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# SPIRITUAL ABUSE SAFEGUARDS FOR CHURCH LEADERSHIP

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WORKSHOP

*Presented by Naomi Wright, LSW, Founder and Executive Director of beEmboldened and Dr. Melodie Bissell, President of Plan to Protect®.*

Workshop includes instruction, case studies, development of policies and procedures and certificate.

**BONUS:** 1 hour follow up session within 6 weeks to go over finalized version of your Action Plan and policies and procedures.



*The workshop can be held virtually or in person. Workshops are scheduled upon request. Contact beEmboldened or Plan to Protect.*

*Cost: \$1500 USD/\$1950 CAD for up to 12 participants. Member and license discounts apply. All prices subject to applicable taxes and subject to change.*

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## MODULES

1. **WHAT IS SPIRITUAL ABUSE, AND WHY IS THIS SO IMPORTANT?**
2. **HOW DO WE PREVENT SPIRITUAL ABUSE WITHIN OUR CONGREGATION? (PART 1)**
3. **HOW DO WE RECEIVE A REPORT OF SPIRITUAL ABUSE?**
4. **HOW DO WE COME ALONGSIDE SOMEONE IN THEIR HEALING AND REBUILDING PROCESS?**
5. **HOW DO WE PREVENT SPIRITUAL ABUSE WITHIN OUR CONGREGATIONS? (PART 2)**
6. **WHAT ARE THE COMPONENTS OF A STRONG POLICY AND PROCEDURES HANDBOOK?**
7. **HOW DO WE HANDLE A BREACH OF POLICY AND THE FALL OUT FROM SPIRITUAL ABUSE?**
8. **CASE STUDY AND NEXT STEPS.**

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Lead Facilitators  
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**DR. MELODIE BISSELL**



Naomi is the daughter of a pseudo-Christian cult leader. She was raised, yet hidden, within mainstream culture and public school education. Naomi holds a Master of Science in Social Work and is a licensed mental health professional in Colorado. She also holds a Master of Arts in Christian Studies from Denver Seminary. Her areas of speciality include grief and loss, spiritual abuse, including cult abuse, as well as biblical and theological studies.

Melodie is a follower of Jesus, and deeply desires the church to pursue holiness. She has heard heartbreaking stories of abuse for twenty years. She is the President of Plan to Protect®, consulting and training leaders to accomplish their vision and goals while safeguarding the mission of the organization and their people. Her focus on her doctoral thesis was on nurturing the spiritual healing of victim-survivors of abuse.