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VAPING, MASS MURDERS, AND ABORTIONS

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A September 15 letter applauded Trump and Congress for their concern with e-cigarettes (“Vaping vs. gun deaths”). However, the writer also seemed to express concern that the proportionate attention is perhaps over-done when compared with gun deaths from mass shootings. There have been 6 deaths from “e-cigarettes this year, compared with 289 mass shootings which have led to 313 deaths for the year.

Of course, deaths from vaping and mass shootings are tragic, and finding solutions is important. But I’d like to add one more comparison and suggest we be concerned with that problem as well. Since abortions were legalized, well over 60,000,000 unborn babies have lost their lives to abortions. Most of these procedures were elective.

I want to eliminate vaping deaths and deaths from all types of gun violence. But a large percentage of our population ignores the 60,000,000 deaths of unborn babies. That’s what breaks my heart the most.