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entitles them not to be treated in that manner, but even if some people disagree with that, as obviously a lot of people say they disagree, there is something that is in me which does find state killing abhorrent, and I will say that without qualification, without equivocation, without apology. And as long as I'm in this Legislature, I will do everything I can to try to prevent that from happening. That's one of the reasons I respect Tom Osborne. He has not backed away from his declaration that he opposes the death penalty, and you see how all these other people run from it and run to ... run from a position like his and want to embrace the electric chair, embrace the poisonous chemicals, embrace the noose, the firing squad. They love They build their career on death. Then they want to impress people with how compassionate they are. More people were executed under Bush than any other person who became President. Bill Clinton ran down to Arkansas to preside over the execution of a mentally retarded man, when Bill Clinton was running for President, because he knew what white Christian Americans demanded of their leaders. There are many reasons why I could never be President, even if I chose, but the one that would stop me the most is that I would never hide the fact that the death penalty under any and all I'm opposed to circumstances. I don't care who the victim is; I don't care who the murderer is. And I had a nephew who was brutally murdered. So when people come up with that kind of stuff, that's a stick they can't beat me with--well, what if this happened to somebody in your family? Well, what if it did? What if it didn't? That has no bearing on the rightness or wrongness of the moral principle. When we come to something such as we're talking about here today, we're discussing what I don't consider to be a human being. I consider the pregnant woman to be a human being. Unless she has other children, I do not consider a pregnant She is a potential mother. They use language woman a mother. very carelessly when they're crafting law based on religious dogma and superstition. This term "unborn child" should not be in the statute, but a Catholic got it there first--Senator Bernice Labedz, dyed-in-the-wool-hat Catholic. There are more Catholics in the Legislature than any other single religion. Catholics comprise the biggest single religion in this country. That's how they got a Catholic chaplain out there in Washington, D.C., and you see the corruption that has exploded on his watch.