. Your choice does not only affect you, it will affect the grandparents and siblings of your child.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

It should not be legal for a woman to choose the death of her child, her womb, the future children that she may or may not have. Every woman should have every bit of information and facts about the affects of abortion to herself, her baby and those in her life. The truth of what abortion is and does has been revealed to those of us who have suffered the consequences and our country has suffered as well. How can anyone believe that abortion should be legal after seeing a baby living in the womb of it's mother on a sonogram and hearing the heartbeat of that baby???

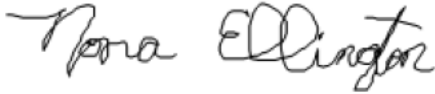
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Bexar**

My name is Sandra Hernandez. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

San Antonio TX

01/05/

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

16

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I just refused to think about it. I have given my life to Christ and asked for forgiveness and I just don't think about my past experience. I not only had one abortion but three.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Other people don't know except for the people that took me to the clinic.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Do not please do not have an abortion. I would tell them that if they pray and ask the Lord to help them support their unborn child then the Lord will help them. I encourage any lady or young lady never to have to go that route.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Abortion hurts physically, emotionally and that it is against God's will for abortion. God says he gives us life and life in abundance. I would tell the court to rally for more programs to help these women or young ladies with programs to help them not abort.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Tarrant

My name is Jennifer I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Fort Worth TX

10/25/2006

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

7

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Dilation and cutterage

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I woke up in the middle of the procedure-literally feeling life being taken from my body. I became severely depressed, suicidal, I have had one preterm delivery because of a weakend cervix, numerous nightmares, fears, unhealthy relationships and shame for killing my child. I was told the baby was "tissue" that was the biggest lie.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Ex husband

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

listed above-shame,anger, guilt, fears, physical reprocussions including preterm delivery, severe depression, unhealthy relationships with men and my child. Nightmares.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

The people that loved me at the time were devastated, I'm sure my overprotectiveness of my son now is affecting him and my postpartum depression affected my bonding with him as an infant.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Please dont. Dont listen to the world and what they tell you is right. Yes, it is your choice, but remember that someone chose for you to live-for a reason-the baby inside you has a purpose beyond what you can see right now. Reach out. You are not alone.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

This isnt a battle of womens "healthcare" since when did killing an unborn child become a matter of health? This is the societal way of accepting murder. What else will we let human beings get away with? All the things you look at in disgust, your decision making creates them. I challenge the people of the court to watch a live abortion-the tearing of human parts from a womans body-dont look away, dont close your eyes-because the life you are saying it is okay to take cannot look away or close his/her eyes. I have personally met hundreds of women from all walks of life, beliefs, backgrounds, etc. and when you ask them all what they wish they knew before they aborted-it would be the TRUTH. THE TRUTH IS THAT ABORTION IS MURDER. You essentially lose two lives on the table in a cold, hostile room each day an abortion is performed. The mother and the child.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Bastrop

My name is Cheli Cook. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Austin TX

03//1985

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

10

3. What type of abortion was performed?

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

Made an appt and procedure performed. No discussion.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

Husband

9. How has abortion affected you?

I have never forgotten my baby girl. Every day she is on my heart.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

I don't feel free to share with my other children. I lead a post abortion bible study. The memory never goes away, God can heal.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

I would share my story and let her know there is hope. You have life in you.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

There is pain. There are all kinds of illnesses/symptoms women are being treated for not realizing it is from the abortion.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Henderson

My name is Misty Black. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Houston TX

04/01/1996

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

18

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

D&E

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I do not remember any education at all about the actual abortion procedure or what it was actually doing to me or the fetus

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I had NO education on the possible physical or emotional consequences of abortion, short term or long term

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Boyfriend - later became my husband

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I was in complete denial for 12 yrs, remained in a physical/emotionally abusive relationship for 11 yrs because I felt worthless. Depression, eating disorders, no hope for the future, trouble bonding with first living child. Incompetent cervix due to the abortion and first child born at 23 wks, almost did not survive. Anger, resentment, problems in other relationships with parents for example.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Bonding issues with first living child, relationship issues with parents and friends, divorce from husband.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would share my testimony with her and give her the straight facts about what abortion is, does to women and everyone involved and possible consequences such as Post abortion syndrome.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I would tell them that it is not about women's rights, it is about the right of the child living inside of her. She is no longer just her own self and body. That abortion does nothing but destroy and mutilate the God given maternal instinct to women. It causes pain, hurt, grief, sadness and broken people and relationships. There are other options such as adoption or learning how one could parent a child they may think at first they can not when considering abortion. Nothing, absolutely nothing good comes of abortion and is an injustice to all individuals involved.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Harris

My name is Lynne I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Houston TX

05//1974

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

early stage abortion

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was told it was only a blob and not informed of fetal development. If I had known his heart was beating and the development I never would have had the abortion.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

A year later I had my second abortion with the same lack of information and bled an extreme amount. They sent me home any way. They did not tell me about any risks.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Deep depression and drug and alcohol problems

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Due to the affect it had on me, it has affect my children I have now and the wonderful man I married after these forifying experiences.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Don't do it! It's not worth it and you are taking an innocent life. Adoption is an option to consider.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I believe in a women having control over their lives but they need to think before they become sexually active what they are getting into and accept responsibility. Don't commit murder as a "choice". The

courts should make abortions illegal!

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Harris

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### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Albuquerque NM

03/24/1981

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

5

3. What type of abortion was performed?

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4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

I was told that my baby would be sucked out of me and go into a plastic sack that was laying on the floor next to a machine.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

My Dad wanted me to have the abortion because I was in the process of seperating from my husband. I was 19. I had a second abotion in 1987.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

Father

9. How has abortion affected you?

Drugs, alchohol, instability, bad choices in relationships,depression.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

I experienced persecution from other people, distrust, I didn't parent my other two children corerctly after that.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

If you do it, it will RUIN YOUR LIFE!!

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

It is pure evil and murder is wrong!!!!

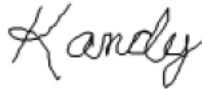
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Harris

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### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Houston TX

11/15/1989

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

6

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

MVA

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was a teenager and do not remember most of the details. I knew what it was, but not much about what it does.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

As far as I can remember, the nurses and doctor told me it was a quick procedure and I would be back on my feet the next day and it would not do me any harm.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My boyfriend

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It created a ongoing cycle in my life that led to multiple abortions from high school to my adult years. It became a medical procedure that was not harmful to my body (so I thought). It also led to mental anguish, low self esteem, depression, fear, and failed relationships.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

For one, it hurt the person I was in the relationship with because he wanted the child. For another, it caused mental anguish and guilt and also caused a deep wound in the relationship that never healed.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

That it is not worth the pain, guilt, shame, fear, and depression that it causes. Also, that children are a gift from God and that God loves you no matter what mistakes we make. If they are too young or unable to care for the child, there are several families that want to have children and they can give the

child up for adoption to a loving and caring family. Lastly, that having an abortion creates bondage. It created a cycle in my life of multiple abortions by trying to cover up getting pregnant. I thought I was free, but I have been in bondage for years. Having the child may seem like bondage, but it will actually set you free.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Abortion is a form of legal murder. There is no difference between a mother physically killing her child after the child is born and terminating the birth (killing) the child in the mother's womb. No one ever explained the intricate details of child birth to me so I always thought it was okay to terminate a pregnancy. However, it now pains me knowing that I killed a child(ren). It also pains me to know that I have terminated several pregnancies and at the same time having a friend who has had multiple miscarriages trying to have children. We take life for granted and this is why society feels it is okay to take a life due to "free will." I think about the life I could have given my child or the blessing I could have given to another family (particularly my friend). I have to live with that pain everyday. Despite knowing that people make a decision everyday to have an abortion doesn't negate the fact that there will be no after effects of that decision. There are consequences to every decision that we make, but legalizing abortion just makes that decision easier. Murder is murder. All murder should be illegal.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Bell County

My name is D A . I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Austin TX

06//1987

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

4

3. What type of abortion was performed?

Suction

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

They never told me it was going to make me depress

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

for many years it cause me to be depress, I will often think about how old the child would be, I use to have nightmares about the aborted child. I would hear the baby cry for me and I could not get to the baby. I became very depress and ashamed. I knew that what I did was wrong and still I did it. This decision cause me great pain through the years. I have been on antidpressen medicine on an off.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

My husband is very much affected by this he often thinks about it and regrets that decision he feels just as bad as me maybe worse.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Choose life, the pain will never go away. My Lord and Savior has forgiven me, and I can continue on living but the pain is still there.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

He needs to know how it feels before he can judge, the pain never goes away. Remember you once

was a tissue.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Collin

My name is Becki I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Gainesville TX

02/16/1974

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

10

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

I don't recall

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was 17years old and I was told that they would be removing a blob of tissue.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No one told me there would be consequences of any kind.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

The father and my close friends

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I have experienced significant depression which has been severe enough over the years to affect my health, ability to work,and parent my children.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My children have been victims of my depression and unresolved anger/guilt. I believe it was a factor in my marriage failing.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

If you find yourself pregnant,alone, and scared please don't believe that abortion is the only way to respond to your circumstances. there are many people and organizations who would love to support you and guide you toward a solution that will bring life and hope to everyone involved. Abortion is NOT a simple, quick fix to a problem. There ARE long term consequences that you will live with every day.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be**

legal?

In addition to ending the life of the baby, abortion damages our community in many ways. Broken lives and families result in poor mental, physical, and emotional health that limit the potential of our citizens and have a long term impact on the economic health of our nation. Why would we support this when there are options such as support for young mothers, adoption, and abstinence education that work for everyone involved.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of bexar

My name is M T I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

San Antonio TX

//1975

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

do not know

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I honestly can not remember what information I was given, I remember that very little time was spent talking to me. no counseling whatsoever was given to me, that I can recall.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I received no counseling.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

To this very day, I cannot forgive myself. I know that God, through my Lord Jesus Christ has forgiven me, but I cannot forgive myself. To this very day, I am ashamed of what I did. To this very day my very spirit aches with hurt, longing to hold my baby in my arms, as I did my other two children. Longing for that conversation that I will never have with my daughter or son. Longing to hear the voice of that child call out to me and say Mommy I love you. Words cannot express the turmoil that lives inside of me always. The very word "abortion" makes me cringe and I feel so very ashamed of myself. The years do not heal the pain nor take away the shame. My heart aches for my baby and all those millions of babies that never had a chance in life and for all those that will be aborted as I write this. God help us all. May He have enough Grace to forgive us all.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My husband never talks about it, but I know that he also shares the same hurt and shame that I do. No one else knows about our abortion.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Do not do it. It will affect you for the rest of your life. Years will not help you forget, years will not heal the pain nor take away the shame. A child is God's gift to the entire universe, do not hurt The Giver of Life nor refuse His precious gift to you. This precious child deserves a chance in life, just as you yourself had.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Do not hurt this nation any further. Stop this march into madness. Let us be a nation of Love and Godliness, not a nation of selfishness and self-importance. Let us show the rest of the world, that our Giver of Life reigns, that all that He gives us is a precious Blessing.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Dallas

My name is Elizabeth (Betty) Underwood. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

San Antonio TX

09//1969

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

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**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

Abortions were not legal. The abortion took place in the back room of someone's home at night. I did not talk much to the abortionist (a hispanic woman) and I did not know her name.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I knew it was wrong because it was illegal. I had no idea of the devastating consequences

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I have been childless my entire life. I am haunted by the thought of having killed my own children. ( I had another abortion 7 years later) I am going to be 60 years old and I have no children or grandchildren. I am sure these children would have been a blessing to me, my family and all of society.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My boyfriend at the time felt rejected by me. My nephews are without a two cousins. My parents did not get the grand children they wanted and deserved.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

It is murder and it is the biggest regret of my life.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

God hates the shedding of innocent blood. Proverbs 6:17

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Collin

My name is Meg Valentino. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Poughkeepsie NY

05/17/1976

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

13

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Unsure of what it was called, but it was done by suction machine.

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I had nothing explained to me and to this day am not even sure what was done.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

There was no explanation of any physical or mental consequences of abortion. Nor were there any information about what would be done.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Baby's Father, the baby's "grandmother" and "aunt"

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I have spent the last 30 years feeling guilty, getting emotional, feeling that by only being able to have had one more child I was being "punished" for my actions.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I have been to embarrassed about this to have ever spoken to anyone about it.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would tell her that it was the biggest mistake I had ever made, that there are many other options that don't involve the murder of your own child.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

That this is an experience that has lasting detrimental effects to not only the mother, but the father and

all other family members involved. It should not be so easy to take a life. Unfortunately in many cases it takes years before the actual anguish that an abortion causes to surface.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Val Verde

My name is M V . I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Austin TX

02/18/2003

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

6

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Standard Procedure (I was awake through it)

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I say no because they did not inform me of the emotional effects of the abortion. They only discussed the physical effects.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It changed my life forever. It completely destroyed my spirit. I went through severe depression, alcoholism, suicidal thoughts, etc. I had to move from Austin because I was on a road to destruction. It is something that I will REGRET for the rest of my life!

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My ex-fiance and I ended our relationship due to the abortion. My mother also suffered severe depression. I was so ashamed of what I had done that I did not want anybody to know.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would say that LIFE is a gift from God, something that we can not and should not interfere with. Abortion is wrong and it will affect you for the rest of your life. It completely demoralizes you, it will lead to depression and severe anxiety.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I would tell them that Abortion is Murder, not only to the baby, but to the woman. Abortion killed me. It ruined my life.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Coryell

My name is R. V I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Austin TX

06/22/1995

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

20

3. What type of abortion was performed?

not really sure

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

I was not informed of the procedure, what it really involved and I wanted to see a sonogram and was refused.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I was told I would bleed like a period but it was much much more than that, I experienced alot of cramping and was very deptessed afterwards.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

A female friend of mine she said she had had one.

9. How has abortion affected you?

I have lived with depression on and off for more than 15 years, ashamed to tell anyone of what I did. Extremely remorseful.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

No one knows but I am overly protective of my children, and depressed alot but somehow function, like a piece of me is dead. And it is I actively participated in the taking of an innocent life out of fear, rejection, selfishness, and sadness.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Choose life! God will provide the way for you and your child it is not worth the hell on earth you go through afterwards it haunts you daily.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

THat if it were legal it would be a possibility that they would not be standing before you. It is murder, and innocent blood cries out!!! Just like Abel's blood cried out when Cain murdered him.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Tarrant

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### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

ft worth TX

04/01/1995

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

3

3. What type of abortion was performed?

I Don't know, wasnt told much, I was 15

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

Horrible regret, shame, guilt still can't really talk about it to this day.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

The shame and pain is still so great after 17 yrs

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Please dont, it's a life. Adoption is a noble and loving thing for your child which has a right to live. 10 months of carrying that baby if your young and scared is nothing compared to a lifetime of heartache, sadness, guilt, regret and shame that comes with an abortion. All babies are God's created beings and have a right to life just as we do.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

Murder should never be a legel option. I wish at 15 I would not have had the option of killing my baby. I wasn't in the frame of mind to make that type of desicion morally being scared, underage, confused. If that option would have not been there, my baby would be alive today and I would not be paying this price for my actions. Please stop it.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Dallas

My name is Nikki Waltrowski. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Craig CO

02//1979

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

8

3. What type of abortion was performed?

it was like a d and c

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

I was not even told what kind of abortion, but was told that I would have cramps like a period during and afterwards. As it was the doctor poked a hole in my uterus and all kinds of things went wrong and I had to have emergency surgery. I almost died. When the doctor made the mistake, he panicked and left me laying on the table with two nurses standing over me looking horrified and I'm laying there listening to this doctor hollering and panicking in the background. Next thing I know, another doctor has been called to come and do emergency surgery on me. When I woke up, I had all kinds of things hooked up to me. I almost died. Then I found out later that the doctor who did the surgery on me wasn't even licensed to do that kind of surgery. Then I had to be on a special diet for awhile. It took along time to recover.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

There was no explanation!

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

After the abortion and having to have emergency surgery I had quite some time to recover from it all. About a year later, I started having anxiety attacks and they got worse as time went on. I was on the verge of a nervous breakdown, when I discovered that it was all from guilt over the abortion. Then I asked the Lord into my life and He delivered me from the guilt and over time I could receive His forgiveness and forgive myself.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

Fortunately, years later I volunteered at a pregnancy center and was able to talk to girls coming in to get a pregnancy test. I always asked them if I could share my testimony with them and if they said yes, then I told them exactly what happened to me and I have to say that 100% of the ones I talked to decided NOT to get an abortion.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would share my own experience with them and tell them that there is a better option. There are so many people out there that want to adopt and it is a much better option for one's health and for their emotional welfare. Women are not told how it will effect them emotionally.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I would tell a court that if they want to keep abortion legal, then they need to make it mandatory that Planned Parenthood and ALL doctors have to explain in detail to their patients what kind of abortion they are going to do and what the consequences could be on that patient physically and emotionally. I would also tell them that it amazes me that men make these laws for women and have NO idea what a woman goes through or even how their bodies work and they make the law on abortion so non-chalantly.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Angelina

My name is J W I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Hagerstown MD

08/26/2001

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

5

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

I'm not sure what it was called, but the cervix was dilated and suction was used.

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I remember talking to the counselor, who informed me that she had an abortion when she was younger and it was the best thing she ever did. The counseling and informing session was only 5 minutes long. The family planning office in my home town simply offered the option of abortion and gave the information on where I could have one, but did not truly inform me that I was ever carrying a "baby". They never offered an ultrasound or suggested that I talk to my parents. I was 17. I told only my boyfriend. We were scared and in denial, and thought there was no other way. When they took me into the procedure, they were supposed to use a local anesthetic. I did not feel any kind of anesthesia. It was the most painful experience in the world! Then they took me into a room with other women to sit, drink a small cup of soda, eat a cookie, check my pad, and send me on my way. We lived in Pennsylvania at the time, which requires parental consent if you are under the age of 18. I was 17, so we drove across the border to Maryland one day. We told my parents we were going hiking, left early in the morning, and returned that night. No one ever knew. I bled heavily for a month afterwards. I didn't know that was not normal. I had excruciatingly painful cramps. During the month following the abortion, I went straight back to playing field hockey, and then started my senior year of high school. My friends said, "man your periods can be bad sometimes, huh?" I had to carry on the charade.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

They briefly listed possible side effects, but did not prepare you for the actual procedure, or the post operative and recovery phases. The only thing they prepared you for was being free from the responsibility of being pregnant.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Fear, shame, guilt, selfish desires and dreams.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I used to be a very outgoing and positive person. I was happy, loved life, and loved to lift up others. I was going to accomplish great things. When I had the abortion, I was 17, just about to start my senior year of high school. I was a field hockey and softball star and I thought there was no way I could miss out on my senior year of sports because I was pregnant. Also, my parents had great expectations out of me. I was a straight A student, going to college, I was going to make a lot of money one day. After the abortion, I continued to act out the part of my old self, all the while I was dying on the inside. I became introverted, I hated myself, I hated what I had done, I was alone. I knew my secret could never get out because of the effects it would have on my parents. I knew they would be so sad and hurt that they could never know. They still do not know and that will always bother me, but how can I tell them? I wanted to have a baby from that point on. My boyfriend and I did get pregnant again later, we had the baby, and are now married~but it was a long road. I still have very low self-esteem, and suffer from sexual dysfunction. I don't really enjoy sex most of the time. It reminds me of what I've done and who I used to be. I hate that person.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

After the abortion, my boyfriend dove deeper into drugs and alcohol. He eventually got to the point of using cocaine. He was covered in shame, guilt, and remorse. We somehow stayed together~probably because we were the only ones who knew what we had done together. God kept us together. God saved us. If it wasn't for God we would still be fighting a losing battle against the evil of our sin. Also, both of our parents do not know the truth. If they ever find out I know they will be so hurt. That is a burden we will both carry forever. My son is missing out on an older sibling.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Please don't do it. Read my story, talk to God. Don't be scared, you can have a baby, go to school, and fulfill your dreams! You don't have to choose one or the other.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Women who chose abortions are not in the right mind. They are in shock and denial. Give them two weeks, and they will change their minds. Give them an ultrasound, and they will change their minds. Give them proper counseling, and they will change their minds. Why are we making it possible for our generation to not have to face the consequences of their actions? We must be held accountable for our actions. That is a baby! There is no way to deny the fact and the truth that women are committing murder daily, and our society is encouraging it. Would you make your wives or daughters have an abortion? How would you have even been here if your mothers had made that choice? Are you just a lump of tissue? Then why do you call them that? Scientifically, that is a baby!

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of KS

County of Sedgwick

My name is Mary I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Wichita KS

10//1983

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

unsure as I was heavily sedated by the nurse at doc's request when I protested having the abortion

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I went to George Tiller's clinic where they showed a video, but you weren't required to sit and watch it. Honestly, I was have serious doubts about an abortion especially seeing the young girls who were heavy with child.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

We were put in a room as a "group" and were not encouraged to ask questions.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

friends and family

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

For several years I struggled with depression and guilt that I killed my baby even though I told the doctor I had changed my mind. Then when I married a few years later I had a miscarriage and difficulty getting pregnant, which added to the guilt as I knew the abortion had caused damage to my uterus. I had a hysterectomy when I was thirty years old.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My husband saw my difficulty accepting myself and the results of the decision I made.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Don't do it! The emotional pain you suffer is so hard to overcome. Also, the physical complications are evident. I haven't met one person who didn't have difficult pregnancies after having an abortion.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

That the courts have made it too easy to kill an unborn child. I would rather see something done to prevent pregnancy rather than use abortion as a form of birth control. When a woman has an abortion something is stolen from them that can never be regained emotionally and physically. We need to teach young people about self-control and responsibility instead of instant gratification and removal of the outcome of irresponsible behavior.

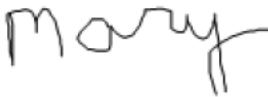
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Bexar

My name is R W I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Santa Ana CA

10/15/1976

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

10

3. What type of abortion was performed?

DNC

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

I didn't realize until years later that I became pregnant because I had been raped. I was so ashamed and so frightened. I knew the child's father, who later proclaimed to be gay, and said that "I would lose everything if I had the baby." All I remember was being unbelievably frightened. I remember wanting that baby, no matter what. I knew my parents would not understand, so they didn't know (at least my father didn't) know until 5 years later before my son was born. My mother figured it out.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

All I knew was that the baby would be taken from me, that it didn't have a heartbeat, that it was just a blob of tissue, as so many people have been told. I was not told about the physical pain -- and, believe me, it DOES hurt!! My child was ripped from my womb, and it was the worst pain I have ever experienced in my entire life.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

The baby's father

9. How has abortion affected you?

Unbelievable depression. All I wanted to do was die. That experience left me with the worst pain I had ever felt in my entire life. Physical pain. As the doctor was doing the procedure (taking my baby's life) I couldn't stop crying, and all he could do was scream at me that "if you don't shut up, I'm going to knock you out." I cried and cried and cried. For years, on the anniversary of my baby's death, I cried and remembered. I finally went to a memorial service for him about 5 years ago. That was the first time I was able to, as I was being anointed, utter his name in public.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

When I became pregnant with my son, again unmarried, my baby's father asked me if I would abort this child. I told him in no uncertain terms, NO, NO, NO. My son's father has refused to have anything to do with my son, because he didn't want to "hurt his family." I nearly lost my military career because I chose to have and keep my son. It was the BEST decision I could have ever made in my life. I am now a grandmother of three beautiful little girls.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

To HAVE her baby. I have done that to many women who were considering abortion. I would tell her to go have a sonogram, even if she had to pay for it, to look at her baby and see that it HAS a heartbeat, that it begins moving almost immediately after it's heartbeat begins at 18 to 23 days. I would tell her that being pregnant is a gift from God, even if she decides not to keep that child. I HEARD MY SON'S HEARTBEAT AT THE AGE OF 28 DAYS, AND IT WAS STRONG AND STEADY. TWENTY-EIGHT DAYS!!!

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

That they are wrong. My baby was a result of an act of violence -- an act of rape. For many years afterward, I refused to acknowledge that my child's father was a murderer - and he was. I wouldn't have had the abortion had I not been forced into it. I don't want women to die because they have illegal abortions either, but taking the life of a child, any child is something that has very serious consequences on everyone involved. I believe the state can and should set up volunteer organizations to help these mothers get through their pregnancies, and I believe there are many, many women who would like to help with that. My son, Brian, would be 35 years old in June. I still remember him. I still pray for him. People ask me, "how do you know it was a boy?" Well, I KNOW!! Mothers know what gender their children are. Mothers shepard those children into the world. Mothers LOVE their children, no matter what, even if they refuse to acknowledge it. I believe that partial birth abortion, and late term abortion, especially, are acts of murder. There are plenty of parents out there to adopt those children, to shepherd them into the world, to give them a home.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Erath

My name is Sherre West. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Dallas TX

12//1968

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

4

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Dilation & Curattage - I think (I have blocked some of the memory of it)

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I had no idea that I would be depressed & that having an abortion would affect my emotional state

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Mom

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

depression; difficulty in "attachment" relationships with my husband & children; difficulty in relationship with my Mom; difficulty in concentrating or staying focused on a task because of daydreaming & feeling regret & sadness; inability to trust people - men & women & also trusting my personal judgment

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My Mom - I lost trust in her & had an undercurrent of anger towards her, she also died as an alcoholic, chain smoker & was diagnosed with "psychosocial disorders"; because of my fear that my children might one day become pregnant out of wedlock, I became very "over protective" or paranoid about their relationships which I believed caused them to have difficulty developing healthy relationships

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Just because it is "legal" doesn't mean that it is an instant solution. You may think that it will be a quick fix, but the reality is that now we know for sure that from the moment of conception that science shows LIFE begins when DNA is present, it responds to touch & metabolism occurs. The father of your baby will be affected also. It affected me physically, emotionally & spiritually.



**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I had my abortion (1968) before it was legal & my Mother did also. She encouraged me to have one because she told me (when I told her that I was pregnant)that she'd "had an abortion, had been able to deal with it just fine & believed that I would also". This was all news to me! In her later years she told me that her beliefs about abortion had changed & I assume that was her way of asking for forgiveness. She'd become an alcoholic, chain smoker, & had what was diagnosed as psychosocial relationship problems. I truly believe that her low self-esteem, promiscuity, & relationship problems stemmed from her abortion. It became a snowball of dysfunction. Since legalization our nation has aborted millions of babies, created a nation of promiscuity unhealthy women, men because we ascribe abortion as birth control! A sad nation indeed where we don't hold ALL life in high esteem!

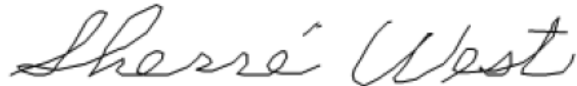
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Hunt**

My name is Jolean I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Dallas TX

11/02/2002

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Suction Aspiration

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Nobody at the clinic offered me any information that might change my decision. No referrals to adoption agencies or other "Pro-Life" organization. The possibility of post-abortion depression was also not explained to me.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My mother, I wasn't 18 & she gave the consent.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Immediately following the abortion I spiraled into severe depression, it was almost as if as soon as I came out from the anesthesia I was gravely aware of the horror I had just committed. I was also haunted by the memory of the beginning steps of the procedure. When I 1st started to go under I began to question the practitioner about what was going on, I became very uneasy and felt distressed. When I actually tried to sit up on the table and confront the practitioner another woman (who was a student doing clinical training) held my shoulders and told me to relax. The last thing I remembered was being guided to lay back down, staring up at the ceiling tile (which was painted with a portrait of sunflowers) and crying. This is a memory I have lived with ever since. To this day I cry if I see sunflowers, I avoid gynecological exams, and every November 2nd I struggle with overwhelming depression, darkness and

despair. Of course it's worse in November, but not one month goes by when I don't think about this horrible, life changing, life ending, mistake.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

A secret as deep and dark as having had an abortion is not an easy thing to share with anyone, so I never did - not until I was about to marry, I felt my husband had to know the truth. It was as difficult for him to hear as it was for me to share. The look of disappointment on his face cut to the bone. To this day I have harbored resentment toward my mother who consented and paid for the abortion. Our relationship has never been the same, and on multiple occasions she held the abortion over my head, making the guilt almost unbearable. This experience is like a never-ending grief, not the kind where eventually you can let someone go, but instead you grieve over and over. My husband and I are now experiencing fertility problems, which leads me to ask.... did I murder my one and only chance of having a child?

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

On November 2nd 2002, when I had my abortion, not only did my innocent child die, but so did my innocence. I would never be the same. Nobody told me the risks, the consequences, the options. This is a decision you can never undo, you can never erase, you can never fix.... and the consequences will last the rest of your life in the form of regret, depression, despair, anger, and haunting memories. Just don't do it.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I believe that the negative impact of abortion on society, the women, the families and relationships, is irreversible and a abomination to everything this country stands for. People try to say that women should have the right to choose, the truth is, the unborn child has as much right to live as we do. And what about the Fathers? Do they not have a right to decide what happens to their unborn babies? What kind of justice system wont stand up for the most innocent life, the life that is unable to defend itself. Abortion doesn't just destroy one life, it is a far reaching cancer that slowly erodes the family "from the inside out".

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Bell

My name is Molly White. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Austin TX

04//1981

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

DNC

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I asked about fetal development of my baby at 8 weeks gestation and was told "it" was just a tiny dot of cells. The receptionist put a dot with a pen on a piece of paper to illustrate the size.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was told there was absolutely no risk. I was also told the procedure would only last about 20 minutes all together. I asked about pain and was told it would feel like I was starting my period and that I may also feel some tugging and pulling but it would not be very painful. What a joke! The pain was excruciating and I bleed profusely.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

The abortion clinic staff.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Guilt, shame, grief, anger, rage, suicidal ideation, panic attacks, anxiety, fear, sexual dysfunction, drug and alcohol abuse, bonding issues with living children, relationship disorders, trust issues, difficulty in making decisions, emotional trauma, nightmares, flashbacks, anniversary syndrome, difficult pregnancies and deliveries, debilitating depression during holidays and family gatherings, break in trust of the medical profession...

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Two divorces, intimacy and trust issues in marriage, anger and resentment with family members, my children suffering from the effects of an emotionally traumatized mother, anger towards men...guilt

of those involved in the decision, break down of family closeness and trust.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

The trauma of abortion will effect you forever! Your life will never be the same. You will regret aborting your child and nothing will replace your child lost through abortion. You will never regret being a mother. Don't Do It!

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Legal abortion is the greatest form of injustice to mankind and the greatest form of exploitation of pregnant women. By allowing abortion to remain legal you are condoning the killing of children and violence against pregnant women.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Bell**

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### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Temple TX

02/14/1985

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

DNE

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

Nothing was said to me at all. My mother made all the arrangements.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Not a word about risks or consequences was spoken.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Parents pressured, doctor forced me.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Completely emotionally shut down. I became a walking dead woman for 10 years afterwards. Dead to my feelings, dead to emotions, except anger, completely blocked the memory out of my mind just so I could cope with living.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Separated from parents for over 13 years. Two divorces, bonding and intimate issues with children and husband I have been married to for 20 years. Relationship problems with husband and children and extended family members. Unhealthy bonding to my nephew who was born just a few days after my first abortion.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Don't do it! The trauma of abortion will change you forever.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be**

**legal?**

I would say that the Supreme Court Justices are responsible for the slaughter of millions of innocent children and the exploitation of millions of women. Legal abortion has led to the total breakdown of our society and the remedy lies with you.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Tarrant**

My name is Alison I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

San Antonio/Dallas TX

//1990

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

14

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

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**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I actually have had at least 3 abortions. There is such a sense of loss. I can't imagine any woman truly feeling joy at knowing she has ended a life

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

unknown

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

please get all the facts. Do research. Realize that this is a life you are carrying and having abortion is murder

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be**

legal?

I would say that the system needs to change. There are millions of lives being affected by this horrendous holocaust - women, families, and of course the babies who have never had a chance to live

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Rockwall

My name is P W I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Lubbock TX

09/10/1997

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

d&c

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

Specifics were not given about how the baby was removed.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Nothing was said about the psychological problems it may cause.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

my boyfriend

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It has caused me extreme guilt and sadness, even after having had children of my own. I think about my baby at least every other day and how old he/she would be and how he/she would fit into our family. I rehearse in my head over and over what I will say to her/him one day in heaven when asked, "Why did you do that to me?"

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My boyfriend at the time and now husband, is overridden with guilt even though he knows he has been forgiven by God. He takes so much blame because of the pressure he put on me, even though I have reassured him that it was my choice.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Please consider adoption. Even though that would be difficult, at least you will know that you didn't kill an innocent baby and won't feel the guilt you will feel for the rest of your life.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

Abortion ONLY ruins lives. It will not make any situation better.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Dallas

My name is T Antoinette Wilson. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Denver CO

09/18/1988

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

15

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

d&e

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

was told baby was just a clob of tissue and not a baby and not shown a ultrasound

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No discussion about the risk to my health and certainly no information was given to me about the emotional effects.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

baby's father

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I have tremendous guilt and deep sorrow for what I've done. Think about my baby all the time. Constantly worried about getting breast cancer. Had lots of female problems following the abortion.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Didn't tell too many people at the time. Have since told my children. They were shocked and very hurt.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Abortion is never the solution to your problem and never a good answer for you or your baby. It is a decision you can never take back. All you gain by an abortion is more problems.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Abortion hurts women, children, and families. A society that kills innocent pre-borns for convenience

will ultimately fail its citizens.

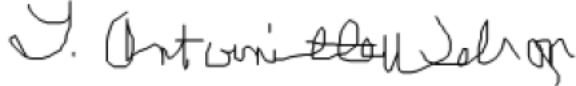
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Bexar**

My name is Denise Wilson. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

San Antonio TX

01/01/1979

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

13

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Don't know

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I don't remember being told anything.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Never

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My ex-husband

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It's something I will have to live with for the rest of my life.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My children don't like to hear about it either, it bothers them, so they don't deal with it.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

That there are consequences to making the wrong choice, that will be with you till the day you die.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

It is one of the biggest lie this country has ever told, and it's EVIL.

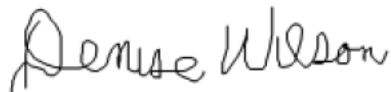
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of travis

My name is M W I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

austin TX

12//1998

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

20

3. What type of abortion was performed?

I don't know

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

There was no description of what I was doing or how it would hurt my baby. No other options were given. I was young and thought it was my only option; I was not given a sonogram to see my baby.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

extreme mental anguish & spiritual turmoil over my choice to kill my baby. It has been more than a decade and I still think of it almost daily.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Please don't do it; there is a baby in your womb and you would be murdering it. Look at the sonogram, see the heartbeat, know that it is a living person. No one's perspective of you is worth killing a child.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

It's not, there is no reason to kill a child. Rape, incest, etc is still no reason.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Lubbock

My name is Stacie I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Lubbock TX

03/12/1989

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

10

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction aspiration

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It has affected my relationship with people around me. It has affected the way I perform in school. I am a wreck and always turn to the wrong things to cope with my abortion.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

It has affected mine and my boyfriends relationship to where we are on an off all the time, and always arguing and fighting.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

That I regret my abortion everyday, and I cry all the time wanting my baby back. It completely changes your life in a way that you would not ever want. There are so many other options that you can choose besides abortion. You will think about your baby the rest of your life wondering what they would look like or be like.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

The abortion clinics NEVER tell you the emotional side effects of having an abortion.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Johnson

My name is Terra Wood. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Ft. Worth TX

06/05/2004

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

vaccum

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was told there would be little pain but it was the worst pain of my life.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was told this would end my problem and i could go on with my life. I have way more problems now. It did not solve anything.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My father

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I am very sad all the time. Shameful and very guilty. I feel as if i may not be able to have kids because of my decision.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would tell her that abortion is not the only option out there for a crisis pregnancy. I would tell her of all the hurt and pain this has caused me.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I would tell them that abortion hurts women and takes the life of an innocent child. It does not end your problem it only makes things worse and could ruin your life.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Harris**

My name is Januari Works. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Houston TX

06//1965

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

6

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Saline

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

The first abortion I had was illegal at the time, done by a 'nurse' in a private residence. The second abortion came in 1975 at an abortion clinic.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

The first abortionist said nothing to me except that I would be sick for a few days. At the clinic, they hardly spoke to me. It was "pay now", "put on this gown", "okay, your done; get up"; "wanna see the fetus?"

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It wasn't until years later when I became a Christian that I realized that I had murdered my own children. I was devastated emotionally, overcome with guilt and remorse realizing what I had done and that part of my self destructive attitude stemmed from these two experiences.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

No one ever knew about them until I came to Christ. My husband has been very supportive and careful in helping me to work through my 'issues'.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I wonder about all the children that we have robbed of their chance to live. I would ask someone considering an abortion what they would have thought had their parents decided to murder them? I would ask them who will fill their child's shoes when they are missing from this earth? I would ask if their unborn child has as much right to live as they do?

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I know first hand what it feels like to think only of myself, my rights, my life, my body. I also know first hand what it is like to be 62 years old and have no legacy at all, no child to care for me in my old age, no grandchildren to love, no memories to cherish. I watch my nieces and nephews and have no child that they would call cousin. I know first hand how the awkward seconds slip by when people ask me if I have children and I have to answer "no" when everything in my heart and mind is screaming out "I have 2 children, but I killed them both!" Was the "convenience" of the moment really worth the irreplaceable void in my life now?

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# DECLARATION

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The State of TX

County of tarrant

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### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

tustin CA

07/20/1993

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

12

3. What type of abortion was performed?

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

parents

9. How has abortion affected you?

grieving over loss

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

greiving

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

always another a way

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

it is cold blood murder and heartless. take one of your own children who is alive and well then hire a doctor to murder them in the fashion abortions are done.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Harris**

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### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Houston TX

09/12/1980

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

11

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

D & C I think

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

When I went to planned parenthood for a pregnancy test, they confirmed I was pregnant and asked when I wanted to schedule and abortion. They didn't ask if that is what or wanted or offer any options. When I told them I didn't want to do that they told me all the reasons i should get an abortion.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

all they asked is when I wanted to schedule one.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

my boyfriend and planned parenthood

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Guilt, Depression. Each year at the same time, I think of my unborn child and the age they would be now.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

It will affect your life more than you know. Right now, you think it's the easy way out but it will cause

you pain for years to come. It's not worth it and you will miss years of joy that your sweet child will bring you.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Abortion is a choice made by man. The only choice their really is, is to either not have sex or use birth control. If you choose sex then you should live with the consequences of those choices. That's the way the rest of our choices in life work. It is not a God-given choice to abort.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Collin**

My name is Valerie I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Tucson AZ

10//1981

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

9

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

don't remember

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

don't remember

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I tend to hold things in, always looking for exceptance.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My communication skills have not been very good in my marriage. I told my parents many years later....they are very hurt...

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Do not do it.....

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

Do not legalize it....

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Bexar

My name is Cathy Young. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Houston TX

03/19/1989

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

complete abortion

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was never told that my child was fully developed and that my child had a heart beat. I had no idea what abortion was and what it does. I now know that abortion is cold blooded murder and it is against God will.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No I was not informed of the consequences of abortion. Nobody told me the aftermath of aborting a child.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I've been tormented day after day and year after year. At times I became depressed and had thoughts of suicide. I experience mental and physical stress. I have heavy bleeding when I'm on my period. Yes aborting my babies has affected me.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Yes my children that I had after each abortion I can see the aftermath in them and how it causes them to have sudden outbursts like anger, slow movement and mental distress. Both children experience drugs and one had thoughts of suicide.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Do not have an abortion that it is what it is murder and it will torment you mentally and physically. If you are planning on having children later on it will affect them. Abortion causes more harm than you could

ever know. Even thou I had an bortion when I was 20 years old years it still hunt me tell this day and I am now 44 years old.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

That abortion is murder and it cause more harm than ever. Nobody has the right to murder their unborn child. We were given a chance to live so lets give our unborn children a chance they can be our next generation of people that will make a great possitive impact in our world.

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# DECLARATION

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The State of TX

County of Bexar

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### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Houston TX

09/24/1964

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

full abortion

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I had no idea what the nature of abortion was and what it does.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I never knew that there were consequences.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

my mother

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

physically my monthly period is very heavy an over flow of blood. It causes me to have anxiety attacks, thoughts of suicide. Depressed not knowing why I'm depressed. Out burts of anger. toremented in my mind thinking about what I have done. Are my children in heaven or was they a girl or a boy, how would they look and their age.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I can see the aftermath of abortion in the two children after the abortion. And my husband that has no children wonders what if. because I aborted his child and I know that child could have made a defference in our lives.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Don't do abortion is what it is cold blooded murder and it will cause you harm I had my abortion at a young age and now I am 44 and still suffer the pain of a bortion mentily.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

A bortion should be an criminal offence. It is cold blooded murder. No body has the right to take a life. Consider this; you have a seed of a certian plant ,you plant it in the ground.You water and the seed began to grow.You are waiting paciencely espected to see how beautiful it will be at the appointed time. But all of A sudden someone comes and uproot your plant destroying the seed. and noe your plant nolonger exist. A life taken without any reason or just because someone felt that it wasn't the right time for that plant taht they can always plant another one later. Life starts with a seed and when you uproot that life ( abort) you are destroying God creation just like plants they bring oxgen to the earth in order for us to live. Uborn children can bring a possitive change if we only let them live.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Upshur

My name is Megan I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Norman OK

04/27/1993

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

unknown

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was only informed of the Health risks to my body not to my mind.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I have a constant feeling that someone is missing in my current family. I am unable to forgive myself even though I know that I have asked the Lord to forgive me and he has. I feel obligated to make restitution for my acts in the taking of my child's life. I am undeserving of letting go of my emotional scars and therefore, I am unable to let go of the pain that I know I inflicted upon my own flesh and blood. There is not a day that goes by that I do not wish I had not taken my child's life. Maybe it is true that my child would have been born with FAS and that I would never have achieved the goals I have, but I know that I would not have the sin or guilt of murdering my own child on my thoughts and in my heart all the time. I know now that no accomplishment meant more than my own child.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

It has placed a wall between individuals that I love and that love me. I feel that I am a constant hypocrite in the eyes of my elders and loved ones. (And if they ever knew what I had done they would be ashamed of me)

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Exactly how the experience has left my mind, body and soul. I would then ask if she would be willing to

let me serve my Lord by allowing me to adopt the wonderful gift that he created his own image.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

What is the difference between the heartbeat of the life inside of you and the heartbeat of the life that snuggles up to you for a goodnight hug and sugar. Now that I have carried a child to term I know that the bond and LOVE between a mother and child starts at the moment of conception.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Hardin

My name is Norma Jean Tanton. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Beaumont TX

07/15/1982

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

6

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I remember them taking my money, having me fill out my personal information and signing something but no one showed me or told me what was going to happen. I was put into a room with 15 other women with a tv and magazines and told to wait my turn.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I'm not sure of this question. I did not know abortion could make you sterile..i was told it was a lump of tissue not a baby.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

husband and mother in law

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I have to forever live with the fact that the only healthy pregnancy I would ever have died at the hand of an abortionist, I was never able to have children of my own. I spent 24 years in a silent lonely prison of pain with suicidal thoughts, depression, shame and guilt. Until Someone took me to a post abortion bible study and Jesus healed me and set me free when I was able to grieve my baby, now I share my testimony with others,

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My husband and I divorced two years ago after 29 years of marriage. He took his own life last April and in the suicide note, he expressed how he hoped God would forgive him and let him go to heaven with our aborted baby. He also said he hoped we both would be able to see our baby together one day. Men

hurt from abortion too. My husband was never the same after my abortion and carried alot of guilt no matter how much I told him he was forgiven, he even wrote a note to our baby the night he killed himself on our babies memorial service bulletin.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

That it is murder, It is an agreement with death and the death covenant, it is sin, Christ came that we may have life and life more abundantly. The baby is a life and that it effects not only her life but the life of others. Abortion hurts women and those they love.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

The effects of legalized abortion continue to destroy the lives of women, men and their families. It has created confusion in our future generations about the worth of human life. No country should invite the devastating effects of abortion on their nation by legalizing it. I believe that we all have a duty to attempt to right the "wrongs" in our world. The words of Edward Everett Hale say it best: "I am only one, but I am one. I cannot do everything, but I can do something..."

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Brown County**

My name is Betty Taylor. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Dallas TX

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**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

4

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

dk

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

No-not at all. No, I don't remember anyone telling me much of anything there.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Not at all-nothing.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

All of these at some point: Denial, Depression, weight loss, suicidal thoughts, panic attacks, thoughts of dying, thoughts of losing my other God-given children, fear, knowing the truth and wanting others to know, advocating abstinence and truth found in Scripture, holiness of God and forgiveness through Christ's blood alone is my only hope

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

thoughts of losing my other God-given children, fear, knowing the truth and wanting others to know, advocating abstinence and truth found in Scripture, holiness of God and forgiveness through Christ's blood alone is my only hope, urging others to not have abortions, but repenting of the thought of murder, and turning to Christ, power of God through Christ to salvation, power of saving grace my only

hope

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

My testimony is at: [www.MyChristianTestimony.mypodcast.com](http://www.MyChristianTestimony.mypodcast.com) Abortion is murder, breaking GOD's 7th commandments, it grieves the heart of God, satan is a liar, a murderer from the beginning. Stand for truth and proclaim it to the nations!

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

They should acknowledge that morality comes from a Moral Creator God, which our court system was established on, and believe God that abortion is murder and therefore should not be sanctified by government, and government will also give an account to God. Government is by the people and for the people, and too many people's testimonies are identical. Murder is murder whether in or outside of the womb. The judges will also give an account to God. [www.needGod.com](http://www.needGod.com)

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Tarrant

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### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Oklahoma City OK

07//1981

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

6

3. What type of abortion was performed?

Not sure

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I did not realize that I was taking a life.. I thought that a fetus did not have a soul until it was born... I have regreted my decision and have been ashamed of what I did

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

I have regreted it. I have lived in shame and sorrow ever since. I know God has forgiven me but looking at it now. I took a life and I will have to live with that the rest of my life.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

No one knows that I had an abortion. I have a son and if he found out he would be devastated!

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

DO NOT have an abortion.. there are so many people in this world that want children that can't have children. A baby is a gift from God and the fetus has a soul the very moment it is conceived. Please seek adoption if you can't take care of the child yourself.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

We are killing millions of babies every year and it is murder. You must stop this injustice. We have to speak out for the unborn child.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Harris**

My name is Joanne . I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Oklahoma City OK

02/11/1991

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

7

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I don't feel that the people running the clinic explained that the pain would last a long time. I almost died from my abortion. The doctor left part of the baby and placenta attached and on 2-14-91 I was rushed in to emergency surgery to stop hemorrhaging. I am blessed to still be alive.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

There was no one there to inform me of the feelings and regret that I might feel and to tell me the truth about abortion. I was told that it would be quick and painless. But, I was hurt very deeply and it wasn't painless physically either.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My mother and the father.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

At first I felt overwhelming guilt and confusion. But I know now that God has forgiven me because I have asked Him to. I felt so guilty that I became pregnant 3 months later.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My self-esteem was very low. I felt like I was a murderer, which I was! I drank a lot to become numb

from the pain I felt in my heart.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would tell her that God has given her this wonderful child that she is carrying. If she doesn't feel that she can take care of it then place it up for adoption, because there are caring and wonderful people out there who would love to have a child. The pain from abortion goes way deeper than just the physical pain, it affects all parts of your life. And the doctors and nurses in the clinics don't tell you that you could be risking your life to have an abortion.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

That abortion not only kills innocent babies, but that it destroys women! From the inside out, women are destroyed by guilt, low self-esteem, and depression. I was one of those women. I almost lost my own life due to abortion and the doctor who performed it. I will never forget what happened to me in that room. I cried during the procedure and was told by the doctor and nurse that if I didn't stop crying the doctor would stop in the middle of the procedure and I feel that is what happened and that is why the doctor left part of the baby and placenta attached, which caused me to bleed badly and had to have emergency surgery on the 2-14-91. Please help stop the killing of innocent babies and their mothers.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Tarrant**

My name is P T I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Memphis TN

05/15/1984

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

9

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Full abortion

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

No one explained to me the agony I would feel 20+ years later that I had violated God's covenant with me.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was not told that I would feel regret for the rest of my life that I had terminated God's plan for the children.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Frequently I wonder if I am going to Hell because of my selfish decision to consider my selfish motives over life.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Because of my guilt, my husband suffers from my mood swings and many times from my inability to control my emotions.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Do not go through with the abortion.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Read the Bible - this is the ultimate governing rule.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Concho

My name is Stella Taylor. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

//1964

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

12

3. What type of abortion was performed?

prior roe v wade / in mexico

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

Deep within I knew it was morally wrong but did not really understand the depth of why it was wrong...physically, emotionally and spiritually. I only knew I did not want my parents to find out.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

A clinic in Mexico. You paid. It was done. You left. There was no conversation

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

only my own shame and guilt

9. How has abortion affected you?

For years living in that same shame and guilt. Unable to have children [tho I never married]. Even having received the forgiveness of The Almighty in His infinite mercy still the knowledge of being a party to murder and seeing where our country has gone with no respect nor care for the unborn remains unsettling.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

Hopefully my testimony concerning God's forgiveness has helped and/or guided other women not to make this dreadful mistake.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Under no circumstances. The unborn child is innocent of the act that brought his or her conception. We have no right at all to take life. Adoption is the best alternative rather than abortion.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be

legal?

This is both a moral and consitutional issue. Abortion removes the constitutionally protected "right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness..." That we ARE a Christian nation as evidenced by clear historic information and that as such, abortion is murder and a sin against God and against our own humanity. Women were given the right and privilege to bring life and were NOT given the right to choose death over life. That always has been and is only the perogative of Almighty God.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Erath**

My name is J T . I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Fort Worth TX

01/30/1983

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

13

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

vaginal suction type

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was only given pills to take and asked if I knew I was going to have an abortion and if I was the person listed on the file. No information or techniques were explained at all. I was one of many in a room, treated much like cattle waiting to be worked.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No mention of consequences whatsoever. Only that you might bleed for a few weeks afterwards, then I should be fine.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I developed a poor self esteem, was depressed alot and always viewed "sex" as a bad thing because it had resulted in a "bad thing" for me. It affected my marriage even 10 years after the fact, even to the point of a near divorce. Sexual activity with my husband was mostly viewed as a chore or a duty, not something ordained by a Holy God. Seeing children that would've been the age of my child is still hard to deal with. It is a wound that will never heal. Somewhat like a scab, it comes off and oozes occasionally but never goes away. God's grace is sufficient and does sustain me but the thought of me murdering a child without full knowledge of what was going on or would result is unbelievable sometimes.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

It has been difficult for my husband, though he was the boyfriend, he has dealt with this for many years as well. He always felt like he pressured me into it but it was a mutual decision for fear of disappointing Godly parents. He also felt thru the years like I just married him to try to "right the wrong" which created conflict throughout life. Mine and my parents relationship was strained and remains that way today, even after 25 years. I hid it from them and to this day, they still do not know. That has created some distance that will never be regained.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Do not do it! It is murder. There are other options. God is the giver of life, yes, even in the case of rape or incest. There are plenty of loving parents waiting to adopt and the bumper sticker that read "Abortion- One dead; one wounded" is the most accurate statement anyone has ever made! It is a spur of the moment decision that will affect you for the rest of your life.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Never! It should never be legal! Why would it ever be legal to murder a defenseless baby when it is illegal to murder a person? Unbelievable!! The fetus is a person; living, breathing, and created in God's own image. My question to each of them would be..what if your mother had terminated your life because you were not a "living" person. Would you be here to make decisions like this for Americans today? The affects on the mother are part of what's wrong with the world today. Low self esteem and depression are major causes of other serious downfalls in America today. Think about your own life and your own daughter. Vote NO!!

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of USA

My name is Keri I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

San Antonio TX

12/15/2000

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction aspiration

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I had no idea what I was about to embark on. 2 nurses did take us into a counseling room, 6 at a time, but we just talked about the weather, nothing concrete, it was about 5 minutes that we were in there.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Not one person mentioned anything about any consequences. They just said be sure to take the meds (pain pills) if I had any pain afterward.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

In the most horrific way. To know that I actually murdered my own child, it's the ultimate worst thing ever. I am no different than the murderers in prison right now, but I just paid someone \$250.00 to keep it quiet and make it legal (by calling it a medical procedure). I was in denial as soon as I found out I was pregnant and after the abortion I was even more in denial. I COMPLETELY blocked it out. Until 6 months later when it hit me like a ton of rocks! I cried everyday for 6 months, I was in a depression and scared and had no one to turn to. My family didn't know. It was the worst time of my life. It was only God who helped me.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

It destroyed the dad. He wanted the child, I was scared and did not want a baby. If I had only known than what I know now. After the abortion, he immediately went into the stages of death (denial anger bargaining and depression) very quickly. it took me longer to begin the stages of death. But when they

hit, they hit hard!

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would never ever never tell anyone to have an abortion. I would offer to help her for 9 months and then let me adopt the baby. Beause of my experience, I want to adopt 6 kids. And I will, my husband wants lots of kids too. I just don't feel the need to have my own. I guess because I had the opportunity and blew it. The pain in my heart is not anywhere near nor comparable to any physical pain. And it is a lingering pain that just stays there.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

You are terribly wrong and let me tell you my story because you probably have not been through it, but I have. And you will never be more wrong on any issue than this one.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of el paso

My name is R T I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

El Paso TX

09//1989

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

4

3. What type of abortion was performed?

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

Basically I knew what I had "heard". I was asked if I was sure I wanted the procedure, since I was crying at the time. I stated yes and he proceeded

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I wasn't given any information other than "post" care, watch for excessive bleeding etc.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

It was the last straw in an emotion crisis that had began years prior. By October of that same year, I had a suicide plan that was discovered and interrupted. I was admitted into a "behavioral care" hospital to deal with my depression. At age twenty two and two years later, I attempted suicide by overdosing on my antidepressants and anti-anxiety meds. I was by then married and my husband found me unconscious, I was taken by ambulance to the hospital and my stomach pumped. I had a child in 1993 that is the joy of my life. Through her the Lord has brought me back to Him and I have been able to overcome the depression, guilt and self hate. It took until the year 2000, after my husband suddenly passed away, to begin the long process of forgiveness. It would still be a few more years before I was able to talk about it .

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

I believe that although I already suffered from depression, the abortion kept me bound to unforgiveness and guilt for many years. At the end of 2001 and through 2002, I was in crisis again. Still grieving from my husbands death, depression set in really hard. I considered suicide again as well as "taking" my then eight year old child. It must have been very difficult for her to see me as depressed as I was and having her own grief to deal with (loss of her father). I praise the Lord that He never let go of me during this time and He held me until I was able to see Him and trust in Him again.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would tell her to consider her options very, very carefully. Abortion has a tremendous impact on your life over and beyond what one can imagine prior to it. You cannot undo the damage, I was very fortunate to survive it but it was still very painful and difficult. I will never forget that error. There are better positive ways to deal with an unwanted or unexpected pregnancy

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

When something is legal, it gives the false sense that it is safe or good. The problem is that many women are left with baggage and scars that we don't know how to deal with. They will be dealt with, through self medication, rage, suicide, depression, etc. The consequences are very real and they affect our family, our work environment, our impact on society. These things should be weighed against the right to choose because many women, including myself, have no idea what we are really choosing.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Harris

My name is Carrie Toering. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Grand Rapids MI

01/05/1997

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

6

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction aspiration

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

No one explained to me what was about to happen. They gave me some kind of medication that made me woozy. They gave me an ultrasound and would not let me see what they were looking at, let alone tell me what an ultrasound did. I had no idea how an abortion was done. I was quickly led to a room where I was told to remove my clothes from the waist down. The doctor came in with two nurses and told me to lay back. He said there would be some pressure. I was then immediately held down by the nurses and it felt like I had a knife shoved through my body. I screamed out in pain. I couldn't move while this was happening due to the nurses and the pain. As soon as he was done he said I could get dressed and go to the recovery room. I quickly sat up when the nurses released me and I threw-up all over myself. They gave me some paper towel to clean up, put a pad in my under garments, led me to a room filled with other women, and gave me some kind of paper to sign. They then told me to call my doctor if I had any problems or go to the emergency room if my pain persisted. They said when I felt better I could leave. I drove home barely able to see because of whatever they gave me and my own tears.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was not ready for what I would feel. The depression, the despair. The fact that even after 11 years the wound is still fresh as if it happened today. No one told me that in an instant my life would never be the same and I would be left by myself to deal with all the heart wrenching pain that comes with an abortion. My thoughts are never far from my child, whose life was cut way too short.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My mother and older sister.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It has left me with a broken heart and empty arms. It has left me with an emptiness I will never get over. The tears I cry for this child will never cease.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My husband sees the pain I deal with and it hurts him that there is nothing he can do to comfort me. I have to explain this to my living children someday. I can't even begin to imagine how I'm going to get them, let alone me, through this tough time I am certain to face.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would tell them not to do it. I would tell them to please let their child live. Nothing good will ever come to them by doing the most unnatural thing, a mother murdering her own child.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I wonder what my life would be like today if I never walked into that Planned Parenthood Clinic, if abortion would have never been an option. One thing I know for sure, I would be a happy mother of 4 children instead of 3. My heart would not be forever broken. I have to someday explain to my living children they have a brother or sister in heaven because of an abortion I had. Where's Planned Parenthood, all the doctors and nurses, judges, lawyers, family, so called friends, and everyone else who believes in keeping abortion legal, when I cry myself to sleep at night because my arms long to hold a child I will never be able to lay eyes on this side of heaven. Abortion destroys everyone involved not just the unborn child.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Tarrant

My name is Charlotte Hartzell. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Houston TX

//1978

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was under the impression the tissue was still a blob, not a live baby in my womb. My husband said he was not ready to become a father, so I went to have an abortion, for his convenience. I don't remember anyone explaining it to me to make me consider what I was about to do.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No one told me I was killing my child. I was young and dumb. I have regretted this decision for 29 years, when I realized I had killed my child. I actually had another abortion 6 months after the first abortion- my husband wasn't ready to become a father- convenience. I am not blaming him, but that is why I did it. After the second abortion, I divorced him, because I knew he didn't love me or our baby.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My husband at the time.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I have been grief stricken since I realized that I murdered my 2 children. I regret being so selfish that I committed murder of the children in my womb, for our convenience.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My son is an only child. He always wanted a brother or sister. I wouldn't abort him, even though his father wanted me to.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Don't do it. Children are a gift from God, a blessing. If you can't provide for the child, consider adoption.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

When you become pregnant, there are two lives to be considered, the mother and the baby. The baby is a human being and should have the same rights as the mother. If a person has been raped and become pregnant, let them give up their baby to someone who wants to adopt. Many people are available to help. Do not abort a baby(murder a baby) for the sake of convenience or selfishness. You will always regret it.

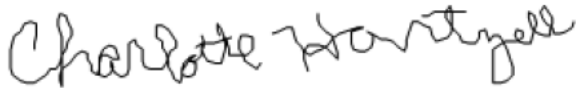
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Brazoria

My name is Amanda Ford. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Houston TX

10/15/1995

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

4

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Vacuum Aspiration

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was told how the abortion would take place.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No, I do not remember being informed of the consequences of the abortion. I do remember being told about aftercare, but never the actual consequences that would occur as a result of having an abortion.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

It was a decision between my husband and I.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Depression and guilt plagued my 20's and 30's. For years, I begged to God for forgiveness and continued to feel alone and depressed. It pulled me away from God and made me feel completely unworthy of His love and forgiveness.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My husband was the only one that knew about the abortion. But, when my oldest daughter became pregnant as a teen, my husband and I told her she needed to have an abortion. It was at that point that I tried to convince her to have an abortion by sharing the fact that I had also had an abortion. Shocked and hurt, my daughter did not have the abortion. My second daughter became pregnant and I shared my story with her as well and she did abort her baby. This has riddled me of guilt and shame for years. I have been tormented by the affects that abortion has had on my youngest daughter. She suffered tremendously emotionally and physically.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would tell her of how incredibly regretful she would be and depression would sure to follow. No matter what she has heard, she has a gift from God growing in her. I would let her know my story and how the cycle of untruths can continue on to hurt others. And know matter what she may think, it will never go away.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Please listen to the affects of abortion. . . Listen to the women that have endured the life long effects of aborting a baby. . . Please listen to our plea for human life. . . For every abortion NOT performed, two lives are literally SAVED. . . Please, save our young women from the most detrimental experience of their lives. . . Please fund alternatives to abortion. . . Fund homes for young women to live while pregnant, fund adoptions, fund education, fund a renewal for life instead of death. . . Please hear our plea for life. Please hear the plea of life from GOD. The very God that made You possible. Please!

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of dallas

My name is t G I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

dallas TX

05/17/1978

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

5

3. What type of abortion was performed?

d and e

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I was fifteenth years old I had been raped by a stranger but I had sex for the first time about a week earlier...I didn't know who I was pregnantby and I never heard before of what abortion actually details and I thought my unborn child was just tissue. It was horrible.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

Mother and half-sister

9. How has abortion affected you?

No man no longer wants me and mental issues such as guilt and depression.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

I didn't tell husband about my abortions and hefound out through my mother when I was in the hospital for an eating disorder and post-partumn depression. He left.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

I would tell her that even though things look bleak and hopeless that you can make it. There are organizations that are available that can help you. Turn to the Lord. Even if you have to go on welfare..nothing is work killing your child. Learn from your experience so that you want repeat the same mistakes.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be

legal?

I don't believe in enabling people but there should be more options for unwed mothers. I have been raped over three times. My cousin Stanley Rushing molested me.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of OK

County of Cleveland

My name is Anisa Neely. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Houston TX

07/11/1995

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

10

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

I am not sure what they called it but it was a suction noise is what I remember.

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

The pamphlet that I received was like you would get if you were going in to have a regular surgery at a Hospital. It had nothing to do with what I would suffer days and years after the abortion. They did an ultra sound to find that there were twins and had me get off of the table to swipe my card again before they could abort the babies. They said they needed 250.00 more dollars. So they ONLY did the ultrasound to see if they needed more money to charge me by how many weeks I was and THEN how many in the womb!

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No! A lie told long enough becomes truth and since Roe vs Wade or before it was said "IT IS JUST TISSUE" AND "LIFE DOES NOT BEGIN IN THE WOMB". So as a 24 year old this is what I knew and never did I ever see this as murder, because AMERICA'S GOVERNMENT ALLOWED THIS LIE AND ALLOWED MURDER(ABORTION)! I WAS A YOUNG WOMEN WHO HAD FAITH IN AMERICA AND THE GOVERNMENT WHO RAN IT AND I WAS BETRAYED BY AMERICA'S GOVERNMENT ALLOWING ABORTION(MURDER)TO BECOME LEGAL!

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Shame,self hatred,no self-esteem,depression,insecurity,I take medicine for a chemical imbalance that this abortion triggered and fear had griped me for years after my son was born two years after my second abortion...that something might happen to him. The abortion left me with trauma that has taken years to forgive myself and heal and overcome.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I do not know shortly after the abortions, I had two; both men in my life...the abortions were about 4 years apart...never came back around.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

That it will cause or more pain and trauma for years to come. It is not the answer we think when we say aborting (murdering) this baby will take care of the problem. NO! YOUR GREATEST NIGHTMARE BEGINS ONLY HOURS AFTER YOU HAVE AN ABORTION!

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

MY FRIEND TOLD ME OF A LIVE ABORTION BEING PERFORMED THE BABY WAS 20 WEEKS IN THE WOMB. THE ULTRASOUND WAS PLACED ON THE WOMEN'S STOMACH AS THE ABORTION WAS BEING PERFORMED THE BABY WAS MOVING AWAY FROM THE INSTRUMENT AND THE BABIES MOUTH WAS OPEN. THE INSTRUMENT THEN ATTACHED ITSELF TO THE BABY AND HIS HEAD WAS TO BIG TO GO THROUGH THE INSTRUMENT SO THEY STUCK FORCEPS IN THE WOMB AND CRUSHED THE BABIES HEAD SO THAT IT COULD BE SUCKED THROUGH! MY GOD AMERICA WHAT ARE YOU DOING? AND I THOUGHT HITLER WAS THE BAD GUY!

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Midland

My name is Thelma I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Odessa TX

01/06/1986

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

5

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

They hooked up like a vacume cleaner to mu uterus and turned it on.

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

The nurse never told me of the complications I would suffer later in years due to the abortion.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

After the abortion I was never able to get pregnant again. So I have never had any natural children. I wish I could have had at least one child.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Don't know. The daddy to the baby ended up committing suicide a few weeks later. He couldn't bear knowing he was the cause of the abortion.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would plead for her to rethink it. I would tell her that the life she carries inside her body is a gift from God and that she should take special care of it.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

If they believe killing a baby just because the mother decides she doesn't want it, then we should legalize all the other killing methods people use. Killing is killing no matter which way you present it and it goes against My Heavenly God's will.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Harris**

My name is Suzanne I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

New York City NY

04//1972

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

vacuum

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was told that it was just a "blob of tissue". About a month afterwards, I saw a front page story in the newspaper with a photo of a 10-week old fetus's perfectly formed foot, and realized that my baby was fully formed - a real baby, that I had let be destroyed by being pulled apart.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

They do not tell you of the psychological or emotional problems you WILL have, after you realize that you took part in murdering your own flesh and blood. Or that it would be better for you developmentally to give your baby life and responsibly give your baby up for adoption if you felt you could not support him or her, or decide to keep him or her...that it was worth everything.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

a university chaplain told me who to call

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Guilt, sadness, depression, self-destruction, self-hatrid. If I had not given my life to the Lord the following year, receiving forgiveness, I would not have been able to live with myself. But even after that life-changing experience of becoming a christian, there is never a time that goes by that I do not remember what I've done or what happened, and that I actually had 4 children in my life, not just 3. And that I'm hiding some terrible thing about myself from those who think I am so good and kind.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Most do not know, and those who do never talk about it.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

What is inside of you is NOT a "blob of tissue", it is a real live baby. "Choice" "pro abortion" is choosing to have your baby killed. It is an event that will haunt you all the days of your life with regret and guilt. It is better for you to give birth to your child, and if you decide afterwards it's impossible to keep him or her, let your baby be adopted by parents yearning for a child to love.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

It is the murder of a tiny human being....It is the choice to kill someone, someone innocent and defenseless. If someone doesn't want their child, they should give birth to the baby and give it to someone who does. It makes the birth mother take responsibility to do something good with the situation they find themselves in. I believe majority of the time, the mother will have a change of heart and find a way to keep and care for that child, if abortion wasn't so easy and available. I believe our country is in a downward spiral because of this great tragedy.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Denton

My name is Marlene O'Keefe. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

White Plains NY

09/20/1979

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

10

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

D & C

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was told that this was just "tissue", and it would be removed.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I've had two abortions, which I deeply regret. At the time I bought into the lie that these were not babies.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Just myself

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

My life has been an unhappy one since I found out the truth, and I believe my hysterectomy was due to these abortions. I led an immoral life, which was contrary to my nature prior to the abortions, and there is not a day that goes by that I don't think about the children I killed. My depression got very bad until I received post-abortive counseling.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I've broken 4 engagements because I could not face committing to a marriage and children, even though I felt I loved these men.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

DON'T DO IT. You have no idea how much or how long you will suffer the consequence of the abortion.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be**

legal?

Killing of an unborn child is not a legal action, anymore than killing someone already born. This baby can feel pain, and the research on the child in the womb has determined that this is a viable, human being. The numbers of babies killed in the womb over the last 40 years is an abomination. Please put an end to it. This is not a "woman's choice" She made her choice before she got pregnant. Taking the life of her unborn child is not her prerogative. There is no "choice"; there is only pro life or pro murder.

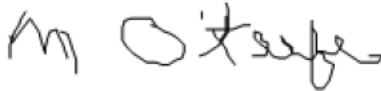
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Bexar

My name is Kimberly I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

San Antonio TX

10//1982

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

11

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

some sort of vacuum

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was not given any counseling or alternatives.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No counseling. Just told to sign on the dotted line. I was 19.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My nineteen year old husband.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Horribly. The guilt and depression that followed has been ongoing for years. I know God forgives me, but it's very hard to forgive myself. My marriage failed for obvious reasons. I cried through the whole procedure. The doctor told me to "shut up" or he wouldn't finish. I was terrified of him. And I even more terrified of my first husband. I was not given any type of anesthetic. I was in excruciating pain for days.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My second child, Nicole grew up in a divorced home due to the abortion. I became pregnant with her three years later and divorced her father after he asked me "what was I going to do about it (pregnancy with her)?" I told him I was having a baby with or without him. My husband of an 18 year marriage is aware. I told him before we were married. He's lived through the pain of this with me. I've taken anti-depressants, abused alcohol because of it.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would tell her to have the child and give it up for adoption or to seriously consider keeping it. So many

people can't have children on their own. Then at least good would come out of it and she would know she gave a child life and a chance. I would tell them about my hurt and depression. And I have shared my experience with a few others on a very personal level.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I know because I've done the research and it's a subject very close to my heart. Less than 3-5% of all pregnancies are due to rape and incest. I believe ONLY in those cases should it be legal...BUT at the very least...clinics should give women the facts and alternatives and treat them with kindness. I was so afraid. I know that many women treat abortion as birth control which is so very wrong. I also know I've never met a women who didn't regret or wasn't saddened by having gone through with one.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Montgomery

My name is Shelley I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Pomona CA

10/19/1987

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

3. What type of abortion was performed?

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

I was not given any information about the procedure.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I was told it was "no big deal".

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

The abortion affected many areas of my life. I went through periods of depression. After many years, I realized that the times I was depressed were around the time of year I had the abortion or when my baby would have been born. It affected my relationship with my husband. I met him after the abortion, and had a lot of anger, guilt and shame for what I did. It affected how I mothered my children. I was EXTREAMLY over-protective. I felt like I did not do my job protecting my first child, I was not going to let anything happen to my other children. I feared God would allow something to happen to my children to punish me for what I did. Thankfully, I finally realized that is not Who God is. He is a loving and forgiving God who wants me to walk in His love and forgiveness, not fear.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

It affected my husband and my children

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

DON'T DO IT! The emotional pain is life-long. Giving your child life is a selfless gift. Abortion is not a quick fix. It is a way of trying to cover one "problem" that only leads to other problems.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be

**legal?**

We, as women, have been told for so long it is our body we have the right to choose. However, we are not told everything that goes along with that choice. We are not told the emotional trauma that we will deal with. I have friends that had complications from their abortions and have not been able to have children. They were never told the child they were aborting might be their only chance at being a mom. I have cried with them and seen their deep suffering as a result of abortion. Those that believe abortion is good thing for women have not sat down and talked to post-abortive women over a long period of time. I don't mean right after the abortion. I mean 2 years, 5 years, 10-20 years later. We have hurting women all over this county that believed the lie that abortion was a good choice.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Harris

My name is P      O      I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Odessa TX

04//1985

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

14

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was not informed of much. I was under the impression that the baby was not really formed at this point. Just still a bunch of cells.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Only made aware that I would no longer be pregnant

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I had a fear that I would not be able to become pregnant. Once I did become pregnant and saw an ultrasound of what a fetus looked like at 14 weeks I was devastated to know what I had actually done all those years ago. Now I live with the knowledge that I am responsible for taking a life.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

No one knows

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

There are so many people who want to adopt children I can't see abortion as an option. It will haunt you for the rest of your life.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Even in the most extreme cases of rape I believe a woman will live with regret and heartache over taking the life of an innocent child.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Denton**

My name is Patti Parr. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Houston TX

06//1996

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

D&C

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was not told anything other than the medical risks

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Only told of the medical risks as with any surgery

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

No Answer

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I spent years with severe depression, unable to contact emotionally with anyone, was withdrawn and emotionally isolated from family and friends. Went into therapy

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Unable to have quality relationships with me.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

That it is not a "simple" procedure but a life-changing operation and that the ramifications linger on years, decades beyond it, impacting many facets of life--the physical, mental, emotional and spiritual.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Try it first!

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Tarrant

My name is Gale Payne. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Fort Worth TX

02/14/1983

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

???

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I just remember it being very cold, mechanical. The doctor seemed to be devoid of feeling. He spent maybe 2 minutes speaking to me before the procedure.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Consequences? NO ONE mentioned consequences. I personally found them out after the fact.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Our family physician

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

From the moment the doctor inserted whatever it was into me, something inside of me died. REALITY hit me! I had just allowed someone to murder my baby. There was no turning back. It was years before February could roll around that I wasn't a basket case. Crying for no reason, just the loss of my baby.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My children never had the relationship with this sibling. My son was hurt the most, he so longed for a brother. He to this day feels cheated.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Think again. Even if you've been told the baby will most likely be born with MAJOR defect, THINK AGAIN. Abortion is murder and it kills more than just the child within you.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be**

legal?

There are so many people that long for a child, why must you take this opportunity away from them. Children today are abusing their babies because they've been taught by well meaning people that it is not a life. PLEASE, Stop and think about our children. You are sending them the wrong message. LIFE BEGINS AT CONCEPTION.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Williamson

My name is A P I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Leander TX

07/10/2007

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

3

3. What type of abortion was performed?

Suction-aspiration

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

It has affected me a lot, I think about whether or not if I made a good choice every day, but for me it was something I had to do for myself, I was very young and had a lot going for me. I was with a guy who controlled me and made me feel like nothing. I know that my baby is in heaven with God and I know that I did not kill a human being.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

When it first happened it affected my family and I but we have grown and have gotten threw it and are now closer as a family.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

I don't know honestly. I had my abortion because their was no life, it was tissue. If there was an eye or a heartbeat I would have backed out.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

I believe that an abortion is a women's choice. I could not have a second or third trimester abortion, it was very difficult for me to have a first trimester abortion, but it was a choice I had to make. I don't

believe you should take a decision from a women.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Bexar**

My name is Lelar Phoenix. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Lubbock TX

12/18/1977

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was just told that I would not be pregnant anymore and could finish my education. Was not given any type of advise or counseling.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was not told that there might be reproductive problems in the future or I could have psychological problems.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I never married so therefore had only one child, the one I killed through abortion, he is in heaven with God.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Well I can't say as I never revealed I was pregnant to anyone but at the pregnancy clinic and the abortion clinic.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Abortion is never an option when one is carrying a human life within their body. If one does not want to be a single mother, give the baby up for adoption to a loving home. Please, please don't kill this precious human life that God loves.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be**

legal?

It is as wrong to kill a human life growing inside a woman's body as it is to kill a human person that is outside the body. It is wrong to kill a person whether unborn or born. Human life is created by God not man and God is the one to decide who lives or dies. When man decides to be god himself and kills innocent life, the God of creation will have the last say ultimately.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Williamson

My name is D P I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Lansing MI

01/31/1976

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I just worked an extra job, my boyfriend paid 1/2, then I walked through the front doors, said why I was there and they took me to a waiting room w/other sad girls and women, and then went through it all.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

it was just take my money and herd us through. I don't recall any discussion.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

my boy"friend"

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

oh gosh. I went through the worst depression in my life: I stopped eating; I walked at night around the campus singing and crying; I separated from all friends and family. If Wanting to die could kill you - I would have died. I felt as though my insides were completely empty of all life and love. I lost the most weight I have ever lost in the next month. I really don't know how I came out of this state.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I became a sidewalk counselor in Houston Texas for 2 yrs - once a week. I would tell other women, "Please don't do this thing." I am thankful that some turned around. I met one little baby later with her momma and it really helped me to heal. My kids know about it and I believe they are pro-life.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Dont Do It. You will Not be better off. This will not make you happier - it will cause more problems instead of helping your life. I HATED my boyfriend after having an abortion. in my heart - all I could think

was "how could he want our baby to be killed?" So I say: Love yourself more than that; Have respect for your ability to bring new life into the world!

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Do What Is Right... not What is expedient. Only God gives life and takes it." When you think you can make God's decisions, You will be judged by God in this life. Fear God from whom all laws proceed.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Randall

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### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Lubbock TX

04/11/1974

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

vaccuum

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I know that I was going to terminate a pregnancy. I had no knowledge of the nature until experiencing it. I was led to believe that it would be a simple procedure and over in a short length of time.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Abortion had only been "approved" by the federal government a year earlier, so, "No, no consequences were discussed, and probably none were known then."

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I know that I killed my little baby. I believe that "it" was my son. I have cried several times of the horrible thing that I done! Even 35 years later, I still cannot share with anyone what I've done. I, too, feel like I am a horrible individual. As soon as I left the abortion clinic in Lubbock I had to throw-up a huge flow. Two weeks later, I was dropping blood-clots as large as a softball. For two days it was constant. I went to the hospital. I had lost so much blood that I had to have a blood transfusion. I was allergic to something in the blood. I broke out in itching. The hospital gave me a shot to counteract the allergic reaction. Therefore, from the actual abortion (where the nurse had to continually stroke my hand, coax me with her words that "it will be alright," all the while I am crying -- not only because of the pain of pulling my baby loose from me, but futhermore the philosophical aspects of terminating my baby's life -- a lady cannot go through with that and not know that it is immoral; she knows!, plus, the doctor was cold, aloof, and it was only and all just a medical procedure to him), through all my adult years it has been nothing but BAD.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My two girls and husband know that it is extremely heart- wrenching to me that I had an abortion performed on me. They are sorry for me; they don't want me to be so hard on myself; they have compassion for me because they know that the way I look at it is that I took the life of one that I could've loved.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Please don't. Even if you cannot raise the little one yourself, let some man and woman adopt your little one. It wouldn't be easy to give up the little one, but the baby will have life and your conscientious will be clean.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Unless you have been through an abortion yourself and unless, too, you've lived a long life after an abortion, you have no idea the implications that you have to sustain and carry. That is, of course, that you have a conscientious.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Smith

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### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Houston TX

05/23/1997

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

6

3. What type of abortion was performed?

DNC

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I was given a five minute "counseling" session in a room with approximately fifteen other women present. I was told that i could just move forward in my life, once this "problem" was taken care of. I was assured that it was something I would simply "put behind me".

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

The father

9. How has abortion affected you?

I have never "put it behind me". I now have other children and there is never a birthday or Christmas that passes that I don't wonder about my first child. I have a dark secret.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

Very few people know about it.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

DON'T DO IT!!! YOU WILL REGRET IT!!! IT IS MURDER!!!

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

It is an abomination to God. It is never an option, regardless of the circumstances.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Collin

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### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

St. Louis MO

//1992

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

I have no idea

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I took a home pregnancy test and then followed up at Planned Parenthood to confirm my pregnancy. My bouyfreind and I rented a 2 family flat in a not so great area of St. Louis. We didn't have much furniture, we had no bed. When I found out I was pregnant, they asked what I wanted to do. When I asked what options I had, abortion was the only one they mentioned. It sounded reasonable considering I was broke. I thought it would be "easier" than putting up for adoption.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

The only consequence discussed was that after the procedure that I would have cramps for a couple of days and some bleeding. Nothing was ever mentioned about the sense of loss that would be ongoing to my entire life. Or the guilt.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

There was a sense of urgency.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I have felt guilt and a huge sense of loss of what my son or daughter may have been. And the secret that I have kept from my family. After 10 years of marriage I finally told my husband.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Depression!

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

DON" T DO IT. pregnancy is forever, whether you abort, give up the baby for adoption, or keep it to raise

yourself. There are so many women who can't have children and by putting the child up for adoption, you are giving the gift of life to the new family and honoring God's gift as well. The psychological ramifications of aborting are so long lived, it's not worth even considering.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

No, it should not be legal. I recently received a planned parenthood propaganda literature in my mailbox. What was interesting is that it spoke out against laws in other countries that are against women, and how they are not allowed to abort legally so they have to go to shady places to abort. If they have complications that results in their death, lives are lost. Interesting, aren't more lives being lost by allowing abortion? Also, we pronounce someone as being dead if they have no heartbeat. If you can hear the heartbeat of your unborn child, doesn't that prove life? and by aborting, isn't that murder?

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of travis

My name is Kathi Hall. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

los angeles CA

03/10/1980

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

16

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

saline

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was told that the saline introduced into the uterus terminated the pregnancy. No mention was made of the effect on the fetus, that I would be in labor, and deliver a dead baby by myself in a bedpan.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No mention of the guilt, shame and ongoing grief that I would experience for the rest of my life. No mention of the horrible pain and suffering I inflicted on my unborn child.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

my parents. I was 16 years old.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Grief, grief, and more grief. Guilt over my weakness.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

No one knows other than my parents. There is still a distance between us.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Please Don't! It will effect you forever. You will know inside that you killed your baby. There is help for you!

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

It is murder, absolutely. We, the women that have had one, know it inside. Protect the helpless, both

the mother and the child.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Travis

My name is Heen Dean. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Binghamton NY

07/07/1982

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

7

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction d&c

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was not informed of the sounds, the pain, or the conversation that would occur during the abortion.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was not informed of the depression, infertility issues or increased risk of breast cancer.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

the baby's father/my boy friend

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

The guilt, shame, loss, grief, and deep sadness is difficult to describe. One is not to experience or express grief and loss over an aborted child...who do you tell? what do you say? All this emotional pain remains buried, and just under the surface of what appears to others as a controlled balanced life. A lie...we live a lie. Anger simmers just below the surface waiting to explode. I have a very strong family history of breast cancer. Now I anticipate and dread the diagnosis for myself. I had two abortions a year apart. I had infertility issues carrying out three children after these abortions.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I had to tell my husband...very painful. Then I experienced several miscarriages which also caused him much pain. He also has been affected by my emotional state...my anger and sadness. I also had to tell our children. And it now is part of my testimony of all God has brought me through. His forgiveness and redemption.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would explain exactly what they will experience during the abortion...the sound of your child being sucked out of your body. The searing pain during the dilatation of your cervix and scrapping of the uterine wall. And that there is a chance of perforation of the uterus that can result in a hysterectomy, and sterility. The emotional consequences are tremendous, life long lasting and very difficult. You will go through the grieving process...however you will most likely be stuck in the process until you admit you have killed your child. You will remember for the rest of your life the day of your abortion and the day your baby is due. This will never leave you.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Every mother knows that they have just killed their child. Killing is wrong. A mother is held accountable the moment she delivers a child for it's welfare. 36 weeks earlier this should be no different. At the time of my abortions 1 out of 4 women experienced abortion. Now it is 1 out of three. This is a silent epidemic we could end by doing the right and moral thing. Please hear our hearts and honor our experiences with a redeeming act of justice.

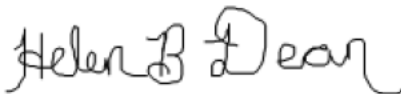
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Tom Green

My name is Mitzi Atkinson. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Austin TX

03/28/2000

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Curettage

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I went to Austin Women's Health Center in south Austin. The girls laughed amongst one another while trying to get a vein to draw blood after the fourth attempt. I was given 3 pills and asked what they were and the girl said, "I don't know." I was taken to the exam room where nitrus oxide was administered by a nurse. The doctor came in shortly thereafter and performed the procedure.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I had no counseling. This was 12 years ago so I don't know if they had it at the time, but their website [www.austinwomenshealth.com](http://www.austinwomenshealth.com) claims to they provide counseling on the procedure and its effects.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

boyfriend

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

My life was a disaster. I self-medicated to hide the pain. I hated myself and wanted to die for three years afterward. It was awful!

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I don't feel like it has affected others because it has been so long ago. I don't know that it affected anyone because no one really knew and I was living 3 hours away from family. I only told a small circle of friends and a few cousins.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Thankfully I have healing and forgiveness from the Pregnancy Help Center in San Angelo, TX and

volunteer as a peer counselor. I would urge them not to do it, share my story and let them know that abortion is not a quick fix. That it is an open door to pain and torment. Adoption is always an option.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I would tell them to pretend that someone had repeatedly ripped their heart out and to be silent while it happened. That the very being of their existence was taken from them (even if by choice out of fear) and there is nothing they could do to get it back. You are not only taking the life of the unborn child but the life of the mother as well even if it doesn't kill her physically.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Navarro**

My name is Amanda Coyle. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Dallas TX

10//2000

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

not sure

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was fifteen at the time and was forced by my mother to have an abortion. I do not recall much of the actual day or leading up to it. The trauma of it all has affected my memory badly.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

See above

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

my mom - biologically grandmother

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It completely changed who I was. Before the abortion, I was an outgoing, social teenager. After, I lost my worth and value as a person, became depressed and anti-social. The insecurities took over me for ten years until God brought healing. I became a people pleaser and tried to prove in any way I could that I was a good person.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

It affected all my relationships. I was no longer the same person, but no one knew why. I carried the pain into a marriage that didn't survive and am now a single mom doing my best to not let my negative past affect my daughter's future.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Please choose life for your child. There are so many other options than death. Not only are you ending your child's life, but you will be profoundly affecting yours in ways you could never imagine. I would ask if I could share my story and pray with her.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Murder is murder, period. A woman's right stops at her own body. A child has a right to life, it should not be someone else's choice. I would like to point out the cases of mothers and fathers being charged with murder when they intentionally kill their children and ask how it is okay then for the same thing to occur in clinics across the country and it be declared a medical procedure. I would like to share the emotional and mental aftershocks of this simple medical procedure. I would also like to stand up and say that rape is NOT an excuse to allow an abortion. You should not punish the child for the father's crime. I can first handedly tell them that having the life of your child ripped from your body is much more traumatic then having your body taken over unwillingly. The loss of a child is a haunting sorrow that never fades in time.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Williamson**

My name is Toni McKinley. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Phoenix TX

10//1990

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

IDK, drugged and held against my will

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was held down in a chair as I screamed to leave yelling I do not want an abortion. The nurse injected my arm with a drug and I was out as in not awake or able to move at all.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No one talked to me. I was held against my will and drugged against my will.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

boyfriend coerced/ nurse drugged me

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

For years I have struggled with shame and guilt and blame for waling into the clinic and for not being stronger and more forceful to try to get away. I coped with alcohol, self-harm, and suicidal tendencies for years.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My husband has a difficult time talking about it and doesn't want the subject brought up if he can avoid it. He was my boyfriend before this incident happened with a different boyfriend. My daughter has always had the feeling that she has an older sibling. When she was mature enough to handle the situation I told her what happened. She was devastated that her, what she likes to imagine as her brother, was killed and never given a chance at life. She yearns for an older brother.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would tell her to not walk in unless she has been fully informed and has 100% decided to have an abortion. I would share my experience and how it affected my whole life and my family.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I would share my experiences of self destruction and guilt and how it has kept me from being a productive citizen in my community. It wasn't until I faced the reality that it wasn't my fault that I began to have healing and was able to focus and workout the goals I have for my life. I would stress the importance of at least passing legislation to ensure that girls go into the clinic having a choice to walk out. There should be screening done to ask girls who come in if anyone is coercing them to be there. If I was asked why I was there I could of told the nurse I was there for more information. I wanted to know more about what an abortion was. I was not there to get an abortion.


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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Montgomery

My name is Linda I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Huntington Beach CA

04/27/1982

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

6

3. What type of abortion was performed?

Don't know

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

I was told it was fetal tissue and that this was a very common procedure. It never occurred to me that it was murder, particularly the murder of my own child. They wouldn't dare tell you that "Your about to murder your own child." During my 20s and in total ignorance, I had three abortions.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

Nothing was ever mentioned about the deep sadness and despair I would experience. Nor was any counselling offered. It was all very clinical!

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

The pain and sadness I live with, especially when I look at the 5 beautiful children I now have, is overwhelming at times. I feel betrayed by my fellow man, society, and in my own blindness at the time of the abortions. I looked for doctors to counsel me and I ended up being a party to murder. I am so thankful to my God that he has forgiven me and given me the ability to see the truth, no thanks to this depraved western culture. The church has been very healing in this regard.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

I have a very difficult time trusting people and believing what they say. In a very real sense, I tend to be cynical, even though I am blessed with a wonderful husband and 5 beautiful adult children.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

The truth should be told that abortion is murder. But even more importantly, the message of abstinence should be shouted from the rooftops, which is what I've taught all my children. Unwanted teenage pregnancy is only the manifestation of a deeper problem, premarital sex. What kind of country would this be if premarital sex were frowned upon instead of exhaulted.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Since Roe v Wade, science has provided proof that this "fetal tissue" is indeed a person. More than any other time in history, this is indisputable. Please outlaw this horrible practice of infantacide that has caused millions of us pain. It's usually not expedient or convenient to do what is right.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Harris

My name is Mary Lee Mason. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Roanoke VA

12/10/1980

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Dilatation and Curettage with the Vacuum

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

No, they said it was a simple procedure to take care of my problem.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was told it was a blob of tissue and not a baby. They told me it was like getting a tooth pulled and that I would walk out the door the same way that I was before I got pregnant. I was told there were no side affects.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

The moment I walked out the door of the abortion clinic I was different. Not only the physical pain I had but the emotional pain was so deep I didn't understand. I started drinking heavily to deaden the pain. I kept it a secret for 20 years and it ate a huge hole in my heart. Every time I saw or heard the word abortion I would cry and go into a dark depression period. Every year around the anniversary of my abortion I would sob uncontrollably and would be depressed for weeks.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

The father of my aborted baby refused to ever date another woman who could get pregnant. He knew he didn't deserved to be a father since he allowed me to kill his first and only child. To this day he has never fathered another child. During the years it affected my relationships with my spouse and other children.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Never, ever have an abortion! Abortion will affect you for the rest of your life. It's a baby from the time of conception. If you can't raise this baby choose to make an adoption plan. There are so many other options besides abortion. Abortion doesn't end your problems its the beginning of many more problems.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Abortion HURTS! Just because it's legal I thought it was OK and believed what the abortion clinic told me. It was all a lie. I've been scarred for life! How can something "legal" hurt SO much!!!!

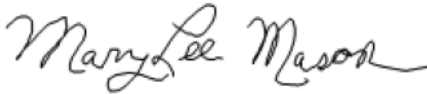
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Bexar**

My name is Louise Mathews. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Dallas TX

07//1967

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

10

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

No. Not a word.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No. Not a word

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Baby's father and baby's grandfather

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Shame,guilt,fear of rejection,promiscuity,remorse, grief- stricken,unworthy of love & trust,wrecked my self esteem,estranged from my God,unable to forgive myself. Silent for 38 yrs.Hypocrite,liar."Replacement Baby Syndrome". Incompetent cervix caused 6 week premature delivery of my twin sons.One twin died & felt God may have taken him as due punishment for abortion. Had to have cervical cerclage on third pregnancy to avoid premature delivery of next child.It changed who I am and who my child was to be. Thoughts of suicide. Left a hollowness in my soul. Believed I was a bad person. Crying episodes. Anger invaded me when I least expected it. Anger affected how I disciplined my sons while at the same time I was over-protective. Bitterness. Loneliness in crowd.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

The abortion affected my relationship with my husband. We divorced and have remarried each other. He never knew of my abortion prior to ever meeting him. After I told him and read part of the book I am writing he had two comments. "I never knew you had this turmoil in you. It explains a lot." I feel the

anger episodes caused me to take things out on our sons to an undeserved degree, not always, but at times. After being disowned by my dad I preferred to avoid him and felt hurt that he could enjoy and become so animated around my nieces, yet ignore me, his own daughter. I needed him. Avoidance and non-committal to relationships with my friends and my two sisters.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

It was the worst thing I ever did in my life. How it haunts me still and has changed me forever. At conception God planted a soul in your child. She is already a mother. Adrian Rogers once told an abortion-minded young woman, "Young woman, you will have your baby. You will either have a live baby or a dead baby, but you will have your baby." Her womb should be a safe place not a tomb. Children are a blessing, a gift from God. We get things out of order as a consequence of our sins, but this child is not a mistake. No matter how this child was conceived; whether rape, incest, drugged or permissiveness this child has as much of a right to its life as they have. If parenting is not for her then adoption is a gift of life to both her child and adoptive parents who would love to love this child. I also stress that this child is not now and never was a blob of tissue. It is premeditated murder to take a life. This life is a human life with a soul and rights. It can't speak for itself yet, but if it could this son or daughter would ask, "What have I done that was so awful that you want to kill me?"

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I would tell them of the scars on my soul and of the vacancy in my heart and life till this very day. The ache and regrets never fade. Abortion is believing a lie straight out of hell. At least on the battlefields our countrymen have died upon they were given weapons to defend themselves with before they fell. What weapon does this child have? Too young to vote so he has no weapon, no voice and no defense. You never get over having had an abortion. Abortion lowers the value of human life. Spreads corruption in the hearts of those who choose death for their child. Although you "get away with murder" as far as society views it, your heart died along with your child. Their memory of what they have done is its own prison. God made mothers to be nurturers not murderers. I was speaking to a woman inmate in prison once and I told her my group and I were there to help women like me who have had an abortion(s) and to find healing from this heinous crime we have committed against our children and our sin against God. She told me she was in for forgery. She reasoned, "So I'm in here because I passed some hot checks, yet you murdered a baby and you are free!" She was 100% right and just in her opinion. I ask you...whose crime was worse? Her forgery or my act of murder? Who had done more harm?

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Harris**

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### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Houston TX

05/18/1977

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

20

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

don't remember

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

They made move in the hall like bunch of cattle and then gave you an injection and then removed the fetus - when you woke it was still beside you - very dramatizing for the rest of my life!!!

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

mother

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I regretted it for the rest of my life - very dramatized by it!!

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

They were devastated

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Don't do it - God will help you in everything that you do or go through!!

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

- People need to be informed of the circumstances involving this - it kills the child and the adult both in and out - will never be the same again - the planned parenthood abortion clinics only care about the money and not the person or child - they treat you like a cattle getting ready for slaughter - they don't even have the decency to put the fetus up when you are thrown with the abortion - they leave the fetus there for you to see the great big mistake you just did - and it will dramatize you for the rest of your life - if I only had someone to explain the circumstances involving the abortion - I would never had it - I pray all people understand the hurt and the horrible experience you will go through - Please don't let be legal!!!

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Tarrant

My name is Michelle Matthews. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Wichita KS

02/19/1999

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

7

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

Not informed that my baby was a baby. Not informed of the psychological damage.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Post traumatic stress is a consequence of abortion and I was not informed of it.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It has negatively affected every relationship in my life. Anger, irritable, guilt, shame, crying, suicidal thoughts, depression, regret, nightmares, flashbacks, alcohol, drugs.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Having to do deal with the negative effects listed above.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

They tell you it is an easy fix that will be over soon. It is not an easy fix that is over soon. It does not fix anything. It breaks your heart for the rest of your life. It's a life long ache that never goes away. You will always miss your child. You will remember your due date every year for the rest of your life. Your child's birthday that didn't happen. Please do not do this to your unborn child or to yourself. This baby is wanted by thousands of families who can't have children on their own. This baby was chosen to come into this world by our loving Father in heaven. This baby has a purpose here on earth. You will regret not having this baby for the rest of your life.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

How can it be legal to cause so much pain on a woman? How can it be legal to allow a mother to murder her own child? How can it be legal to put this trauma on a woman for the rest of her life? Abortion does not fix anything. It makes things worse. It's not an easy fix. It's a life long regret. You don't see that because you aren't seeking us out 10-20 years after the abortion when the post traumatic stress has set in and our lives are in dissary. Our families are suffering because of the choice we made. We are suffering because of the choice we made...that we were allowed to make. We believed the lies we were told at the clinics about abortion. It's all a lie. LIE.


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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Tarrant

My name is jeri I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Ft. Collins CO

//1976

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

24

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

I don't know. I was in a hospital and they injected something in my stomach

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was so young and just said I wanted it to go away. The doctor just scheduled it. I remember being in the elevator coming out of the procedure, when the nurse wheeled me back to my hospital room and the look of condemnation. I remember mumbling something justifying and trying to excuse my situation but I knew in my heart I had just had my child murdered.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was told nothing.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I have had 2 abortions. I was deceived. I thought I could just ask for forgiveness from God and go on. I see now how the guilt and shame affected my self esteem. This caused me to accept an abusive marriage. I felt unworthy.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I have never told anyone about it but my mother and family suffered greatly when they knew I was in an abusive marriage. I see now how as a direct result of the guilt and shame from the abortion it propelled me in the situation of marrying a controlling person.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

As hard as it is, go to a parent or caring adult to help you through the situation. You have a child inside of you and you cannot kill the child and think that it wont affect you. It will--avoid the future hurt and

pain and bring your situation into the light and don't hide it. Be of courage, ask God for help and He will see you through. There are options available to you.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Killing is wrong. Killing a child is especially wrong and will have a consequence. There will be incredible heartache and pain at some point in the woman's life, those involved in performing the abortion, and our nation.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Bexar

My name is Erica I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Anchorage AK

06/05/1986

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

4

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

Not being very sure of how far along I was, less than a month for sure, I did not know how well formed my baby was. Having been indoctrinated in the pro-choice movement and thinking it was all ok, I didn't realize I was actually killing my child. I thought it was just a blob.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was told it was a simple procedure, that it would only take a few minutes. I was not informed of possible consequences of injury. I had no anesthesia, I was awake the whole painful time. I was very lucky that I was not injured.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My husband forced me into a second abortion.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I tried to block it out of my mind for a long time. I would try not to look at babies and pregnant women. When I saw a small child I would think, "my child would be x years old...". It was painful for me to celebrate other people's children. I thought about it nearly everyday, that I could have had a child growing up and doing something with his/her life - even if it was with another family. I've suffered loss of self, and esteem, guilt, depression, weight gain. These may not seem like much, but it has been debilitating and has affected what I've been able to do for a career. I became a dis-functioning adult. Now, many years later, I am finally getting the grief counseling I need and am working on self forgiveness. It is a very painful process.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My second abortion, which took place in Scotland, in 1998, destroyed my marriage, as my husband forced me to kill our child. My self worth was terminated that same day. I have not told many people about it. My parents were sad to learn of it, but we haven't talked much about it. My children don't know yet that their father and I killed their sibling.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

There are so many couples "out there" who are not able to have children of their own, and are desperate for wanting a family. Why throw away something that someone else can and would love? It would be much easier to live with yourself knowing that instead of destroying someone, you allowed them to live with a family who wants them, loves them and can help them to be a wonderful member of society. I would much rather live my life knowing that my child was happy with another family, than to know I killed them.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Usually, by the time a woman thinks she is pregnant, the child she is carrying already has a beating heart and developing organs. Even at this early stage, abortion is taking a life. A woman has a right to choose what to do with her body, but once she is pregnant, there is another life involved. It is no longer just her body. The aborted baby is not her life, it is the child's life. If someone who kills a pregnant woman can be charged with double homicide, then the woman who aborts should be charged too - after all, women who kill their children after birth would go to jail. The abortion industry is about one thing, making money. It has nothing to do with the welfare of mother or child. Many women each year are killed, severely wounded, and/or made infertile because of the lack of regulation for the abortion procedure. Women are not told of the depression and self hatred that comes after an abortion. They are not told of the PTSD that follows and is ignored by the abortion clinics. They are not told that if something goes wrong, they could die. Legalizing abortion has only made it easier for women to get them, it has NOT made it safer.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Fort Bend

My name is Carla I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Houston TX

09//1979

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

10

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was 16 years old and my mother forced me to have an abortion. They explained everything to her not me.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was 16 years old, they explained everything to my mother, not me. All I knew was that I was pregnant and after they did whatever they were going to do I wouldnt be anymore.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

mother

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Horrible unending guilt mostly. When it happened I was 16 and I made up a story in my mind where I had the baby and gave it up for adoption. It was quite detailed. It was the only way I could live with myself. Even though it wasnt my choice, I always felt that I could have stopped it somehow, that I should have had the power to stop it. I attempted suicide several times after that, it was all just too hard to live with. To this day I think about my baby and what they might have become or done, what they would have looked like, what thier personality might have been like. I should have a 30 year old son or daughter, but I dont. I am truly thankful for my 11 year old daughter, I didnt deserve her.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I am sure it has, only they had no idea why, I kept it a secret out of shame. I considered myself less than others and unworthy after that. I did not deserve anything good in my life after what I had done, and I chased away most of the good things that did come my way. I had many miscarriages during my

20's and 30's trying to have a baby. The doctors always used the term spontaneous abortion which was a cruel term to me. I wanted my babies. I am sure my husband had a lot of pain watching me lose baby after baby, and dealing with the massive depression that always followed.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

It may seem like it is a choice of this moment in your life, an easy choice, an end to the problem. Unfortunately, it will follow them every single day for the rest of thier lives in one way or another. It has so many unexpected consequences. Times and places you would never imagine.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Every pregnancy is a human being with potential. It is not our place to end that potential. In the beginning, it seemed like there were good reasons, that it somehow protected women and thier rights, but it has moved to such a dark place with late term abortions and women using abortion as a form of birth control. Whatever good this country thought they were doing in making abortion legal, they must see at this point that it has moved so far beyond anything good straight to pure evil. We have now seen they effects of legal abortion for almost 40 years, and it is so much more horrifying than the worst back alley abortion story ever told before abortion was legal. Making it legal does not make it right.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Tarrant

My name is Laura I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Not sure of name CA

02/04/1973

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

5

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

D & C

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

Nobody explained a thing. They just said they would suck the products of conception out and it would be all over. Nobody said it was a real baby. I thought of it as a "blob" at this point in its growth.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Nobody talked about the guilt associated with realizing you have killed your own child. Nobody talked about the possibility of never having another baby. (I have had 6, however, thanks be to God)

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It has always been a sad shadow on my heart. When I hear about the fight against abortion, I am reminded. When I see the hardened faces of those advocating for abortion, I am reminded. When Feb. 4th comes around, I am reminded...

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

People don't know about it. I don't know about others' experiences.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

It is NOT worth it. It is NOT freeing. Nine months is a VERY short time to give your baby & let him LIVE.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I would tell them that it is murder & they are failing to protect the innocent. I would tell them they are harming the women involved, rather than helping them.

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*Laura*

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Dallas

My name is M M I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Dallas TX

06/15/1984

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

14

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

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**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I had no clue about anything. All I knew was that I was terrified and I was never given any type of information on any alternative.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I don't know if there were any consequences physically because I never had the opportunity to become pregnant again or to even try to become pregnant.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

People at the clinic, boyfriend

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I was only 18 at the time and at that time I had no idea that would be my only opportunity to have a child. I did have a few minor gynecological problems and I am not sure if they are directly related to my abortion. A few months ago at 43 I had a hysterectomy and that is what made me realize that I would never have a child of my own and ruined and destroyed any chance of ever becoming a mother. If only I had known....

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My parents know about my abortion now and even though it is so hard for me to forgive myself, they have completely forgiven me and my dad asked me to forgive him for not being there for me and for being the type of father that I felt I could not go to at the time. I know he wonders what his first grandchild would have been like and grieves for that baby.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

PLEASE do not put yourself through the trauma of an abortion. Everyone I know who has ever had one suffers emotional pain and regret. Every child, no matter how it was conceived, no matter what the physical condition of that child may be, deserves a chance at life. Many times, physical tests and conclusions can be wrong. Once that baby is born, you will NEVER regret going through with the pregnancy.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Why don't we carry out the pregnancy, deliver the baby and then decide if you would still like to murder that baby. Life begins at conception! That is a solid fact that can not be challenged!

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Dallas

My name is Aimee McGinnis. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Dallas TX

05//1989

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Suction/Vacuum

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I didn't even know how they did them. I was in a fog and for more than 8 years could not even bring the event to mind. I still cannot remember the exact events of that day, only a few blurry details.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I do not remember any counseling at all after it was over. Very little "counseling" just prior, but none at all after.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

friends mainly

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Has brought a lifelong sorrow over that life. Guilt was very prevalent at first, and even though I know I am forgiven, I still have to live with pain, sorrow and questions surrounding it all even to this day.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I am certain that it has affected them in the way of a reduced respect for who I am or at least who I was then. I was a married mother of two children when this happened in my life, so I am sure that some probably wonder how I could have even considered that option.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would "show" her the truth. I would share with her the everlasting scar that this particular sin has on her life as well as the lives around her.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

First and foremost, in regards to legal matters, there is NOT nearly enough education and information available to pregnant women. They need to see what it is inside of them before making that decision. I KNOW that would have made a difference for me, and personal counseling with true information about other alternatives. Last, and probably most important is that I think it says a lot, like Star Parker says, about a society that feels comfortable getting rid of its offspring. It speaks to the very base of who we are and that value of what we are.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Tarrant**

My name is Marion Lee McGlothlin. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Dallas TX

10/11/1969

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

9

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

D & C

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

There was no preparation of any kind. I had no counseling nor was I told what to expect physically or emotionally.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No one told me I would feel worthless for what I'd done or told me I would be an emotional wreck for the rest of my life.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Circumstances and society told me what was best

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I live with the reality that I killed my own child and all the ramifications that entails. I am continually wondering how different my life could have been and what the child would be like and what he could have contributed to others. My self worth is shot. I had 3 more children just trying to replace the lost child. I have grieved that loss for 38 years now.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My new husband has had to put up with all my emotional trauma for many years. My other children

suffer with survivors guilt. I have had trouble bonding with my other children and grandchildren. It has effected all my other relationships. I can't have a close relationship with anyone.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

You'll never get over it. It is not worth it. There is a way out of your situation.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

You're only making it easy for people to ruin their lives.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Bexar

My name is Sharon I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

//

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

3. What type of abortion was performed?

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

no one told me that it would interfere with my ability to form lasting intimate relationships.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

it changed who I was for 40 years and prevented me from completely bonding with the child I later did have.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

i emotionally battered my husband because he could not understand why I was so angry all the time.. Nothing he did was ever right.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

nothing is worth the loss of yourself not even having to completely change your life plans in order to have and raise your child.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

"legal" is a pretty cold way to live with what an abortion does to a woman as a person and as a woman.

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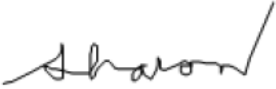
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of dallas

My name is Beth McKee. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Ann Arbor MI

06/12/1979

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

11

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Vaccuum Aspiration

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

only that a "blob of tissue would safely be removed"

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I suffered from depression for decades afterwards-- only the physical was addresssed

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

boyfriend

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Depression, anger, grief. Got "stuck" in life-- dreamed of baby.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

The nation's economy lost the salaries of 50 million babies--. In my life in particular, my mom didn't get to be a grandmother. Anger was spewed out on others

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Don't have one-- there are other options. Please consider adoption or parenting. Let others walk the road with you-- I didn't, and it cost me everything.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

PLEASE don't legislate this issue to be legal. A baby dies, and as the mother, I struggled with incomprehensible darkness.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Bexar

My name is S P I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Pittsburgh PA

11//1977

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

11

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Vacuum

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I went to Planned Parenthood and was counseled that abortion was safe and I would recover quickly. I was told that the fetus was not a living being but a cluster of cells that did not yet mean anything. I wasn't given a chance to ask questions and was quickly whisked away to the room for the procedure to be performed.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was not told that there would be ANY consequences ... physical or emotional.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My boyfriend and the Planned Parenthood staff

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It ruined my relationship with the father of my baby and we called off our wedding. I have had trouble with subsequent pregnancies and have had 2 live births and at least 8 miscarriages (I was told by a dr that the abortion messed up the inside of my womb making it hard for a fertilized egg to attach). I became very depressed and withdrawn, got caught up in a life of promiscuity (thinking that all men wanted was sex because when I arrived home after the abortion and wouldn't allow my boyfriend to touch me, he raped me while I was still bleeding and sore). I have not been able to sustain a meaningful, loving relationship and have had commitment and intimacy issues. I have grieved the loss of my child and label myself (and anyone else who aborts a child WHO IS A LIVING BEING ... no matter what Planned Parenthood or any other agency/individual says) a murderer. There's no way to sugar-coat it. ABORTION IS MURDER and the victim is as innocent as they come.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

2 marriages have failed because I am no longer able to be intimate. My 2 daughters have had to deal with my depression and anxiety issues caused by my abortion.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Do NOT let anyone talk you into it. It is NOT a woman's right to "Play God" and decide whether or not a life is worthy of being brought into this world. If God created that life (no matter the circumstances), it IS worthwhile. If you can't or choose not to raise the child, then give it up for adoption. How would you feel if your parent had decided to murder you????? Abortion is a selfish, temporary "fix" that will only lead to a lifetime of hatred towards yourself and misery.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Courts do NOT have the right to decide that something God ordained and created does not have the right to existence. A fetus IS a living being ... life begins at the point of conception. Don't let the loud voices of the "bullies" push you into making abortion legal. Listen to the women who have been there ... not the ones who think they know better without any personal experience.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Harris

My name is Mary I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Katy TX

//1983

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

14

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

2 day procedure / 1st day was overnight dilation and then I don't know what they did the next day

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

They don't go into specific detail, I think that would scare you and you would back out. I also was not allowed to see the screen during the ultrasound and they did not share the results with me. The pain I endured from the time the dilation began and then through the actual procedure was alarming and VERY unexpected

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I knew I was taking some kind of medical risks, but there is no info about the emotional consequences / no counseling offered. I was young and ill equipped to really know what I was doing

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Nurses don't give info that would change your mind

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I have relived my decision and what I remember about that day constantly. I can't seem to forgive myself for murdering my baby.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My family that found out were devastated. It has also caused us to keep life-long secrets because of shame.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

1. Don't do it 2. Get an ultrasound (and see the baby) 3. Receive counseling up front / talk to someone who has made that decision that she must live with forever 4. Know all of the information and options

available

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Why is that we can be fined or jailed for destroying specific wildlife, yet we can freely murder human beings. If a destroyed eagle egg represents inhibited life and requires a steep consequence, why is it not an outrage to take human life in its beginning forms? People in crisis situations, do not generally make good decisions based on research, logic and/or counsel. Women, young and old must receive proper advice and knowledge regarding abortion. This is not just a physical situation that can be detrimental, but also one of social, emotional and spiritual issues that last a lifetime. Murder "is not legal" This is murder.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Denton

My name is K R I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Dallas TX

01/20/2001

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

8

3. What type of abortion was performed?

D&C

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I was never told how it would affect me emotionally, nor did I understand how much it would hurt afterwards.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

my mother

9. How has abortion affected you?

I am a mother of two now. It is awful knowing that I should have four children, but I chose to murder my first two. I have carried emotional baggage with me for years. Thankfully, I attended a recovery program and have been able to let it all go.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

It has been a source of stress in my marriage. Also, my mom feels horrible for making me have my abortions. (I had two abortions one year apart -- Jan 2001 and Jan 2002)

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Get all of the information you can. Do not let ANYONE force you into having one. Know that this is something you can't take back. Abortion is murder.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

Well, I am a Christian, so I believe that life begins at conception. As someone who has been through it, I think they ought to know about the emotional and physical consequences.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Harris

My name is Sue Ratterree. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Houston TX

//1980

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

10

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

D&C

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I went in and they told me how long the abortion would take and what to expect afterwards. No information was given other than those items geared towards the abortion. No post-abortion effects, no ultrasound,

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

For many years, I felt pretty worthless. I felt like I was always hiding a 'secret' and didn't want anyone to know what I had done. I felt dirty and ugly. I don't think life really mattered much anymore.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

The father was distraught - he wanted the baby, but I didn't tell him until after I had the abortion. We ended our relationship.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Please talk to someone about it that has been through one already. Talk to them and listen to what will happen to you in the future if you do this. Know that God is the only Creator of Life. He created this baby for a special reason although we think it would be better to 'kill it', God will use him/her for a very special purpose.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be**

**legal?**

Talk to someone who has had an abortion and then you will see that it is not the right solution to make it legal. The life of the child and the life of the mother are at 'stake' here. It is not the 'choice' of the mother only....the child cannot speak yet, but if they could, they would say, "I didn't do anything wrong. Why do you want to kill me." The man and the woman had sex, not the child.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of USA

My name is Ginger Resta. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Dallas TX

04//1993

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

9

3. What type of abortion was performed?

1st term

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

No, they did explain something but I wasn't in the right frame of mind to understand it

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

They didn't explain the emotional consequences of what would come

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

Mom & boyfriend

9. How has abortion affected you?

For years, I felt such guilt & shame. Didn't think anyone would ever love me completely.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

Distant & thick walls

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Not to, that there are other alternatives. This would have life long consequences.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

They should ban it & make it illegal.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of TX**

**County of Harris**

My name is Kimberly Reynolds. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Houston TX

//1999

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

11

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction aspiration

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was lead to believe that the baby was not a living creature. There was no life in the child. I was only told how simple, quick and easy the procedure was.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was only given forms to fill out of my medical history and legal forms to sign so I could not sue the hospital if there was any complications. I still have no clue today.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

After my abortion, I told myself that I was better off without a child to raise at my young age. I'd rather of had the abortion than half to tell my parents that I wasn't a virgin anymore and that I was pregnant. Now that I am older, I know how abortion is and I mourn for that baby that I never had and I get angry at myself and I can't even believe that I did such a thing. I regret not being stronger.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My husband now was the father of that baby and he truly regrets it also.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would never encourage another woman to have any abortion. There is always help around if you really need it. Just have to believe the Lord will provide and that there is a reason for every child in this world.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be**

legal?

I would tell them they are murdering innocent children that cannot defend themselves. Even though they are not performing the act, they are still responsible for all the lives lost because of their decision.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Dallas

My name is Rhonda Rhodes. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Providence RI

//1986

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

20

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Don't remember.

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

Because I was so far along in my pregnancy I had to have some sort of clamp attached to my uterus approximately 24-48 hours before the abortion. I know now what type of abortion it must have been, but at the time no details were given to me.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No explanation was given in reference to the physical pain I would be in, the possible inability to have children later in life, or the development of the baby at that point.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Whenever I think of the life that I extinguished so callously I cry because I realize that that baby had no one to protect him/her but me and I was the reason for his/her death. I also feel ashamed of what God must have thought of me at that time.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I have a son who is now 20 years old, and I was too ashamed to tell him that I had aborted 2 children previously before he was born. That secret, I feel, kept me from being close to my son.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would tell her that that baby she is carrying has no one in the world to defend him/her but you and even if she is not ready to be a mother she can give that gift of life to a family that wants to love a child.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

That a pre-born child is not less of a person because he cannot defend him/herself. All people at different times in their lives and for various reasons need for others to defend them; to ensure that they are protected from those that would do them harm.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Bexar

My name is Margaret Rice. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Kansas City MO

01/15/1970

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

10

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

D&C

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was in college - young and very uninformed. The ObGyn I went to explained nothing about the procedure. He said only that he knew a Board certified, practicing ObGyn in Kansas City who would "take care" of me. Even on meeting the ObGyn in Kansas City, I was told nothing except that I would be given "something to relax" me first before the doctor administered the anesthesia. I was told the whole procedure would be quick. I was also told that as soon as I recovered, that a taxi would be called to take me back to the KC airport so I could return to Colorado. That was my first abortion. I didn't receive any more information when I went to abort my second child. By the second abortion, I was very clear that I was killing a living person.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

When I aborted my first child, I had no idea that I would experience the level of guilt I experienced. I didn't understand why I began to drink more nor did I understand why I became more promiscuous. Only in retrospect can I understand that my destructive behaviors were tied to an attempt to obliterate my guilt. The reaction to the second abortion was very different. I was a professing Christian (accepted Christ 6 years before the second abortion). I confessed the abortion for what it was - a sin. I did not experience the forgiveness I knew God could extend. Within 3 months of the second abortion, I had decided to kill myself. I met someone about the same time who told me about Post-Abortion Counseling and Education (PACE). That person loved me into, prayed me into, and hassled me into PACE. That person and the PACE Bible Study are the reasons I am alive today.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

The father of each child.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I have lost a part of me. It is harder for me to trust people in general and men in particular. I find it hard to establish and maintain relationships at an emotional level. After the second abortion, I would burst into tears when I saw a baby. I remember when each child would have been born and sometimes experience a "down" around the date each baby would have been born.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I think it impacted my marriage and was a contributing factor to my divorce. The second abortion damaged the relationship with my sister and we didn't talk for 7 years.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Carry. Trust God. Go to a Pregnancy Care Center (Crisis Pregnancy Center). There is help. There is encouragement. There are people there who care about YOU and care about your baby.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Roe v Wade and Doe v Bolton are an abomination. That law has broken hearts, psyches, and families. Legal does not equal either moral or right. I wish the law could be overturned. I wish for an informed consent law - a law that would require a sonogram before an abortion would be performed, that would require a 24-hour waiting period, and would require the woman contemplating abortion to talk to someone like me about my experience. I have made many bad choices in my life. My abortions were two of my worst decisions.

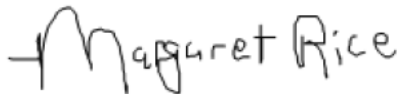
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Kaufman

My name is Arcilla Richards. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

CA

07//1982

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

12

3. What type of abortion was performed?

D & C

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I was not informed of the hemorrhaging that pursued. I bled for a solid month after this procedure. The abdominal pains was horrendous.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

Desperation Shame Unable to trust my own decisions I have only recently repented for the murder of my unborn children. I have had 2 abortions. The horrific details of murder of innocent babies is never anything that is acceptable-- under any circumstance. I am a pro life woman who is radical to save the unborn.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

Unconfessed sin always affects us negatively whether we can put words to it or not. I am not able to verbalize effectively the answer to this question.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

I would encourage her to come live with me and I would mentor her through her pregnancy and help her care for the baby. Pregnancy is not a lethal life threatening disease.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

Abortion is so deceptive -- while it seems to "get rid of a problem ". The problem is really in taking responsibility for one's actions. While I agree innocence should not have to suffer for the "mistakes". Yet no "One" is a mistake. Instead of killing the baby and funding sin --Put the funds toward rearing the child... LOVE of a child is still the reward. The only answer.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Smith

My name is Karen I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Dallas TX

11//1978

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

curettage

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was not told that a baby was being aborted. I was told that it was not yet a baby.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I signed a consent form that listed hemorrhaging as the only consequence. I was not told about potential future infertility, link to breast cancer, link to ectopic pregnancies. I was not told about any psychological trauma consequences.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I had a ruptured ectopic pregnancy in 1986 and almost bled to death. My OB/GYN said that the tubal was most likely caused by the scar tissue that had developed as a result of the abortion 8 years earlier. I have experienced rage, guilt, fear and shame.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My parents, siblings, and husband have been at a loss as to how to help me get over the rage, guilt, fear and shame.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

It is a 15-30 minute procedure that she will spend the rest of her lifetime recovering from. You can 'cover up' your pregnancy with an abortion but you will spend the rest of your life covering up the 'cover up'.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be**

legal?

The physical and psychological damage to women by abortion is far worse than the physical and psychological damage that might occur due to the pregnancy.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Bexar

My name is Betty Martinez Rivera. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

San Antonio TX

07/20/1978

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

vaginal extraction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I remember distinctly, the nurse told me "don't worry honey at this point it is just tissue"

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

The process was just that, like an assembly line in and out, no counseling no form of consultation as to what I would be going thru during the abortion or what the abortion consisted of. If I knew then what I know now, I wish they would have offered a sonogram so I would have seen for myself my pregnancy was a living child with a heart was beating, a child that could move with tiny arms legs and a body with a face and a brain. If I had been properly enlightened and educated, I would not have killed my child. I will never ever be complete again. Now I know what I have done.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

The people at reproductive services

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Depression, Sexual Dysfunction, Eating disorder, Thoughts of suicide, Nightmares, problems with relationships and intimacy, lack of trust, rheumatoid arthritis.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I was an overbearing and protective mother, I was terrified something would happen to my children as a punishment for what I had done years ago. I always felt very inadequate as a mother and wife in general as a person, I never forgave myself. My children suffered because of my depression. Neither my husband or I knew or understood the root of my problem.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

You are carrying a life inside you, don't end your child's life. If you think you are erasing a problem you are wrong. You are not only taking a child's life you are also taking yours, you will never ever be the same, your wound will never be healed. If I knew then what I know now I know my life would be complete and instead of 2 children I would have 5 children, you see I suffered 2 abortions and one miscarriage and I blame my miscarriage on my previous abortions I am not complete without all my children and neither will you be if you destroy the heart that beats within your child.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Our country was based on a person's inalienable right to Life liberty and the pursuit of happiness. Through deception and lack of responsibility not only was my right of Life and happiness destroyed but also the right for my children to have the opportunity to live and grow to their potential was robbed. Robbed by a judicial system which was created to stand for justice. There is no justice at how my country failed to protect my children's rights as living breathing human beings and my rights as a woman. Each and everyday our judicial system fails to act in Truth betrays a beating heart and the Mother who bears the child in her womb. As a U.S. citizen my judicial system has failed us when they fail to uphold and defend the Truth of Life at the moment of conception and allow doctors and nurses to continue to deceive and destroy women's lives. Unless there is a stop to this daily termination of sacred lives this judicial system will have to some day be accountable to a higher power and only then will this judicial system know the ramifications from the core of their being the essence of TRUTH and the reality of the root of their deception and lack of responsibility. If you are not a believer, you will be when you face your final judgement. May God have mercy on each and every one of you who has willingly promoted the destruction of countless of lives like that of my children and mine.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Ellis

My name is Sharra Poteet. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Dallas TX

//1981

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Suction Aspiration

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

Even though I had other children, I was young and uneducated about the actual child or procedure or that there would be lingering effects long after the abortion.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Not counseled, no sonogram, etc.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I thought I was healed because I was a Christian. Even though I was a Christian at the time of the abortion. I knew that God forgave me but I did not realize for these almost 30 years that my character had been shaped by the experience.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I do not know directly, but I suspect that my relationship with my next two husbands after the abortion were not pleasant for them. I have been married to my husband now for 22 years. Rocky at times. God has taken that mistake and turned it to His glory. I am now Director of a Pregnancy Center in Ennis, Texas. I use every day the gift of forgiveness that was extended me on the cross. I am preparing to facilitate Post Abortion Recovery Ministry wherever God leads.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Do not think that it is a good plan for your personal survival. It is any thing but survival. You can choke it back but you can not digest it. It effects everything you do, good and bad.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

Abortion is not legal in heaven. Making it legal on earth gives some sort of validity to it. The courts seem to believe that it does not become a matter of murder then, it becomes a matter of "choice". We DO NOT have a choice to murder. The blood of the innocent are on our hands and more personally I am a murderer. If it would have been difficult for me to get an abortion I would not have gotten it. If I would have been educated on abortion, I would not have gotten it.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Ellis

My name is Sharra Poteet. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Dallas TX

01//1979

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

8

3. What type of abortion was performed?

Suction

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

I was told that it was a blob of tissue. I was told that everything would be fine as soon as I had the abortion.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I had NO idea that there would be any consequences. After all, it was not a baby yet, right? It was also legal, so that would not be a consequence. And since my country made it legal, it must be a good medical option.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

I had a nervous break down the following year after my abortion. I was suicidal and had developed the inability to bond with my other children. I had been adopted as an infant and was so thankful for that blessing so I could not understand why I was in this deep depression. Wouldn't I only be depressed if I had had a horrible life? Just before my abortion I had gone through a divorce, so I blamed the divorce for my feelings. I blamed the married man that I had an affair with and had become pregnant with. I was very soon hospitalized for 1 month and during that stay, the doctors suggested shock therapy. I went up to the hour of the first shock treatment but could not go on with it. I was determined to get out of the hospital and get on with my life as a single mother of 3 girls. But I would become even more sexually promiscuous than I was before. I had done something that I had not even thought of when I found myself pregnant at 15 years old, or even at 17 or 19 or 21. Why had I done this now? I had been raised by loving, christian adoptive parents. I had everything. I had been raised an only child with so much love

poured out on me. I loved God and accepted him as Lord of my life at 9 years old. What was going on now?

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My little girls became collateral damage. I did not have the courage to ever tell my father before he died, although when I told my mom about 1 year ago, she said that she and daddy already knew. That they knew when I was hospitalized those so many years ago. I am sure now that they were praying in the gap for me. I married for a second time and had another little girl. That delivery was difficult. The others had been easy deliveries before the abortion. That marriage ended after a brief period of time. I am now married for the third time and have shared with my husband and children about the abortion. We have been married for 24 years but it has been difficult. I used sex for many years as a bar for how much he loved me. Everything always went back to sex for me. After all, I had murdered, why not just go ahead and do whatever. I thought that God had left me on that abortion day and would never use me as I had hoped He would when I was a young child and gave my life to Him.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Abortion hurts women. Abortion hurts families. Abortion hurts communities. Abortion hurts the world. Abortion is not the answer to a crisis pregnancy for the crisis will not end after the pregnancy does. Pro-life is not a political tag-line, it is a Biblical truth! Don't spend the rest of your life devastated by the emotional, physical, spiritual and psychological fall-out of an abortion. You have within your body a unique, priceless, baby designed by God for a divine purpose. Jeremiah 29:11 tells us that God has a plan for our lives. For hope and a future. Don't end the future of your God-planned baby in a quest to just "move on" because you will do anything but "move on". God, the great physician, knows what you are facing and promises to never leave you alone. So He will not.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Our government was formed on Judeo-Christian values. We cannot ignore that murder is wrong, for we find it over and over in the Word. We know that our constitution was written based on the Word and no one has the right to change that. Just because something is legal on earth, does not mean that it is legal in heaven. Abortion hurts women. Abortion hurt me. It hurts families. It divides communities as post-abortion women try to be whole citizens. It has and will continue to devastate our nation and it ultimately affects our world. Why would you intentionally bring about devastation ?

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Ft Bend

My name is T P. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Pittsburgh PA

07/20/1974

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

11

3. What type of abortion was performed?

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

I visited Planned Parenthood, explained what I was there for & was told I would be called. I went with the nurse when called, told to remove my pants & underwear, lay on the table & wait for the doctor.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

Going to the abortion clinic was like going to a doctor for a cold. Very cold, matter of fact, and no -- no one told me of any health or emotional consequences.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

I pressured myself.

9. How has abortion affected you?

It's been 36 years & feels like it happened yesterday. I have never been able to discuss what I did & never feel as though I will ever be able to forgive myself for what I did. It's a weight that never leaves my soul.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

I am always ashamed of what I did. This affects others in my life by their wife, mother, and daughter not being the person who doesn't live with the weight of killing her child.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

I would beg her not to do this. She will live the horror story that will become her life forever. The guilt & shame NEVER leaves.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be

legal?

The judges may not know what a woman who has done this feels. Please know that the guilt & shame is horrendous. It is a sentence worse than can be comprehended.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of TX

County of Bexar

My name is S P I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Pittsburgh PA

11//1977

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

11

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Vacuum

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I went to Planned Parenthood and was counseled that abortion was safe and I would recover quickly. I was told that the fetus was not a living being but a cluster of cells that did not yet mean anything. I wasn't given a chance to ask questions and was quickly whisked away to the room for the procedure to be performed.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was not told that there would be ANY consequences ... physical or emotional.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My boyfriend and the Planned Parenthood staff

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It ruined my relationship with the father of my baby and we called off our wedding. I have had trouble with subsequent pregnancies and have had 2 live births and at least 8 miscarriages (I was told by a dr that the abortion messed up the inside of my womb making it hard for a fertilized egg to attach). I became very depressed and withdrawn, got caught up in a life of promiscuity (thinking that all men wanted sex because when I arrived home after the abortion and wouldn't allow my boyfriend to touch me, he raped me while I was still bleeding and sore). I have not been able to sustain a meaningful, loving relationship and have had commitment and intimacy issues. I have grieved the loss of my child and label myself (and anyone else who aborts a child WHO IS A LIVING BEING ... no matter what Planned Parenthood or any other agency/individual says) a murderer. There's no way to sugar-coat it. ABORTION IS MURDER and the victim is as innocent as they come.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

2 marriages have failed because I am no longer able to be intimate. My 2 daughters have had to deal with my depression and anxiety issues caused by my abortion.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Do NOT let anyone talk you into it. It is NOT a woman's right to "Play God" and decide whether or not a life is worthy of being brought into this world. If God created that life (no matter the circumstances), it IS worthwhile. If you can't or choose not to raise the child, then give it up for adoption. How would you feel if your parent had decided to murder you????? Abortion is a selfish, temporary "fix" that will only lead to a lifetime of hatred towards yourself and misery.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Courts do NOT have the right to decide that something God ordained and created does not have the right to existence. A fetus IS a living being ... life begins at the point of conception. Don't let the loud voices of the "bullies" push you into making abortion legal. Listen to the women who have been there ... not the ones who think they know better without any personal experience.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of UT

County of Salt Lake County

My name is MeKel Engel. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Salt Lake City UT

03//2007

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

6

3. What type of abortion was performed?

I took the R.U. pill

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

No Answer

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I didn't get a lot of explanation on how it would affect my personal health. Counseling services were only offered before my abortion and I felt like the lady was trying to change my opinions.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

My boyfriend at the time

9. How has abortion affected you?

It lowered my self confidence for a while, and that is the reason that I stayed in my last relationship, that became physically and sexually abusive.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

My parents saw how my moods were changing, and how the relationship changed because of the abortion. I ended up telling them that I had a miscarriage. During the time that I was bleeding, I was also taking care of my child because the guy wasn't there.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

No Answer

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

I only made the "choice" to have an abortion because I already had a child and I was depending on help from my family. My boyfriend at the time pressured me into having an abortion and I was extremely depressed at the time. I wanted more comfort, not stress so I gave in to what he thought was "best." My son's father wasn't involved at all financially, so I didn't want to be put in the same situation. I wish there were more people to understand these types of situations and to realize that people make decisions that they would typically view as violent, only because they are being pressured. I had been pro-life and I was going to have this second baby, but I went to clinics because I didn't want my parents to know right away that I was pregnant. I didn't have insurance, so Planned Parenthood kept referring me to abortion clinics. It felt like a passive choice. I am well informed on embryonic development because of my major, and I realized post-abortion that they did not inform me on how far along I was in an accurate measure. I also learned that when something that should be about individual choice is made legal, they are coercive techniques to make others support the "issue."

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of UT

County of Salt Lake

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### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

CA

06//1973

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

6

3. What type of abortion was performed?

scraping

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

It wasn't legal in Salt Lake City, so I went to California, at a Catholic hospital. I think they frowned on it so were quite harsh and only offered a light tranquilizer. The pain was intense and we were released about an hour later. I think they wanted us to suffer and to remember. I have. It wasn't until I accepted Jesus as my Savior that I realized that I had murdered my child. I am forgiven but it doesn't change the fact that I deprived a soul of its chance to live.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

After coming to the Lord I was active in abortion counselling. That was when I learned just how devastating it can be to a woman.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

my husband - it wasn't his.

9. How has abortion affected you?

I got off lightly, praise God.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

My sons were very hurt when I confessed, knowing they might have had a sister or brother.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would encourage her to bring the child to term and get a lot of counselling, whether to keep it or to give it up for adoption.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I don't believe a woman should be punished or that it should be illegal. It is murder in my mind but I can't force my beliefs on others.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of UT

County of Salt Lake County

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### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

SLC UT

07/01/1997

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

8

3. What type of abortion was performed?

I do not know or remember

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

I do not remember being informed

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I do not remember being warned of any consequences

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

Cheerleading Coach

9. How has abortion affected you?

I am very ashamed and wish I could take it back. I was only 17 and wish I would have had a better understanding of how serious my decision was. It was only when I started going to church that I realized what a sad and disheartening thing I did at such a young age. Although I feel I have been forgiven for my mistake I still think about it and it brings me sadness especially since I know how much joy my 2 children bring me... the greatest joy imaginable. That same joy could have been mine or someone else's had I made a different decision.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

I married my high school sweetheart and he tried to stop it so it has definitely affected him. I think my mom feels ashamed as well, but I have never talked to her about it since.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Do not do it! No matter what there are always other options that are way better! I had the most horrible feeling afterward and still do when I think about it. I know now it was plain wrong for me to do and that it

should not have been an option.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

If abortion wasn't legal then a child of God could be alive today! I should have taken accountability for my actions and went through with the pregnancy and face the challenge of being a teenage mom or giving the baby away to another deserving family. I ended up marrying the father and have 2 children with him and I know it would have worked out no matter what I decided, just not the abortion! It is not a freedom of choice issue when you are jeopardizing the well-being of another human being.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of UT

County of USA

My name is Lisa I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Salt Lake City UT

//1976

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

12

3. What type of abortion was performed?

vacuum/suction

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I was not told that I would have deep regret the rest of my life or that I would carry this until the day I died.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

The pain goes deeper than I know how to say. It was my "choice" and I will live with it and die with it. I am so very sorry. If I could die so that my child, the child I aborted, could have life, I would make that trade in an instant.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

I don't know.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Abortion is the wrong choice. It is not life giving, it is life taking. Be a mother, it is beyond a shadow of a doubt, the greatest thing you'll ever be.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

Who made you God? Who are you to choose between life and death. Abortion is death, nothing else. It was a very dark day in America the day that abortion became legal.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of UT**

**County of Salt Lake City**

My name is Cynthia Leonard. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Sacramento CA

04/09/1988

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

13

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

D & C

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was not informed that I would experience any form of depression nor was I told that I would have physical problems as a result. I went through depression and tried to hide why, which only made it worse! I struggled with "secondary Infertility". My first pregnancy after the abortion I experienced bleeding and placenta previa due to the scar tissue on my uteran wall. I had a very difficult time getting pregnant. It took 4 years to have my second live birth. I have had 2 failed pregnancies after my two live births. No one told me the effects it would have on my ability to conceive again. The abortion was tramatic, half way through the procedure the doctor said we would be done in normal cases but it seems that you were carrying twins!! I would NOT have aborted them had I known!!!

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My step-dad & the clinic rushed me through it

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I will never forget the day it happened, I will never forget their birthday. I have gone through many years of depression, guilt, anger, physical ailments from the stress of it. I have had a VERY difficult time conceiving, and have been diagnosed with secondary infertility. One pregnancy i had bleeding with placenta previa because of the placenta's attachment. Second pregnancy took 4 years. Fourth

pregnancy was miscarried. I have always wanted a large family. I am almost 40 and have two children.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I dont know the effects it had on the babies father we didn't stay together after it. It effected my previos husband because we couldn't have kids. We were married and tried for 5 years. My current husband & father of our two kids has been effected by it because he always wanted a large family too. And he mourns when I mourn, He hurts when I hurt.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Stupidous thing you could ever do! I has the potential to kill you. And if it doesn't kill your body it could severly ruin it for any future child bearing. It messes with your emotional mind and your spiritual being as well.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

NO human being has the authority to kill another human being! A mom cannot kill her infant, child, or teenager. And yet we allow them to kill the baby that they carry. The whole purpose of carrying a child is to protect it from the outside world, because it wont survive on it's own. Abotion is killing people! And it's one of the worst forms of murder because it kills the innocent and unprotected!! And the killing parties go scot free. Killing parties are... Mother, Father, clinic, doctor, law makers/judges basically anyone who condones this gruesome assault & battery that turns into 1st degree Murder!! And you condone this?

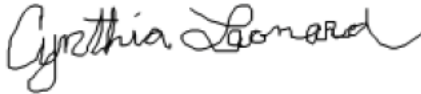
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of USA

My name is K Z I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

St. Mary's OH

01/01/1988

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

4

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

don't know

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No information provided at all.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I was ok with it for about 12 years. Didn't think much about it. Then the magnitude of what my husband and I had done (this was to be our third child) hit us. We had had the abortion because it was inconvenient to be pregnant again. No health issues, etc. I went through a period of remorse and grief, but eventually dealt with the guilt.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Very few folks know about it. My husband also grieved but he has dealt with it as well.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

The possible emotional and psychological repercussions are not worth it. You may go along for years and think nothing of it, then boom--you realize what you have done to your baby.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

This would be difficult, knowing the agenda of the court system at this time in our history. Realistically, abortion will be around for a long time, in my opinion. I guess I would urge the court to review the

growing body of information that is available documenting the negative impact of abortion, especially late term abortions. There has to be some reasonable way of discussing the issue, but I am not aware of what that is at this point.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Chesterfield

My name is S A I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Columbia MD

02/14/1990

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Aspiration

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Had no idea the impact this decision would have on my heart,mind and soul for years.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

The regret is a huge weight that I carry around. I am thankful for the forgiving mercy and grace of my Lord and Savior Jesus Christ who washes me clean. I still drift to the questions of "Who" and "What Purpose" this child had within God's plan. Oh, to be able to go back, but left in regret, because I chose "death" instead of "life", because of selfishness. I look within my children's eyes, who God has blessed me with, and I love them more than I could ever imagine. How and why did I not see this love in the midst of my situation. I was blind, deceived and bought the lie, that it was a choice and an option. Little did I know I chose the option to die over and over and over every Valentines Day as I remember the life that had no voice, that was lost, because of my choice.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

When my mind drifts to the regret, I have to believe and stand on the forgiveness of my Lord and Savior. It does not change the decision I made when I was 20, but it does help me to forgive others and see others thru the lense of compassion when they fall short in life.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Choose Life and Live and let Live...< For that is True Love.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

That they are deceived and deceiving many and will be held accountable for the innocent blood being shed.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of VA**

**County of USA**

My name is M A . I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

VA

//1970

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I don't recall being told what the actual procedure was like.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I wasn't informed about any consequences of abortion, physical, mental or emotional.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I had no idea that throughout my life I would regret my choice. I was not advised that the cells that I had removed from my body were really a living being. I wasn't told that there would be very few holidays that I would not think about what my unborn child would have been like and what he or she would be doing. Once I had children my decision impacted me even more that before. I am missing a child of God in my life.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My parents, myself and my boyfriend were the only ones who knew. We never talked about it. I told each of my 2 husbands after my marriages and they both were surprised and disappointed.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would give the same advise that I gave my foster daughter who was pregnant when she came to us.

No matter what decision you make, you will have regrets. If you deliver your baby and keep it, there will be days that you will wonder what possessed you to think that you could raise a child. If you choose to give your child up for adoption, certain days will create a hurting in your heart beyond belief. If you abort your baby, even if you don't think now that it is murder, you will probably discover later in life that it is morally wrong.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I had to tell a psychiatrist that I had "thought about jumping off a cliff" in order to be able to have a "legal abortion". I didn't know the impact this would have on my entire life. How can a person who kills a fetus when he/she kills a pregnant woman can be charged with a homicide, but the mother who kills her fetus is exercising control of her body. When people choose to mutilate their bodies (by cutting, suicide, etc) they are considered mentally or unstable. But you are stable when you choose to end an innocent life in your body? Ultimately, I believe that a life is a life from the time of conception. There is talk about ending the live of a baby in utero when it is "defective". I have a severely retarded "defective" son who was a full term baby. He has people who love and care for him, he is not tempted by all the evil that is facing our youth today, he is happy and loves everyone. He brings so much joy to all who meet him. I would like for you to tell me that he had no right to life because his quality of life doesn't meet someone else's standard.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of norfolk

My name is LaTasha Anderson. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Norfolk VA

//2001

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

8

3. What type of abortion was performed?

D&C

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

They lie. No one told me that I would have emotional trauma, suffer from depression, guilt and anger. They do not tell you it is a LIFE.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

Baby's father

9. How has abortion affected you?

I drank heavily and used drugs to numb myself. I suffered from depression for many years. I had alot of anger and guilt. I have difficulty trusting men.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

Hard to fully extend myself to my surviving son.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

DON'T DO IT! PLEASE DON'T. YOUR BABY DESERVES TO LIVE. IT IS NOT A CHOICE, IT'S A BABY.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

Abortion affects women in ways the doctors and advocates of abortion have failed to state. Abortion leaves women and men hopeless, depressed, physically ill, amongst other issues. This is tearing apart

the very fabric of our nation: the family.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of VA**

**County of Patrick**

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### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

winston salem NC

08/05/1981

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

16

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

vaccum

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

they just said it was uncomfortable for a few minutes and it would be over.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

the procedure seemed violent and i felt the emptiness and i felt very sad and alone. the people were not compationate did not agnowlege my tears or pain.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

very guilty feeling. no one to talk to . i was ashamed of what i did and had dreams and my husband and i had trouble in our marriage for years and years. alot of anger and bottled up pain.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My other children have been affected by the depression and anger. I blamed my husband he blamed me. our children were greatly affected by this.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

don,t wait to find out about the life inside you. if you realise the baby is more than a piece of tissue

before they rip it out of you with a vaccum cleaner you won,t do it. the baby deserves to live and be loved . if you can,t do it there are many couples waiting to love and care for this precious gift.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

i feel like i got away with murder on the outside. inside i have punished myself and others around me who were not even involved in the uninformed emotional decision i made to take a life. God has forgiven me but it is much harder to forgive oneself.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of VA**

**County of Roanoke**

My name is Stephanie I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Roanoke VA

//1996

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

?vacuum?

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I did not know what is done to the baby. The procedure was explained as to what would happen to me, not what happens to the baby.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

The counselor made it sound positive - like my decision was okay and not to feel bad. But I have felt bad ever since.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

The emotional pain never goes away - the guilt, shame and horror of what I did. I know I have been forgiven by the Lord, but that doesn't take away the consequences of what I did.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I haven't even told my husband or my family because I know it would cause them pain as well. My relationship with my husband has been affected by my past because what I did is always there in the back of my mind.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Get as much information as possible about the procedure and about other alternatives. Watch an abortion video and see what is done to the baby. Think about 10 years from now and what the child would be like. Find someone to confide in that can be trusted - who values human life - to talk to and support you. I think it's all about support. If the woman had alot of support and felt she could raise the child and depend on support from family and friends, it would make all the difference.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I believe most cases of abortion are women who made the decision to have sex - and for those cases, that was the decision we need to focus on. We know the consequences of sex and if we chose to do that, it's not right to kill other human beings just because "it's not a good time". Everyone supporting abortion lived. They weren't aborted. What would the aborted say?

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Albemarle

My name is Pat Becker. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Baltimore MD

10//1975

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

7

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was told my cervix would be opened and the mass of tissue would be suctioned out. No one mentioned the word 'baby' and no one told me how badly it would hurt. No one told me the doctor would be cold and rude. I was only told this was the best thing and my life could go on as normal. It didn't.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

The only consequences I was informed about was somewhat heavy bleeding and some cramping.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My parents.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I immediately became pregnant again and realized several months later I could not care for a child and knew of no help available to me to help me care for a child. I aborted that one too at around 22 weeks. My baby was born whole and dead. I spend the next 25 years drinking heavily, taking speed, smoking pot, sleeping with almost anyone who asked, and going through 2 divorces I still sometimes suffer from depression, anxiety, low self-esteem. I have completed an 8 week bible study for post abortive women that has brought healing into my life. I now reach out to other women to help them be released from the bondage and pain of abortion.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I have not had a relationship with my Dad since the abortion and my mother and I never spoke about it again.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I try to tell them the truth about abortion with out the grisly details. I tell them about the physical pain during the abortion and the emotional pain afterwards. I try to get them to see that their life will never be the same again...their 'quick fix' now will forever haunt them.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I would want them to view a video of an actual abortion and also the video, 'The Silent Scream' so that they would see the pain involved to the mother and the child. I would tell the about the pain I hear from other women so they would know we all end up suffering very much the same way. Legal abortion helped me to kill my 2 babies when I was in no position to make that decision. Then I would ask the court how many of them were post-abortive. I feel the ones pushing the legal abortions have no idea what they are doing.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Fairfax

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### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Fairfax VA

08/29/1990

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

a D & C

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I just went to an abortion clinic they made me an appointment and I kept it, there was no discussion as we all knew it would be killing a potential baby

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was not informed of the mental trauma of abortion and I suspect if I had been I might have changed my mind because I think about it every March when the baby would have been born

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My father in law

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I had hated myself for so long for committing murder and not allowing a baby to come into this world and enjoying the life it should have had with my 2 sons I had drug and alcohol problems to try to not feel the pain which I have just recently in the last 4 years began dealing with

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

because of the drug and alcohol problems it made me not present for many years in my son's lives and I was extremely abusive to my husband blaming him and his family but we have all become better through counseling and AA to finally allow ourselves to move on

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would tell them it will never be forgotten that from the moment you make that decision you will never be at peace with yourself that it is a death and you will mourn just as if you lost a baby outside the

womb

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I would say that that if women are given the chance to see the baby on sonogram that they will choose life because the fact of the matter is that sonograms show that the babies are babies and not just a non descript "fetus" and that those babies should have the law protect them not kill them

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Prince Edward

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### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Falls Church VA

11/01/1976

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

13

3. What type of abortion was performed?

suction

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

I was told that having an abortion was no big deal and that it was the best thing for me to do. They mentioned adoption once and nothing was said of what would happen or for how long.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

Nothing was ever said about emotional or mental distress occurring from having an abortion.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

Mother

9. How has abortion affected you?

Guilt and wonder for decades.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

No one knows except for my mother and my husband.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

The consequences of having an abortion are life altering and for the rest of your life you will always wonder....what have I done?

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

This is infantile genocide. I will fight you, with every thing that is in me, to stop this propaganda that abortion is "Nothing and no big deal". Talk to the women that have walked in my shoes and you will hear a far different story.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of United Sates of America

My name is Linda Lee Caldwell. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Newark NJ

02//1977

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

4

3. What type of abortion was performed?

D and C

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

I felt ashamed for having had two abortions around the years of college education. I have had to repeatedly ask God for forgiveness because I could not forgive myself for being so selfish.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

I believe that I had a shield around myself which prevented me from trusting others, especially men. Over time I have grown to love people more and myself. I am a better witness and have the capacity to honestly share the love of God without reservation.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

No, I am a committed Christian and no longer believe that abortion is a personal choice.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

Abortion is killing a life that has the potential to impact the world according to God's devine plan not man's paln.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Orange

My name is Stacey Chapman. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

St. Petersburg FL

12/14/1993

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Suction curettage

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

There was not any type of formal counseling before the "procedure". No one informed me of any possible physical, mental or health risks. There was no explanation of how the procedure was to be done and what I would experience, physically, afterward. No one asked me if I was being coerced into this decision or if I had a support network to turn to.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

See above

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My husband

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Marriage ended in a divorce, now I realize that the abortion had a significant affect on our relationship. I deal with depression, anxiety and relationship issues.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My children have one less sibling, my parents have one less grandchild, my siblings have one less nephew/niece. I use my story to positively impact the lives that I come into contact with when they are considering an abortion.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would tell her to consider all her options. Consider the short and long term consequences. Consider the physical, emotional and health risks. Make sure that she is fully informed before making that

decision and before she walks into the abortion clinic look herself in the mirror and tell herself what she is about to do.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

After 50 million abortions, the thousands of women who deal with breast cancer, the thousands of women and men who deal with depression that affects their jobs, children and way of life, the thousands of couples who come up infertile...how can we continue, as a nation, to condone the idea of abortion? Abortion doesn't just hurt women, it hurts men, children, families and eventually will be the downfall of America.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Campbell

My name is Ashlyn Clark. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Roanoke VA

10/19/2001

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

7

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

D&C

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Friends and a close relative

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Initially I rationalized how this was the best thing, because I was 18 years old at the time and already had an 11 month old baby. It made me feel worthless and numb. I was ashamed of what I had done and lied to the father of the baby and told him that I had lost the baby (acted like I had a miscarriage). For a long time I wondered if it was a boy or a girl and what they would have looked like and what they would have become. When I got married and had more children I realized how much it actually had affected me mentally. I accepted alcohol as a way to cope with the battle in my mind. I went through a terrible period of depression and even suicidal thoughts before giving my life to Christ and experiencing his restoration, forgiveness and redemption.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My husband now was the father of the baby I aborted, and he was emotionally distraught that I had lied to him. We fought for the first three years of our marriage through the destruction that broken trust causes.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

That if they don't think they can handle having a baby that there are millions of couples who cannot

have children that would love the opportunity to raise that child. That emotionally they have no idea how much this decision will affect them, and without Christ, it will affect them for the rest of their lives. It will haunt the dreams and their future. It could keep them from being able to have children when they do decide they are ready. I personally was herded into an overpacked waiting room and was basically convinced by the staff that I was doing the right thing. I was processed: stripped to a paper gown with my clothes in a basket, taken into a room with the doctor I had never met, with no one to hold my hand, and the procedure was painful, I bled and felt dizzy until the coke and cookies kicked in, then I was sent home with a brochure and a handful of prescriptions to prevent infection, hemorrhage and birthcontrol. All I wanted to do was put it as far from my mind as possible, but it kept flashing through my mind like a scene from a movie. If she could not see herself giving the baby up for adoption, then check local resources for help on bringing this baby into the world and preparing to be a mother.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

If I wanted to be pregnant, we would never call the baby a fetus or an embryo, and hearing or seeing the heart beat would be a reassuring sign that a baby would be born and that the pregnancy is viable. We would send out announcements and begin planning the bed room, parties, and making arrangements for the birth. But with abortion, since the pregnancy is not desired or planned for, we use terms to separate us from the human attachment that comes from calling the pregnancy a baby and recognizing it as a living human being. If I decide 1 hour after the baby is born that I don't want it and I kill it or let it die, I will be charged with murder and seen as a baby killer. The only difference between this situation and abortion is time. In both instances, a life was snuffed out undeservingly by my own selfish desires, and not on a scientific principle. When even science proves that the neural tube of the developing baby is already formed by the time a woman can even know she is pregnant, and by 8 to 9 weeks the heart is formed and beating. The damage that is caused emotionally by abortion can account for divorces, failed relationships, alcoholism, drug abuse, child abuse and neglect which are problems which plague our nation even now.

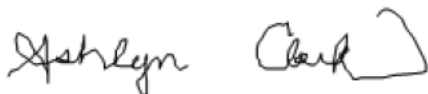
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Carroll

My name is Linda I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Madison WI

03/15/1975

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I wasn't told anything about the effects other than I would no longer be pregnant.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I wasnt told anything - see above.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I have felt extremely guilty about it my ENTIRE life. It is the worse decision I have ever made. I still regret it and if there was one thing in life I'd change that would be it. I went years without even talking to anyone about it. My family still does not know about it. Its a hideous secret.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My boyfriend at the time (my future husband) had no idea how to console me or how to deal w/me. It put a strain on our relationship.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

The inconvenience of carrying a child to term and letting it live - even if it means giving it up for adoption - is SO MUCH LESS than living a LIFETIME of guilt and regret...it cannot be compared. It makes me feel dirty and ruthless to think of it.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

The same thing I would tell the woman considering it. (above)

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Lancaster

My name is C C I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Aspen CO

04/18/1979

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

20

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I specifically asked about the stage of development. I was told "it" was a "blob" of tissue. I was lied to. If I had been properly informed about the miracle of conception, my baby's heart beat, it's little arms and legs already formed, etc, I NEVER would have had an abortion!

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No one told me about the deep and desperate depression I would experience. I drowned it out with drugs and other risky behavior from my self loathing. Years after finding healing through Jesus I married and during my first pregnancy grieved unrelentingly as I understood my baby's early development. I was inconsolable as I realized that I had done to my first child.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I took me many years to find peace through Jesus Christ and to forgive myself that profoundly selfish act. I still have not been able to tell my children. I still fel shame when remembering.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I am not certain.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

You will regret it the rest of your life!

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I would tell them that their refusal to hear truth, speak truth, and stand for truth has cost millions of innocent lives and the despair of millions of uninformed woman. I would tell them to repent or be prepared for the terror of judgement day when they stand naked before the Lord.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Prince William

My name is B C I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Johnson City NY

10/30/1981

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

I believe it is called D&C; performed in the hospital after being admitted

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

The pregnancy test performed in the primary Dr.'s office came out falsely as negative. I was hospitalized due to the symptoms I was having. Evidently, they were looking for a cyst or tumor and x-rayed my womb. The primary doctor called me in my hospital room and told me they found out I was pregnant. He had already contacted a Gyn to perform a termination of the pregnancy the next day. I was overwhelmed and felt ashamed before my parents who now knew. A girl, probably a social worker of some nature spoke with me at a table outside my room. I do not recall anything she said; I just recall feeling that this life was in jeopardy of being deformed or something due to the radiation. I do not know what the doctors told my mom with regard to the radiation and the health of my child -- If they scheduled the termination because of that or because they felt that was our choice. My mom was planning to talk to me more before the procedure the next day. The next morning I was awakened and told they were scheduling me early. I remember taking a shower and feeling completely overwhelmed and a feeling of everything being completely out of control. They took me in and performed the procedure.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

As explained earlier, The Doctors radiated my womb with a procedure and scheduled the procedure before even notifying me that they discovered I was pregnant. Nothing regarding this procedure was explained to me. Nothing at all.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

I suppose not directly

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I awakened as the anesthesia was wearing off with uncontrollable wrenching cries. I could not control this. My spirit was crying out in anguishing emotional pain. Then, someone in the recovery room yelled out very sternly, "NO CRYING IN THE RECOVERY ROOM!!!!!" I stopped. My life from that day forward changed drastically. I was home from school the next day and it seemed all I saw on TV was diaper or baby food commercials and I can not even begin to describe the impact. I took on an identity of a murderer. My psyche could not handle the stress of being responsible for such a decision of permanent consequence. There is no doubt that I have lived with post traumatic stress disorder and other psychological and physical conditions as a result.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

The trauma has left undeniable physical and psychological effects which have impacted every relationship in my life and how I live every day.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

God will provide. Look for people to support you and adoption is a beautiful option.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Your stance is damaging the lives of so many people. I would just hope these declarations are given serious attention and you come to understand the full impact of your decision. Please realize that all of you in authority who have allowed this procedure to be perpetrated on women and their families owe a great debt to society for the irreparable damage to so many lives. If you are a Christian or believe in eternal life I would hope the fear of God and His guidance would lead you to understand the judgement of God for individuals or a nation that chooses death of the innocent and defenseless ones. Every life counts! Every life matters! Please, Choose to see God's perspective and do not be guided by lies and greed.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Loudon

My name is S C I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Atlanta GA

01//1997

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

12

3. What type of abortion was performed?

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

No discussion by receptionist, nurse or doctor.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

No counsel was setup by the clinic

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

Regret, depression, sorrow, shame, grief, guilt, isolation

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

shame, sadness, sorrow, judgment, separation, division

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Do NOT do it.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

Please listen to those who have had an abortion...and listen deep down in their conscience.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Richmond

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### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Richmond VA

09/24/1985

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

not sure

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I had no idea that my baby was so big. I was made to wait until I was at least 8 weeks and now I totally regret my decision. I invisioned a tiny blob with no real features. I feel that I was lied to.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I didn't realize that I would have so much emotional pain and regret. I started having vivid nightmares and my life went south from there. It has taken me years to truly forgive myself.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

I was only 17- my boyfriend guilted me

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

YES! I became empty and could care less about my body. I began drinking and partying heavily trying to run from my emotions. I would have a child 23 years old now and that will always haunt me. I wasn't given any alternative.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Yes! My ex-boyfriend. I didn't realize just how hurt he was either. We both were hurt and scared. I grew to resent him and soon afterwards left him and broke his heart. We had planned on getting married after high school.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Not to do it. There are other alternatives to abortion and I wished that I would have been given the facts especially about the stages of pregnancy.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

YES! Because society says something is right does not always make it so. There are things deeper to consider when it comes to taking a life of an innocent baby. My baby had a heart beat and should have had rights. If abortion had been illegal I would not have done it.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Stafford

My name is Lori I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Chantilly VA

03//1987

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

16

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

? dont know

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

Was given papers to sign to have it done and told I would stay for about 30 minutes to make sure ok afterwards

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Only given papers to sign and the procedure was done

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Mother

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I still think about it today that I wish I could go back and it never happened. I wish I knew what it really was to have an abortion, what it really does to not only myself but a unborn living being. I am sickened to think about because of lack of information and not having a relationship with God to know that it was just ignorance I was young and had no one to tell me dont do it and what it was. Im very sad when I think about it I killed my baby there isnt another word it is murder and I have to live with that

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Nobody knew except my parents and the guy I was with it was kept a secret.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

DONT DO IT !! It will affect the rest of your life what it really is to have an abortion and explain to them if they feel they cant have a child to take care of that there are many who desire to have a child to do this option for the child to give the baby a chance of life just as God intended.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Ask them do they want to be judged by God for making the decision legal for people to kill another human and do they want to be held responsible for someone committing suicide because they couldnt deal with the after affects of that decision do they want to be held accountable for a person having a abortion that they turn to drugs, alcohol , and sex because they are trying to get rid of the pain because they feel so empty and worthless. Do they want to be responsible for the lives being tormented because of this decision when all could be fixed correctly against the law for abortion because its murder. The ones that get pregnant have to deal with it or give baby up for adoption so someone who cant have a baby can be blessed with having what God created

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Fairfax

My name is Michelle Dominguez. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Providence RI

06/06/2001

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

7

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

I was too immature and clueless to even ask.

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I knew nothing and the people at the clinic didn't speak to me at all.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I had no clue what was headed my way.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

I had no support from my boyfriend.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I had nightmares for years to the point where I was afraid to fall asleep. I was depressed. I tried to commit suicide. This is my most creative sin and it has been an awful experience for me. I wish that I knew then what I know now.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

The abortion ended my relationship with then boyfriend.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would explain to her what an abortion really is and the consequences, the pain, and the hurt that will follow after an abortion. I would beg her to request an ultrasound and to ask beforehand how far along she is. I would talk to her about her child's development and options and resources available. I wish that I had received an ultrasound .. to actually see my baby .. and I wish that I were told how far along I was. Those things would've made a huge difference in my decision to abort my baby.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

The court system has the power to save the lives of babies that have no voice and that need the court's help in a time of major desperation. The court system can save women from the pain and the hurt that WILL come to them after an abortion.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Fairfax

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### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Fairfax VA

06/30/2008

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

Not sure. I was I guess but I didn't pay attention to it. I was confused.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

They kept saying it was surgery. The papers only said that I had a choice of either abortion, parenthood, adoption, etc. But they never talked to you personally about what you were doing and about the baby.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My husband and myself.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I knew it was wrong and I never ever thought it was something I would do in my life. But I got pressured into it and the sad part is I listened to someone else without listening to my own conscience. When I got to the clinic I was already dying inside but I tried to be strong. But the doctor gave me the pills before I could ask any questions and I took them. After I took them, I asked if I could think about it, but it was already too late. This experience has killed me inside. I am afraid to open my eyes in the morning and whenever night comes I am terrified. I hate myself, I hate the act I did, I feel sorry for kids and most importantly for the life I threw away. If not for my other kids, I would be a lifeless shell hiding in my bed in pain and agony. My body aches all over. I am living in shame, remorse, agony, and pain that I wish on no one, not even my worse enemy. I know that I will never be the same again, my family will never be the same. I know it was my fault and I wish to God I could take things back. I wish I waited or talked to someone, but I didn't. It happened so fast and now my baby's gone.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Yes. My husband, my children, work, etc. It has ruined me inside and the bad part is, I live in pain and agony and I have to keep it inside all my life.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

If you are faced with an unplanned pregnancy, please never ever think of abortion. It is the worse thing you can do in your life. What you have in you is a living human being who needs a chance to live, even if faced with uncertainty. Your baby is a gift from God and should be cherished and not be blamed for any mistakes or misfortunes you have experienced in life. Your baby is a blessing. If you accept this blessing, God will provide for you and take away all you troubles. If you have an abortion, you will live in shame, pain, guilt, remorse, agony, and darkness for the rest of your life.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

The court who believes that abortion is legal is a court of made up of non-human beings. I can't believe that a court of people would fight for a woman's right to live in pain and suffering if she chooses to. We are human beings who feel and are connected to our Creator. A court who tells a woman who feels a baby thrive, and grow, and move and hears its heartbeat that it is just a blob or a tissue is not a court of people. As far as I'm concerned, abortion should not even be a choice.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of USA

My name is Renae Erskine. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Buffalo NY

07/14/1988

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

12

3. What type of abortion was performed?

?

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I was never told how it would affect me psychologically.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

I used abortion as a means of birth control because I was a lost child. I wasn't saved I didn't know I was taking a human life. I've killed 4 of God's children in 3 separate abortions. It has affected me deeply, it gets worse as time goes by, the more I realize what I have done.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

I've barely shared my experience with anyone. I've tried to talk to my husband about it but he's still pro-choice, I don't think he wants to deal with the reality of the situations.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

I would want to pray with her and to ask God to open her eyes and soften her heart to the consequences of the action. I'd plead with her not to do it, I'd let her know how each and every life given to us is a gift from God and that we need to cherish every aspect, every moment of their creation and life.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

That they should open up the jails and prisons and let the murders go because thats how I feel, I feel like a free murderer walking around living life, a life that my children never had a chnace to experience because of my poor choices.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Page

My name is S F . I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

New York NY

09/09/1972

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

10

3. What type of abortion was performed?

D&C

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

I did not realize how far along I was and how large the baby was.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I had no idea of how bad I would feel mentally and psychologically.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

The grief and depression haunted me for over 10 years.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

My husband has also grieved over it.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Don't do it. It is bad for you physically, mentally, and spiritually.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

It is murder of a human being and no good can come of it.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Chesterfield

My name is Jessica I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Manchester NH

//1989

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

9

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Suction Aspiration

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was 15 years old, the decision was my parents and very little information was shared with me.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No consequences were shared with me.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

At that time, my parents

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

For many years it had me question the sanctity of life, including my own. After having my first abortion at 15, I had two more. Having three abortions gave me a false impression on relationships with men and with others. I thought my life wasn't worth anything and for the most part neither was anyone else's life. If life has not value then why bother with anything. It led to a web of depression and sadness in my life.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My children have less siblings because of my multiple abortions, my willingness for intimacy is challenged with my husband - and much of that I attribute to the pains of not understanding the value of my body and the value of my children's lives

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would probably start by asking her several questions and then respond by trying to share with her the sanctity of life - hers and her child's life. I would also pose the same question to a court to the woman, if we don't consider a person dead until their heart stops, how can we not consider a person alive when

we clearly can hear at heart beat?

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

If a person is not legally considered dead until their heart stops how can we state that life does not begin when we can hear a heartbeat?

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Norfolk

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### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Norfolk VA

09/20/1980

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

6

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

Was told that it was a blob and not a life.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Was told about medical consequences that could happen but not usually. Not told of any kind of emotional consequences...that after the abortion, my life would go on as if it hadn't happened.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

The first time, family. The next two, my fiance.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Learned that they were a life not a blob. Emotionally, everytime see or hear a baby. Feel that I ended lives that God had created and had a purpose for.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Fiance' was upset about the initial one, but then was part of making decision to abort next two without regret. Don't know how it has affected him over the years because he has not been in my life.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

That this is a life growing inside her...it feels everything. It is not a mistake..God knew about it before it was ever conceived and He has a purpose and plan for her to be it's mommy and for its life. Don't have an abortion...it will have an impact on you for the rest of your life emotionally, spiritually, mentally and physically.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Abortion is murdering a life that just hasn't come outside of the womb yet. It is not any different than someone killing someone else. It emotionally and mentally scars all who are a part of it whether ever realize it or not and can come out in many ways. It changes people and the consequences are not worth doing. Please don't make it legal...we have no right to choose whether a baby lives or dies...that is in the hands of our Almighty God whom this country trusts and keeps us safe. Let's keep these precious ones safe too by putting an end to killing them before they even have a chance to experience life and grow up to be a part of our wonderful country. We are not God, how can we dare choose to end an unborn baby's life? It is something a woman never really gets over...she may not ever come to terms with it and deal with it as alot of us have but it is a devastating experience that no woman should go through. We need to educate women to choose life to keep their babies no matter how difficult it is, not abortion.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Fairfax

My name is Wendy I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Akron OH

//1988

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

11

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Suction Curettage

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was not informed about how developed a baby was by 10 weeks and what an abortion would do. I was not clear on how invasive the procedure would be. I informed the clinic that I have a complex congenital heart defect, yet they did not consult my cardiologist or physician or suggest I consult them. They simply gave me an antibiotic IV for several hours after the procedure. I was young and too scared to tell my doctors.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was not told of any potential harm, physical or emotional. Although they knew of my heart defect, they did not express any concern physically for me. I was never informed of the possibility of Post Abortion Syndrome (PAS).

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Society pushes abortion as the "best" option

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

The hours of antibiotics "numbed" me as I watched others go in and out of the procedure room. I went into serious denial at first, very deep. I buried my secret, never talked about it. But I became increasingly promiscuous, partied a lot, and fueled a lust addiction. I held onto bitter resentment against my boyfriend (later husband). I was irritable, emotional and would snap in anger at my boyfriend/husband and others. I was bitter in general, and grew weary with guilt, sadness and shame for what I had done. I couldn't bear to hear about the abortion topic, or see childbirth films (required in college). When I learned the truth about fetal development, I cried for hours, angry with myself and

everyone else for what happened.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I had relationship issues with several people: my husband, my friend who accompanied me to the clinic, my in-laws and family (due to guilt). My husband has also been affected with grief from the abortion, as this was his child, too.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Don't do it! There are other alternatives for a woman and her baby. Abortion doesn't solve the problem, it creates a new one that the soul struggles to bear. Crisis Pregnancy Centers can help a woman if she chooses to keep her baby, and adoption is a wonderful alternative I wish I had considered.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Abortion ends more than the life of the baby, it can also end the productive life of the woman as well. PAS robbed me of much of my life. Abortion is not a woman's healthcare medical procedure, it is a deathcare procedure- it doesn't improve her health, it destroys her mental, emotional and spiritual health, in addition to killing her baby.

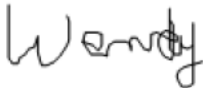
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of James City

My name is L. H G I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Wichita KS

02/17/1979

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

16

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Dilation and Curettage

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

No one explained anything to me at the abortion clinic in Wichita, Kansas. However, the woman at Planned Parenthood in Hays, KS advised me ONLY of abortion, and stated that my "fetus was probably deformed or retarded." I was given no literature, either.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

As I said, I was given no literature or counseling.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

The Planned Parenthood representative in Hays, KS.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It has affected me deeply and profounding. I stand here today, nearly 31 years later, knowing beyond knowing, that I made the BIGGEST MISTAKE of my life. Yet, even as of this morning, I sat on my bed crying uncontrollably – my chest heaving with heavy sobs, the clenching spasms of my vacant, empty abdomen aching a near-torrent flood of unrelenting sorrow for the one I let go. I know now, that I have missed out. And my husband missed out. And our other three adult children missed out. But more importantly, my child, who would now be a grown man if I had allowed him to live, would have, in all likelihood, been married with children of his own.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

The only other person who knows is my husband and father of my child. He, like me, has great remorse, pain and sorrow.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

The reality is is that when a woman becomes pregnant and whether she decides to keep the baby or not, in that instant, her life changes, and changes forever. Because no matter what a woman's decision, she will forever know that she IS a MOTHER. Nothing will ever change that, or erase that fact. Not even death.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I would tell the court that abortion is about an altogether other person: the one who is forming and growing within her womb. I can bet that if my baby had been given a vote about whether he would have liked to have lived or died, I can assure you that he would have voted for life, and the right to live. Because, I know now, that it wasn't my right to make that decision...about whether he lived or died. No more than it was my mother's right to make that decision about me. For we shouldn't have that kind of power. No one should. Because the gift of life is a gift from God.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of VA**

**County of Henry**

My name is Michelle Haley. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Roanoke VA

05/19/1991

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Unknown

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I later learned that the suction machine literally tore the baby apart. I also of course later learned that the baby felt pain, and that it was NOT just a piece of tissue.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No one told me that every time a saw a child the same age, as my child would have been, that I would feel so much loss and regret, and shame about it.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It has caused me to be very vocal with others considering this procedure. I always tell them about the psychological effects, that no one else bothers to tell them about. I am now a counselor.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I have been able to educate others so they do not make this same mistake. Others have seen and heard the hurt and pain I still fill over this terrible decision, and have chosen to give life to their child. The father, he never got a say in it. And in hindsight, it was not right that he did not have a say in the decision about HIS CHILD as well.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Do not do it. It is a life long sentence of regret and sorrow. You will ALWAYS think about what the child might have been. It was the single WORST DECISION of my life.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Wrong. That so called piece of tissue, is far from that, it is a life. A life that I killed. No judge should allow others to make this kind of "choice". Other women should not have to realize too late that they murdered their own child.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Washington

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### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Bristol TN

04/08/1990

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

7

3. What type of abortion was performed?

I don't know

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

I have major depressive disorder, gad, and panic attacks

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

My father was very ashamed.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Don't do it! It is an easy out. It has caused me so much pain for so many years. I would give anything to take it back.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

It shouldn't be legal. I know my life would have turned out very differently. It causes so much pain and guilt.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Hanover

My name is A H I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Baltimore MD

//1978

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

8

3. What type of abortion was performed?

not sure

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

When I was 29 years old, I had a one year old and twins who were several months old at the time. I had just put them down for a nap when I suddenly had a severe anxiety attack. My husband and I had recently had a conversation about not having any more children, yet I had always wanted four. Suddenly, in the hallway, I had a flashback of the abortion and realized that I DID have four children, but I had killed one of them. I felt like I couldn't breath and like I was having a heart attack. After this I began having horrible anxiety attacks, and I felt angry all the time. I went into therapy for six months, and was able to work through the abortion and the situation surrounding it. I was also given anti-anxiety medication. I have since forgiven myself and everything surrounding that situation.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

But I feared my parent's reaction.

9. How has abortion affected you?

I was drugged and raped at a party, and had no recollection of what happened to me until I realized I was pregnant. I made a decision that I felt was the best decision at the time. However, years later I am sad that I ever even had to make that decision. I am sad for the child I chose to abort, and for the life my baby never had. I have repented sincerely and I know that God has forgiven me.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

Not many people know about the abortion. However, when I began having the anxiety attacks I told my

husband what happened. He was also very sad for me.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I tell EVERY woman considering abortion NOT TO DO IT!!!! I am now a healing and deliverance minister and I have ministered to MANY women who have had abortions. In EVERY CASE, these women have similar and varying degrees of lack of self esteem, feelings of unworthiness, guilt, shame, depression, and most commonly, thoughts and/or attempts of suicide. We also tend to find demonic spirits of depression, murder, suicide and death which further perpetuate these conditions. From a spiritual aspect, abortion is the equivalent to the Old Testament practice of sacrificing children to the gods, and it opens all kinds of doors to demonic oppression. Most people don't understand deliverance, and many times by the time a woman is referred to me, she is in complete despair! However, in every case, God is faithful to deliver them, and they are completely set free!

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Abortion is not a quick fix to an inconvenient situation! Abortion not only carries lifelong physical risks, but it almost always results in serious and damaging emotional and spiritual consequences which many women suffer. Because many women hide the fact that they have had an abortion and move on, often suppressing their feelings, many suffer from depression and even suicide without ever connecting their oppression back to the abortion. Through ministry I have seen countless women released from the strongholds of abortion and completely set free of the guilt, shame and sadness that lingers long afterwards. Our country is paying a heavy toll for the millions of babies we have murdered; Financially, physically, emotionally and spiritually!

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of new kent

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### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Virginia Beach VA

10/31/1991

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

7

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

saline flush/D&C

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No talk whatsoever about possible psychological and emotional problems resulting from abortion. No counseling was offered - just a quick before talk basically supporting one's decision to have one, treating it like a 'regular' medical procedure.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I've had/have significant grief, at times depression and despair. In particular since becoming born again Christian, and because I did not have any children. It is particularly hard leading up to mother's day. I dread mothers day, though I always do something for my mother and send people cards, etc. My husband gave me a mothers day card tho, it was so sweet, he picked just the right one. One thing I do know is that God forgave me before I even asked. When I replay it in my head I see where I could've stopped the whole thing - what -was -the -matter- with- me, how could I do this?

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I feel that there is a person missing, in fact so many have had abortions whom I know that many people are missing should've been here. It hits me v hard sometimes as my child would be 17 this year.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Really think and pray hard, take some time alone, talk to a pastor or priest, talk to women who have had them and consider possible consequences. Have an ultrasound. Feel that new life inside you. You

cannot replace the one you abort. Name and deal with your fears. I did not have the right to decide against having my child. I know that now, I really know it. Do not believe the propoganda that the "choice" crowd spreads. Recognize that Planned Parenthood is pro abortion not prochoice and not prowoman. This is a political, leftist group. Know that and know them for who they are. This is about your child, a unique created being. You are being given tremendous grace in having a child. Know that you have to live with the consequences if you have an abortion. Abortion is wrong, wrong, wrong. In this society there is much more outpouring of sorrow for abandoned starving horses and dogs than for unborn babies that do not have a chance to live the lives God intended. No matter what someone tells you, only trust in God, not in man, no matter how well-meaning.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

An unborn fetus/baby is a unique being, genetically, physically, emotionally and in every other imaginable sense of the word unique. It is a preborn human being, not a parasite or 'bunch of cells' in a woman's body, if that were the case then it would be completely acceptable to kill a 2 year old or an 85 year old as either is completely dependent on a caretaker. There is no God, no logic, no objective science and no humanity in abortion. It is a horror. Ask enough women who have had them.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Hanover

My name is Emily James. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Richmond VA

12/15/2000

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

7

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was told that my baby was a "mass of tissue". He/She was also called "pregnancy tissue". I was not told about how formed my baby was, nor was I allowed to see the ultrasound screen, despite asking to see it.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was never counseled about my abortion. I was never asked if I was being pressured into it (which I was). I was never asked about my feelings, or even if I knew anything about abortion. I wasn't counseled on the alternatives to abortion, nor was I told about the emotional/mental complications of abortion.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My boyfriend at the time and my family

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I have nightmares about the abortion. I feel nauseated when I pass the clinic (I try to avoid it at all costs). I cry all the time... especially when thinking about my child. I have struggled with suicidal ideations and severe depression since my abortion. I feel complete guilt and remorse for paying someone to murder my child.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I can be very overprotective of my children and I have extreme hatred towards my ex-boyfriend. I have a lot of anger towards my family for pressuring me into the abortion, and at myself for not learning more

and walking out of the clinic.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

This is a life-changing decision, regardless of how informed you are, but try to be as informed as possible. I would NEVER recommend an abortion... no matter the circumstances. If I could have my child back, even for a second, I would give my life. There IS hope, you don't have to abort!

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

ABORTION DOES NOT LIBERATE WOMEN, IT OPRESSES THEM! We should all strive to be more supportive of women by educating them on the alternatives to abortion. Killing another human being is NOT the answer to ANYTHING! Abortion only kills one and wound another. We are left to deal with the emotional aftermath of abortion and it's not something I would wish on ANYONE.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of VA**

**County of Va. Beach**

My name is S J I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Richmond VA

06//1990

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

5

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

I guess a normal abortion where they removed the baby

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

No, i was just told to undress, given some pill and rushed into a room with other very scared women and then rushed into a wide open room where the procedure was preformed.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No, there was no pamphlets given and no one discussed the consequences

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My boyfriend

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It was devastating emotionally and physically. To this day I still struggle with guilt and shame.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would share my experience and tell her of the grand mistake it is to have an abortion and inform her of the precious life that is in her body. Killing is not a choice it is murder.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

How can we say that we protect the rights of the innocent when as a country we mass murder the most innocent of beings who cannot speak out or stand up for themselves. This is a grave injustice to the most innocent of life.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Loudoun County

My name is Janice I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Columbus OH

02//1987

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

I do not know the name??? vaginal suction...I think

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I was deeply grieved for year over it. I regretted my actions very deeply. I eventually got counseling to deal with my pain. I remember one time waking up in the middle of the night to what I thought was a baby crying. I got up out of bed and searched my apartment, only to realize the baby crying was in my head! I was haunted for years with guilt over it. I will always regret having an abortion!

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My husband and mother know. A few close friends. My kids do not know and most people I know do not know. I still feel ashamed of what I did, so it is not something I will share.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Do not ever ever do it. It is not worth it!!

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Not enough research has been done to determine the effects of abortion on a women. I think it is very very damaging.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of VA**

**County of washington**

My name is Alyson Jones. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Bristol TN

07/10/1994

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

7

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

unsure- maybe a DNC

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was told to initial and sign a bunch of papers that were termed "legalities" then I was given medication that made me totally out of sorts while the abortion was performed.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I had no idea of the feeling of loss that would come years later.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Immediately after, I threw all my self-worth out the window. I delved into the underworld of drugs and alcohol. I did not tell my parents, and was only 19- and I worried them immensely with the way I was living. These were my own decisions, but things could have been different. Now I experience guilt, and a feeling of loss. I know that God forgave me when I accepted Jesus, it is just sometimes harder to forgive myself.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

As stated above, this affected my parents negatively because of my lost self-esteem. My future husband would also have a hard time getting past my "past." I'm too ashamed to tell my story to many

others.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would tell her to give the baby a chance at life. If she does that, she will not have the shame and guilt that I have experienced for the past 14 years.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I would tell them that I would have loved that baby once it was here, but I did not give it the same chance my parents gave me. I would tell the courts that I am ashamed that our judicial system offers more protection to animals than it does to unborn human beings.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Chesterfield

My name is Linda Lee Jones. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Baltimore MD

08/07/1974

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

16

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Saline

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was told that they would inject a fluid and that the fetus would deliver in about 24 hours. But it actually took about 48 hours and I saw my little girl's body covered in blood. It was a life changing event. They actually had me on the maternity floor listening to mother's and families with their new little children during the "waiting period".

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

As stated, I don't remember anyone saying that I would actually be awake to see anything or to experience the mental and physical pain of abortion. No one explained that I was actually carrying a little child. Instead they always referred to her as a fetus.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

I really can't blame anyone for that decision.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Proper education and an option to place my child for adoption should have been presented to me. I was an uneducated 17 year old looking for a solution of not having to deal with the father of my child for the rest of my life. After the abortion, I became a person who had no value for life and turned to drugs, alcohol and promiscuity to try and cover the pain. After becoming a believer in 1981, our Precious Heavenly Father took me and molded me into a person who feels that she does have value and that she is completely forgiven. But it is a daily battle to remember that.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

That question would have to be presented to the other individuals in my life, but I do believe that it continues to have an affect on my marriage, currently. I still battle with not feeling worthy of respect.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

To really get educated about the status of the child they are carrying in their body. To understand that the little life within is a gift from God and that if they are unable or unwilling to provide for the child, that they should at least consider giving someone else the opportunity to do it. I try to tell them of the experience that I had and that their decision will change their life forever. Abortion is NOT a quick fix to their dilemma.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I would ask them to truly consider the testimonies of real women who have truly experienced the affects of having an abortion. To actually get ALL the facts prior to any decision they consider.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Chesapeake

My name is C K I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Norfolk VT

01//1977

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

D & C

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was taken into a room with another woman (who was married and already had 2 other children). We were asked if we were sure of our decision. We were told we would need a follow up exam. I don't recall much else prior to the procedure. I thought it was odd that I was asked to step into the room with a stranger.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

There was no information except risk of retained "tissue" which could lead to bleeding or infection.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

FOB who was not supportive of pregnancy

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I am currently the mom of 2 young adult girls and have worked as a high risk neonatal nurse for 24 years. I love my girls, and watch what mothers will go through for their fragile infants, some not even weighing 1 pound. I think about that child that God blessed me with 32 years ago that I casually allowed someone to convince me was not a human being yet. I suffer with migraines, insomnia, and low self esteem. To the world, I am a beautiful woman. I have an amazing husband and fantastic children, but everyday I feel unworthy because I choose to terminate a life that I was entrusted with.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My husband does not understand my mood swings and physical pain (lack of sleep and headaches). He does not see the connection. I told him several years ago about the abortion, but not in great detail.

He is of the mind set to "move forward". When you make a mistake, you move on. One you ak God for forgiveness, you are forgiven.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

To listen to HER OWN HEART. Do not make a decision in haste. There are any resources out there for HELP-more than ever now. Every baby deserves to be born.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Each individual has to live with their own belief system and decision. At the moment, abortion may seem the most logical and "quick fix" for an unplanned pregnancy, but I believe every baby deserves a right to be born. Many families long for a child to adopt. I feel if abortion is to remain legal, at least place a holding period from the time a woman visits a clinic to the time the procedure is preformed, as well as "TRUE" counseling for every mother so that she understands the long term consequences she MAY experience if she follows through.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Hanover

My name is Connie I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Roanoke VA

08/08/1978

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

16

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

saline

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was not told anything about the procedure until a large needle was being inserted through my stomach wall into my uterus. I had already been asked if I wanted 'twilight sleep' and I did choose that sedation which had taken effect when they started doing while explaining the procedure. It wasn't until that time that I was told that if the saline were injected incorrectly that I would die from the saline. Never was I told that the saline would burn my baby to death since I wasn't ever told it was a baby but only a mass of cells.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No one ever told me that I would be devastated emotionally once I learned the truth about conception and pregnancy. I was so ignorant of the truth and no one ever offered the truth to me.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

my parents because of their own plans for my life

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I am 25 years + past this abortion and I have just found forgiveness for myself and faced the abortion head on. Abortion has created so much of who I am and I have lived under its 'cloak of darkness'. Everytime I would see a picture of a fetus or anytime that the word was mentioned, I would have to figure ways to calm myself to avoid anxiety attacks. I have suffered more with the after effects of abortion than anyone would ever know - mainly because it is the forbidden grief and you tell NO ONE. No one knows why I was always down or bitter or angry or disappointed in myself. This is something that you don't ever talk about. I was paralyzed when it came to making even minor decisions in my

life... realizing that I had made such a terrible choice, I couldn't function properly with decision-making. Now, I see that I wasn't told the truth. A big portion of the truth was kept from me. I trusted my parents and my doctors that since this was a legal procedure, it must be ok. How many mothers do you think would actually choose to kill their child if they knew the truth that it was a baby and NOT a bunch of cells? It wasn't a tumor that was removed.... it was an identifiable baby!

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My marriage has faltered at my own hands. I don't form close relationships. Now, I realize it is because I have always lived in a lie since my abortion because no one can actually know who I am. That story and its pain is not something that you can share with anyone.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

'There is nothing that you can't face head on with having your child. Everything is hard to face if you choose to give that life up because you live life in the 'what-if' and you are always aware of someone who should be in your life but isn't because you caused their death. Unreal to live that way!

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Abortion kills 2 people. I killed my child and living with that has killed me. There isn't anyway that a mother can kill her child and not bear some consequence of that killing. I had my abortion not too long after it became 'legal' to do so.... and I know of others who are just now waking up to the truth of what they went through. There is going to be huge fallout once we all start realizing what we gave up at our own hands.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Hanover

My name is Julie Keenan. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Richmond VA

06/05/1992

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was told everything in very "medical" terms so that it was hard to understand what they were saying. I was told that I would feel some pressure and that the tissue would be easily extracated and "taken care of". I was told how easy it was and that in a couple of hours I would be "on my way".

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was told that this was a good thing that I was doing and that everything would be fine in a couple of hours. I was told to expect some mild pain just after and a few days of bleeding.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My teacher and my boyfriend.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

My first child was murdered in 1992. The doctor did not complete the process and left half of my child in my uterus. My body tried desperately to hold onto the baby. I went back to the clinic because I was still bleeding 2 weeks later and they told me that it was normal. Two weeks later I was still bleeding and set up an appointment with a gynocologist who also said it was normal. Three months later, my body finally let go of my baby. I almost died on the way to the hospital, had I waited any longer to get to the emergency room, I would not be here today. Awash in grief, I continued a promiscuous lifestyle and got pregnant again and because I didn't care about myself, I had another abortion in Alexandria, VA. This abortion they put me under so I didn't remember what happened. Later on I had a pre-cancerous lump from my breast removed, filed suit against Richmond Women's Clinic for the 1st abortion mistake and settled out of court for my hospital bills. I went on for many years battling

depression and suicidal tendencies. When I had my living children, I suffered severe post-partem depression and many times thought of killing myself and my children. Praise God, I never did. About 1 1/2 years ago, I finally gave Jesus all of my pain so that I didn't have to carry it around anymore! I have finally forgiven myself for murdering David Matthew and Melody Rose (my children in heaven), only through the forgiving grace of Jesus Christ.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My parents found out many years later and still grieve the loss of their grandchildren. They go to light a candle for them now and then. I think it hurt them a lot more than they will ever show. The father of David never really showed much emotion, just wanted me to stop crying all the time. He drank his way into oblivion and eventually I left him after he put a gun to my head, pulled the trigger and then started laughing realizing he had forgotten to put the bullets in.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

It is murder, no matter how early on you do it. Abortion is the murder of you baby, your own flesh and blood in whom God has entrusted your care. Don't Do It! No matter what, there are so many options available to you that no one ever told me about. If I had wanted to keep my child, people were there ready to give me clothes, diapers, support, etc. All I had to do was ask! I could have put my child up for adoption. Now after finding my birth-mom, I know for sure that would have been the better option for me. I always thought she must have been a person in a lot of trouble or just a wretched person to give up her child. But she was just unmarried and afraid. She gave me to loving parents that took great care of me and raised me in the love of the Lord! If only I had the wisdom then that I have now....

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Abortion not only kills babies, it kills the souls of the mothers that kill their babies. It is unnatural, therefore causing many side-effects such as great hormone imbalances, depression, suicidal tendencies, later birthing problems, breast cancer. With so many other options available and so many mothers with aching arms just waiting for a child to love, STOP ABORTION NOW! No matter how you look at it, it is MURDER!

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of city of Richmond

My name is V L I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Richmond VA

01/01/1988

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

8

3. What type of abortion was performed?

don't know

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

I don't remember any explanation, maybe I've blocked the experience

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

no-one told me the long term consequences like depression and profound regret, nor did they inform me that there was a crisis pregnancy center in town

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

Profound regret

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

same

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

I would tell her she has other support options like pregnancy centers that can help her through it and also to consider adoption

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I would ask them at what stage of gestation did their own children become human. I would ask them what is the difference between a late term abortion and a premature baby? Why is it a baby on one side of the womb and a fetus on the other? I would ask them to, at the very least, consider the viability of the unborn, and have mercy on the poor little ones. People can go to jail for drowning newborn puppies, yet human babies, on the verge of birth, can have their skulls smashed with scissors and their brains sucked out. We were lied to 35 years ago when abortion was legalized, we were told it was just a "blob of tissue". Everyone in this country under the age of 35 is a survivor of "choice".

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of City of Lynchburg

My name is Jennifer I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Portland OR

07//1993

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

dilation and suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

Nothing was explained to me.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Nothing was explained to me regarding consequences.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

my husband at that time (former husband)

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It was my 3rd one, and it really pushed me over the edge. I was already depressed for years from the first 2 abortions. I felt suicidal before, but after the 3rd one, I actually attempted suicide. I felt so hopeless until I surrendered to God Almighty. I deeply regret all 3 abortions, and deeply regret not having kids and being a mother. Now, I can never have children because I had to have a hysterectomy.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My parents were deprived of 3 grandchildren. My siblings were deprived of 2 nephews and a niece. My former husband must've had regret after I finally left him (he had said if I came back we could have kids).

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Please don't do it. It will ruin your life! There are organizations & people that can help you through this, and give you the help you need. Please choose LIFE! If you're not ready to be a mother, you can choose adoption. There are plenty of good couples waiting to adopt.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Abortion should not be legal because it is murder. Abortion should not be legal because it ruins the health (physical, mental, emotional, & spiritual health) of the mother. Providing abortions to minors without parental consent only aids/enables the rapist. Also, forcing taxpayers to pay for murdering babies should be against the law.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of VA**

**County of Fairfax**

My name is Nancy Marston Gabriel. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Fairfax VA

03/22/1982

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

4

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

D&C

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was studying Biology in school, and I was taught that the embryo was just a bunch of cells, but not that the heart cells were beating from conception and that the baby had a soul, body and spirit.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Abortion is murder and it carries all the guilt and remorse of a murderer. I had scars that were emotion and physical. I remember the horrific injection prick of the needle to dilate the cervix and bled much with my live births later on. My doctor had to scrape scar tissue - very painfully.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My boyfriend.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I traded a baby for a college degree I never used. Being pregnant during college was horrifying. Drinking alcohol affected my decisions concerning sex before marriage. I really wanted to be married before I had sex. I never forgave my high school friend who instructed me how to get an abortion.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I pressured my roommate to get an abortion before 6 weeks because then it would be a 'real' baby. All

my friends who have had abortions have been divorced or separated or never married. Abortion made me feel guilty of murder and an outcast and unloving!

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Don't ever have an abortion. Ceasarian sections can be performed quite easily with complicated pregnancies. There is never an excuse to have an abortion. Get good counsel and Godly women in your life who love you enough to tell you the truth. Adoption is an option.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I would tell a court that 'abortion is murder'; therefore, they are saying 'murder is legal'. The court system is liable for their negligence. They know the truth and are usurping power in a very wrong direction and being paid off by their own selfish means.

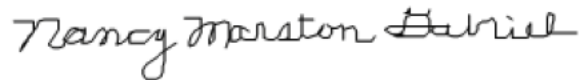
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Albemarle

My name is Natalee McRoberts. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Harrisburg PA

02/01/1997

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

D & C

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I didn't know that it raised my risk for breast cancer. I didn't know that the abortion would devastate me to my very core. I didn't know for sure what the statistics were regarding the medication I was on and the true chance of any harm to the baby.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My Neurologist and my then boyfriend

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

During the time after the abortion I gained more than 60 lbs and became unhealthy and obese. I have struggled with intimacy and trust in my marriage. (My husband is the aborted baby's father.) I struggle with guilt and shame every day. I miss my son. (God revealed to me before the abortion that it was a son.)

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My husband struggles with dealing with the emotional toll the abortion has had on me. I think that he also struggles with his guilt and his own pain.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would tell her that you never forget the moment your child feels as it is sucked from your womb. The loss of your baby will be felt with every fiber of your being in that single moment and you will carry it with you all the days of your life. At every holiday, every family event, you will long for your child to be

there. Today there are Christian Centers that will help you find a way to make it through the pregnancy, don't let finances set your decision. Your child's life is worth more than \$500.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

During my most recent pregnancy I went in for an ultrasound at 8 weeks and saw a baby on the screen. Visibly, the image looked like a baby. You could see its head, its body, its arms and legs. I had an abortion of my first child when it was 12 weeks old. Seeing that ultrasound brought home the stark reality of abortion - I aborted a real baby and not a mass of tissue.

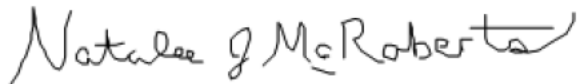
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Va

My name is Pamela I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Virginia Beach VA

09/04/1978

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

6

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was under the impression it was tissue and not given any other information about the development of my baby. Wasn't given an ultrasound. Was only told of the physical complications that could arise, including death.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Not of the mental or emotional consequences that I experienced or of the trauma done to my uterus which caused complications in my next pregnancy and which prevents some women from having children again.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I had depression, anxiety, panic attacks. Extreme anger towards others involved. Also had nightmares and severe emotional pain and regret for many years. Felt I could never forgive myself. Separation from God.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

They have been impacted by my depression, anxiety and anger. I was very distraught and worried during subsequent pregnancies and was very overprotective of my children.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Do not do it under any circumstance. There is financial and emotional help available to cope and carry their child. Adoption is a very loving option.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Abortion should not be legal because if it were legal for my mother, she confessed that I would have been aborted. But if it were not legal, my child would be here. The majority of women will need go outside the law to obtain abortions. Many think because it's legal, it's safe, but it is not safe, mentally, emotionally, spiritually or physically for the woman and definitely not for the unborn child.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of New Kent

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### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Newport News VA

01//1991

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

12

3. What type of abortion was performed?

vaccum abortion

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

I was only seventeen and so emotional I did not really know what was going on. They told me a lot of stuff but you are in a room all day and I had my mom telling me I had to do it. It was very stressful. I just remember a cold room and pain thinking I was going to die.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I did not know how horrible I would feel inside they never explained the amazing sense of lose you feel. I cried for weeks and my school grades suffered. My grades went downhill afterward and nothing really mattered anymore. I just went through the motions.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

My family

9. How has abortion affected you?

For a long time I stopped liking myself and did things I wouldnt even consider. I felt my life was out of control. When I eventually married and had three girls I kept feeling like there was my one boy I would never have because I had killed him. It always made me feel less of a person like I should not even be alive. Since I became a Christian God has forgiven me and eventually I have learned to forgive myself.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

My husband who was my boyfriend at the time was depressed over the loss. He finally forgave me and we ended up with three beautiful girls but he sometimes sees a teenager and says we would have had one that age you know. So you can see it is hard at times for him too.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would tell them to never make a life altering decision like that when they are so emotional. There are so many other options I wish I had chosen. Maybe the most convenient isnt the right answer. Taking an innocent life is never the answer. Thats the thing you have to do this abortion stuff right away before you even have time to absorb what is really going on. I guess that is how they get you because you are so emotional or numb.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

What is wrong with actually taking responsibility for our actions. Yes it would have been tough but sometimes things that are tough only make us stronger. The pain and sadness I felt would never have happened if abortion was illegal.

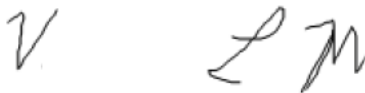
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of VA**

**County of USA**

My name is Ashley Morris. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Norfolk VA

07//2004

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

10

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

To the best of my knowledge I was not informed adequately. I was not told what medically could go wrong. I was not told my chances of Breast Cancer would increase. I was not told that I could become infertile. I was not told that I could become very ill due to the abortionist performing the abortion improperly. I was also not told the emotional effects this would have on me. I was not told the details of the abortion and exactly what they did. I even asked them to see the ultrasound and was DENIED! They turned the screen from me right before they performed the ultrasound. They told me only what they wanted me to hear.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No. Explained above

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

The abortion clinic - Hilcrest

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It has made me depressed, ashamed, fearful, guilty, hateful, hurtful, angry, all of the above. Any feeling possible you can have, I have felt it. There hasn't been one emotion I haven't felt.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My family and friends have been affected because they have lost a loved one. They have cried, been hurt, scared, ashamed, and all of the above as well.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

The risk health wise, physically, emotionally, it isn't worth it. There is nothing in the world worth putting your life intentionally on the line for. No one knowingly would put themselves at higher risk for breast cancer.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

If me killing my baby should be legal, then me killing my neighbor because I feel they have no purpose here on earth should be legal too. Hey, did you heard, they found a cure for Aids, well they would have but the baby was aborted! When you think about abortion, think about the next baby being murdered is your grandson, granddaughter, daughter, son, etc. Maybe it could have been your wife or husband. Check out this website, <http://www.abortiontruth.com/videos.html>

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Henrico

My name is K M I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Tulsa OK

06/08/1980

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was told that it was a "blob" of cells, not a baby at the time. I was given no information and do not recall signing an informed consent. This was done at a well known Tulsa OB-GYN who performed them on his lunch hour for extra money.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No one, not the doctor or the nurse gave me any sort of counseling. Just took my name, walked me down a hall, performed a painful abortion by suction and sent me out the door. I suffered from guilt and shame for years. I still wonder what the baby would have been (boy or girl) and count the years old it would be now. I only recently recovered by knowing God forgives me. It has been difficult to forgive myself, knowing I killed another person for my convenience.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Planned Parenthood of Tulsa.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Felt shame for many years (still hard to admit it. This is the first time I have written anything about it). Never told my family but did tell my husband when I married later. I became very predatory sexually toward men afterwards (I became pregnant after my first sexual encounter). I didn't care what happened to me if I had unprotected sex, who it was with, that kind of thing. It was a way to punish myself for doing what I did. I knew it wasn't right, but Planned Parenthood provided all the info at my pregnancy test and knew I was afraid. For every reason I would argue not to do it, the Planned Parenthood "counselor" had an excellent argument to overcome it. I was so scared, didn't want to tell anyone and

the counselor became the only person who was giving me advice. And the advice was slanted, no adoption was mentioned, only abortion. I am still very remorseful about it. I would never do it again and haven't. It was something I will never forget and hopefully one day in heaven I can meet the person that I so quickly put there and ask them to forgive me. I would never advise any woman to do this.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I don't know

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Learn from my mistake. The fear you have about being pregnant does not compare to the fear you will experience after having an abortion. You just don't understand how negatively it will affect you. It took away a piece of my femininity that I think will never be replaced. A piece of kindness, softness, and tenderness was ripped from my psyche and replaced with a harshness more easily found in men.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

They are wrong. It is murder and any woman who has had an abortion knows it deep down inside. If we live in a culture which allows mothers to kill their children, mothers who are to be the protectors of their children, then we live in a culture which truly doesn't value human life. And who makes the decision who lives and dies in that culture? The most precious gift God gave women is the ability to bring life (not death) into this world. Men have the awful job of providing safety and security and that may mean bringing death. We are allowing women to throw the gift away and become like men. I want women to be the life givers, not the life takers.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Princess Anne

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### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Henrico VA

05/18/1977

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

28

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Saline

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

No real explanation of any kind was given other than the fact that this would terminate my pregnancy.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No one told me that I could have fertility problems or have increased health risks of any kind.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I have lived with the guilt of murdering my own child every day of every year. I never chose to get pregnant again as I felt I didn't deserve the opportunity to be a mother after killing my own baby. I believe it is the worst mistake I ever made in my life.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My husband has lived with the same regret - he didn't want me to abort but didn't stop me from carrying out my choice. He wishes he could have helped me accept my unplanned pregnancy as this was His child too - he felt powerless to stop me and also feels like it was the worse mistake we ever made in life. This has also affected our extended families as there were no grandchildren on my husbands side which left quite a void for my in-laws. I have never told either my parents or my husbands parents that I did this.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Not to do it. Be more responsible in your contraception, that's where your ACTUAL CHOICE lies. After conception, no amount of LEGALITY of abortion makes MURDER right. Inconvenience or hardship is

not sufficient reason to end a human life. Many other women I have shared my story with have agreed that they have had the same realization too late.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

That they are mistaken. There are at minimum three people involved in this situation. It takes two people to make a baby, and the law is only considering the so called "rights" of the woman in the option to abort. What happened to the rights of the father?? Where are HIS "rights" to his child?? What if he wanted his baby???? After all the child in question is 50% his. Why doesn't the child have the right to life even though it's parents shirk their responsibilities? According to our constitution, we have the RIGHT to LIFE, AS GIVEN US BY GOD - What court thinks they can over rule this principle and be civilized? How can we charge someone with manslaughter in the accidental killing of a pregnant woman's fetus on the one hand but claim it's just tissue when a woman Decides she doesn't "want" her baby. We are a terrible society that can't see beyond our momentary wants.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Chesterfield

My name is Tracy Nudelman. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Lakeland FL

10//1977

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

16

3. What type of abortion was performed?

suction

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

I was told that "it" was just a blob of tissue

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

There was no mention of any consequences

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

At age 47 now with 3 adult children, it remains the biggest mistake of my life. I went through years of grief recovery.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

I had to forgive family members for their "helpful assistance." It affected my relationship with my country; I trusted that the country of my citizenship would have laws in place that would be for my good and not for harm, and certainly that they would not legislate that it was ok for me to take the life of my unborn child.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Please be fully informed about the life inside of you and before you make this decision, consider that it is final and you will never be able to undo this decision, regardless of how much you may later regret it.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

Abortion not only tears down the moral fiber of our nation, and takes the life of an unborn child, but the whole process wounds women physically, mentally, emotionally and spiritually. Abortion is the shedding of innocent blood and has no pros, only very large and looming cons.

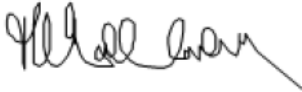
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Nelson

My name is Robin I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Richmond VA

04/01/1982

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

14

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Vacum

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

The experience was very cold, informal, and the counselor took me in a room to "counsel" me, but she did not get around to talking to me. She got a phone call, stayed on the phone for what seemed like at least 30 minutes talking to a friend. I will never forget the conversation, she was laughing and talking about restaurants they were going to try in the Richmond area, and while she was talking, out the window below her office were protesters and news cameras. I could look down and see them. Her only counseling words to me were about how behind the clinic was because of protesters that day. It was like I was casually buying a pair of shoes, no concern, no explaining, no care, no compassion at all. No words about a baby or life.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

What I was told affected me for years, and made a difference on how many children I would have in the future. I was told that I could have some bleeding, cramping, but I should be fine, but future pregnancies could be altered/affected by this procedure. I was terrified to have a child, which led to more abortions.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Severe depression, mood swings, unwarranted aggression to people I love, trouble bonding with my daughter 7 years later. I am still on medication. I went from handling life to a life drop-out at times.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Yes, I isolated myself from family, friends, from my husband to the point of divorce. I affected my

decision to have more children. I have one daughter, I was afraid to have anymore, afraid I caused damage to myself that would result in damage to a baby. It was only a miracle that I carried my daughter to term. I did have a miscarriage before my daughter.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Run, run as far away as you can from anyone even suggesting abortion. Have that wonderful life no matter the situation, there will be someone to help you. Don't do what you will regret the rest of your life.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I would beg them to give every woman, girl, everyone seeking an abortion an ultrasound first as a requirement by law before anyone could perform that procedure. But due to my own suffering I would recommend to any court to please outlaw this horrible horrible act. Only those who have had an abortion can explain the feeling of total emptiness, numbness that comes into your soul from abortion.

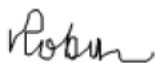
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Appomattox

My name is Elaine I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Kailue-Kona HI

08//1976

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

7

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

I do not remember

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

All the doctor said was it must be done quickly, as after 8 weeks it was..... (not as safe?) (legally Sticky?)

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

He only said it would not hurt, and there would be no suffering to the fetus.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My Dad had said that one mistake was ok

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

When I unsuccessfully sought a child through an attorney (the mother bolted)I cried uncontolably most of that night. Several years later I went to a stillborn funeral and then realized I was mourning for the child I destroyed both times. I have finally received the foregiveness God has offered all along for what I now know as an inconceivably prideful and self-centered act, and have forgiven both myself, and my Dad for his influence on the matter.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My now-divorced husband could not understand my over-protectiveness toward my other children....

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

DO NOT! There are wonderful parents just WAITING to adopt your child, and nowadays you can often keep in touch, so life is not over between you and your biological child!

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Legal is not the issue - we are talking about human rights here....however young, you cannot be pregnant without a baby, and a baby is a person! This is a simple issue....

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Loudoun

My name is Andrea Pearson. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

arlington VA

04/04/1982

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

8

3. What type of abortion was performed?

Suction

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

No one had explained what actually the procedure does and how it may effect my life.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

No. I did not know what to expect afterwards. There was no contact information if I had any type of post emergency.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

Boyfirend, friends and planned parenthood

9. How has abortion affected you?

After my abortion I fell into deep depression. I ended up drinking usning drugs and immoral realtionships. I had two other abortions after that. It has been a long hard journey out of my darkness. I am a survivor.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

It was really hard for my family to watch me as I suffered and went out of control.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

To take time to think about what she is doing. To pray to God for guidance and strength he is there and will not abandon you. There are people who really care about you and want to help.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

I would tell them my story. It says it all.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of GA

County of Fulton

My name is Marla Peterson. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Atlanta GA

04/25/1973

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

13

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

No one informed me that the fetus would be torn apart as the suction catheter sucked my child's body into the apparatus. No one told me that he/she already had measurable EEG brain waves, that his/her heart had been beating for weeks. I discovered all this when I entered nursing school at Emory University in 1975, and then later when I became pregnant again out of wedlock in 1978, and received counseling from a pro-life pastor at 4th Presbyterian church in Philadelphia. I was given a book by C. Everett Koop at that time, which described a suction/D&C abortion, and I chose life for that child, Matthew. He is now 32 yrs old and a joy to my life. I married his dad and had 2 more sons. One of them, who was 28, died very unexpectedly on April 19, 2011. The sorrow over losing my precious son has been made more bearable by my remaining 2 sons. I cannot imagine coping with my loss without them...

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No one told me that I was highly likely to become depressed afterwards.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My then-boyfriend

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I repressed it for years, until I had my son. I then became very active in the pro-life movement in the 80's, doing sidewalk counseling. I sat in at an abortion clinic in 1986 in GA, wearing my nursing scrubs. This was the first sit-in in the state. We closed the clinic that day and saved a child day from death. I witnessed about why I was committing civil disobedience to the police who arrested us. I hope it made them think...

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I never told my 3 sons about my abortion, as I was too ashamed. They found out through their cousins, who'd been told by my sister.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

All the facts about fetal development and the ability to perceive pain early on. That there is a better solution, which will bring them healing rather than pain, sorrow and immense guilt. That I never once have regretted having Matthew.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

The most fundamental civil right of an innocent HUMAN life, the right to life, is completely obliterated via Roe v Wade. This basic right is revoked without any due process of law whatsoever, which violates the precepts of our constitution, as did the infamous Dred Scott Supreme Court decision long ago. That is a travesty. I work as a Legal Nurse Consultant now in medical malpractice law, and one of my cases involves a young woman who experienced a fetal demise at 20 weeks. Her OB sent her to an abortion clini in DC for a D&E. She and her husband were never informed about what a D&E involved, by either their OB nor the abortionist, who does D&E's through 26 weeks and has NO malpractice insurance at all. The couple was Catholic, and were horrified to see that they'd been sent to an abortion clinic, yet their OB had told them they had no other options other than this DC clinic. DC clinics are not regulated in any way, which the couple also did not know. [This abortionist has badly botched other abortions as well.] The woman died, leaving a husband and 2 small children. Yet because the abortionist has no malpractice coverage, he will likely walk away with no consequences at all. That is also a travesty. The information above re: the medical malpractice case is confidential.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Newport News

My name is Linda I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Norfolk VA

//1982

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

7

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

saline

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

The common myth told by the doctors was that it was just a collection of tissue -- NOT a living embryo -- they were just removing tissue.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No one prepared me for the extreme sadness I would experience or even that there was any danger of possibly jeopardizing later fertility.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It has been a lifelong grave error and one that I will live with until I die. I have no children and as I age, the seriousness of this horrible mistake comes home to me everyday because of the very reality of not having a child (or children) to care for me in my old age.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Since this mistake was made prior to marrying my husband, it almost split us up when he found out. He is very anti-abortion and his stand on any woman doing that was crystal clear and I felt I couldn't share it early on in our relationship. It took us quite awhile to work through it.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

DON'T DO IT!!! There are entirely too many couples that are not able to conceive and desparately want a child. Carry the baby to term and allow it to be adopted into a loving home.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Because you have the authority to govern the land, a critical component should be for the safety and good of the people you represent. Liberal ideas such as legal abortion will only bring a curse upon the land and is not for the betterment of the people -- it only benefits those who are financially prospering on the emotional death of the women who will sometime during their lifetime come to reckon with their grave mistake. Also, not to mention that abortion is nothing more than legal murder since the embryo within the women is a living human being.

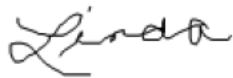
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Floyd

My name is Margaret I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Christiansburg VA

//1975

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

5

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

DNC

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I received NO counsel.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No one talked to me to explain anything.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It nearly destroyed my life, emotionally because of the guilt of killing my child. Physically because from that time for over 20 years I suffered from environmental illness. Spiritually it nearly killed me when I realized what I had done.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

MY husband also shared my guilt because he had allowed me to do it. If he had objected I wouldn't have gone through it. I didn't tell my other three children for over 30 years, they just felt very sad for me and what I had suffered. They knew I had suffered for years.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would counsel any one against an abortion for ANY reason.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

That it not only destroys the life of the baby but it destroys the mother too.

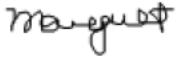
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Virginia Beach

My name is R R I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Virginia Beach VA

02/19/2007

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

9

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

I believe it was a D & C, I have blocked almost the entire day from my memory

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was never once told about the damaging psychological effects or really of any negative consequences at all. I was unprepared and it affected me greatly as it still does.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

a female friend!! the father played mind games

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I cannot think of a way in which it hasn't affected me. The way I look at the world and society has turned automatically to my questions of what the future would hold for my children, if I am given that blessing in the future. I have been at such deep low points that I couldn't bring myself to get out of bed for days. I've been taking everything one day at a time and can actually envision something that had escaped me for over 3 years, my future and purpose.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

One by one, I lost every link in my support system. The only people that have stood by me are my parents and brother. My parents do not know I had an abortion, but my mother thinks I suffered a miscarriage. My moments of honesty that I derived strength from were private moments between the Lord and I which has also deepened my faith.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would explain to them why the truth is that they have a baby growing inside their belly and challenge

them to think of how they felt physically and how drastically that had changed over the weeks. That is when a woman being honest with herself would have to admit that they feel the life inside them, depending on them for survival. Most of the information that I would make sure they had would be the seldom talked about post abortion effects and I would share with her some of my pain and that those struggles within yourself can consume you, if you let them, or if you are lucky, you may be able to maintain yourself in public but the only way to describe where you are emotionally is inside of your own personal hell. I have had a friend and cousin give their babies up for adoption and they are at such peace with their decisions and remain very much pro-life.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I originally had an appointment for February 14 for my abortion. I was so overcome with emotion while attempting to fill out the paperwork that I burst into tears before I could even make it through the first page. I don't think I really had intentions on going through with it and I asked for an ultrasound. I saw my child. At 9 weeks, he was obviously pointed out to me, but I just knew it was a boy in my gut. I returned 5 days later, this time high on pot and xanax, and passed their psych evaluation with no problems (that would be why I used the drugs). All I know about that day is what I have been told because I have blocked things out over time. That episode with their counselor showed me that I was never a priority to them because a true professional would easily see that a person doesn't have such a complete change of heart in 4 days. I think that a part of me honestly expected to be told that I could not go through with it. However, the clinic would not make the money they wanted to off of me if I decided to keep my baby. What exactly has our society turned into that has caused so many people to put a price tag on the life, future and dreams of the truly defenseless?? How do we view Human life if you are given time in jail for knocking an eagle's egg (a.k.a. unborn baby!!) to the ground but the law protects you from killing your own flesh and blood?!?!?

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Appomattox

My name is Marinda Reeves. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Norfolk VA

09/04/1980

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction d and c

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was told it was a procedure to remove a fetus, nothing more.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was told only to see a doctor after a few days to make sure there was no further bleeding or infection.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

my fiance whom I married nearly 2 years later

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I was unable to get pregnant for several years of trying. I experienced guilt, anger, anxiety, headaches, depression, sleeplessness, drinking binges, and divorce. The pain of missing a child I never got to hold in my arms has not gone away.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

A close relative came to me when she got pregnant 2 years later for me to help her get an abortion. My mother has cried over losing a grandchild. My son feels cheated because he lost a full sibling, not a half-sibling. My other son has cried over losing a half-sibling he never got to meet.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

The child you carry is the answer to some problem in the world. The child has gifts and talents and a destiny waiting to be fulfilled. If you choose abortion, the world will miss out on the life of this child which no other child can replace.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Abortion is not the solution. I thought abortion would solve a problem and that would be the end of it. No one would ever know. That is not the case. I pushed the pain down, but eventually it surfaced. I have experienced tremendous healing by asking God for forgiveness and by emotionally embracing the child I aborted. Now I want to make a difference so that no one else has to experience this kind of loss to find out the truth that an unborn child is a person, destined by God before the foundation of the world to be born in the earth. The child is planned by God, having the DNA of both parents, even taking into account the circumstances of conception which may not have been godly.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Halifax

My name is Sherri I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

South Boston VA

12/15/1989

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

16

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Not sure of the technical name - they injected the baby with something and suctioned it out

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

They really didn't explain anything. I just went in and said I wanted an abortion, and after paying the \$300 or so in cash, they scheduled it.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was not informed how it would affect me psychologically.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I have felt so guilty since I had it performed. I would have had a child graduating from high school this year. I have been saved since I had it done, and I have prayed for forgiveness for I know that I murdered that child.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My children didn't get to have the joy of knowing their big brother or sister. I never had the joy of raising that child and loving it.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Please do not kill your unborn child. Life happens at conception. It is not just an embryo that you have the choice of killing. It is a child of God. God gave you that child for a reason, and that child had a purpose to fulfill on this earth. Killing that child will profoundly affect the rest of your life. You will receive psychological damage from which you may not fully recover. Nothing is more important than that child. I thought I had the right to do what I wanted to do with my baby. I wanted to finish my degree and not

be burdened with a baby. Please do not kill your baby. There are so many childless people who are waiting to love your baby.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Life begins at the moment of conception. No one should have the right to take a life. It is murder, plain and simple. My baby was further along than I suspected. It may have even been able to live outside of the womb. I took a life, and forever, I will regret it, and I pray to God for forgiveness.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Fauquier

My name is Dawn Riffe. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Columbus OH

06//1985

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

8

3. What type of abortion was performed?

suction method

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I never estimated even closely the psychological effects it would cause me. I was so naive and wish more had been done to dissuade me. I had no one suggesting or helping me decide otherwise and I did not feel I could talk openly with my family about it.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

my boyfriend

9. How has abortion affected you?

Not a day goes by, and it has been 23 years, that I do not think of the baby that should have been born. I lament that decision more than anyone could ever know or understand unless they have made the decision also.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

It has taken me 23 years to tell my mother. I just told her and she is in complete denial and will not talk to me about it. My relationships have suffered a lot because of the shame I felt. I feel it has also affected my mothering of the children I do have. I even had an ex-spouse who used to call me a murderer when he felt like hurting me--how could I argue with such a statement? It was only the truth. :(

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

There is no more awful conclusion that one could come to than having an abortion. There is no greater honor in existence than being a mother. Even with the possible trials and tribulations, thoughts of what

may happen, and the hopelessness that is felt at that moment, I would love to help her make a different decision and stand by her, befriend her, help her throughout whatever decision she makes, and throughout the aftermath of her choice of giving life to that child.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

There is no more awful conclusion that one could come to than having an abortion. There is no greater honor in existence than being a mother. During a seemingly hopeless moment, it is unfair and even cruel to offer such a choice (to a young person, especially) that is so psychologically damaging that no one can predict the awful after-effects caused. Our country will not issue sentencing for criminals that is cruel or unusual--yet we offer the option of such action to mothers-to-be? What hypocrisy!


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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of VA**

**County of Fauquier**

My name is Nancy I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

NJ

//1978

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

I have no idea.

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I don't recall being told anything about what to expect or anything about the baby. All I remember them saying was to rest afterwards and that I would most likely be passing "chunks" of blood and tissue afterwards which I did. :-(

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

See above.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Boyfriend and friends

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It took me a LONG time to forgive myself and it's still something I'm not proud of and am embarrassed to admit to. After I began having children and realized the severity of what I've done, I grieve over the loss of my baby still to this day.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I have only told my sisters and my daughters in hopes that they won't make the same mistake I made. I'm not sure how that knowledge has affected them. My daughters are all against abortion though.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

To please not do it. That it's a baby from the time of conception and not just a "fetus". That children are a gift from God even if we can't see that at the time. That all things happen for a reason and are planned by God to mold and shape us into the person that He wants us to be.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Then why not make murder legal because that's what abortion is!

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of VA**

**County of Smyth**

My name is Joyce I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Washington DC

08/27/1970

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

16

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was not told that the age of the bay was too old to perform this destruction. I should have been turned down for this abortion, but they didn't tell me until after the abortion was finished.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I had no idea that I would regret it. I have a niece who is about the same age as my unborn child and there are many times that I watch her interaction with peopole and realize that she could be my baby. There have been many times that I am saddened, when I see all of these unwed mothers and only wish I had their courage.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My boyfriend at the time.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I will forever be a murderer. I have this terrible sin against me, that I can tell no one. It is such a terrible sin, that I suffer in silence.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I am not sure that I can answer this question...except that it made me not trust men. After that I would

not have sex with a man until we were within the bonds of marriage. I am in my third marriage.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

DON'T DO IT! I will be your friend. I will be there for you. It is not worth the pain that you will experience as you get older and begin to recognize the consequences of your actions, when you begin to understand the value of life.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

No, I would not tell a court that abortion should be legal.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Fairfax

My name is C S I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Winston Salem NC

04/22/1986

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

9

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Suction Aspiration: a surgical abortion procedure used to terminate pregnancy between 6 to 12 weeks.

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

My dad took me to Planned Parenthood 3000 Maplewood Ave (#112) in Winston Salem, NC (336-768-2980). I'm pretty sure we were in and out of there in less than an hour. Just enough time for me to fill out the paperwork, get the procedure, throw up and 'rest' after the procedure. They told me that it was just a blob of cells and that it would be easy to get rid of it. Same thing that they've been saying forever. Don't worry, it's not a baby and we'll take care of it.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No, Planned Parenthood only tells you that you just need to rest some and you may experience a few cramps. They don't tell you much now and they told you even less 20 years ago.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Parents

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It was the single most devastating experience of my life. In my life I have been raped, gang raped, sexually abused, stalked and beaten, but nothing hurt me as much as the abortion. I was a fool to believe that this was not murder.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

There is a cloud of shame over the issue in my family and we avoid discussing it because my parents still think they did the right thing. There is a wall between us because of it. They can't stand to discuss the subject and become angry or shame me for wanting to deal with it.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

While you may think you currently have problems due to being pregnant, nothing can prepare you for the pain and devastating loss of abortion. You will dream of your child, you will ache and long to have them with you, you will wake up in the middle of the night weeping uncontrollably all along being told that it's no big deal. The pain is gut-wrenching. Beyond what you could imagine. Do not ignore that little voice inside you that knows this is a baby. I knew the moment it happened that I was pregnant. You KNOW it's a baby and you KNOW that you're choosing to kill a child.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I was born after Roe v Wade; therefore half of my generation is missing. I miss my friends, siblings, peers and lovers who were never born. I miss them terribly. We are Generation X and we're lost because we know that you considered us to not be worth fighting for. I really miss the ones who didn't make it through. I also regret terribly that I killed my daughter. I've seen her in dreams and she was beautiful. Missing her is an ache that will not be fulfilled in this lifetime. Ask any parent who has a sick child and they will tell you that they'd do anything, ANYTHING, to save that child. Why is it any different than when there in the womb? Why don't we fight for them then? Go home, look into the eyes of your children and tell me if it's ok to cut them up into little pieces and suck them into a waste disposal. I don't think it is ok and I don't think it should be legal. Abortion is murder. Period.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of USA

My name is Debra Skeens. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Dallas TX

//1976

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

16

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction??

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

NO ONE spoke with me beforehand. I walked in and asked for an abortion, told them I was about 4 months pregnant, waited alone and they took me in when it was my "turn". Afterwards, I drove home alone.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No discussion took place at the abortion clinic. I was registered, waited alone, and then led into the room.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I was young, and at the time just considered it my "right" to undo a mistake (as Mr. Obama puts it). As a Christian, had a Christian counselor explained not only the psychological effects it would have on me later in life, I might have made a different choice. I should have been informed about the spiritual harm I was doing to myself and OTHERS. The repercussions never stop just with us!

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

The outward signs: It has affected me and my interactions with people. I have become a very angry, judgemental, self-righteous person. Anyone breaking even the smallest law or rule of order (littering or being disruptive in public) irritates me and I speak out. Inwardly: my heart is broken. When I repented the first time God forgave me. But I have not forgiven myself and find the need (for me) to continue to repent, even though God does not require it. I will continue to repent for my crime until abortion is once

again illegal in this country. Until churches speak boldly to their congregations about murder. Until. My abortion has changed history in this country. So has the other woman's, and the one after her and so on. My one action degraded society in this country that I love. I hold myself fully accountable for the crime of murder.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I know exactly how you feel. I was scared too because no matter who I told, really I was pregnant all alone. I was upset with myself for getting into that situation. I knew better and yet here I was, pregnant. I got pregnant on purpose to trap my boyfriend. When he found out I was pregnant he accused me of cheating on him and broke up with me. I killed his baby to get back at him. I broke God's heart the day I killed the baby he entrusted to me. No matter your beliefs, abortion lives with you for the rest of your life. You think you can kill "it" and just walk away. It's not that easy if you have a heart. You may not care now, but you will, and it will affect you forever. I am angry all the time at everyone around me. But really, knowing now what no one bothered to tell me then, I am angry with myself. I am angry that the clinic did not tell me what was truly happening. I'm angry that the government perpetrates this lie against women. Abortion doesn't empower you as a woman, it takes away your power more and more over time. You may not regret it now, but you will in time and this is not a tattoo you can erase. This is YOUR BABY that you are KILLING, now and forever.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Abortion is murder. Life begins with conception. I did not kill a "thing". I killed a person with MOVING fingers and toes and a beating heart. I did not have that right. What if Mr. Obama's young unmarried mother had aborted him? Was he the mistake he wants to protect his daughters from??

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of mechanicsville

My name is Pamela I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

richmond VA

01//1999

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

6

3. What type of abortion was performed?

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

they did not really explain the procedure at all

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

No risks were told to me at all about physical or emotional consequences.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

boyfriend and his mother

9. How has abortion affected you?

it didn't really affect me until a couple of years later. After i had realized what had happened, what abortion really was, there were many nights that I cried and felt tremendous sorrow over my baby that i would never know. I remember a few years ago i was driving in my car and started crying and i told the person i was with, "I never knew you could miss somebody that you didn't even know". I believe in my heart that the baby was a girl, i've named her Valerie. I know she is with God now. One day i will be reunited with her. I often imagine what she looks like. I think about how my son now would have an older sister. No one in my family knows about the abortion, and that was almost 10 years ago. Aborting my child did not benefit me at all, it actually hurt me.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

Not many people know about it.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

I would tell her what abortion really is and how it can emotionally damage her and the risk of physical damage. There are other options, the child has a right to life, there is help.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Abortion should not be legal. People are not adequately informed of the effects of abortion at the present and later in the woman's life. Destroying a baby's life does not solve any problems, it creates them. God is the only one who can give life, who are we to kill that life. Yes, I have a right to choose what I do with my body but when I became pregnant, there is another life inside of my body that I am responsible for. And that responsibility is not to destroy it, it's to protect and nurture it. If abortion continues to be legal, what will become of our nation? If we keep killing our children, our very own, the women become calloused and many turn to drugs and alcohol or sexual promiscuity to cover up their pain. It affects the whole family circle. If a mother is leading that lifestyle that is what she is teaching to her other children or future children if she has them. If abortion continues God's judgement will come on our nation and we will have to give an account of the many lives that were taken in the name of abortion. Abortion is a lie. It does no good. It should not be legal. Laws are meant to protect people and edify the nation as a whole, allowing abortion does the opposite. If you really want to make a difference and protect the American people and our families, you would make abortion illegal. It would be well worth it.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of VA**

**County of Botetourt**

My name is Tasha Stewart. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Roanoke VA

10//1997

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

11

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Family members who deeply regret it

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

For years I carried around a burden of shame and anger. I daily regretted my decision, one that I was pressured into doing because of my age. I felt embarrassed around my family anytime the word abortion came up and cried very often.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

It made my family feel very guilty and upset that they would have considered pushing me into doing something so tragic.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Children are a blessing no matter the circumstance. God can get you through any trial in your life, you just have to trust in him to help you. If you are struggling with having a child, ask him to put people in your life who can help, ask him to give you courage and strength, ask him to fill you with his Holy Spirit

so you can do what's right. Find help. There are people everywhere who would help you from making one of the worst decisions in your life!! I now have three beautiful children, and often look at them and think how sad it is that I could have been so selfish to have taken the life of another. It's murder. No matter how you look at it, it's murder. There are millions of people wanting a child to love and hold and call their own. So when you think of killing an unborn child who has had no chance, just think about the hundreds of couples who can't get pregnant and see how blessed you are!

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I would tell every person in that court they would not be here if there mom had an abortion.

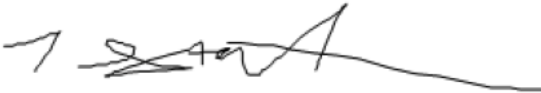
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Lynchburg Indep. Cit

My name is K T . I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Charlottesville VA

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2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

9

3. What type of abortion was performed?

Suction

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I was not informed of the psychological trauma that often accompanies the procedure.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

The father of the baby, my parents

9. How has abortion affected you?

Extreme depression, suicidal thoughts, ongoing feeling of being a murderer, guilt, sadness, self hatred, mourning for the loss of a person who had a right to life

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

The relationship with the father of the child was destroyed.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

If you cannot raise this child, place it for adoption. Do not kill your own baby, this will only exacerbate the problem. You are a mother, you will always be a mother. If you murder this child, you will be a mother who chose to kill her own child. You will be the mother of a dead child forever.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

Abortion should be illegal because it is murder. It is shameful. Let the overwhelming silence of all the women who had abortions who cry tears alone, who are filled with guilt and shame, who will not talk

about it or admit to it, because they know it is a crime against humanity, and they are too ashamed to speak of it, speak to you. That silence is very loud.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Henrico

My name is Melody I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Redding CA

05/01/1978

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

I really don't know. I was very young.

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

Nothing at all was explained to me. I was only asked if I wanted an abortion.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

No one explained anything at all to me. I was a baby myself. I was only 16 years old.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I live with the pain every day of my life knowing that I killed the only child I would ever be able to have.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Not very many people know about it. I have only told one or two people in the 34 years since it happened. It is too painful and I feel ashamed to tell others.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would tell her of my own personal experience and how she will be affected the rest of her life knowing that she killed her own child and how you NEVER get over wondering what it might have been; a boy or a girl and what it would have looked like and how much it would have loved her and how old it would be every year of her life.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

That they have no idea what they are taking about and how the consequences affect every female (and

male partner) who has had or will have an abortion. It is NOT for the best interest of a woman's health either physical or especially mentally and emotionally!

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Glen Allen

My name is A W. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Tampa FL

//1988

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

9

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Not sure

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I just went into a clinic after calling ahead for appointment. I was told of horror stories of videos they make you sit and watch, but I never saw anything nor talked to anyone about it. I was ushered in, where the abortion was performed and then told I could leave.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I had no idea of repercussions or depression or anything really other than I just wouldn't be pregnant anymore.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I have both aborted a child and given one for adoption. Adoption is a much more rewarding experience knowing that you gave this life a chance. It's very difficult watching your baby go away, but looking back and realizing you just murdered an innocent life has painful and depressive lifelong consequences. When you are young and shallow, you are not equipped to make these adult decisions, especially when you have no clue what actually happens in an abortion. I think if folks were more informed of the TRUTH, abortion statistics would be drastically reduced.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Other than the fact that my children now could have had a brother or sister, it hasn't affected anyone else in my life as it is not a very well known fact with those I'm around.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Consider what God says about murder and meditate on reasons to either keep the baby or give it up for adoption rather than reasons to murder it. Look at it for what it is, MURDER and listen to the Spirit of the Lord that ministers truth to our spirit. Ask for Jesus guidance and He will give you the strength to overcome without murder. We always have a way out of trouble without doing evil in the process.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I would say that Satan is the one who comes to steal, kill and destroy, but Jesus came to give life and give it more abundantly. If a man lacks wisdom, let him ask Jesus for direction. He will guide you into all truth. You have to choose to serve a Holy and pure and just Master and not a master who would steal, kill and destroy and have you do that to others. WHOSE VOICE WILL YOU LET DICTATE WHAT'S RIGHT AND WRONG.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Chesterfield

My name is B W . I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Richmond VA

06/15/1983

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

10

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

They didn't really tell me that the suction was ripping the baby apart.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Some but not all. The emotional backlash was the worst and it still bothers me to this day.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

As hard as this is to believe, I was a Christian then and had an affair with a co-worker and got pregnant. I felt I had no choice but I have lived with this decision for many years. I have felt shame, guilt, betrayal, like a murderer, worthless, etc.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

No one in my family knows about it. Only one person I knew in 1983 (a female) knew and then my OB/GYN.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Please, please reconsider your decision. I can't take it back but I wish I could. It is truly murder. There has to be another way. The guilt and shame are not worth it. Although I have asked God to forgive me and I'm sure he has, I cannot forgive myself. Please don't place yourself in that situation again. Birth control is available and abortion should not be a form of birth control.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VA

County of Botetourt

My name is Janet Wimmer. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Richmond VA

11//1970

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

12

3. What type of abortion was performed?

saline

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

There was no explanation by doctor

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

parents

9. How has abortion affected you?

devastation, horror at what I did

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Please go to crisis pregnancy centers where there is explanation and options discusses

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

They are wrong. It is a horrible blight on our culture and our country

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of VA**

**County of Pittsylvania**

My name is Steph Worley. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Charolettesville VA

10//1991

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

13

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Im not sure. It was forced and I blocked some of it out. I know I had laminaria x 24hrs

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

the abortion was not my choice. Nothing was explained well to me. They told me it was tissue that needed to be removed. They did not allow me to look at my u/s picture.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

They told me i would be able to move on with my life after the abortion. They did NOT tell me that 20 years later i would still grieve over the loss of my first child OR thast when i finally figured out how developed my 13-14 week fetus truly was that i would be devistated all over again!!! My issue is this...JUST STOP LYING TO WOMEN ABOUT WHAT ABORTION IS!!! If the TRUTH would be told, abortion would probably be cut more than half!!

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

mother, step dad, boyfriend and his parents

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Years of SHAME...depression, panick attacks, anxiety, drug abuse for 4 years that put me in rehab. over protective of my live son due to thinking i will be punished for aborting my first child. up untill 6 months ago it was called the "A" word to me. I couldnt even say it. it was a very vulgar word in my dictionary and hated to hear it!

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

my son has got the brunt of my depression for the past 6 months because this scab opened up and got infected AGAIN! It has been 20 years and I will never forget what happened to me! I feel as though my mom and I don't have the best relationship due to her forcing me to endure such pain. Same with my step dad.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

PLEASE make a better choice. If its not your choice, you better listen to your own heart because YOU will be the only one left to deal with years of pain while everyone else goes on! There are people to help you get through your pregnancy and there are people that would be honored to adopt your child and give him or her the best in life! PLEASE PLEASE PLEASE PLEASE dont abort!!!

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

When "something" has a beating heart and YOU stop that heart from the ability to beat...you have KILLED it!! I want to know why in the case of abortion that is not called murder!?? If a tiny baby frog was in front of you and you pulled it apart with you fingers and the heart ceased to beat any longer, dont you condider that "killing" the frog? I mean, if you didnt kill it, what did you do to it? I just dont undersatand if America is so intelligent, why is abortion not "killing" a human??????

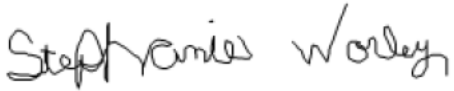
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of VA**

**County of Loudoun**

My name is Amy Young. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Silver Spring MD

06//1984

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

They lied to me telling me it was tissue, not a baby, and did not counsel me on any other options.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

There was no explanation of the fact that a mother mourns the death of a child, and that I would suffer emotionally so traumatically.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It was the worst thing that ever happened in my life. I suffered from Post Abortive Syndrome for 18 years - irritability, anxiousness, avoidance, depression, and obsessive-compulsive disorder with an obsession for a daughter that almost ruined my marriage.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I was emotionally distant and insecure and dependent for the 18 years after the abortion until I realized that I needed help and sought counseling through Project Rachel. I was obsessed for a daughter because of missing the one that I had killed, and it negatively affected my relationships with my husband and 3 sons. They were never enough for me because of the hole she left in my heart. I was

never satisfied with my husband's love, and always complained and was often angry, frustrated, and depressed, and anxious.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Don't do it. No matter how bad it seems to have a baby, having an abortion is worse, no matter how bad. The guilt, remorse, anxiety, and feelings of deserving horrible pain can follow you the rest of your life. A baby who is born can be adopted and there are other options. You are not alone and you can get help.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

You have no idea. The emotional trauma is as devastating as Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder from having killed someone in war or something. But worse, because it feels to the mother as if there is NOTHING as heinous as killing your own child, and wondering the rest of your life what she would have been like and how dare I kill someone? And how dare the state or the county tell me that it's okay to kill someone when it's not? How dare you?

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VT

County of chittenden

My name is diane ballou. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

albany NY

//1975

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

3. What type of abortion was performed?

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4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

I did not know about the pain.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I did not know about throwing up and depression and a lot of fury and resentment. I could not forgive my husband for saying either it goes or you go, but I do now that I am saved and it was not his child, but I had been going yo stay with the father even before I knew I was pregnant, but we fought and I went to a counslor and decided to go back home and then I changed my mind, but they woul not let me out of the car. They put me on aplane and my other was supposed to meet me, but it was my husband, so I ntried to get along with him. Then we found out about the baby, see?

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

my husband

9. How has abortion affected you?

I left him. It has affected my life, which is unsuccessful

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

my son and I are estranged.I do not care if I ever have sex again. I struggle to have cofidence. I do not drive. I never plan to retire, because there is not enough money

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

The baby will feelit and so will you, before, during and after. That is a citizen in that womb with the same basic rights you have to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. It will want to love you more than you have ever been loved. It will need ypu more than you have ever been needed,

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

That is alittle citizen in there.

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The State of VT

County of Bennington

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### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Rutland VT

//1996

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

13

3. What type of abortion was performed?

suction

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

they spoke of "medical procedure" but not about the killing of a baby. I was asked if there was an alternative but and I might have considered one if I had known.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

They did not tell me of the emotional hardening and damage.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

Guilt, shame and a lot of grief locked inside for years.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

It has kept me from being close to my children who I did not kill. I have trouble thinking I killed my own babies.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

I would tell her all the "hidden" ways abortion will bind her life for the remainder of her years; how it dulls her joy and her entire life.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

I would tell them the evils of murdering our children and the progression. We used to abort "tissue" now we abort full babies in "partial birth" abortion and what next? Since when did the lives of citizens

become worth nothing. We would not have a social security crisis if those 50 million people were alive today. I am ashamed of my nation in this regard.

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# DECLARATION

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The State of VT

County of washington

My name is Laurie Monahan. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

St. Johnsbury VT

01/18/1982

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was told it was a glob of tissue, not really a baby. I did not know it could feel anything and it would have been my child and that I could have been help to raise it and actually be accepted as a mom with a child outside of marriage.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was never told I would feel sadness and longing for that child and have any problem emotionally, I had problems before and I had more to deal with after having these two abortions. Never told about any complications ever any risk to my health.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

my grand pa yelled at me

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

great sorrow, painful memories and a want to have more children even today I want to have more children at the age of 45.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

my children are survivors, i was somewhat abusive because of the loss of this child and it's method. It has cause problems in their lives because of my emotional state as a result of having abortions

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Don't do it, it will harm your life in ways you can not consider without first talking to a woman who has been harmed by abortion.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

It is the murder of an innocent life, one without a voice, we need to stand up for the one without a voice, that abortion is the greatest evil in the world. Those are human beings who have done no wrong, they are not responsible for the way they were conceived and we need to support women to carry these babies and not kill during manic part of mental illness. There needs to be a diagnose in the Diagnostic and Statical Manuel for mental Disorders that includes women who kill their children. It is part of a mental disorder she needs to be protected when she wants to kill her child and hospitalized instead of providing her a means to carry out what is a step in the process of murder. Abortion is murder, part of mental illness, an act of mental illness on the part of person who needs to be considered needing treatment because of homicidal ideology.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of VT

County of Chittenden

My name is Sharon I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Philadelphia PA

11/15/1973

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

11

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

not sure

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

Not much was said. Just that there would be anesthesia given. I would have to be there about 2 hours.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I had no information about the consequences.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I have thought about it everyday of my life thereafter. It really didn't hit home until I realized the fullness of what I had done. I had killed another human being. Could I go to jail for it? Should I? I have confessed it and have been given absolution.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I have kept it a secret for most of my life. There are a handful of people that know.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

The hardest thing to do was to face what I was feeling inside afterward. It was a nagging conscience that kept reappearing and I couldn't do anything about it, except ask God for forgiveness. After admitting to myself that I had done something terribly wrong, the hardest thing was to forgive myself. I have done that but, that doesn't mean I don't think of it everyday of my life.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

So much pain and suffering occurs after the abortion. It is a lifetime worth of silent suffering.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of VT**

**County of United States**

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### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Portsmouth NH

03//1982

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was not told that the saline injection would burn my baby to death. I was not told of the incredible pain and suffering my baby would endure. I was not told that my baby's body would be sucked apart in pieces alive.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was not told that I would suffer incredible guilt over my choice. I was not told that I would experience depression. I was not told that abortion was murder (sin) and that the result of sin is death.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Before I came to know the Lord Jesus as my Savior, my abortion affected me by making me withdrawn from others (I was always very outgoing and social) and quite negative about life in general. I was angry and bitter about things, and didn't know why. SINCE my salvation experience, where I received forgiveness from God and the power to forgive myself, I have used my experience to save two other babies from the same horrible fate. Bonnie and Heather both have beautiful daughters today because I shared with them the TRUTH about abortion. Those girls are the joy of their moms' lives!

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

The man who got me pregnant at age 16 became abusive, and it pained my parents to watch me be treated this way. My mom's heart was broken as she held me for hours as the reality of what I had done set in. I killed her first grandchild. It was also a big "secret" that I was afraid to share with my husband until after our wedding. He was disappointed that I hadn't chosen to share something so major with him before we were married. However, my husband is an amazing man of God and he forgave me and supported me.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I have already done it more than once. I tell them the truth. I tell them what it really is... killing a baby. Killing a human being created in God's image for a GODLY purpose. I tell them there are options, like adoption. I tell them the consequences of abortion are lifelong, and even eternal. You can't just "have an abortion" and move on with life. It doesn't work. Abortion and its guilt and horror stay with you for a lifetime! But the consequences of giving life to the baby are blessing! God blesses those who uphold life as being from God the Creator.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I would tell the court that it doesn't matter what they think... it only matters what GOD thinks, and that is THOU SHALT NOT KILL. Just because you think abortion is okay does NOT validate it and make it okay in God's eyes. It does not change the fact that killing is sin. It does not change the fact that those who allow it and those who perform it will be held accountable before God.... like it or not.... believe it or not. Those who think they are in charge, with higher authority than God the Creator, are deceived, and in for a rude awakening one day.... God Almighty has the final say.... THOU SHALT NOT KILL. Pretty final.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of WA**

**County of Clark**

My name is Barbara Wolfe. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Portland OR

10/19/1984

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Unsure

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

The appointment was called a "counseling" appointment through my medical insurance (an HMO). They started the procedure without explaining things.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I only remember being told it "the pregnancy" didn't count. I wasn't to list it on any medical information.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

my parents

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It cost me my first marriage (to the father of the baby). I have suffered anxieties, depressions, fears, unable to make major decisions in life, loss of self-worth, lack of self-esteem, feelings of unworthiness if others found out.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

A sense of loss in my ex-husband, him not wanting any other children, a sense of self-righteousness in my current husband when he was told, a sense of loss to my other children over a sister or brother they will never know, shock for my older son about his mother.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would share my testimony with her. I would share the truth and how it refutes the lies the industry provides women with.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

That the lies the industry provided them with are lies. Every woman IS affected emotionally and mentally over an abortion. That women who have had an abortion do not feel they have a choice, they are pressured and/or threatened if they do not have one. They truly are risking their physical health and their mental health when they have one. It destroys the woman from the inside.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of WA

County of BENTON

My name is SARAH AHUMADA. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Kennewick WA

04/08/2002

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

I think a suction abortion

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

the lady that assisted me told me that it wasn't yet a baby, but tissue and that an abortion was safe and simple.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Personally I knew in my heart abortion was wrong, but in the state of mind i was in (after a black out from the date rape drug), i asked the questions and didn't question the blanket answers they gave me. I somehow justified to myself that the tissue was just that, "tissue". When the procedure was being performed, they gave me an ultrasound, but would not let me see the monitor.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I cry so much, knowing that my baby was not given the chance of life because of my actions. i allowed my fear to make selfish decisions - i love my baby, but i feel like such a hypocrite for saying so.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

i have four children, and they know about baby Joseph. My son Angel, the only boy of my four, resents me for taking the only chance he had at having a brother. my children are confused as to why i felt i had to kill - even scared.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Pro life is not anti choice, but rather prolife sheds light on the beauty of options - to life. God is life, not death. Move with love.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

murder is so wrong and the horrifying thing that stands, is it doesn't matter the platform. Tell me why a criminal that murders a pregnant woman would face charges of "double homicide"? Contradicting i should say. The mother may selfishly mistreat themselves and live with the consequences of those actions - however the baby inside the womb is NOT the woman but rather a separate individual. let live.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of WA

County of Chelan

My name is Catherine I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Sacramento CA

11/23/1978

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

10

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I had very little in the way of specifics. As a matter of fact I was talked into the abortion by a planned parenthood worker who told me that at my age it was safer to have an abortion than have a baby.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

everything was explained very quickly and matter of fact as if I was going through a quick, easy wart removal or something simple.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

planned parenthood

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It has been the most negative thing in my life. For 15 years not a day went by that I didn't not have to try to push the truth of my dead baby out of my mind. I have 4 wonderful boys and they are the most important thing in my life. Knowing that I had another child, maybe a little girl, makes me physically and emotionally sick when I think about it. The only thing that got me through was turning to God for forgiveness. After all He is the only one who should say when it is our time to die. I am now 52 years old and I still weep over my choice to end my baby's life. It should have been the safest place my baby could have been. In my womb. But instead it was the most dangerous. I will never be completely free from the pain and sadness. I know that I will see my baby again. That is what keeps me going. Many times I even thought of ending my life.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

It played a part in my marriage falling apart. I lived with so much guilt and hatred for myself that I sabotaged any good relationship I've had. I didn't feel deserving to be loved or even to be alive.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Please understand that just because you can't see your baby doesn't mean he or she is not there. Watch a video of a baby in the womb before you make your decision. It is the most important decision you will ever make because it will effect you in a very negative way for the rest of your life.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

We have the right as human beings to live. It is a proven fact that a fetus is an unborn baby. If I had a newborn in a box and couldn't see it or hear it, would I have the right to take a knife and stab into the box and kill the baby? No. What makes this any different?

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of WA

County of Benton

My name is Ellen Caraway. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Kennewick WA

10/01/1989

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

6

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

don't know

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I did not understand the anguish, shame, regret, depression, loss, deep sadness that would follow. I did not understand it was a living human.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Depression, shame, alcoholism, pain killer addiction.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

But, I felt I had no choice.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I used alcohol to bury my sadness. Years of counseling, divorce, regret, dread, hopelessness, isolation.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

The result of abortion has killed my relationship with my first husband. My dependence on alcohol grew exponentially over the years due to my abortion.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

It is a lie that you will have a better life. It is a lie that it will solve your problems. It will haunt you for the rest of your life. It will make you sick. More sick than you could ever imagine.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Abortion is not a solution. Actually, abortion is the number one most threatening act of violence towards women that exists in the world. It kills more than babies. It kills the woman, her dignity, her hope for a normal life. I think we need to consider the hurt men. They have deep hurt also even though it is unexpressed.

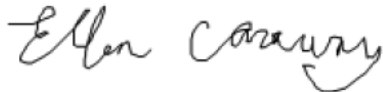
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of WA

County of Snohomish

My name is Susan . I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Seattle WA

09/05/1980

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

12

3. What type of abortion was performed?

d & c

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

the dr told me that it was no big deal that this would fix me right up.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

When I went into the office to have the procedure done I was crying and the nurse did ask me if I wanted to go thru with it, I told her no but that I was already here and to just get it over with. I was 19 at the time.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

I walked out of there knowing it was the worst decision I would ever make, I knew it was wrong but had let people tell me it was okay I have lived with the guilt for almost 30 years now.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Never do it. You will never forget or get over it.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

decisions for abortion are made for selfish reasons that will be regretted later.

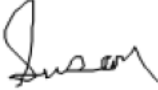
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of WA

County of Snohomish

My name is Rachel Perez Castro. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Rosemead CA

09//1982

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

4

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Not sure

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I don't remember being told any details of what an abortion procedure actually involves.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

The immediate consequences of the procedure were given, but nothing long-term.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Depression with suicidal thoughts. Problems conceiving. Multiple miscarriages.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I recently told my 12 year old daughter of my abortion, it was unplanned. I know she looks at me differently now.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would strongly suggest she have an ultrasound done. If she was a woman of faith, I would ask her to pray and seek God's direction, if she was not, I would offer her any assistance I could.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Abortion hurts women physically, emotionally, mentally, AND it ends the life of a human being. The child is denied the right to life, and women are denied the truth about the consequences of abortion.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of WA

County of King

My name is Connie I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Yakima WA

03/22/1986

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

6

3. What type of abortion was performed?

suction

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

I know what was going to happen but nobody put into words, they just used "abortion". It made it easier to get through. Nobody had to think about what was happening. I felt like I was put on a train and after it got started there was no way off - even if I wanted off.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

The Dr. and nurses told me the physical healing process of the abortion but nothing was mentioned about the emotional recovery or potential disasters awaiting me.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

My boy Friend

9. How has abortion affected you?

It is the single most horrible event of my life by far. I have had a difficult life since, including three life threatening situations (situations out of my control). My emotional regret has been non stop for years. I have gone to retreats to help the process but nothing can take away the fact that I killed an innocent child because of ignorance and inconvenience.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

I am a single mother of four children and the oldest (17yrs) knows about the abortion and what it has done to me and I only hope it will make her come to me first to talk about it. I don't tell people about the abortion so they are not directly affected. My depression of 20 years certainly affects my family and the father of my children is the father of my aborted baby - we are no longer married.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would plead with her to reconsider. 9 months of her life and adoption is nothing compared to the torment she will go through for the rest of her life. Not to mention the wonderful families out there despartately waiting for children to be adapted out.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Please be fair to the woman and make sure she has been offered a fair representation of both options. Let her see the child in her womb, let her know what she is doing. The system scoops woman up and sends them down the road of abortion without making COMPLETELY sure that this is what the woman really wants. If I had had a pro-life advisor at the time of my abortion I would not have had one and my life would have been so much fuller and so much healthier. Abortion tears woman apart - they need to know that. We need to make sure that minors going in for an abortion have their parental approval. Majority of partents are going to be reasonably supportive of their daughters (althought they probably won't be happy) and that is to be worked out between the family. Please don't take that right from them too. If the child thinks that the partents will he hostile then protect her with advisors but don't take the right of the parents away just because she is scared of them. I was 22 when I had mine and I was afraid of my parents thoughts too so a 16 year old would only naturally be afraid. And please help us get the message out through the media of what an abortion is and does to women. The general public is sooo very nieve to the realities of it.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of WA

County of Snohomish

My name is M C. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Kent WA

07/18/1987

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

9

3. What type of abortion was performed?

D and C

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

Fully Explained

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

Fully Explained

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

I Felt Great! No More worries about raising an unwanted child

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

I feel great... it was the best thing I could have done at the time. I fully believe that today. No regrets!

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Absolutely go ahead and get one... you will feel better and be relieved.... it will probably be your best choice!

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

Please, Please, Keep abortion safe and legal for all women... It is a right choice for many... Please do not push women back into the Dark Ages and let all women control their own bodies... Keep the anti-abortionists from make the decisions for all women... What they think is right is not necessarily right for every woman... Women need to be free to make up their own minds and not be chained by the

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of WA**

**County of Clark**

My name is Brenda Connors. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Tacoma WA

08/21/1982

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

3

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

I don't know, the one with the vacuum

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

The Planned Parenthood I went to told me that it was a piece of tissue and not yet a baby and if I took care of it right away it would be okay, but it was a baby, not just a piece of tissue and I took a life.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I had no idea that it would hurt so much and cause me such lifetime pain.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

All the symptoms of PTS. I never had any other children and wouldn't be around babies for years.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

It robbed me of the ability to have children and it robbed me of the ability to have healthy relationships.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Please don't do it, you will regret it every single day afterwards.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

It should never be a choice for a young woman who doesn't know and is lied to. I wish that I never had the choice. It breaks my heart every day.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of WA

County of Wahkiakum

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### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Portland OR

04/18/1979

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

5

3. What type of abortion was performed?

?

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

Everyday I am reminded of the consequences of listening to women in that day say it was my right as a woman, everyday it is more real knowing that it was not my right. It has been over 36 years that I had not only one but two. I will be silent no more. Everyday I think of the wonderful sons and daughter that I have now and what two more would have brought me. Grandchildren.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

I know it has affected my marriage because for a while I also blamed him for thinking the same way I did, but finally realized there's no one to blame but myself but I didnot know any better.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

I would tell any woman or man to read every painful the affects of a million voices to see how wrong they were.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

I am not God and there fore had no right to take the lives He had blessed me with. We all grow up to learn from our mistakes but this one was to late.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of WA

County of King

My name is Cherie Crettol. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Orange CA

10/02/1982

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

13

3. What type of abortion was performed?

D&E

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

I was 21, and never even saw the doctor. I had a D&E with no laminaria, and wound up passing my baby off at home. I was bleeding heavily, going through three pads an hour, and cramping also. I had no idea what was happening. Looking back, I was delivering my dead baby at home.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I didn't know about the consequences of abortion until almost ten years later in nursing school. I didn't know what laminaria was for almost ten years later, when I was in nursing school. When I called up the clinic to tell them what I found, they said that I didn't go there "we don't do things like that." They also told me that teaching about birth control "wasn't their responsibility, it's the schools job (!)".

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

I didn't know of alternatives, where to go.

9. How has abortion affected you?

I passed off my baby at home, I was 13 weeks pregnant. It was perfectly formed, but the legs were missing. I had nightmares, withdrawal, you name it. It was beyond horrible.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

It took years to heal, and I tried numerous ways to heal, but only through knowing Christ and God's word have I found healing. I still get angry when I hear "a woman's right to choose".

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Run! Run away quickly! It's not regulated, and no way of knowing if you'll come out alive. It's not "safe"

look at what happened to me. I was told not to go to an emergency room, to wait until Monday when I began to bleed through three pads an hour.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

It is not regulated, they play by their own rules. I found out later of the women who died from this "doctor." It's no safer than before Roe. According to Dr. Mary Calderone of PP, who in 1960 wrote "Illegal Abortion as a Public Health Issue" states that 90% of abortions were done by doctors and done well, that in 1957 only 260 women died from abortion, a far cry from what they say now.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of WA**

**County of Benton**

My name is Kristi Davenport. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Spokane WA

//1995

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

10

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was explained about the medical concept of abortion. Not that I was killing a life.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was told that I would feel relieved and everything would get better after the abortion.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Mother, boyfriend and Doctor

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I am unable to conceive children. I went through several years of pain, depression, lost hope, no self worth, anger, bitterness and hatred. I pushed my family and friends away. I experimented with drugs and drank alcohol excessively and had several sexual relationships without caring about the consequences.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My family and friends have also felt guilt and anger toward me. They have been depressed over the decision and loss of the child missing in our lives.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

The sacrifice and hard times will be minimal compared to a lifetime of regret. What you have been told about abortion just being a phase of your life is a lie. The impact lasts forever.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Choose a family member in your lives that you want to disappear forever. Can you imagine life without

them? Murder is illegal. How are we making abortion legal? It just doesn't make sense. Our society doesn't believe in a right to choose the lives of others or taking the law into your own hands as a citizen. Why is this ok?

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of WA

County of Douglas

My name is Lois Ellen Edwards. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Seattle WA

04/10/1972

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

20

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

It was a new experimental procedure using sea weed to enlarge the uterus

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I had no idea the physical pain it would cause, nor the inability to have children later on. I also was not informed at how it would affect my life throughout the rest of my life.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

my boyfriend

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It changed me from a happy confident person to a wreck emotionally, mentally, spiritually, physically. All aspects of my life crashed from the day of the abortion to the present. I had a mental/nervous brake down, which continues, although somewhat improved after becoming a Christian, I am still very much affected by the act to the point where I still hold my ears shut, close my eyes whenever abortion talk gets graphic (explaining what the fetus goes through). This condition is improved over anytime I heard the word "abortion" I'd literally run screaming from the room with my hands over my ears, then break down and cry uncontrollably! This is not an exaggeration. Later on I would shout loudly so I couldn't hear what was being said then run and turn off the radio or tv program that was being aired. This went on for years. I begged my parents to send me somewhere to get mental help because I was not able to make the simplest decisions, for example if I should take a shower, what towel to use, what to wear . . . I cried all the time. At this time I was living alone. My parents refused to talk to me or allow me to stay with them. My boyfriend said if I got the abortion he'd marry me, but instead he asked me to move our a week after the abortion. I was completely devastated.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My parents didn't want to have anything to do with me and refused to help me in anyway, even allowing me to stay with them while I was able to get an apartment in town. My boyfriend ended our engagement, my brothers and wives did not speak to me . . . I was completely alone. All my friends were conveniently busy. I felt as though I was going insane.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Don't do it, it'll ruin your life, you'll never ever be the same again. The guilt is overwhelming. Your self esteem is nonexistent. People who were your friend will abandon you. It's a deep dark secret you'll hid inside from that time on.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Abortion is quite literally murder. Unborn babies have no voice so, we must be their voice to speak out against the barbaric practice. The unborn baby feels pain, shades his or her eyes from bright light and jumps at louds sounds. The baby may not be born, but it is a person, a real live person awaiting birth for their chance at life; this right of the unborn baby should NEVER be taken away. And the right to have an abortion should be stopped! Is it ok to kill a month old baby? NO! It is murder; so is abortion.

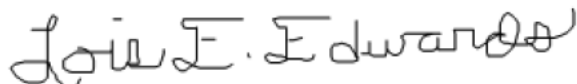
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of WA

County of Clark

My name is S E I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Helena MT

01/07/1977

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was given no information about either the procedure itself or the emotional or physical consequences. Nor was the fact that I was taking a life explained.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I had no idea that the psychological affects would be so painful during the procedure and would be with me forever. I also developed an infection in my uterus.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I have finally forgiven myself after years of guilt, but I still find myself reflecting each year on the anniversary and on the would be birthday about how old he would be, what he would be doing, and what role he would have played in the family's life. I still cry every January.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My husband (the father and boyfriend at the time) is the only one who knows what I did. He shares my shame and pain. He holds me while I cry each year and silently goes through his own emotional struggles.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I know that an unplanned pregnancy is very, very difficult in many ways-financially, psychologically, and physically, however, that is why God gives us 9 months to prepare. Abortion should never be considered, as it is not conveniently ending a pregnancy, but taking a life-that of your own child.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Although I believe that humans have a free will and should in most instances be able to exercise it, abortion is not a choice anyone should have. It is taking a life plain and simple; there can be no getting around that fact. It affects the very future of us all. It also takes away the choice of others involved-the father, woman's parents and other relatives, and first and foremost, that of the child forever.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of WA

County of Kitsap

My name is Aquila Fisk. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Yuma AZ

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2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

10

3. What type of abortion was performed?

Saline /suction

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

I was not informed my baby might feel pain,that my baby would be torn apart .

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I didn't know I would feel guilt after some time had passed I was told it was a tissue I didn't know it was a baby .

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

My friend insisted I have an abortion.

9. How has abortion affected you?

I'm so sad .I think about the loss ,how old my baby would be , what sex it would be, possible grandkids I could have .I grieve over not having a grave to go to .How could any one do this to a baby.There is so much more but I'm tired right now.This occupies a lot of my time

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

When my daughter heard I had an abortion she cried and cried.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

I would tell her she would regret it for the rest of her life.she will feel guilt .Depression, anger . I would tell her It is a baby with a beating heart not just a tissue.Abortion is murder.She can get financial help ,emotional support.she has options ,adoption ,family and friends can help .Churches will give support

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

No!! .A woman under stressful circumstances makes rash judgements that she will regret later.If a woman has one abortion she will likely have more .she needs counseling to deal with why she is having unprotected sex.Killing a baby is not solving the problem.There are health risk involved .She is likely to have Depression after abortion.she will have guilt associated with the murder of her baby .She must be informed about the facts, it is murder, her baby may go through horrible pain during abortion ,she may regret it,she may have a lot anger ,she may not be able to have a baby again just to name a few. I regret my abortion every time I think about it and I think about it a lot .I say ban abortion 100%.There is no reason to have an abortion !!

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of WA**

**County of King**

My name is Kris Foster. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Seattle WA

02//1983

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

9

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

not sure

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

no one talked to me about the affects of an abortion. It was a no questions asked kind of thing. I had no idea the pain I would have to deal with after the abortion. Not physical, but emotional

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

only the physical consequences, never once the emotional side

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

It took me years to get over it. especially after the birth of my first child. I had no idea what I was doing. That is was a life and that I was making the choice to take that life. I finally came to terms with the whole ordeal about 10 years ago. I'm 44 years old. I so sadden that I never got to see my child grow up. That boy or girl would be 27 years old. There truely is not a day that goes by, that I don't think about that baby. I've forgiven myself, but I certainly have not forgotten. I wish someone would have talked with me about my baby like it was a baby rather than a procedure. Its a baby, no one ever used that term. Not even fetus, it was a procedure. I was very removed from the whole thing. I can honestly say I didn't get what I was doing. I was sixteen years old. I have talked to my teenager daughter about the whole ordeal, when she was 17.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

It had a terrible affect on my boyfriend at the time. He never said anything throughout the entire process, but couldn't live with the guilt. My mom still feels guilty to this day. Wishes we would have

made a different decision.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Don't do it - if you are too young to have a child, consider adoption. Never abortion. The guilt and sadness are too much to bare. It makes me very angry that most of the people making these laws and decisions are men. You will never know what its like to carry a child. To bring another human being into this world. It is certainly not our choice to take a life. It is a life, at conception.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

This decision does affect you. Its a lie from anyone who says it doesn't. Even if you don't believe its a living child, this decision still affects you. At the time, no one talked to me about the baby, nor did they discuss any other options. The process was quick and painless, but the emotional pain afterwards was very difficult.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of WA**

**County of Benton**

My name is Karen I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Wichita KS

//1974

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

D & C

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was 17, my parents made the decision for me. I knew I would not be pregnant, but not what was done to the baby. I did know it did not live.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Did they even know the consequences back then?

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My parents made the decision, I was underage.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Sadness, regrets. For several years following my abortion, I saw it as a method of Birth control, if you made a mistake. I later found a personal relationship with God and saw I had allowed babies to be murdered. Why? To make it easy on me. I had treated life callously, as if I had the right to make life and death decisions.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I don't tell people. I am ashamed.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Dont do it. Give the baby up for adoption. Let the child be raised by a mother and father (One Man, One Woman) who want to love and nurture the child.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

The courts do not have to live with the consequences of the abortion, the pain, anguish, sorrow, regret, shame-I could go on. Who cares what the Liberal Courts believe. Their beliefs are subject to change with the wind.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of WA

County of King

My name is Laura I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Lakewood WA

10/22/1986

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

15

3. What type of abortion was performed?

vacuum extraction

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

no consequences were explained, other than no longer being pregnant

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

My boyfriend

9. How has abortion affected you?

It's made my life a lot more sad. I chose not to have any children after that. I decided that if I knowingly got pregnant with another child it would be in some very strange way "disloyal" to the baby I aborted. As if having a baby would be a statement that this pregnancy was somehow "better" than the one I terminated. I didn't feel I deserved a child.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

The father, my ex-fiance apologized later. He was feeling some guilt at that point. I broke off our engagement shortly after the abortion. I didn't want to be with a man who would reject his own child.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

That the baby is as much a person worthy of life and love as you are. That it isn't just "a clump of cells" or a bit of tissue. It's a brain, a heart, hands, eyes, personality, gifts, everything. You are giving up potentially your best friend and maybe your best chance to learn how to love and give. And you are disappointing your Father in heaven, who created that little, trusting being that is within your womb.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

It should only be allowed if the mother's life will be lost otherwise.

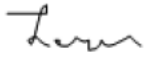
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of WA**

**County of Pierce**

My name is Elizabeth . I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Los Angeles CA

06/01/1981

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

10

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

It was explained very sterily like it was as simple as removing a wart.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Was given no information about how this would effect me. It is something I've never forgotten and find hard to forgive my self for.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I've never forgotten it, but I have the grace to know some day I'll be able to meet my child in Heaven.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I have not told others in my life.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Don't do it. You'll regret it the rest of your life.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be**

legal?

I believe a woman has the right to choose to not have sex or to take birth control, but not to kill her unborn child and no court has the right to give her that choice. They should be protecting the child as much as the mother.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

**The State of WA**

**County of Snohomish**

My name is N H . I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Seattle WA

01//2001

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

6

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I had no idea what would actually happen when I went into the room. It was horrible. I had no idea WHAT my baby looked like, how far he or she was developed.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I didn't know how I'd feel afterward or what harm it could cause in teh future.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

boyfriend

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Much post abortion depression. Hard to function as a woman, lots of flashbacks regarding the pain, regret when birthing future children. Thankfully, I've been set free from the guilt by the blood of Jesus!

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

Lack of trust, distance. Destroyed my boyfriend from the time.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Don't do it! Come and live with me and I'll help you have and care for your baby.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

It shouldn't be. It was far too easy. I kept wishing someone would stop me and I couldn't believe there were no roadblocks, the road was wide open to do it and it was over and done with before I really knew what I was doing. I wish there had at least been a waiting time!

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of WA

County of Spokane

My name is Nanette Harder. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Spokane WA

01/06/1985

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

Suction Aspiration

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

My baby's life was never mentioned. He or she was only referred to as a mass of unwanted tissue, like a tumor.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

Absolutely not! I made this decision based upon faulty medical information given me by a learned EWU university professor of microbiology whom I admired very much, who said that my unborn baby only had a 1% chance of being born live, normal, and healthy. (My adulterous ex-husband had given me genital herpes after the birth of our two kids but before our divorce and I had gotten pregnant by another man thereafter). I found my baby's translucent intact right leg from hip to toes on my Kotex. I stared at for a time in disbelief and then I wrapped it up and asked my young daughter to take it out to the garbage. I went out shortly thereafter to check on it again and after lifting the lid and seeing it was perfectly formed began to scream and cry in agony over what I had done.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My EWU microbiology professor and my boyfriend

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Life was never the same but it continued on for the sake of my two living children--a girl and a boy whom I love very much, now grown with families of their own. I had a second abortion that same year 1985 and got my tubes tied. I had become a promiscuous, self-destructive, walking dead person of no real value to anyone. so I was numb to the impact of the second baby's death for ten years. I was depressed, suicidal, and dropped out of college to only recently complete my degree after my kids

were raised 2000. Except for my obligation to raise my daughter and son to know how wrong abortion is, I never lived up to my intellectual and earning potential. I now have congestive heart failure and hope that if my kid's have kid's I will live long enough to hold them. Then I want to go home to the Lord, so that I may get to know my aborted children in heaven.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I remarried out of guilt, shame, remorse, worthlessness, and a need to fill my life with another child--my step-daughter. That marriage ended in divorce, too, because my husband was addicted to pornography. He did not love me and I found I loved his daughter but not him. My third husband is the man God designed for me and for whom I should have waited. However, he and I will never have all the many children we were meant to have because of my own actions. He is a very good dad but until just recently the kid's did not call him that because of the fear that he would leave.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

Do not do it. You will not only be killing your innocent child, you will be killing your soul, too, and you will never ever be the same. In the cold recovery room where we awoke my peers and I cried and/or sought self-justification of our actions in order to avoid guilt, shame, and self-loathing that never goes away until you confess your sins to God and are forgiven. Yet, forgiven or not, you will live with the consequences of your actions here on earth.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

When I was in high school, we had a mock trial of Roe v. Wade. Being raised Roman Catholic, I of course voted pro life for myself but was pressured by my female teachers into the qualification that in cases of rape and incest it should be the mother's decision even though I knew that the rapist or incestuous family member should pay the price for the crime, not the innocent child. Children are gifts from God that make us mature by making us less selfish and more selfless. In fact, Norma Leah McCorvey (Jane Roe) admits she lied and gave false testimony about the circumstances of her pregnancy. As a prior lesbian in a long-term same sex relationship, she has stated she was not raped by a man but talked into manipulating the sympathies of the court as a purported victim. Why should such an erroneous decision stand when it was ultimately based upon lies? Those two deceptions are: 1) that of the plaintiff and her ambitious lawyers and 2) that the lives of unborn children (in our society of citizens with God-given, innate, inalienable rights to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness but never at the expense of another's right to the same) are not worth protecting because of some misguided attempt at over-population control in a nation promoting wanton promiscuity.


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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of WA

County of Spokane

My name is Mary I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Peoria IL

02/26/1979

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

8

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

surgical

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I probably was, but at the time, I didn't want to know. I was just on a mission to "take care of the problem"

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

My girlfriend, who was an RN set up the appointment for me. I had no counseling, only went to PP for a pregnancy test. I had no idea I would have years of turmoil, regret, depression, etc.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

As soon as it was over, I layed in bed for days crying & depressed. Then, I kept the secret for 20 plus years, never telling my parents. I have had relationship problems, after being promiscuous many years after. Much guilt, shame & regret.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I moved 3000 miles away from my family and have never moved back. My parents died and I was never able to tell them, I'm 55 years old now. My husband, whom I didn't tell when we got married, was confused about our relationship, until I finally told him when my Dad died & I went into a deep depression once again.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

That baby will give you so much joy. Please don't rob the baby of life & you of your whole life! This is not the end of the world and there are options. There will be consequences for your decision to abort. In

" taking care of the problem", you will only create many, more serious problems.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Just because something is legal does not make it right. This is giving women a false justification for self destruction! And most importantly, for taking a life that is not our decision to make - it is God's. That baby's life is just as valuable as yours and mine.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of WA

County of Grays Harbor

My name is Tori B. Helberg. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Seattle WA

05//1978

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

12

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

I think it was called a D&C (suction)

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

I was 13 yrs old and my mom and step-dad and her friend took me to seattle and we went into a clinic and they just had me undress and get in a gown on the table with stirrups and hooked an IV up, the doc came and went and they sent me back out to my mom. My mom gave me no choice and noone ever told me before, during or after what to expect.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was not able to talk with anyone concerning any physical, mental or spiritual consequences. If I only knew then what I know now I would have probably ran away.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

My parents and my boyfriend who is my husband now.

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

Afterwards my life has never been the same. Thru the years and I am 43 now I have been devastated emotionally, I never forget I never get thru one day without some thought and the hope that someday we will meet again and although I now have raised 3 beautiful children and have a granddaughter I always know that 3 shouldv'e been 4

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

I was unable to forgive my boyfriend for giving my mom the \$100.00,my husband now and my parents for many, many years because I was unable to truly forgive myself. I think you cannot give yourself wholly to your family when a peice of you is missing.



**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

The guilt, the shame, the emotional turmoil, making choices for the rest of your life will all be clouded by this devastating experience!!, noone is "tuff enough" to go thru this unscathed in some way or another. Your mind knows and your body knows that you have destroyed a life. What you think now is not what you will think afterwards, please, please I am begging you get any and all sides of the issue before you make that life-altering decision.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

It is not right to give girls and women the right to their own bodies in this way, that human life is precious, and you have to be the voice for the voiceless and realize that women cannot be fully prepared for the affect on them for the rest of their life, you must make this a very very hard thing to do! We have to educate these women on the short term and long term effects on them and their families, we must eradicate this self-imposed hell and stop acting like these babies are just a bunch of cells like so much skin we slough off daily when everything in them ,their mind and body is telling them otherwise if they would just listen.

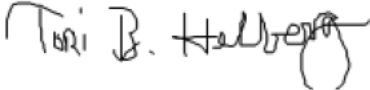
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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of WA

County of Clark

My name is Kathleen I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Seattle WA

01//1975

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

10

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

suction

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

One can never adequately prepare for the guilt of the murder of her own fetus.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

From 1974 until 2003 I lived a life of hopelessness, with guilt of killing my first child, all for the sake of not admitting failure to my parents. I lived with various men without marriage and was doing drugs most of the time prior to 1989. I felt as if I'd committed the ultimate sin and could never be forgiven. I was in despair, hated myself, and could not pull out of depression that lasted for years.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

It propelled me to push forward with the birth of my next 3 children out of wedlock. I raised my 2 of my 3 children with minimal contact with their father, since unknown to me at the time, I chose a meth addict to be involved with and got pregnant by him twice.

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

I would advise her to get an ultrasound so she can actually see and hear the life inside of her. I would advise her to value life, realize that all life is created with the hand of God, and it is not to be destroyed by her or anyone else. That life is precious, and that there are plenty of people out there willing to raise a child born from another.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

I would tell a court that my abortion hurt me, and that abortion kills people.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of WA

County of Snohomish

My name is B H . I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

**1. Where and when did your abortion occur?**

Pomona CA

//1976

**2. How many weeks pregnant were you?**

9

**3. What type of abortion was performed?**

As far as I remember it was a D & C type

**4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?**

Yes  No

Yes, except that I was only 17 and I wasn't in any state, emotionally or in my maturing, to make that decision by myself.

**5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?**

Yes  No

I was told about the physical effects, but not the emotional, on-going, lifelong effects.

**6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**7. Have you had breast cancer?**

Yes  No

**8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?**

Yes  No

Friends who had had an abortion

**9. How has abortion affected you?**

I just find it so incredibly sad that I didn't have enough faith in my parents to go to them. I was so afraid of telling them how I had let them down, that it was easier in my mind to go through the abortion than to hurt them. Any pregnancy counselor should have been easily able to see that it was purely fear that was driving my decision. Nothing else. I had great parents who would have surrounded me with nothing but love.

**10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?**

My daughter found out about my abortion in something she read when she was only in jr. high. Her attitude became that if her mom did something that awful, then what she was doing wasn't so bad. She even wrote a paper at school and said how shocked she was that her mom had done something like that. This thing I thought was such a secret was written about to a jr. high teacher I didn't even know!

**11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?**

It all comes down to relying on the Lord for your strength and your joy. He will guide you, protect you, care for you, and love you. Even if you are walking thru it alone, with no spouse or boyfriend, no parental support, God will be your mate and Father. I would also talk about the wonders of adoption. What an amazing thing to go thru with that pregnancy and then provide some loving parents with the child that they already love but couldn't bear themselves.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

I truly believe that there are so many, many options. Abortion should only be legal in the case of risk of the mother's life - truly based on medical need and not based on inconvenience or immaturity. Girls who have abortions in their teens have no idea how they will be impacted. They lack the maturity and the decision making skills necessary to make a decision of this magnitude and truly understand what the repercussions will be. If anything, we should be beefing up our adoption agencies, assisting with the costs associated with adoption, and providing more counseling.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of WA

County of Pierce

My name is L K I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Tacoma WA

//1975

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

4

3. What type of abortion was performed?

don't know

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I remember it being scary. I don't remember anyone telling me that I could become terribly depressed for the rest of my life.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

I am in my fifty's with depression, guilt and remorse since the abortion in 1975.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

The abortion is part of me. I can never, nor most women, forget the abortion as it will haunt one forever as it has me. I raised my children knowing that this is what I did to their sibling. They were all affected throughout their growing years.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Abortion is an evil way of dealing with a an unplanned pregnancy. Talk to your mother, sister, aunt, grandmother ask them for help. My baby is on my mind daily since the day he was aborted.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

I believe as most believe that conception leads to life. Life is sacred and it is the governments responsibility to protect all life. Allowing death to be a way of governing society shows how evil we as

loving people are becoming.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of WA

County of Clark

My name is April Kiessler. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Portland OR

03/08/1973

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

11

3. What type of abortion was performed?

Not certain

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

I went to Planned Parenthood and was assured that I did not have an actual "baby" inside, but a prototype, a blob that had some life but was in the same evolutionary state as a horse or pig, not human yet.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I had tremendous depression for months even years. I became obsessed with it and even hallucinated a few times. I "saw" the shape of fetuses in oil stains and smoke. I also felt worthless and ashamed and allowed myself to be raped and mistreated by men.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

I think it caused great mental and emotional unbalance that even now has not totally healed.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

When I had my first child I had to enter a mental hospital. I think it is impossible to kill your child one year and the next, be a perfect, devoted mother. It causes an inner controversy and confusion that can last an entire life.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Absolutely not to do it. If necessary, give up the child to adoption.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be



legal?

I believe abortion is murder and it should be illegal in every circumstance unless the mother is certain to die from either pregnancy or delivery. In that case, I feel the woman involved must make that decision.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of WA

County of Thurston

My name is Patricia Krank. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Bellevue WA

06//2009

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

12

3. What type of abortion was performed?

Suction?

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I had no idea that it was any more than just a surgical procedure and, although I was told what physical symptoms to be aware of, nothing was explained about possible long-term emotional effects.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

Mother

9. How has abortion affected you?

I have experienced the guilt of something covered up & never talked about again. Over the years it has affected me with recurring thoughts of suicide and self-hatred. It has only been about two years since I was set free from those thoughts after a time of counseling and the realization that my thoughts of death were a spirit of death linked to my abortion and the fact that I caused the death of another. The setting free was immediate but a long time coming after 37 years!

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

It has affected my husband the most in that he has had to deal with my sadness and extreme bouts of despair with no real idea what this was linked to. I'm sure it affected my two daughters as well but, just as the abortion was hidden, my outward feelings have been pretty well hidden from the outside world with a smiling face and "niceness".

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

It is NOT just a quick fix to a problem. There are physical side-affects, such as the link to breast

cancer, infertility, etc. An abortion can also also result in long-term emotional and spiritual difficulties. In my case, those were far more devastating than the physical. They have the potential to take away so much of who you were meant to be. There are other options, good options, and many people who will support you along the way.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

There is no freedom of choice for the child whose life is stripped away by someone else's decisions. I chose the quick fix which then turned into 37 years of difficulty. I believe that God our Creator is the one who gives life and we have no right to take that life away from another human being. Abortion has become a convenient method of birth more than anything else as women have multiple abortions to take care of their problems. It is a matter of when life begins and I believe that life begins at conception.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of WA

County of Benton

My name is Kelly I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

San Diego CA

//1987

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

6

3. What type of abortion was performed?

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

Physically, yes.Emotionally, no.

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

I was not told of the emotional aftermath of guilt, and need for forgiveness that would follow.

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

It is something that has affected me so profoundly words can not express.I had more than one, the guilt is overwhelming.Its something I can not talk about.I know in Jesus I have forgiveness, but I have had a very hard time forgiving myself. At the time I was young, and dumb.Caught up in expressing my independance as a youth, and the liberal "right to do what I want with my body", and the "right to choose".Dont buy into that. What I have got to say about that now is- Women do have a right to choose, its called abstinence.Making the right "choices" from the very beginning.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

It is something that I keep secret.Very few people in my life know about it, with those that do know, I dont talk about it.I cant.However it is something that I have cried about,20 years after the fact.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Dont do it, dont get caught up in the brainwashing of liberalism. You may think the circumstances in your life are not ideal to bring a baby into.There is never a "right time" in life. Life is a gift from God, do not throw that away.The bottom line abortion is murder.Do not kill your child.You will live with the regret,pain and quilt for the remainder of your life that will be almost too much to bear.If your facing this

decision, whether you believe in God or not. What I can tell you, there is a God. One God, one and only God. Seek him with all your heart and find him. Put your trust in him. Have faith. Have courage and may God bless you for making the right decision, to let your baby live.

**12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?**

Abortion should not be legal, it is murder. It is killing babies. It is wiping out a generation. White people are becoming a minority in this country. Abortion is why.

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# DECLARATION

## HOW MY ABORTION AFFECTED ME

The State of WA

County of Thurston

My name is Janet Larson. I am over the age of eighteen years, and I am of sound mind and competent to make this declaration. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration, and I declare under penalty of perjury the following:

### QUESTIONS

1. Where and when did your abortion occur?

Glendale CA

05/22/1997

2. How many weeks pregnant were you?

6

3. What type of abortion was performed?

Medical -- methotrexate

4. Were you adequately informed of the nature of abortion, what it is, what it does?

Yes  No

5. Were you adequately informed of the consequences of abortion?

Yes  No

6. Were you informed of any link between abortion and breast cancer?

Yes  No

7. Have you had breast cancer?

Yes  No

8. Did anyone pressure you into having an abortion?

Yes  No

9. How has abortion affected you?

I am very happy I was able to have that abortion. Since the abortion, I have been more conscientious about using birth control. I am continually grateful that I did not have a child with my boyfriend at the time, who was an abusive alcoholic.

10. How has your abortion affected others in your life?

I had one child already, and she was able to get more of my attention and resources as an only child. I am also glad that she has not had to deal with my ex-boyfriend, which would have been the case if we had had a child together.

11. Based upon your experience, what would you tell a woman considering abortion?

Make the decision that's right for you. Be aware that there are plenty of women who do not feel guilty or depressed after having an abortion. I never felt a moment's regret. Also, I would recommend an early abortion, as I had.

12. Based on your own experience, what would you tell a court that believes abortion should be legal?

Thank you!

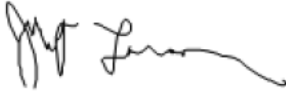
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