

Promoting a Culture of Life

Place a check mark in the column that best describes each of the following items.

	Promotes Life	Promotes Death
1. Telling jokes that ridicule people	_____	_____
2. Viewing an X-rated Web site	_____	_____
3. Helping people who are poor and homeless	_____	_____
4. Basing votes on party affiliation	_____	_____
5. Buying fair-trade products such as coffee	_____	_____
6. Participating in activities that damage or destroy property (for example, tagging)	_____	_____
7. Buying products manufactured in countries that exploit child workers	_____	_____
8. Using foul language	_____	_____
9. Visiting nursing homes	_____	_____
10. Volunteering at an after-school program	_____	_____
11. Making fun of immigrants with limited English skills	_____	_____
12. Being a good friend	_____	_____
13. Spending time in prayer	_____	_____
14. Advocating changes in public policy	_____	_____
15. Telling your family that you love them	_____	_____
16. Accepting cultural differences in others	_____	_____
17. Telling a lie	_____	_____
18. Being happy when someone aces an exam	_____	_____
19. Cheating on an exam	_____	_____
20. Going to church	_____	_____

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