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**Should the legal restrictions and criminal penalties against altruistic surrogacy be removed from the *Surrogate Parenthood Act 1988 (Qld)*?**

I believe the principle of surrogate parenthood is not moral and therefore should not be legalised through Queensland Legislation. My concern is for the emotional well being of all concerned especially the birthing mother and the child at later stages of life. I beleive that the Bible teachings do not support this solution for family's needs and have found that it is wise to take heed of the these principles for the long term good of all concerned. Prayer is the optimum solution. I pray God will engder wisdom in the deliberation of this issue