

## **GOD LOVES WOMEN**

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Women are under attack in the political world today. Women's rights are being reviewed and reversed and it's creating quite a stir. I do not believe Christians (men or women) should practice sexual immorality. However, I also do not believe our government should determine what is best for women's health and bodies. If a woman is following the Word of God, then she would know what the right thing is to do regarding her body. I was a rape victim many years ago and conceived a child. When the doctor told me I was pregnant he suggested I be given a shot that would cause my menstrual cycle to begin as I was only 6 weeks. As a woman of faith, it was my decision to reject his suggestion and trust God to deal with the matter. When I was eight months, to my dismay I had a miscarriage and it terminated my pregnancy. This was how I felt God wanted me to handle my circumstance and the outcome was handled by God, as well. I would not have wanted to be invaded at the time of miscarriage as the new law would suggest in Virginia. Men have no idea the emotional trauma women experience losing their baby.



The spirit of chaos (confusion) is heightened in our world and that works well for Satan. This proves that God's people must be certain we are walking close to Him and operating in agreement with His word. Women of God cannot afford to be weak in their relationship with God and therefore become vulnerable to men who want to abuse and/or control them for selfish purposes. 2 Timothy 3:6-7 addresses the concern of abusive ungodly men who "make captives of gullible women loaded down with sins, led away by various lusts, always learning and never able to come to the knowledge of the truth." As godly women, we should not allow ourselves to become prey to this situation.

Abuse and/or control of women are not godly behaviors. Jesus valued women and aimed to reveal that during his ministry here on earth. Women, we must value ourselves and recognize we have been honored by God. Let's be women of honor and integrity and live our lives to the glory of God, because God Loves Women!

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