

First-Timers...

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INT. CAR - DAY

JANENE, 24, and ROBERT, 24, sit in a car in the PARKING LOT of an ABORTION CLINIC. As they look on, we can HEAR protesters CHANTING: "A fetus is a life, abortion isn't right! A fetus is a life, abortion isn't right!"

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A RADIO STATION DJ's voice is heard on the radio as Robert and Jenene continue to look at the protesters.

RADIO DJ  
...and for all you lovers  
celebrating Valentine's Day, this-

Robert turns the radio off.

ROBERT  
(looking out of the window)  
Jesus.

JANENE  
I know.  
(looking out too)  
Are we insane?

ROBERT  
I don't think so.

JANENE  
I don't feel so good all of a sudden.

ROBERT  
(sighing)  
Me neither. I didn't expect this many people to be out here. Tell you the truth, I didn't know what to expect.

JANENE  
Well...everyone has their own opinion about it. Some people just express their opinions a little differently. Some people blog, some people make signs. And yell. In your face.

They both share a laugh, followed by a short silence.

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ROBERT  
(to Janene)  
I thought I could, but I don't know  
if I can go through with it.

JANENE  
"I?" This is "us" Robert.

ROBERT  
You're right, I'm sorry. I'm just-

JANENE  
It's ok. I'm scared too.

ROBERT  
I wonder if this is what everyone  
else goes through.

JANENE  
I heard Jenny sat in the car for  
three hours before she went in.

They both stare out of the window at the commotion. Pause.

JANENE  
(nervously)  
I feel like if we do this, we're  
gonna be hated for it.

ROBERT  
What if we *don't* do it? We might  
hate ourselves for not.

JANENE  
(pauses)  
You're right.

Janene looks out the window again. She takes a DEEP BREATH.

JANENE  
Ok. I'm ready.

Robert and Janene lean towards each other and share a DEEP KISS. They OPEN parts of their shirts to reveal DIGITAL CLOCKS, attached to something. They press a button and the clocks begin a 30-second countdown. They exit the vehicle and run toward the clinic. We HEAR them SHOUTING "A fetus is a life, abortion isn't right! A fetus is a life, abortion isn't right!"

END.