

Case Study

- I. Trauma
 1. It was unexpected
 2. You were unprepared.
 3. There was nothing you could do to stop or change what was happening.
- II. Triggers
 - A. God's design
 - B. Trigger alert
- III. Read/Discuss Assessment
 - A. Ask Questions and Discuss
 1. Who is coming for help?
 2. What is their reason (i.e. who or what do they see as the problem)?
 3. How many children are involved?
 - How might the ages and range of ages affect this woman's life in a normal situation?
 - How might the ages and range of ages between children affect this woman's life in an oppressive situation?
 4. How long have they been married?
 - Take into account how long she's been living in these circumstances.
 - How subtly might words and behaviors be expressed?
 - What kinds of things might keep her in this type of relationship for this long?
 5. What do you notice about her church attendance? How might that affect her involvement with others? - What kinds of things might others see or not see?
 6. Who else knows? How is this significant?
 - What are possible responses?
- IV. The Rest of the Story
 - C. Read/Discuss Case Study