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TOPIC/ DESCRIPTIONS OF THE PATH TO PRISON:

(1) MENTAL ABUSE; (2) PSYCHOLOGICAL ABUSE. (3) EMOTIONAL ABUSE. (4) MORAL ABUSE. (5) INTELLECTUAL ABUSE. (6) SOCIAL ABUSE. (7) SPIRITUAL ABUSE. ITS THROUGH THE ABOVE ABUSE BY FATHER THAT LEAD ME TO THE PATH OF PRISON. THE NEGATIVE WORDS THAT MY FATHER SPOKE TOWARD ME: SUCH WORDS AS BOY YOU IS NOT MY SON. BOY YOU IS GOING TO BE A FAILURE IN LIFE.

THE ABOVE NEGATIVE WORDS THAT MY FATHER SPOKE TO ME: KILLED MY SELF ESTEEM; SELF WORTH, SELF VALUE AND SELF CONFIDENCE; KILLED MY DREAMS AND GOALS; MY DRIVE AND MOTIVATION AND WILL TO LIVE A POSITIVE AND PRODUCTIVE

THE NEGATIVE WORDS MY FATHER SPOKE TO ME BROKE MY LIFE INTO PIECES PHYSICALLY, EMOTIONALLY, MENTALLY, SOCIALLY, ACADEMICALLY AND SPIRITUALLY.

THERE IS OLD SAYING THAT STATE THE FOLLOWING:

STICKS AND STONES MAY BREAK MY BONES, BUT WORD WILL NEVER HURT ME. THE ABOVE SAYING IS NOT TRUE. NEGATIVE WORDS CAN HURT THE HUMAN BEING; SPECIALLY WHEN THE HUMAN BEING IS A CHILD. NEGATIVE WORDS CAN KILL:

NEGATIVE WORDS CAN STOP THE HUMAN BEING FROM COMING INTO HIS OR HER HUMAN POTENTIAL. POSITIVE WORDS BUILD A PERSON SELF ESTEEM, SELF WORTH AND SELF CONFIDENCE. POSITIVE WORDS CAN IMPACT A PERSON LIFE IN A POSITIVE WAY. POSITIVE WORDS CAN EMPOWER A PERSON LIFE; PHYSICALLY, EMOTIONALLY, PSYCHOLOGICALLY, MENTALLY, SOCIALLY, ACADEMICALLY, MORALLY AND SPIRITUALLY. NEGATIVE WORDS CAN TERRA A PERSON DOWN. I COME FROM A DYSFUNCTIONAL FAMILY. I HAVE BEEN DOING TIME SINCE I WAS 12 YEARS OLD NOW I AM 63 YEARS OLD. I COULD NOT ESCAPE THE GHOST OF MY FATHER REGARDING THE NEGATIVE WORDS HE SPOKE TO ME.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED BY:
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