

# Does Anyone Have the Right to Abort?

*Do you have the inherent right to abort a child?*

*Do you have the inherent right to abort the life of anyone?*

I had a lengthy conversation with a gentleman today. During that conversation he brought up a point that was dead on applicable to so much of the culture we live in. The belief that so many have regarding whether they have a “right” to perform some action doesn’t seem to be grounded in anything – period. The specific topic at that point in the conversation was atheism and the inane idea atheists have about how everything came to be. With regard to the creation of things, he made a statement that was profound in its implications. I don’t know whether he came up with this or heard it and repeated it, but it is well worth considering and taking to heart particularly in certain contexts, such as the abortion debate:

*If you can’t create it, you have no business destroying it.*

However much anyone might like to claim, getting pregnant is not a sure thing for any woman. Moreover, the child that is destroyed in an abortion, cannot be brought back to life again. Unless the person killing the child has the power to bring it back to life again, they have no business killing the child.

*If you do not have the inherent power to create life and bring the dead back to life, then you don’t have the inherent right to take life.*

This is why that all taking of life must be legally justified. The state cannot take life unless the person deprives another

of their life, and that is proven beyond the shadow of a doubt. The individual cannot take life unless theirs is imminently threatened. There must be a compelling, beyond the shadow of a doubt reason for life to be taken – and for such a drastic action to be justified.

*Otherwise, you are simply a murderer.*

***– End of story –***