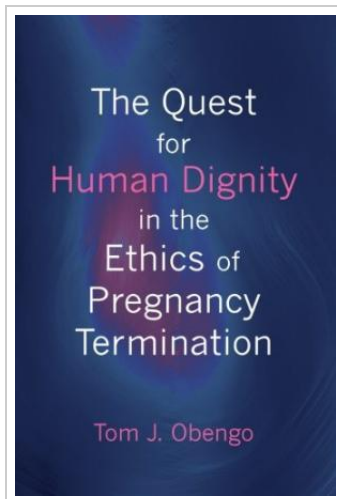




## The Quest for Human Dignity in the Ethics of Pregnancy Termination (Paperback)

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