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Whilst it seems completely fair that no-one is discriminated against ,be they students or staff, within Christian schools, it is a concern that the very basic values of these schools is presently being undermined by the laws which are supposed to prevent discrimination !!

Our children went to a Christian school ,along with children of varying cultures, beliefs and backgrounds whose parents wanted the values taught in that school to be taught to their kids. We found the education to be rounded and all-embracing for ALL students, and whilst I'm not so naive to think that no child was ever bullied by fellow students, ( personally I only knew of one such child and this was quickly and kindly resolved and the offending students disciplined ) I would certainly disagree that differences in beliefs, home life, sexual orientation etc were discriminated against in that school.

I was educated in a christian school, my husband was not, and we agree that my education was a gentler and more understanding one to his experience. Neither of us came from wealthy backgrounds.

We often hear the bad, sad and horror stories of Christian education , but there seems to be a "witch hunt" on at the moment for anyone who decides to embrace christianity as their lifestyle and faith, is that not discrimination ?

It would be completely hypocritical of Christians to say we agree with some of the sex discrimination laws in Australia today, but it would be equally hypocritical of us to say we will not care for, love and respect anyone within those laws, because, despite what the press would have you believe, we do live to love ALL mankind.

Thank you for letting me have my say,

Kindest regards,

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