1) DEVOLUTION
Such a sensitive issue as abortion should not be decided by those outside of NI as recent polls have indicated the majority do not want the abortion laws relaxed & believe the unborn child has the right to life.

2) DISTINCTIVE LAW AND CULTURE
I have friends who have had disabled children and these children are loved, cherished & adored & have brought joy to their families and friends. I also know a young mum who was recently advised that she should abort her baby as the scan suggested there was an abnormality. She declined & her son is now 6 months & is perfectly ok!!

3) HUMAN RIGHTS & EQUALITY
Please do not play God. Each unborn child is a gift, do not rob them of the right to live. Or do you think it would have been ok if your mother had chosen to abort you?

4) PERSONAL STORIES
I have already mentioned above some of the experiences of friends of mine. I also know of others who deeply regret the decision they took to abort a child & now have to live with their decision. There is much mental illness in society today & some of this can be attributed to the guilt carried by those who have made that life changing decision to kill their unborn child. Respect life.

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