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ABORTION: IN THE PERSPECTIVE OF THE BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN  
CRUISE SHIP MANAGEMENT STUDENTS

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*Abstract*

This descriptive study aimed to determine the perspective of BS Cruise Ship Management Students regarding abortion. This descriptive type of research design was employed to 450 BS Cruise Ship Management students of John B. Lacson Foundation Maritime University. A researchers- made questionnaire was used to determine the perspective of BS Cruise Ship Management Student regarding abortion. The major result of the study showed the perspectives of BS Cruise Ship Management Students are as follows: "Abortion is the expulsion of the fetus prematurely before it is capable of living normally. It is a miscarriage"; "To have a child is a gift from God. They should be loved and cared though they are unwanted"; "Abortion is a serious form of murder and sin"; "Pregnant women endangered their lives during abortion and should refrain from doing it";

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“Lifeless fetus should be blessed and buried properly and should not be left anywhere else like garbage”; “Pregnant women endanger their life and prevent from doing it”. On the contrary, the respondents do not believe that “Unwanted child out of wedlock should be aborted”; “Family planning should be encouraged for big and poor families”; “Pregnant woman should not allow her child to be aborted”; and “Woman who work as sex worker to earn a living should be exempted in committing abortion”.