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## DISCUSSION & REVIEW QUESTIONS:

- Towards the beginning of the video, Ms. Rose points out that, “Planned Parenthood doesn’t help people plan for parenthood; it helps people escape it. And that’s only the start of its deceptions. Planned Parenthood tells you it’s one of the nation’s ‘leading women’s health care providers,’ but it provides very little healthcare.” Do you agree with Ms. Rose’s view that Planned Parenthood helps people avoid parenthood rather than actually prepare for it? Why or why not? Do you think that Planned Parenthood’s claim to be a ‘women’s health care provider’ is legitimate? Why or why not?
- Ms. Rose goes on to note that, “Most deceptive of all, Planned Parenthood tells you that abortions are a small part of what it does, but it performs more abortions than anyone else in America... Every year it does more than a third of all abortions in America—over 321,000 of them... That’s over 880 abortions every day. An abortion every 98 seconds.” Why do you think that so many people are having abortions, and why do you think that so many people go to Planned Parenthood to terminate their baby’s lives? Do you think more of the U.S. should be outraged at what is going on, in terms of how many abortions are being carried out? Why or why not?
- Later in the video, Ms. Rose explains that, “The folks who run Planned Parenthood boast that they provide life-saving cancer screenings. And they do. Just not that many of them - less than 2% of the nation’s screenings each year. They talk about providing breast exams. They do, but just not that many of them - again, less 2% of the nation’s total... In other words, abortion, not women’s health, is Planned Parenthood’s reason for being... when Planned Parenthood says its devoted to women’s reproductive rights, what it means is it’s devoted to aborting as many babies as possible.” Why do you think that Planned Parenthood attempts to deceive the public by characterizing what it does as ‘healthcare’ and advocating for ‘women’s rights,’ rather than just plainly stating that its primary objective is to carry out abortions? Explain.
- Ms. Rose goes on to further explain that, “Planned Parenthood receives over \$500 million a year in federal funding. Not for abortions, mind you. But for those other ‘discreet clinical interactions.’ Over the last 10 years, its annual clientele has dropped 23%, almost a quarter. But during this time its taxpayer funding has skyrocketed from \$336 million in 2006 to \$543 million in 2016.” Why do you think that the government is giving Planned Parenthood more of the taxpayer’s money even though Planned Parenthood has fewer clients? Do you think that Planned Parenthood should get any taxpayer money at all? Why or why not? Considering that the government gives money to Planned Parenthood, do you believe that the government is complicit, to some degree, in the killing of all those babies? Why or why not?
- At the conclusion of the video, Ms. Rose states that, “...Planned Parenthood’s biggest enemy isn’t conservatives or religious people. Its biggest enemy is truth.” What do you think Ms. Rose means by this statement? In what ways, exactly, might the truth be an enemy to Planned Parenthood? Explain.

## EXTEND THE LEARNING:

### CASE STUDY: Planned Parenthood

INSTRUCTIONS: Read the article “Planned Parenthood in 1952: Abortion ‘kills the life of a baby,’” then answer the questions that follow.

- How does Planned Parenthood currently characterize abortion? Who is Obianuju Ekeoch, and what did she do? What does the old Planned Parenthood pamphlet say abortion does to a baby’s life? How safe does the pamphlet claim an abortion is for a woman? What important distinction does the pamphlet make between birth control and abortion? What point does Glenn Beck make about what science has discovered since the pamphlet was published?
- Do you think that it’s okay for people to use abortion as birth control? Why or why not? Why do you think that Planned Parenthood has clearly changed their position on how abortion affects babies and women? Do you consider abortion to be murder? Why or why not? Why do you think that for many people it is socially acceptable to kill a baby before it’s been born, but not okay to kill a baby after it has been born? Many proponents of abortion attempt to justify abortion on the premise that it is a women’s rights issue. Do you agree with this position? If yes, what about the baby’s rights and it’s body- the one being destroyed? If no, why not? Do you support Planned Parenthood, in terms of agreeing with their position and practice? Why or why not?
- Which specific points in the article could be used as supporting evidence of points made in the video?



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<https://www.lifesitenews.com/news/planned-parenthood-in-1952-abortion-kills-the-life-of-a-baby>



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## Planned Parenthood in 1952: Abortion ‘kills the life of a baby’

WASHINGTON, D.C., May 1, 2017 (LifeSiteNews) — Planned Parenthood promotes a "termination of pregnancy" as a "very safe, simple" and "safe and effective" and "one of the safest medical procedures you can get," but the nation's largest abortion provider didn't always make that false claim.

In decades past, the birth control conglomerate not only admitted that abortion is harmful for women but urged them to never consider abortion "birth control."

Last week, pro-life African Obianuju Ekeocha of Culture for Life Africa discovered two pamphlets from the 1950s by Planned Parenthood that directly and truthfully answered a question about abortion. She posted them online:

I just came across a @PPact pamphlet from 1952 where they say that abortion "kills the life of a baby". We should send them a copy today! [pic.twitter.com/cRQgZP9WhF](https://pic.twitter.com/cRQgZP9WhF)

— Obianuju Ekeocha (@obianuju) April 20, 2017

Yet another @PPact pamphlet from when they told women that abortion "kills the life of a baby". This was before the days of ultrasounds. [pic.twitter.com/vYfjSDlh5c](https://pic.twitter.com/vYfjSDlh5c)

— Obianuju Ekeocha (@obianuju) April 21, 2017

The Planned Parenthood pamphlets clearly state that abortion "kills the life of a baby." Furthermore, Planned Parenthood admitted that abortion is "dangerous to your life and health."

In full, the pamphlet answers the question, "Is abortion birth control?" The Planned Parenthood pamphlet answer:

"Is abortion birth control?"

"Definitely not. An abortion requires an operation. It kills the life of a baby after it has begun. It is dangerous to your life and health. It may make you sterile, so when you want children you cannot have them. Birth control merely postpones the beginning of life; abortion kills life."

On last Monday's "The Glenn Beck Radio Program," Beck described the perspective of Planned Parenthood, stating the abortion behemoth is "now advocating for murder of children according to their own pamphlet."

Beck added that since the 1950s, medical science has overwhelmingly confirmed that the developing baby is both human and alive. "Have we discovered that that tissue is not a baby?" he rhetorically asked. "Have we developed things that show that that 15-week-old thing inside of you is not a baby? No, we've found just the opposite."

The Resurgent reports that in light of what Planned Parenthood wrote in the 1950s versus what they are now saying, the abortion giant is duplicitous. "Despite the euphemisms they now employ to refer to the unborn, they know what they're doing."