

My name is Aaron Pratt; I live in Pittsburgh, PA. I am writing to express my support for HB 1373, the North Dakota Prenatal Equal Protection Act, and to urge all involved to move this bill forward.

Proverbs 14:34 reads, "Righteousness exalts a nation, but sin is a reproach to any people." Since 1973, abortion has been the shame of this nation and sadly, it is a glorified shame -- celebrated daily in this country through the sacrifice of innocent, preborn babies in the womb. God is not pleased.

You have an opportunity to move forward a just and righteous bill in the sight of almighty God – a bill that protects the most vulnerable among us: image bearers of God, who, individually, are being knit together by Him, in their mothers' wombs. More than the opportunity, however, you have a duty before God, your creator, to do all that you can to defend these little ones – your neighbors in the womb. The position of authority that you hold is one that was given to you by God, and you will give an account to Him for what you have done to protect the precious little ones that He has gifted to each and every mother who conceives.

I pray that the vote that you make will be the righteous one, the one that pushes HB 1373 forward toward equal protection for the preborn. Though evil voices may rise in opposition to this bill, set your face like flint on obeying the one and only true God, and honoring His holy name, by rescuing those who are being taken away to death, who, as you well know, are your innocent preborn neighbors in the womb, who are senselessly murdered daily. Millions of babies in the womb have been slaughtered in this country, and I pray that you all would have the courage to say, "Not one more in North Dakota!" – "No more innocent bloodshed from these precious little souls."

Christ is King – may He be praised!

Aaron