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Week 18: Spring Mission Feeding
Lila Rose

Betty: Welcome to *LIFE Today*! Thank you so much for joining us. I'm Betty and this is James.

James: Our audience is excited for good reason. Lila Rose is with us. Now I believe that there are people who have just a special touch on their life and a supernatural enabling to do something so very important and really courageous, not only based on absolute compassion expressions but courage, as well as wisdom in how you approach it so that you can expose evil and evil's intent, deadly intent -- deceptive and deadly intent, and expose it in such a way that you can overcome it so that people actually know what the problem looks like and deal with it. Lila Rose has done that with Live Action. You can go to her web site, and there it is on the screen, and see what she's doing.

We're going to actually let you see some of the things that she's been doing. But I believe she is gifted to save innocent lives. I believe she's gifted to refocus the thinking of the church, Catholic and Protestant, people who claim to know God, those who have been born supernaturally -- not just born once but born supernaturally in a relationship with God -- and they are the body of Christ. She is speaking to the whole body of Christ but she's also speaking to a nation that's been led astray. We're seeing in our day a holocaust of the most awful order and she proves that.

Would you welcome Lila Rose to *LIFE Today*?

Lila, good to see you.

Lila: Good to see you.

James: I mentioned your courage and I mentioned... when did you get the burden and vision to do what you have boldly done now for several years? When did you get that vision?

Lila: It's been a journey but I'm 26 now. My first real inspiration was when I was nine and I found a book in my parent's house growing up in California about abortion. And it had an image in the book, several images that showed what happened to victims of abortion. I

remember looking at this at nine years old, a child in the first trimester newly formed arms and legs and newly formed tiny face, ten weeks old who had been killed by abortion. It pierced my heart. I'm a child of nine years old. I felt loved growing up; I thought kids were safe and I realized children aren't safe in this country. Over 3,000 abortions every day in our nation.

So as I got older and learned more and started to understand all the different other issues surrounding this I felt called to have to do something. So as a young teenager I said, "I'm committing my life to do something to save lives."

James: So you actually saw not tissue, not a mere quote at most "a fetus," which people are now saying, "Quit having a love affair with the fetus." That's what some great smart smart-aleck has to say, "Don't have a love affair with the fetus!" It is not a mere tissue; it is exactly what you saw.

Lila: It is a human life, unique, unrepeatable.

James: That God knew from the moment of conception. And you saw this as a modern day holocaust; at least as you grew older you began to see that as the millions and millions of little lives. And you know my story; my mother was raped as a hospice-type nurse. She asked a doctor to abort me. He said no. Today, what would she have done? It would have just been one more call, one more step, and James Robison, father of three children, 11 grandchildren would never have been born. That's exactly what is happening to how many other people who could have been in some way a positive blessing in life. So you saw them as treasures.

Lila: Yes, and they are treasures. I thought as I got older, this is the human rights issue of our day. Because how we treat the littlest members of our society defines the greatness of our society -- or the destruction at the heart of our society, how we treat the weakest ones. How we treat our children.

James: You show what the abortion mentality is like. It is -- it seems to be heartless. It seems to be dishonest. And it seems to be manipulative. You began to do videos where you show what is being said. You have one. We want our viewers to see it. You have many on your web site. Set this one up for us.

Lila: This video has been going viral now for over nine months online. It is the most viral pro-life video of 2014 and continuing into 2015. The reason it's been reaching millions of people online -- and there are thousands of comments through Facebook for example saying, "This changed my mind about abortion." -- Is because it actually has women who are pregnant sitting down with late term abortionists across our country who are operating legally in these clinics and they're talking to the abortionist about what they're going to do to the child during this

abortion. They're being honest for once because they've got this woman and they're trying to basically sell their product and they're describing what they're going to do and they're answering questions. So you're going to actually hear from abortionists themselves what they're doing legally all across our country.

James: This is women who have gone at whatever age they happen to be, they vary and they're asking about abortion and they want it explained. Listen to what they hear.

Begin video clip

>> Well, in my heart and my mind, life begins when the mother thinks it begins, not when anybody else thinks it begins. For some women, it's before they conceive. For some women, it's never even after they deliver, it's still a problem not a baby.

>> At this point does it have like all of its organs and all of that stuff? Is it already fully developed?

>> It's not fully developed. It doesn't even look like -- it doesn't even look like a baby yet.

>> It doesn't?

>> Technically, it has its organs, it has parts like we all have parts but it is not done.

>> So does it like have a face or all of that stuff?

>> Yeah, kind of. It has what's developing into. Does that make sense? I don't want you to torture yourself.

>> ...Cannot do a termination once it's outside of the body. He has to be resuscitate it, he has to send it to the hospital. That's the law.

>> Okay. That's why termination is done inside. And he does the termination inside and then he moves the pregnancy.

>> So normally he just kills it inside so that wouldn't be --

>> We don't use the word kill but yeah.

>> Okay terminate. Oh, you guys say terminate. Okay, just to make it like...

>> No, just because that's what's happening.

Monitor beeping

>> Yeah, we induce a demise, intrauterine demise.

>> What does "demise" mean?

>> Death. We use a combination of suction and then real instruments to literally go in and grab and pull pieces out. That's a little more graphic than I usually describe it.

>> So I'll have a dead baby in me?

>> For three days yeah.

>> Will it start to decay or something? [Laughing]

>> So it's like putting meat in a crock pot. It doesn't get -- but it just gets softer, it doesn't get infected.

>> Okay. So the dead baby in me is like meat in a crock pot.

>> Yeah, kind of much. In a slow cooker.

>> So insert the injection, it's going straight into the sack, into the pregnancy. If it is bottom down, it will insert into the baby's bottom. If its head down, it will be inserted through the head, the cranium.

>> Then it's just like any shot, like the flu shot or vaccine really.

>> Just like a flu shot or vaccine. Okay.

>> Yeah, yeah. It's not like you and I, where when we get a flu shot we're kind of ooh, not that experience of anxiety and suffering -- it's not capable of. So that, I think, helps us all to feel more comfortable with this.

End of clip

In the studio

James: Oh, dear God, I'm so sorry. O God, forgive us as a nation. O God, forgive the medical community and our justice system and all of our courts and our congress and our leaders, and our churches and our pastors and our priests and our people for letting something so awful happen to such precious little ones; in Jesus' name.

I saw one of your pieces where one of the abortionist doctors said they had to be sure they get all the pieces, and they had all the little parts of the baby and they were having to confirm that all the parts of the baby. And there was his little arm and his hands and his feet, and then his eyes -- they showed the little baby's eyes. They had to be sure they had all the parts to prove that they had taken the entire baby out of the mother. These things that you're showing are graphic but they're the truth.

See, people that don't believe in God can show you the most violent, filthy, obscene, terrible, horrific things -- but the truth they can't handle. You see the people who don't believe in nature's God and nature's law or a creator and God the Father, they can't tolerate reality. You have shown us reality. The world needs to see what's happening.

It's hard to imagine what happened in the holocaust under Hitler, that it could ever happen, but it did happen. And the population basically signed off on it and the church sang louder while it was going on. The same has happened today and you started at age nine saying we want to reverse the trend. This is called turning back to God, turning back to truth and life and love.

Lila: Yes. And anybody can turn back. That's the message of our movement is that; that's the redemption of our movement, if you've had an abortion, if you've been involved in an abortion, if you've committed abortions, there is a second chance for you. It's never too late.

I was just meeting with an abortionist who became pro-life. He committed over 1,000 abortions and he tells the story about how when his adopted daughter at four years old was hit by a car accident, he held his daughter in his arms and he loved her and she's dying; she passes away.

He goes back to work as an abortionist a month later and he is committing an abortion and he pulls a piece of the body of the baby out and he looks at it and he says -- he's almost convulsive, he almost throws up and says, "I can't do this anymore." Because he realized he had an encounter with the preciousness of life. So it's never too late. Now he is a pro-life activist.

It's never too late for anyone and that's the message of our movement for this country. We have to change -- we have to change. If we don't change this, what good is economic wealth? What good is protecting our borders against foreign threats? What good is anything if we're

slaughtering our children? -- If we're looking at them as inconveniences? But anybody can change and that's what we tell.

It's exciting to see that video, thousands and thousands of comments and people saying, "I was pro-choice and now I'm pro-life." "I didn't know this is what abortion was. I can never accept it again." And that's the hearts and minds that are changing every day.

Two things we have to do, I would say, if we're going to start changing all of this and they're very personal and intimate. First of all, see ourselves as sons and daughters of God. Know that our life has a specific purpose and it's meant for joy and the peace of Christ. And believe our meaning and our value, our worth and teach it to our kids, teach it to our churches and make sure that people know their identities because otherwise, they would cast out a life in the womb because they would cast out their own life. There may be materialism, maybe it's a sexual promiscuous lifestyle, maybe it's an addiction to greed or to wealth, whatever it is, we spin away our lives sometimes with meaningless things because we don't value our own life before God. So that's the first thing.

And then we can love, then we're filled with the love of God and then we can radically show the love to everyone around us. That's how you build a pro-life culture.

Betty: This legalizing what we've done to babies in the womb has been an onset of what has set off a lot of the disruption and the corruption in our world today. Because when you start out with devaluing life, it goes even deeper into the home. Marriage: well, if it doesn't work out, we'll get a divorce; just so many things that set the stage because of that one decision.

Lila: That's such a good point. The fact that my generation, since 1973, all of our lives we were a choice in the womb. We could have been thrown away and it wouldn't have mattered, no one would have batted an eye; at least that's what the media claims to say or politicians say, "Well, it's your right. It's your body, your choice, therefore deal with it." No one would have looked on that as an issue. So it's true.

Now today, there is so much misunderstanding about value and there is so many disorders that are connected. When we do an undercover investigation at Live Action we do them and we see the connection of abortion with the sex trafficking industry in this country because they send prostitutes, these young girls that are being prostituted to get abortions. That's connected to the porn industry. We see racism; the racist founding of Planned Parenthood. We see a lot of other sick ideologies or the way that people look at human life because they've devalued the child so it's not that far an extension to then devalue the woman -- and the family.

James: Well, you've actually done footage where people were saying -- they brought in girls

that they brought in underage in the sex industry and now they needed an abortion. Or you wanted the abortionists to tell them if they happened to get there, they were there to serve them, even though they knew these were underage and they were being used. And also, that they're bringing people in that are underage so they're breaking a law. They know this is an older person that got this young girl, 13 years old, 12, 14, whatever she is and they're covering that up. So they're not only committing quote "murder" but they're disregarding the law, they basically disregard the law, the value of life, they just disregard law period.

And they were giving all of these, because you got the footage of it where they're telling young girls who are saying I'm such an age and they could go ahead and get an abortion, never deal with the pedophilia that's taking place or the abuse that's taking place -- don't report any of that. It becomes like a profit mill; it is just a money scheme. That's what it really looks like.

Lila: Exactly. Money off of objectifying women and children; this is led by Planned Parenthood, which is the biggest abortion provider in the country. They put on this facade of being pro woman; they're getting half of a billion dollars from taxpayers.

James: And that needs to stop immediately. And we can stop that. One thing, don't even talk about the United States and the church being like Babylon, because in Babylon, although they had to go on with their life under this horrible rule, they didn't have a choice. We in America can choose our leaders, choose our legislators, choose the policies and reject that which is an atrocity. So don't cop out. Don't check out and get out of the battle because you think it is just going to get tougher and tougher. It's getting tougher and tougher because we're not strong like Lila and we don't stand up for life and truth.

Do you thank God for a woman like this that started as a child with a vision for life? I praise God for you. Lila, if somebody wants to get all the information, pass it on in the church, what web site again do they go to?

Lila: Our web site is LiveAction.org. All the videos, we've been doing this for years and there's educational videos too, are there. Facebook, we're always putting out new stories, inspiring stories and exposing stories, both sides of the coin. And then our news web site is LiveActionNews so please connect with us and share this. Everyone needs to see this -- young people, pastors, everyone!

James: And pass it on. Pass it on through your social media. We'll be carrying it. Do you remember stream.org is the new web site -- stream.org. You ought to go there daily, not only for the news but the wisdom and insight to have understanding of the times that we not perish for lack of knowledge of the truth and what to do. We want to help you. We'll be featuring her.

What she wants to do and say, it will be there because we want to speak truth to the whole world. Everyone with ears to hear, eyes to see and hands to help, we're going to do it.

Lila, one of the things our viewers love to do, when they see a need they can meet, they literally leap to the opportunity.

Listen, listen! Listen to a missionary that basically changed our lives 25 years ago and saving the lives of millions of people because we are connected together and submitted to the head, to Christ. Listen to this missionary's heart. You're going to hear the heart of God, and together we're going to be the hands of the Father. We're going to be the answer. Listen to what this missionary says. It will literally move you to be more like God the Father.

On the mission field

Peter: Life is hard. Life is just so brutally hard for some people. I mean it is -- it's just beyond comprehension what some people go through in their lives and the struggles they go through just to feed their children, just to make it -- just to make it through. All they're trying to do is just find enough food to feed their children.

This mother wants to provide for her child just like you want to provide for your children; there is no difference in her desire. The last thing on earth that she wanted was to end up in this malnutrition clinic with her little boy fighting for his life. That was not part of her desire at all. She's got here because she had no food to feed her child.

We can help her. We can change that. We just have to provide a bowl of food for this child every day and we'll turn the situation around.

I want to tell you that it is going to change a child's life here in Africa. It's going to change Paula's life. But the other thing it's going to do is it's going to prevent children from getting into the malnutrition clinic here before they get to the place where he is.

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In the studio

James: When you reach a place that Peter referred to as a malnutrition clinic, which we built. When I say "we" it's not me and Betty, it is all of us together who watch *LIFE*. Those malnutrition clinics are the last stage of hope. I've told you many times if you watch us, when Princess Di, when Lady Di called out to feed the hungry she was holding a very chubby little

Angolan child, a baby, that got fed at one of those centers that we built and provided everything for. And that picture was seen around the world. She said, "Save lives." That baby had been saved by people like you who watched and helped do it. So he's talking about those clinics where we would see the children die.

Peter says, "We don't want to see them get here." So what we have -- and that's in the area right now, in Angola, and in Sudan, those two areas right now -- where we are seeing children pressed into these clinics because we haven't been able to get them out in what we call the feeding situations. We have 25,000 just in Sudan right now that are facing death. We need an emergency surge of support.

Then we have 400,000, Betty, in these incredible feeding areas where the young man you saw in the black shirt, there he is on the screen again, that's Luke, that's our grandson.

While we're taping this program, our grandson Luke is with his wife of less than a year in Cambodia trying to find places to drill water wells -- right now; he hasn't even been married a year. The same one you saw before but he was feeding in a feeding center where we got 400,000 located in various places.

We have to have the help of the viewers to pay for the food to keep the missionaries there. And we've got to raise hundreds and hundreds, even millions of dollars right now. And we do it by one person saying, "I'll do this." \$30, \$50, \$100 feeds three, five, or ten children. And our viewers, Betty are the hope for those children to have a future.

Betty: Won't you please join with us and help us? This solution is simple if you'll just give and reach out with hope to these children, to these mothers that so desperately want to care for their children but they have nothing to offer them. They're hungry themselves. So please join with us and let's feed these children.

James: Well, these ladies, these mothers, many of them have lost a child headed to these clinics and these feeding situations -- these refuge areas where we're feeding. They have a child die while they're trying to get there; they'll be holding one that's dying. This is so often the case. We can change it. It can change everything. We have watched it change entire third world nations miraculously with love.

So what we're asking you to do, please, and I really feel if you just say, "God, what do you want me to do?" He's going to want you to extend his hands of love and give those children food. And we can do it. Would you go to LifeToday.org, go online, take your bankcard, make the gift God puts on your heart or dial that number and use that card like a check and make the largest gift you can.

Think about this, \$100 and I wish you'd give that if you can, we can feed 10 children for the next months; \$50, \$30, we can feed five or three. Don't think that \$30 is too small, for those three children it's life -- for that mother it's life. Would you please right now make that gift?

We have some gifts for you that will bless you. If you will read *Fearfully and Wonderfully Made* it will inspire you to see what the body of Christ could look like. It's going to bless you so much. And *Heirs to the Kingdom* -- what an incredible transforming series of teaching.

Please give us a chance to bless you as you reach out and bless these that are in such desperate need of an expression of love. Dial the number or go online right now and make the gift God puts on your heart.

Begin video clip

Announcer: Disease, malnutrition, starvation -- all terrible human atrocities being faced every day by people living in remote and impoverished areas of Africa. Those at greatest risk are the children.

This month, 400,000 children are depending on us for survival. And now in South Sudan the suffering has intensified and our feeding efforts are desperately needed by an additional 25,000 children. Our mission teams are in place but your support is critically needed to replenish and distribute food supplies immediately. When you call or go online today and make a life-saving gift of \$30, \$50, or \$100, you will provide urgently needed food to three, five, or ten children for the next three months.

As our way of saying thank you, we'll send you *Heirs to the Kingdom*, four powerful messages on audio CD or U.S.B. flash drive. You'll also receive the award-winning book, *Fearfully and Wonderfully Made*. With your gift of \$100 or more to help feed ten children please request *The Story*, a running narrative Bible to help you engage with God's Word more easily.

And finally, with your gift of \$1,000 or more to help feed 100 children you may request this beautifully framed canvas print of the "Forest Chapel" by the Painter of Light TM, Thomas Kinkade.

Please call, write, or make your gift online today.

End of clip

In the studio

James: We want to send you *Fearfully and Wonderfully Made*. Here's my copy. Every page looks like this, underlining and stars and comments. This is so revolutionary. I'll tell you what. When you see how God designed this body, oh, *Fearfully and Wonderfully Made* -- and what the body of Christ could look like, the great unity in our great diversity is one of the greatest miracles. We need to see that today.

Would you say thanks to Lila Rose for the mission she's on?

Lila, you are a blessing and you are a treasure. We believe the body of Christ, the church, can correct the course we're on. Thank you!

Thank you for watching. Thank you for your help. Thank you for your support. Thanks for helping us feed those kids.

Announcer: Introducing stream.org, a rich and lively source for breaking news, analysis, and entertainment. Stream.org is a new information stream where those concerned about our nation's course can now gather for news, wisdom, and inspiration. Working together we will see the promise declared in Psalm 46:4, "There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God." Be sure to visit stream.org, a new site to unite us!