**Prostitution**

**Prologue:**   
  
**(Stockard and her twin sister, Bambi just lost their parents in a car crash. Without their parents, they can’t afford their house, food, and other daily necessities. They need to get jobs but they can’t get any so they have resorted to prostitution to pay. They know it’s dangerous but they have no other choice. One day Bambi doesn’t come home….Later Stockard gets a call from the police about Bambi’s whereabouts…)**  
  
*(Phone rings)*  
  
Stockard: *(Picks up the phone)* Hello??  
  
Police: Hello is this Stockard Williamson?  
  
Stockard: Yes…  
  
Police: You’re sister is Bambi Williamson, correct?  
  
Stockard: Yes. Why? Is she okay?!? What happened?  
  
Police: We found her in a ditch with multiple stabs and lacerations to the chest…. I’m so sorry for you loss.  
  
Stockard: *(Screams and hangs up the phone)* NOOOOOOO Why? What would anyone do this?!?!  She didn’t do anything wrong!! Why do they hate prostitutes so much? We had no other choice… Why?!?!? *(Falls over and cries)*  
  
**Chorus**:   
  
No... Not Bambi...   
We don’t agree with prostitution   
But she didn’t deserve that.    
She had good intentions,   
Good grades, but was never   
Given to chance to use it.   
Oh horrible fate! Poor Stockard…  
She’s already been through so much.   
Now she is all alone.  
  
**Scene One:**  
  
*(Three hours later on street corner)*  
  
Stockard: I still have no other choice but to be a prostitute… even though I know I could die, like my poor sister…  *(Police car pulls up)*  
  
Romulus: freeze!! Excuse me but you’re under arrest for Prostitution!  
  
Stockard: No! Please no! This is my last resort… My parents died and I’m doing this to pay for my house, food and daily necessities… Most girls who sell themselves like this have no other choice. I don’t understand why it’s illegal. It’s one of the oldest professions… Having sex with someone who you arenot married to is legal and morally acceptable in most cultures. Having sex forentertainment purposes is also legal and morally acceptable in most cultures. But as soonas there is a fee… it’s illegal?  
  
Romulus: I understand your pain but it’s the law…  
  
Stockard: My sister died of a hate crime against prostitutes… She was the only one I had left… I’m all alone now. : I have discovered that in the places where prostitution is legal there is less hatecrimes, better health care (there are monthly blood tests to check health) and less Rapes.  
  
Romulus: I know but the murders are going happen no matter what. What do you think would help that?  
  
Stockard: I think prostitution should be facilities in a safe protective environment,like a strip club but for sex? And sex is a labor so…why not make it a job and get paid? The government could even put a tax on it…. It could help the economy. And nomatter what you do it’s going to happen so why not let them have benefits?  
  
Romulus: I agree with you but it’s the law…there’s nothing I can do to help you. I’m sorry ma’am. Please cooperate with me so you don’t have to be in jail for longer than you need.  
  
**Chorus:**   
  
Oh poor Stockard!!   
When will your pain end?   
Your parents died in a car crash,   
Your sister was murdered,   
And now you’re going to jail.   
Stockard did bring a up a good point…   
Prostitution is going happen no matter what we do,  
So why don’t we make it more safe  
For the prostitutes, since they are getting  
Murdered, STD/STI’s, and a bad reputation.  
And it’s not like we can’t ignore it either.   
The problem is always going to be there.  
Why can’t we just accept it and at least  
Give them benefit of the doubt?