

BECOMING FREE FROM HUMAN TRAFFICKING: MODERN DAY SLAVERY

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OVERVIEW

- WHAT IS HUMAN TRAFFICKING?
- MY EXPERIENCES AS A SURVIVOR
- WHAT JUSTICES LOOK LIKE
- THE CONNECTION BETWEEN SUICIDE AND HUMAN TRAFFICKING
- TRAUMA
- MOVE FORWARD AND IMPROVING A LIFE OF SURVIVORS

WHAT IS HUMAN TRAFFICKING: MODERN DAY SLAVERY?

- LABOR TRAFFICKING—THE RECRUITMENT, HARBORING, TRANSPORTATION, PROVISION, OR OBTAINING OF A PERSON FOR LABOR OR SERVICES, THROUGH THE USE OF FORCE, FRAUD, OR COERCION FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBJECTION TO INVOLUNTARY SERVITUDE, PEONAGE, DEBT BONDAGE, OR SLAVERY.
- SEX TRAFFICKING—COMMERCIAL SEX INDUCED BY FORCE, FRAUD, OR COERCION, OR WHERE THE PERSON INDUCED TO PERFORM SUCH ACT HAS NOT ATTAINED 18 YEARS OF AGE.

MY EXPERIENCES AS A SURVIVOR

- I WAS INFLUENCED BY A LOT OF TELEVISION SHOWS I USED TO WATCH WHEN I LIVED IN CAMEROON
- WHEN I WAS TOLD I WAS COMING TO AMERICA I WAS EXCITED, NOT KNOWING I WOULD COME AND BE HELD IN INVOLUNTARY SERVITUDE
- I FELT LIKE A CHILD SLAVE IN MY TRAFFICKER'S HOME

MY EXPERIENCES AS A SURVIVOR:

- I was trafficked from age 9 until the age of 17
- I was trafficked to work as a domestic servant and held in forced labor



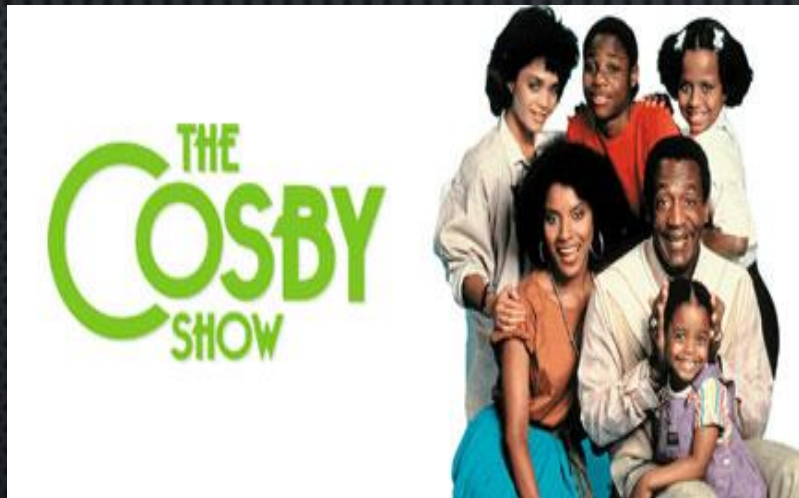
A FAMILY PORTRAIT WITH MY SISTER AND
BROTHERS:
FIND ME!



MY FAREWELL PARTY PICTURE: AGE 9



MY VISION OF AMERICA



FOSTER CARE

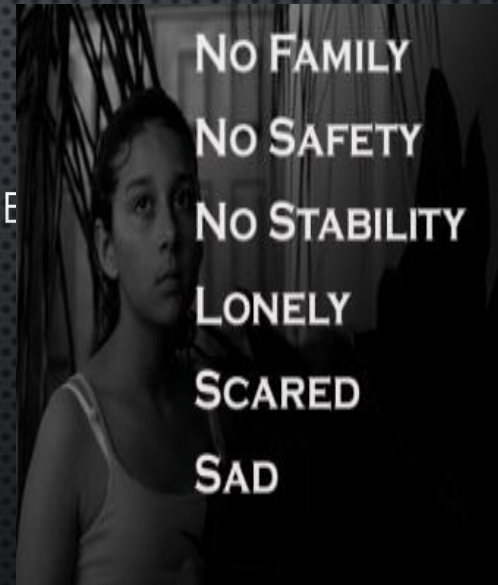


3%

of foster kids
will graduate
from college

- I WAS PLACED IN FOSTER CARE, WHICH WAS ANOTHER

compared to 28% of the population



THE CONNECTION BETWEEN SUICIDE AND HUMAN TRAFFICKING

- SELF-INJURY
- DEPRESSION
- SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED INFECTIONS
- POSTTRAUMATIC STRESS DISORDERS AND ANXIETY DISORDERS

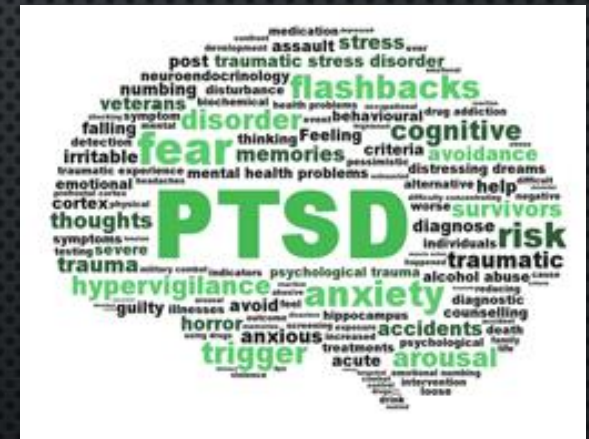


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TRAUMA TREATMENT AND MENTAL HEALTH RECOVERY FOR VICTIMS OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING

- RECURRENT THOUGHTS/MEMORIES OF TERRIFYING EVENTS
- FEELING DETACHED/WITHDRAWN
- FEELING IRRITABLE, HAVING OUTBURSTS OF ANGER
- FEELING AS IF YOU DIDNT HAVE A FUTURE
- POSTPARTUM
- FAMILY NOT UNDERSTANDING
- MARRIAGE



WHAT DOES JUSTICE LOOK LIKE

- JUSTICE IS MORE CLOSELY TIED TO PREVENTION THAN PUNISHMENT
- AS A SURVIVORS I DID NOT GET THE SENSE OF JUSTICE ALONE AND I SAY THIS DUE TO HOW SOCIAL SERVICES HELPED PLAYED A PART TO REACH PHYSICAL AND EMOTIONAL AUTONOMY.
- THE RESOURCES THEY MOST COMMONLY CITED INCLUDED TEMPORARY HOUSING, IMMIGRATION ASSISTANCE, FAMILY REUNIFICATION, AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE.
- IMMIGRATION ASSISTANCE AND FAMILY REUNIFICATION WERE SPECIFIC TO FOREIGN-BORN LABOR TRAFFICKING SURVIVORS. SEX TRAFFICKING SURVIVORS ALSO VALUED THE ABILITY TO VACATE THEIR CRIMINAL RECORDS, WHEN THEY WERE ABLE TO DO SO

FIGHTING FOR FREEDOM

- IS NOT BEEN AN EASY ROAD TO FREEDOM, BUT I AM GLAD TO BE FREE AND TO USE MY EXPERIENCE TO EDUCATE THE WORLD ABOUT MODERN DAY SLAVERY.
- "NOW I'VE BEEN FREE, I KNOW WHAT A DREADFUL CONDITION SLAVERY IS. I HAVE SEEN HUNDREDS OF ESCAPED SLAVES, BUT I NEVER SAW ONE WHO WAS WILLING TO GO BACK AND BE A SLAVE."

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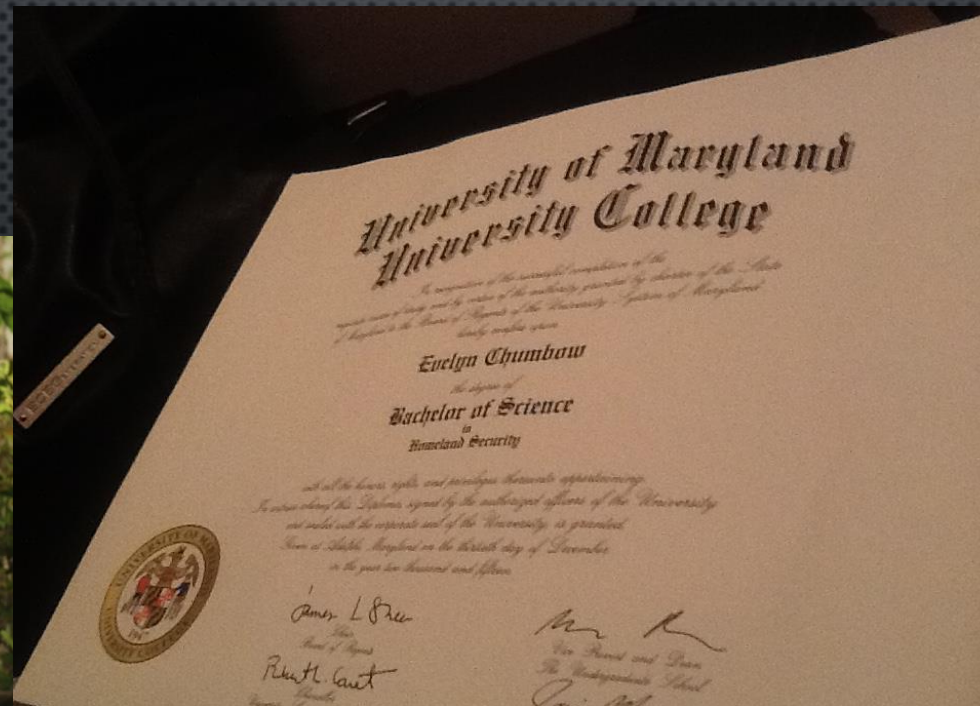
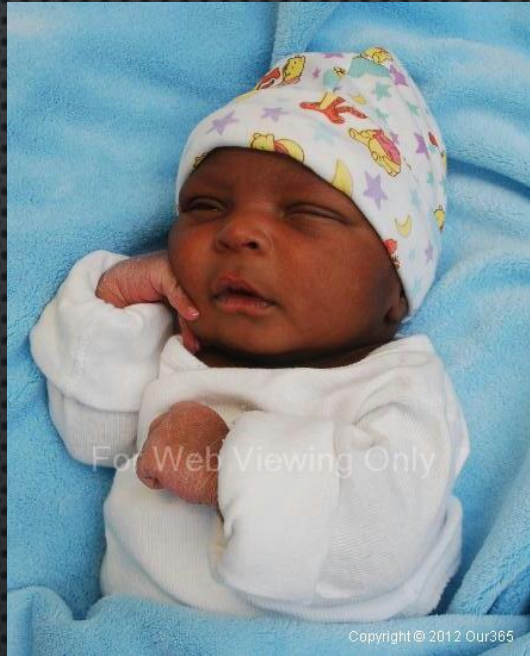
WHAT I AM DOING NOW!

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RETURNING HOME AFTER 18 YEARS



MY DREAM



HOW YOU CAN MOVE FORWARD AND IMPROVED A LIFE OF A SURVIVOR?

- EMPLOYED SURVIVORS
- REUNITE THEM WITH THEIR FAMILY
- FREE COUNSELING SERVICES
- AGE SHOULDN'T BE A LIMIT
- FINANCIAL SERVICES
- PAID SURVIVOR CONSULTANTS FOR THEIR TIME
- LONG TERM SOLUTIONS

HELP STOP MODERN DAY SLAVERY AND CHILD LABOR!!!!

INFORMATION ON HUMAN TRAFFICKING CAN BE FOUND ON THE FOLLOWING WEBSITES:

- DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY -[HTTP://WWW.DHS.GOV/BLUE-CAMPAIGN/SHARE-RESOURCES](http://www.dhs.gov/blue-campaign/share-resources)
- U.S STATE DEPARTMENT - [HTTPS://WWW.STATE.GOV/J/TIP/C73433.HTM](https://www.state.gov/j/tip/c73433.htm)
- INTERNATIONAL LABOUR ORGANIZATION -[HTTP://WWW.ILO.ORG/GLOBAL/LANG--EN/INDEX.HTM](http://www.ilo.org/global/lang-en/index.htm)
- THE HUMAN TRAFFICKING LEGAL CENTER -[HTTP://WWW.HTLEGALCENTER.ORG](http://www.htlegalcenter.org)
- FREE THE SLAVES - [HTTPS://WWW.FREETHESLAVES.NET](https://www.freetheslaves.net)

THE END/QUESTIONS?

- “THE ROAD TO FREEDOM HAVE NOT BEEN AN EASY ONE”
- “BEING FREE FROM SLAVERY OR MODERN SLAVERY ISN'T EASY”
- ”WITH LONG-TERM PROGRAM WE CAN HELP REDUCED TRAFFICKING”