"As soon as the voice of thy salutation sounded in mine ears, the babe leaped in my womb for joy. (Luke 1:44)

Leaped For Joy

The baby, who was John the Baptist, was able to experience an emotion-joy, even before his birth. God even told the prophet Jeremiah:

"Before I formed thee in the belly I knew thee; and before thou camest forth out of the womb I sanctified thee, and I ordained thee a prophet unto the nations." (Jeremiah 1:5) As though abortion were not evil enough the first article below (2012) reveals how so called "afterbirth abortion" is now being promoted,-- infanticide.

"Killing newborns: Paper stirs debate, death threats" starts out with: "Killing newborn babies should be allowed if the mother wishes, two Australian academics have argued in the British Medical Journals."

The report's authors, Dr Francesca Minerva, from the University of Melbourne and Dr Alberto Giubilini, from the University of Milan, say, "After-birth abortion should be considered late-term abortion because there isn't much of a difference between them biologically."

Now what kind of a depraved mind would have such a morally corrupt indifference to a helpless newborn baby?

Herod, is an example of that kind of person.

"Then Herod, when he saw that he was mocked of the wise men, was exceeding wroth, and sent forth, and slew all the children that were in Bethlehem, and in all the coasts thereof, from two years old and under." Matthew 2:16

What was Herod's reason for wanting to find the baby Jesus?

"Herod will seek the young child to destroy him." (Matthew 2:13)

Why did Herod want to destroy Jesus? Jesus was prophesied to be a king, a direct threat to Herod the king, pure and utter selfishness!

Another example is the sacrificing of children to Moloch:

"Moloch is the name of an ancient Ammonite god. Moloch worship was practiced by the Canaanites, Phoenician and related cultures in North Africa and the Levant. As a god worshipped by cults of the Phoenicians and Canaanites, Moloch had associations with a particular kind of propitiatory child sacrifice by parents. Moloch figures in the Book of Deuteronomy and in the Book of Leviticus as a form of idolatry (Leviticus 18:21–23: "And thou shalt not let any of thy seed pass through the fire to Moloch"). In the Hebrew Bible, Gehenna was initially where apostate Israelites and followers of various Ba'als and Canaanite gods, including Moloch, sacrificed their children by fire." Wikipedia

The word "propitiatory" has several synonyms including; appeasing, conciliating, conciliatory, disarming, mollifying, pacifying, peacemaking, placating, etc.

Once again, the underling reason,-- selfishness.

Why does the older generation send its sons and daughters to fight and die in war after war, "From whence come wars and fightings among you? come they not hence, even of your lusts that war in your members? Ye lust, and have not: ye kill, and desire to have." James 4:1-2

No matter how they try to dress it up with university degrees, patriotism etc. it is selfishness. That's one of the main reasons for population control and certain individuals that would like to eliminate up to ninety percent of the worlds population. They want to make sure there is enough for themselves. Another article (2012) states:

"Euthanasia squads offer death by delivery", relates how the Dutch are now willing to send "six specialized roving medical teams door-to-door to help patients end their lives

free of charge in their own homes."

Isn't it just like a typical bully to pick on the weaker, in this case the most defenseless among us, newborns and the sick and elderly.

But God is not mocked, in whose image we are created.

"In thy skirts is found the blood of the souls of the poor innocents. Thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; Behold, I will bring evil upon this place, the which whosoever heareth, his ears shall tingle. Because they have forsaken me, and have estranged this place, and have burned incense in it unto other gods, whom neither they nor their fathers have known, nor the kings of Judah, and have filled this place with the blood of innocents.

They have deeply corrupted themselves, therefore he will remember their iniquity, he will visit their sins. Double unto her double according to her works: in the cup which she hath filled fill to her double." Jeremiah 2:34, Jeremiah 19:3-4, Hosea 9:9, Revelation 18:6

Their cup of iniquity must surely be about full. Unless they change their thinking they are looking at "certain fearful looking for of judgment". (Hebrews 10:27)

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