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THE 2007 RIGHT TO LIFE CONVENTION: MARCH 24, 2007

"Only You Can Save Me"

Enclosed with this newsletter is a registration form for the upcoming convention. Please note that the **prices are reduced for those who register early.**

It is very important for those of us who state we are pro-life to be educated on pro-life issues. When we have facts, we can convey them to others, and they in turn can change others' hearts and minds.

Why should you come?

- To learn from the workshops,
- To honor Congressman Steve Pearce for his many years of support for the pro-life efforts,
- To meet others in our state who stand with you, and
- To meet your state and chapter board members.
- Come and find out what you can do to help the pro-life cause.

COMMENTARY BY THE EDITOR – DAUNEEN DOLCE

During the NM legislative session, The Right To Life Committee of New Mexico is very involved in either supporting pro-life legislation or opposing bills that are anti-life.

When I say The Right To Life Committee of New Mexico, that isn't just me, Executive Director/Lobbyist. It includes you.

You have the power and the ability to help accomplish our goals at the state legislature either with your own district legislators or with legislators on committees who no longer represent a district while sitting on a committee.

Because you have this "power," you receive e-mail notes, letters, and other communications urging your involvement in influencing the legislators who will deal with either the pro-life or the anti-life legislation.

Many of you have been wonderful and doing what you can. We at RTLNM are very appreciative of your efforts that we know make a great difference. How much a difference will be reported in the next *Viva Life* in March.

However, it is clear to me that many of you did not respond at all to our request for your help. You did not send an e-mail or make a phone call or send a letter or meet with your legislator when an opportunity came up.

My question to you is What makes a person pro-life? Believing and not doing does not qualify you as being pro-life. Pro-life is not a word; it is an action, a belief with actions and a philosophy with commitment.

We won't change this world and restore a pro-life atmosphere if we ourselves are unwilling to do what we want the world to do – respect life and to make changes.

So please, think about your attitude and ask yourself if you are an aid or a hindrance. Apathy is our greatest enemy. If you are part of that apathy and people are depending upon you because you have stated you are pro-life and you do not help, you are part of the problem.

I hope you will adjust your attitude and join us in faith and action. YOU ARE NEEDED!

Please attend the conference in March and become better educated. That is a good first step.

FIVE ALIVE PROGRAM

Even though the envelopes have been mailed to this year's participants of the Five Alive Program, it is not too late to sign up to give to this monthly program that helps us maintain a budget. This is a tax deductible program, and you are provided special envelopes for sending your donation.

There is a form in this newsletter that one can use to sign up for the program. If you have questions, please call 505-881-4563 or e-mail info@rtlnm.org. We need your help!

MEDIA ADVERTISING

The Media fund was tapped to develop TV ads to stop the funding of embryonic stem cell research. It drained the Media account. We ask that anyone who would like to give to this tax-deductible program to write a check and mail it to: The Right to Life Committee of New Mexico, 2800 San Mateo Blvd. NE, Suite 107, Albuquerque, NM 87110. Please write "Media" on the check to make sure it goes into that account. We hope you got to see the wonderful ad that VirtueMedia created. We hope it will inform people and involve them in solutions to our problems. Check out our website at www.stemcellNM.org.

NEW MEXICO STATE LEGISLATURE 2007

For those of you who have provided RTL with your e-mail address, you already know the number of the bills RTLNM is interested in during this legislative session. If you wish to receive news in a faster fashion so that you can be more involved in helping get legislation passed or stopped, please provide us with your e-mail address at info@rtlnm.org. You will also get your newsletter by e-mail, which is far more attractive in color and saves RTLNM money.

PARENTAL NOTIFICATION

This bill, which has been attempted for many years, has a good chance of passing this year. In the House, the bill sponsored by Rep. Andrew Barreras (D) and Rep. Larry

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Parental Notification...*(cont. from pg. 1)*

Larranaga (R) is **HB 329**. In the Senate, **SB 442** is being sponsored by Sen. Pete Campos (D) and Sen. Kent Cravens (R). This is the first time we have had our bills sponsored by both a Democrat and a Republican, and it is very good news! The bills have been assigned to the committees listed below. The people on these committees do not represent a district while on a committee and should be hearing from you to **SUPPORT** the bills.

Parental Notification only requires notifying one parent that their teenage daughter is seeking an abortion. It gives the parent(s) 48 hours to find alternatives, etc.

The legislators can be reached at the Capitol by calling 1-505-986-4300 or write to Rep/Sen.____, State Capitol, Santa Fe, NM 87503. You can go to our website www.rtlnm.org to get the e-mail addresses. Do know **you must communicate with them quickly**, as time is of the essence, and we must get these bills passed in committees before it can go to the House or Senate floors. A sixty-day session seems a long time, but it is not, especially since these two bills - one from the House and one from the Senate - were introduced at the opening of the legislative session on January 16, 2007 at noon.

UPDATE: The House Bill for Parental Notification has been introduced and will be heard first in Consumers and Public Affairs, whose members are: Representatives Gail Chasey, Irwin Harrison, Tom Anderson, Nora Espinoza, Antonio "Moe" Maestas, Al Park and W. C. "Dub" Williams. This committee meets on Tuesdays and Thursdays in room 315 at 1:30 p.m. Once the bill leaves Consumer and Public Affairs, it will go to the Judiciary Committee and after that to the floor for a vote by the whole House.

Members of the Judiciary Committee are: Representatives Al Park, Joseph Cervantes, Elias Barela, Gail Chasey, Daniel Foley, Antonio "Moe" Maestas, W. Ken Martinez, William Rehm, Mimi Stewart, Thomas Swisstack, Gloria Vaughn, Eric Youngberg, and Teresa Zanetti. This committee meets Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 1:30 p.m.

SECOND UPDATE: The Senate Bill for Parental Notification has been introduced and will first be heard in Public Affairs. Its members are Senators Dede Feldman, Mary Jane Garcia, Steve Komadina, Stuart Ingle, Gay Kernan, Steven Neville, Gerald Ortiz y Pino, Mary Kay Papen, and David Ulibarri. Public Affairs meets on Tuesdays and Thursdays in Room 321 and on Fridays in Room 303 both at 2:30 p.m. The bill has not been scheduled at the writing of this article. Once this bill passes Public Affairs, it will go to the Senate Judiciary Committee. More information will be provided.

FACT SHEET FOR PARENTAL NOTIFICATION BILL

1. **Parental Involvement Laws Protect the Health of Minors.** Abortion carries with it immediate health risks, as well as profound long-lasting consequences not readily apparent to an inexperienced, immature minor when she is confronted with the frightening and stressful fact of an unplanned pregnancy.

Because a minor often lacks the ability to make fully informed choices, parental involvement is imperative to ensure that the minor receives the benefit of appropriate counsel from those who know her

physical, emotional, familial, religious, and/or psychological background – her parents.

Her parent(s) can assist her and the physician by providing guidance and counsel and by providing the physician with essential medical information.

2. **Parental Involvement Laws Promote Family Integrity.** Parental Involvement laws support the important role of parents in the guidance and upbringing of their minor daughters and assure them that the important decisions of their minor daughters can be addressed within the family unit.

By law, the parents are responsible for their child's health, or they can be prosecuted for child abuse. A minor child cannot get an aspirin, ears pierced, or a tattoo without at least one parent's *consent*. If something goes wrong after the abortion, the parents who were not involved in the decision must take care of all the medical and emotional fees.

3. **More Americans Support the Right of Parents to be involved in their Minor Daughter's Abortion Decision.** A recent poll indicated that 75% of those surveyed believe that parents should be notified before their daughter under the age of eighteen has an abortion.

4. This bill only requires one parent be notified. It *does not prevent a girl from getting an abortion; it only requires the parent be notified.*

5. The bill has a judicial by-pass for those situations where incest or violence is taking place in the household. This allows a judge to make the decision as to whether the teenager is mature enough to make the decision to have an abortion.

6. Those in the abortion business do not provide all the information needed when making a decision on abortion. All abortions are paid in cash, and there is no "after" check up.

7. It is inaccurate to say that all teenagers tell their parents when they are pregnant and only withhold information when there is a "problem" in the household. The main reason that a teenager does not want to tell her parents of her pregnancy is shame and the desire not to have her lifestyle changed.

8. Most parents' reaction to a minor daughter's pregnancy is not hostility but rather love and support for her. They feel displeasure and disappointment; however, an initial display of those emotions is not grounds to label these parents as dysfunctional. A study done by the National Institute on Ageing by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services shows that teenagers who informed their parents had supportive parents.

9. If there is violence or incest in the house, the pregnancy is only one of the minor girl's problems. The courts can then intervene and help her with the serious problems at home.

10. Involving the parents does not cause late term abortion. The time it takes to inform the parents does not increase the rate of late term abortions unless the teenager has already waited until the second or third trimester to deal with her pregnancy.

In so ruling that parental involvement is constitutional, the U.S. Supreme Court Justices said the following:

Justices O'Connor, Kennedy and Souter observed in Planned Parenthood v. Casey that parental involvement laws "are based on the quite reasonable assumption that minors will benefit from consultation with their parents and that children

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will often not realize that their parents have their best interests at heart" (1992). Justice Stewart (1976) said, "There can be little doubt that the State furthers a constitutionally permissible end by encouraging an unmarried pregnant minor to seek the help and advice of her parents in making the very important decision whether or not to bear a child."

Please note: All these Justices have voted to support Roe v. Wade.

If we have your e-mail address, you will receive information in a timelier manner than receiving the newsletter, and you would receive information on ads, events, etc. Please give us your e-mail address. If your e-mail address changes, please notify us!

EMBRYONIC STEM CELL FUNDING BILL

This bill will be presented in Appropriations under a "funding" bill and will not have its own bill number. Again, the committee members should be contacted to tell them we **OPPOSE** this bill, as it requires the killing of an embryo in order to use its stem cells. Furthermore, **no embryonic stem cell has ever been place into a human being, and those put in mice have only created tumors that eventually killed the mice.**

ASSISTED SUICIDE BILL

The Hemlock Society plans on introducing a bill to make assisted suicide legal in New Mexico. However, the bill has not yet been presented. They have until February 15 to do so. We will keep you apprised as to how this progresses.

RTLNCM **opposes** this bill, as it works on the depression and fears of those who "may" be dying. It doesn't allow for comfort and love to be provided to these people at a time when all should have that care. It also encourages depressed people to behave irrationally by doing something they would intrinsically or normally be opposed to doing. It also makes doctors, who prescribe the drugs, to move from healers to participants in killing. This is why the **American Medical Association (AMA)** **opposes** this legislation.

PRESIDENT CALLS MARCH FOR LIFE PARTICIPANTS

TO: NELLIE GRAY PRESIDENT OF MARCH FOR LIFE

12:07 P.M. EST.

THE PRESIDENT: Yes, Nellie, thank you. (Applause) Thank you very much, Nellie. And I want to thank everybody there for taking part in today's March for Life. I appreciate so very much the devotion to such an honorable cause and the good work everyone is doing to defend life. And, Nellie, it's good to hear your voice again, and I thank you very much for giving me a chance to visit with you and the crowd that is assembled there on the Mall. (Applause)

It is important for all Americans to remember that our Declaration of Independence states that every person has the right to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. (Applause) It also states that these rights come from our Creator and that governments are formed to secure these

rights for all their citizens. And we believe every human being has value, and we pray for the day when every child is welcome in life and protected in law. (Applause)

Nellie, I want to thank you very much and the members of Congress there who have worked hard to make progress toward this goal over the last six years. I want the folks assembled there to know that we're making progress. We promoted adoption, support for parental notification laws, ended federal funding for abortion overseas, and are funding crisis pregnancy programs. (Applause)

I had the privilege of signing legislation that extends legal protection to children who are born, despite abortion attempts, and allows prosecutors to charge those who harm or kill a pregnant woman with harming or killing her unborn child, as well. (Applause) I signed into law a ban on the cruel practice of partial-birth abortion, and we will vigorously defend that law in the courts.

Nellie, what I'm saying is that we're building a culture of life here, and I want to thank you and everybody assembled for helping.

We are a caring nation, and our values should also guide us on how we harness the gifts of science. New medical breakthroughs bring the hope of cures for terrible diseases and treatments that can improve the lives of millions. Our challenge is to make sure that science serves the cause of humanity instead of the other way around. (Applause)

Last summer I vetoed a bill that would support the taking of innocent life in the hope of finding medical benefits for others, and I have made it clear to the Congress we must pursue medical advances in the name of life, not at the expense of it. (Applause)

As we move forward, we've all got to remember that a true culture of life cannot be built by changing laws alone. We've all got to work hard to change hearts. We will find areas where we can agree and, at the same time, work to persuade more of our fellow citizens to join this great cause. The sanctity of life is written in the hearts of all men and women. And so I say, go forth with confidence that a cause rooted in human dignity and appealing to the best instincts of our citizens cannot fail.

Again, Nellie, thank you very much. I appreciate your dedication to this important cause. I send my thanks to all there on the Mall. I ask for God's blessings on your work and that God continue to bless our country. (Applause)

NATIONAL LEGISLATION – 2007

The start of 2007 did not bode well for pro-life legislation but did bode well for those who are anti-life.

JANUARY 11, 2007 – FUNDING FOR EMBRYONIC STEM CELL RESEARCH

The U.S. House of Representatives approved legislation (HR 3) that would mandate federal funding of stem cell research that requires the killing of embryos – but by a vote short of the two-thirds majority. HR 3 is the same as a bill vetoed by President Bush on July 19, 2006; a veto override attempt failed then by 51 votes. The White House issued a policy statement saying, "If HR 3 were presented to the President, he would veto the bill."

An attempt was made to amend the bill to prevent funding of research entities that engage in research using cloned human embryos. The amendment was rejected by

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the key sponsors of H. 3 and failed on a vote of 189-238.

"Every lawmaker who voted against this bill supports stem cell research but not the kind that requires killing human embryos, and we commend them for that," commented NRLC Legislative Director Douglas Johnson. "Today the key lawmakers pushing this bill rejected an anti-human-cloning amendment, which was one more proof that the biotech industry is determined to use human cloning to create human embryo farms," said Johnson.

Rep. Heather Wilson voted for the bill along with Rep. Tom Udall. Rep. Steve Pearce voted against the bill.

Letters should go to all three representatives. Tell Rep. Wilson and Rep. Udall you are upset with their vote, and tell Rep. Steve Pearce that you appreciate his vote. Rep. Wilson's address is 328 Cannon House Office Bldg, Washington DC 20515.

Rep. Udall's address is 1414 Longworth House Office Bldg, Washington DC 20515.

Rep. Pearce's address is 1408 Longworth House Office Bldg, Washington DC 20515.

Legislation identical to HR 3 has been introduced in the Senate as S 5. Senate action on the issue is expected within a matter of months.

(Letters to Sen. Jeff Bingaman should be sent now. Send to: Sen. Jeff Bingaman 702 Hart Bldg, Washington DC 20510. Sen. Domenici will vote against the bill as he has done previously).

JANUARY 12, 2007 RATIONING OF HEALTH CARE

HR 4, a bill involving Medicare, was passed by a vote of 255-170. This bill would limit the right of older people to spend their own money to save their own lives by imposing government price controls on prescription drugs in Medicare. This would result in rationing of drugs in Medicare and denying older Americans access to groundbreaking innovative drugs against their will. Fortunately, the vote was short 29 votes of the two-thirds majority required to override President Bush's veto of the legislation.

National RTL was at the forefront of successful efforts in 1995 - 1997 and 2003 to allow retirees eligible for Medicare, if they choose, to add their own money on top of the government contribution in order to get insurance that would cover medical treatments and prescription drugs to save their lives without being subject to managed care that can force rationing. If enacted, HR 4 would partially reverse this victory by imposing government restrictions on what such insurance, known as "private fee-for-service plans," could pay for lifesaving drugs.

"Under the guise of "negotiation," the government already sets drug prices for those in veteran health program, and its participants are denied access to 81% of the new drugs approved by the FDA since 2000," commented Burke Balch, J.D. Director of NRLC's Robert Powell Center for Medic Ethics. "Today the House threatens to force the same death-dealing rationing on older people by limiting, not what the government spends, but what senior citizen themselves choose to spend of their own money to save their own lives."

The Senate Finance Committee held hearings on Thursday, January 11, 2007 on the subject matter of the

bill now passed by the House. Senate Floor action on the issue is expected soon.

Record of how New Mexico Representatives voted is not yet available. We will provide this information at a later date.

JANUARY 18, 2007 NRLC - BACKED BENNETT AMENDMENT APPROVED

Recently we e-mailed our pro-life supporters and asked them to write to our two Senators to ask them to reject a proposal that would have, for the first time, required registration and reporting by persons and groups that spend money encouraging citizens to contact their representatives in Congress regarding any legislation (this includes The Right to Life Committee of New Mexico).

The Senate adopted an amendment offered by pro-life Senator Robert Bennett (R) Utah, to strip the so-called "grassroots lobbying" provision (Section 220) from an omnibus ethics reform bill. The Bennett Amendment was strongly supported by a broad spectrum of advocacy groups, including NRLC, The Family Research Council, The National Rifle Association, and even the American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU).

The Amendment was approved by a vote 55-43!

A PROCLAMATION BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

"NATIONAL SANCTITY OF HUMAN LIFE DAY 2007"

America was founded on the principle that we are all endowed by our Creator with the right to life and that every individual has dignity and worth. National Sanctity of Human Life Day helps foster a culture of Life and reinforces our commitment to building a compassionate society that respects the value of every human being.

Among the most basic duties of government is to defend the unalienable right to life, and my Administration is committed to protecting our society's most vulnerable members. We are vigorously promoting parental notification laws, adoption, abstinence education, crisis pregnancy programs, and the vital work of faith-based groups. Through the "Born-Alive Infants Protection Act of 2002," the "Partial-Birth Abortion Ban Act of 2003," and the "Unborn Victims of Violence Act of 2004," we are helping to make our country a more hopeful place.

One of our society's challenges today is to harness the power of science to ease human suffering without sanctioning practices that violate the dignity of human life. With the right policies, we can continue to achieve scientific progress while living up to our ethical and moral responsibilities.

National Sanctity of Human Life Day serves as a reminder that we must value human life in all forms, not just those considered healthy, wanted, or convenient. Together, we can work toward a day when the dignity and humanity of every person is respected.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE W. BUSH, President of the United States of America, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of the United States, do hereby proclaim Sunday, January 21, 2007, as National Sanctity of Human Life Day I call upon all Americans to recognize this day with appropriate

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ceremonies and to underscore our commitment to respecting and protecting the life and dignity of every human being.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this eighteenth day of January, in the year of our Lord two thousand seven, and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and thirty-first.

— George W. Bush

THE RIGHT TO LIFE COMMITTEE OF NEW MEXICO'S CHAPTERS

All of our chapters always need volunteers, since all of their activities are done by volunteers. Most chapters have around five people doing the work of educating their county. So, please come on board and give some time to these much needed, hard working chapters. The more of "you" means the more is done.

Some chapters are in major troubles. They are:

San Miguel RTL Doña Ana RTL Cibola RTL

If we don't get some new people and leaders in these counties on these chapters, they will become defunct. Then those counties will have nothing in place to provide information to its citizens, to involve them in the solutions, and to create a pro-life climate in a society where the Culture of Death is thriving.

For your families, your communities and yourself, please submit your name to RTL CNM, 2800 San Mateo Blvd. NE, Albuquerque, NM 87110, or e-mail to: info@rtlcnm.org. If you call 505-881-4563, it may be awhile before we get back to you, since Dauneen acts as our Lobbyist in Santa Fe and as head of chapter development. However, leave a message, and we will return your call, as we must get all our chapters up and running and expanding their efforts to reach more people with more information.

YOU MAY CONTACT THE OTHER CHAPTERS VIA THEIR PRESIDENTS. THEY ARE:

Albuquerque RTL, Betty Eichenseer	821-9101
Estancia Valley RTL, Chris Dolce	832-4516
Gallup RTL, Sig Martinez	722-5217
Lea County RTL, Gary Jones	392-7724
Lincoln County RTL, William Studer	258-5108
Los Alamos County RTL, Mary Early	662-7479
Sandoval County RTL, Larry Uhrich	898-0819
San Juan County RTL, Jessica Booton	320-4605
Santa Fe County RTL, Sarah Wilson	690-6856
Socorro County RTL, Audrey Handley	864-8192
Valencia County RTL, Mike Cobb	864-8192

We are currently working on establishing a chapter in **Otero County**. If interested in helping in getting this chapter started or volunteering for the activities by the chapter once established, please call, write or e-mail. We will keep you informed.

CHAPTERS IN ACTION

Santa Fe County RTL

Santa Fe County RTL Chapter held a Pro-Life Rally commemorating the 34th anniversary of Roe v. Wade on January 22nd at noon at the front of the State Capitol.



Legislators in attendance were invited to speak. The picture left was shown in the Albuquerque Journal.

Left: Janelle Ortega of Santa Fe and her 6-month-old daughter, Katharine Garcia-Ortega, take part in a demonstration protecting abortion, in front of the Capitol on Monday, the anniversary of the 1973 Roe v. Wade Supreme Court decision on the issue.

San Juan County RTL

San Juan County Right To Life held its Second Annual Benefit Dinner on Saturday, January 20, 2007. In keeping with the mission of The Right To Life Committee of New Mexico, Mr. Bill Schneeberger was invited in to discuss the topic of Stem Cell Research. Mr. Schneeberger is the President/CEO of Bogo wines, a company that funds and promotes Adult Stem Cell Research. The presentation this year was on the radical difference between adult stem cell and embryonic stem cell research, including an in-depth discussion of the benefits from adult stem cell research and the lack of results utilizing embryonic stem cell research. This year's benefit saw an increase of 12% both in ticket sales as well as attendance. Many state legislators were in attendance.

NATIONAL RIGHT TO LIFE RESPONDS TO NARAL "SMOKESCREEN"

Washington – In a pair of releases by NARAL issued on January 16 and 19, NARAL President Nancy Keenan claims pro-abortionists were triumphant in last fall's elections and that those victories meant Americans had reaffirmed their commitment to abortion.

In response, the following statement may be attributed to Karen Cross, National Right To Life Political Director.

A post-election poll conducted by the Polling Company found that 36% of voters said abortion affected the way they voted on November 7, 2006. Twenty-three percent of voters voted for pro-life candidates, while just 13% of the voters voted for candidates who supported abortion.

A poll done for the Sioux Falls Argus Leader on October 29, 2006 – just a week before the election – found 56% of South Dakotans said if Referred Law 6 had contained an explicit exception for rape and incest, they would have voted for it.

According to another poll conducted by the Polling Company in April 2006, 55% said they would only allow abortion at most in cases where the mother's life was in danger, or in cases of rape or incest.

To now stand up and claim a pro-abortion mandate for the country is nothing more than a rhetorical smoke-

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screen on the part of pro-abortion activists.

National Right To Life will continue to advocate protective legislation at all levels of government that works to help both mothers and their unborn children and laws that will protect members of the human family from fertilization to natural death.

PETITIONS

Please get all complete petitions into the state office. If you are still working on gathering names, please continue. If you have not started, please do so as soon as possible. These petitions are very important now and in the future, and we need your help. Our web site www.rtlnm.org has a legal size petition that you can download but requires a printer that can print out a legal size paper (11 x 14). Otherwise, contact the state office at 505-881-4563 for blank petitions.

**BRITISH DOCTORS WARN SECOND PART OF
ABORTION DRUG MAYBE UNSAFE FOR WOMEN**

Liverpool: British doctors have released the results of a study on the off-label use of the anti-ulcer drug Cytotec, a prostaglandin known generically as misoprostol. They strongly warn those misusing the drug to induce labor or with abortions that it can cause medical problems for women.

Source: LifeNews – April 21, 2006

Five Alive PROGRAM

RTLNCNM hopes you will sign up for the *Five Alive Program 2007*, which helps provide a budget to keep our organization operational and meet our basic needs. You can fill out the form below. We will need this a.s.a.p. so that we can mail envelopes out and have you ready to start contributing your tax-deductible donation in January. \$5.00 a month from everyone would allow us to raise money for media and other educational tools, so come on board by sending in the form below...

I wish to donate \$5.00 monthly I wish to donate \$ _____ monthly
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**MEMBERSHIP
APPLICATION**

I understand that the Right To Life Committee of New Mexico (RTLNCNM) is a non-sectarian, non-profit organization dedicated to the right to life of all innocent human beings from fertilization to natural death; that this organization takes a stand only on those issues that are directly related to abortion, infanticide and euthanasia.

I support the goals of RTLNCNM, including a Human Life Amendment to the U.S. Constitution, and hereby make application for membership (renewal) as follows:

- Individual — \$20.00
- Corporate — \$40.00 - for business organizations
- Family — \$30.00
- NRL News Subscription (\$5.00 with paid membership)

Name _____

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Wish to: (check one)

- Register to vote
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I am a registered: (check one)

- Republican Democrat
- Other

Signature Required

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