

110 W. Coover Street
Mechanicsburg, Pa 17055
7 July 1976

City Council
Cambridge, Mass

RE: N.B.C.'s News Report, 7 July 1976, dealing with opposition to genetic research being done by Harvard University.

Gentlemen:

My daughter, Rebacca's, birth two months ago and her death less than three weeks later caused by a major genetic defect (Trisomy 18) proves to me the crucial need for genetic research to end the type of agony that Rebecca, my wife, and I had to experience.

For Rebecca's sake, as well as for others who may be born and suffer in the future from some genetic defect, please do not stand in the way of their research.

Sincerely,


W.J. Murray

Comm. from W. J. Murray, 110 W. Coover St.,
Mechanicsburg, Pa., favoring genetic re-
search in Harvard University.

In City Council,
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