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Subject: Re: Cloning/Murder

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Blazer wrote on Fri, 18 January 2008 21:59

1. Is this murder?
2. Is it not murder because it's only 150 cells?
3. Is it murder if you kill a clone of yourself?
4. Can a blob of 150 cells have a "soul" ?
5. Would you grow a partial clone of yourself for health reasons (organ transplants)?
6. If they could grow a mindless/souless blob of meat, a partial body that just had organs, would that be okay?

1. No.
2. Yes.
3. Uhm, if developed (Second trimester), Yes.
4. No.
5. Yes.
6. If they could, sure. Something tells me that's significantly harder than cloning.

Throughout history, mankind has developed many new technologies, and there hasn't been one so far that mankind has not found a way to pervert. Cloning would be no different. Does that mean we're not ready for cloning? Maybe. Does that mean it shouldn't be developed anyway? No.

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