My name is Danielle Yourk. I live in Mandan with my husband and 4 kids.

I was born and raised here in North Dakota. I am Catholic and about as conservative as you can get.

However, I think I can speak for the vast majority of my friends, acquaintances and even my generation, when I say, JUST STOP.

We don't care anymore. I don't care who wants to file taxes together as a married couple or get health insurance as a married couple. That piece of paper from the courthouse does nothing more than that!

Please, for the love of GOD, spend our tax dollars elsewhere! Make the government more efficient, cut wasteful spending, keep my daughter's sports teams for them and protect our constitutional rights.

There are so many more important things for you, our legislature, to be worried about than who marries who.

Just STOP!