

## A Disciple's Dictionary

### *Life: Beyond Biology*

Genesis 1:26; 2:7

#### 1. Life: the debate

- A. The politics of **sin** (choice & reproductive health: not morality but inconvenience)
- B. The politics of **science** (built on evolutionary theory: nothing intrinsically different about humans; survival of the voters or judiciary; fetal tissue)
- C. The politics of **hypocrisy** (the un-aborted voting against the unborn; from those who harvest, to those who buy to Judge William Orrick)
- D. The politics of **truth** (no God, no absolute truth; moral equivalence)

#### 2. Life: the Bible

- A. Humans are **unique** in all of creation
  - a. Only humans are made **in God's image** (Genesis 1:26; 9:6)
  - b. Only humans have the **breath of God** (Genesis 2:7)
- B. Humans are **people** before birth
  - a. the unborn are a **work of God** (Psalm 139:13-16)
  - b. the unborn fit into the **plan of God** (Jeremiah 1:4-5)
  - c. the unborn are covered by the **Law of God** (Exodus 21:22-25)

#### Conclusions: A Disciples' Response

- 1. Hate the **sin**, love the **sinner**.
- 2. Hold **lawmakers** responsible.
- 3. Promote **holiness** which eliminates the **problem**.