STATEMENT BY TERI JAMES

I am a Christian and I feel like what San Diego Christian College did to me was hurtful and un-Christ like.

I was an unmarried pregnant woman and they took away my livelihood. They stripped me of my dignity and humiliated me. I not only lost my source of income and my health insurance to care for myself and my baby through my pregnancy, but I also lost my career and my community.

Unexpected pregnancies are hard enough without having to figure out how a pregnant woman is going to pay her bills each month during her pregnancy.

Women out there should not have to worry about losing their income and independence just because they are carrying a child. A child is a blessing and our number one goal is to start our child's life off in a positive light.

San Diego Christian College took it into their own hands to judge me for my actions. I do not believe that this is their job but God's. I do not believe that God would want me to be without a job or health care during my pregnancy.

San Diego Christian College did not show any mercy or grace towards me and acted completely un-Christ like, they made more of a business decision than showing God's love.