

LESSON I: God Himself Forms A Child In The Womb

Aim:

- Know that God is the creator of life, how a baby is formed and know that life begins at conception.
- Feel awe at God's workmanship and the preciousness of God's care and love for the preborn.
- Respond by defending the preciousness of life and having a foundation laid about the sanctity of life.
- Teach Memory Verses - Psalm 139: 13-16, *“For you created my inmost being; you knit me together in my mother's womb. I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made; your works are wonderful, I know that full well. My frame was not hidden from you when I was made in the secret place. When I was woven together in the depths of the earth, your eyes saw my unformed body. All the days ordained for me were written in your book before one of them came to be.”*

Readiness Activity - match baby pictures to students. When did you begin? When did you become different from anyone else in the world, past and present?

Visual Aids: fetal models – “young one”, “Precious Feet” pins, a pamphlet or pictures on fetal development - even one baby model at 3 mon. can make a difference – such a model saved a baby when passed around at a youth group and a pregnant teenager held it.

*The “[young one](#)” is perfect for all ages



*The “[precious feet](#)” are perfect for ALL ages



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Lesson - Based on Psalm 139:13-16

1. Define: conception - sperm and egg - x, y and DNA – depending on the maturity of the group.
2. Teach fetal development to birthday. Hand out the fetal development sheet. (See below for the handout sheet. Also several web sites have good fetal development in colored pictures that you can make copies of such as <http://prolifetraining.com/Prenatal-Pictures.htm>)
3. God's gift of Jesus before we were born.