Dear Senator,

As the father of three young boys and a fourth on the way – I can see gender selection as nothing short of selfishly killing your unborn child as you want one of the other sex. There in my mind is no difference to the stories you hear of Chinese people of old drowning baby girls as they wanted a boy.

There is no justification generally for gender selection and the associated abaortions – if my fourth child is also a son – I will take this as the cards I have been dealt and realize maybe I am not meant to have a girl and be glad with the healthy children I have been blessed with.

While I am not against abortion in some cases, abortion though for gender selection is clear black and white murder.

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