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**To The Parliamentary Committee.  
-The Proposed Abortion Bill.**

**Dear Members of Parliament.  
Please hear my family story. It is true  
and profound:**

Presently, my beautiful daughter is 17 yrs of age ,about to graduate from year 12 and go onto university and study social welfare and justice. She will turn 18 on Feb 12 2017.

It was Feb 18th 1998 that she was born in Cairns in the middle of Cyclone Rona!

She now loves us so very much because she was not aborted as was advised at that time. Fortunately,with guidance from a caring G P, pregnancy continued and our beautiful baby was born.

After being lifted from her mother during a C section at Cairns Base hospital I was first to hold her. Thanks to the Medical staff at The Base Hospital,we are ever grateful.

There was no danger to her mother's life. However,the social thinking purely looked at feelings of mother in a very restricted way....

Life is precious. Unless the life of mother is in danger let no person destroy human life.

**Abortion must not become the  
norm for birth control'**

**Laurie Ryan.**