



## **Abortion, Euthanasia and Karma**

a commentary from  
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**Q: What effect do actions like abortion and euthanasia have on an individual soul's karma and spiritual evolution?**

A: Sharon, you do keep life interesting. Alright, now – euthanasia and abortion: what roles do they play in karma and soul evolution? Do they automatically hold people back? I think I understand the intent of the question.

You are wondering, for instance, if any woman who has an abortion for whatever reason, is incurring some kind of karma, and the answer is, of course, yes. On the other hand, so is every woman who gives birth. You see, both decisions have consequences, just as does every sexual encounter.

You see, it isn't just the inflammatory issue – euthanasia, abortion – that has consequences. Every decision, every decision that you make as an incarnated soul has consequences. It is that simple. Now, the trick is that not all consequences are disastrous. Not all consequences are negative. And I am sure that people can understand that.

If one eats properly, healthy food, stays away from caffeine, alcohol, saturated fats, this is different input to the body than those who consume considerable amounts of alcohol, or considerable amounts of saturated fat, etc... And each dietary choice has consequences. You choose to exercise or not exercise. Each choice has consequences, and I think I explained it sufficiently.

So the answer to both those questions is yes. These decisions do have consequences. On the broad scale of all possible consequences, I am not going to say that either one of these choices is automatically disastrous, bringing dire consequences – I am not about to say that.

It has long been noted that in certain Inuit customs, an elderly citizen, who knows their time has come, will do quite frankly a human take on

what on an elephant will do, and simply go off when they know their time has come, and go to their transition to the afterlife, as it is called, on their own and by themselves.

Is that suicide? Well, I let you have that definition. That is a culturally accepted, expected way to bring a life to a close. Is it suicide? As I said, I will let you decide.

I will also say every decision has consequences. What those consequences are in total is dependent on a great many factors. I would say that they cannot be judged from the outside looking in, but rather they are judged after transition, when the soul reviews that incarnated life and those decisions. The soul compares those decisions to the intended life, the intended plan for that life. Then the soul will decide what kind of balancing, if any, is necessary as a consequence of that decision.

This is nothing that I would presume to put an absolute aye or nay upon. These decisions are far too complex for that simplicity. I will leave it at that. There is much to say about extenuating circumstances that would press the issue one way or another. I will leave it there. Thank you.

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