

Legalize Homosexual Marriage Worldwide

Did you know that there are 195 countries in the world, but only 26 countries that have legalized homosexual marriage? Homosexuals are constantly getting oppressed in the society because of their sexual orientation. Legalizing same-sex marriage will boost the economy for both local governments and the state, it will decrease physical and mental health issues and increase the amount of children successfully adopted. Therefore, I believe we should legalize homosexual marriage in the entire world.

Firstly, accepting homosexual marriage will bring financial gain to both local governments and the state. The Williams Institute claims that same-sex marriage will increase the revenue after researching about the financial impact of homosexual marriage, following the decision of legalizing same-sex marriage nationwide in America. The total spending of approximately 96,000 gay couples getting married was \$812,832,000 in four months. These massive spendings such as venue rental and wedding cakes could support 9,700 jobs for one full year. Homosexual marriage impacts the wedding industry financially since the income will increase. Thus, the workers will therefore afford more things which will bring financial gain to other industries, making an excellent cycle affecting the entire country positively.

Secondly, allowing same-sex marriage will decrease physical and mental health issues.

US National Library of Medicine discovered that policy changes against homosexual marriage

influence bad patterns of healthcare for lesbian and gay people during 2004 and 2005. The outcome of the study shows increased psychiatric comorbidity by 36,3%, increased mood disorders by 36,6%, increased alcohol use disorder by 41,9% which can lead to serious damage to the liver and increased generalized anxiety disorder by 248,2%. Additionally, the researchers found no evidence for same consequences among heterosexuals living in the states with policy changes against same-sex marriage. To decrease the amount of physical and mental health issues regarding homosexuals, these people should be able to get married as well.

Lastly, homosexual marriage increases the amount of children successfully adopted. For instance, in 2008, before Sweden allowed gay marriage there were 381 children successfully adopted. However, in 2009 when Sweden accepted gay marriage there were 452 children successfully adopted from all over the world, the amount of adoptions increased with 18,6% in one year in Sweden. Although marriage is not a requirement for adopting a child many adopting centers do not allow couples that are not married to adopt. For example, American Adoptions only accepts couples married for a minimum of two years. Otherwise, if they are not married the couples need to go through a very long process called exception process. This makes it very hard for gay couples to have children since they cannot make kids by themselves and are not ideal to adopt because of the marriage policy. However, if same-sex marriage is permitted worldwide this would not be a problem and homeless children would get a safe home and a family.

In conclusion, I think we should allow same-sex marriage on the entire planet because it will

bring financial gain to your country, it will also reduce a lot of bad healthcare patterns among homosexuals and the amount of successful adoptions will rise. Do you really want to be the reason why children never got a family?