

You're On Your Own

Tune & lyrics by Lauren Mayer

SOLO: The latest fights over women's rights // have us ragin' and snarlin'
But no one said it better than the incredible George Carlin ...

When ... **people** claim to **be** pro-life, their **falseness** and **deceit** runs rife
As any social **safety-net** they scorn ...
Oh, they'll stir up **quite** a fuss while **you're** still in a **u-terus**
But **hell** you're on your **own** soon as you're **born**.

Yeah once you're **born** you're on your own, despite their **sanctimonious** tone
For any **actual assistance** there's no **room**
Oh, once you're **born** you're on your own - **GOP policies** have shown
Their utter **disregard** for **life** outside the **womb**.

They **claim** to value **motherhood**, but **don't** support moms **like** they should
Which **shows** us what they **think** women are **worth** ...
They've revealed that **they** just need us **as** a breeder **for** a fetus
But you're on your **own** once you give **birth**.

Once you give **birth** you're on your own, you've gotta **manage** all alone
With no **help** at all from **heartless** legislators
Pushing **misogynist** laws **that** would
Prove the **truth** of Margaret **Atwood**
Enslaving us like **baby incubators**!

BRIDGE: This faux concern for **life** is full of rank hypocrisy
As each **red** state's getting **more** restrictions **locked** up
Since the **domestic** supply of **infants** is their **sole** priority
Seems they **need** to keep us **all** barefoot and **knocked** up!

SOLO [*all join on large-font italic phrases*]: They're also banning birth control, because the only point of sex is procreation, which means people who don't want kids, LGBTQ people, and post-menopausal women *like us* will be screwed // *or rather not screwed* ...

If you're a **tiny** clump of cells, **conservative** compassion swells
They'll **rave** about you on each **microphone**
But when of **real** help there's a dearth, that's not pro-**life** it's just pro-birth
Which **proves** that once you're born you're on your own ...

All our **basic** rights get chucked
Pre-born you're **fine**, preschool you're f***** [*mouth word as horn beeps*]
Once you're **born** // or given birth // you're on your o-o-own! [*watch director!*]