

Abortion Questions List

OPINION AREA 1:

Abortion is murder. It's always wrong.

Discussion Questions:

- What about in cases of rape?
- What about when the mother's life is in danger?
- What about in cases of incest?
- What if the parents knew the child would be horribly deformed?
- If the embryo can't live on its own, how can you prove that it's a separate human life?

OPINION AREA 2:

Abortion should be legal and free for everyone.

Discussion Questions:

- What about the people who would use abortion as a free form of birth control?
- Why should my tax dollars be used to pay for someone's abortion—especially if I think abortion is morally wrong?
- How is making abortion free and legal any different from making murder free and legal?

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OPINION AREA 3:

Abortion is OK as long as a girl's parents give their permission.

Discussion Questions:

- What about parents who don't have their child's best interests at heart?
- What about students who don't live at home?
- How can you decide at what age it's suddenly OK for women to decide on abortion for themselves?
- Why should parents have the right to tell their child what to do with her own body?
- What about the father's or the father's parents' right to decide what happens to the baby?

OPINION AREA 3:

Abortion is OK only in cases of rape or when the mother's life is at stake.

Discussion Questions:

- How can you dictate what's right or wrong for someone else?
- What gives you the right to force a child to come into the world when you'll have absolutely no responsibility in raising it?
- What about pregnant women caught in deep poverty— how can you deny them the right to an abortion?