

I am pro-life. I support life! I love life! Life is a gift! Everyone support life, right? It feels strange just saying these words out loud or even writing them on paper, but no, shockingly, not everyone supports life.

People who are pro-choice believe that it's the mother's decision if their child will come into the world or not. Unfortunately, there are some women who have the desire to end their pregnancy because it's inconvenient for them and they think there are no other options. Sadly, they'll find a doctor who will perform an abortion.

An abortion is medical procedure that terminates a pregnancy. In other words, it ends the life of an unborn child. It's so sad to think that there have millions of unborn children that never had a voice. They never go to say, "Let me live" or "It's God's choice!"

I can't imagine how I would feel if I had to make this decision. It seems opposite of God's plan for us. The only way to prevent this unthinkable action from happening in my life is by choosing chastity.

Chastity is not having any sexual relations before marriage. If we truly respect life, we will practice chastity. When people are chaste, they are living how God wants them to live. Chastity is being pure in thoughts, words, and actions. If God has commanded that sexual intimacy is reserved for marriage, then we should follow His command.

In choosing chastity, the Lord will continue to keep me in His light. I will be blessed with true holiness because God will know my heart and I will stay close to Him with my faith. I will be blessed with health because I will always respect my body and take care of myself, the way God has intended me to. I'll also be blessed with happiness because I'll rejoice in the glory of obeying God and doing good by Him, others, and myself!

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