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CHILD ABUSE IN NIGERIA

A person's a person, no matter how small. Any type of abuse affects the children adversely; it harmfully affects the minds of the children deeply. Children who suffer abuse feel the pain inside. They have feelings of guilt and they blame themselves for the act. A child's mind is very sensitive, it all depends on how to shape it, at this state of mind any type of abuses on them can deeply affect them. The ones who go through such conditions feel distressed. They often build feelings of hate, hopelessness, misery, despair, and rage against the society, and sometimes they also feel suicidal or about self-harm. Not only emotional but the physical effects like, cuts, health problems, bruising or even, death not only destroy their lives but also the lives of their parents and families.

According to the researches, the children who have gone through abuse are more likely to attain lower in education and many at times they opt for taking drugs or alcohol. The long term mental and physical health challenges are also the consequences. Many people who opt for crime or any other serious offences in Nigeria have suffered abuse in their childhood. At this point of time the families of such children feel anxious and unsure about the future of their children and how to support and help them cope with such situation. The feeling of the children who have gone through abuses are beyond the common intellectual's imagination. It is not at all easy for those young hearts to forget the disastrous moments of their lives and continue with their rest of the lives for the sake of their loved ones as if nothing happened.

Some have the courage to stand in front of the society and speak against such offences taking place somewhere in between us. The inhuman attitude of their culprits are not hidden from any one. These toxic people continue to represent their inhuman behaviour. Nigeria is more affected by the people who commit abuses on the children. Physical, sexual, neglect, emotional, etc. , are the types of abuses which these children go through. According to the reports, child abuse is made every 10 seconds in our country Nigeria. This has a negative effect on the country as well, the culture and values are highly affected.

The effects of child abuse are many and endless, there are lots of examples in the present world where these evil activities are taking place but its dangerous on the life of children. Child abuse is not a problem it is a disaster in Nigeria because it is not going to hamper or damage a single life in the country but it is going to damage a complete culture and values in our society. The cases on the activities of child abuse are increasing day by day and now it is changing dynamically. In worst cases which we can't imagine are beyond our limit.

Child abuse is a dangerous, blood sucking, cultural hating and value scratching. It is a type of global pandemic that is highly destructive for the brilliancy of the nature of children. Now the big question is who is responsible of the child abuse and why the child abuse is spreading everywhere? It is not a matter of a single country or a culture, instead it is a matter of a complete mentality where these type of Monster exists, actually everywhere you can think of it even these monsters are sitting just near you and you can't imagine how this person can indulge in element of child abuse. How does this happen? Why can't this mentality change day by day? and why are people following these evil activities? So big question is what are the reasons for child abuse.

There are many reasons of child abuse few of them are very serious crime. The absence of seriousness of the parents, ignorance of the senior candidates of the family, the changing values and the culture and degrading nature of the education. It hampers the mindset of the children and they are not in a condition to think and to behave normally. It is a damage of brain cells which is very hard to repair or to rebuild again in a normal position. It affects the overall development of the children. It reduces the creativity and innovative ability of the children. It creates a negative feeling in the children and they are always thinking that everything is wrong there is complete abolition of the positivity. The major effect of child abuse is that it not doesn't only affects the life of children but also the country. We can change the development and growth prospects of the human resources for economy as it is very dangerous to the extent it can spoil the complete thinking of the society and no doubt it is the beginning of the criminals in our country which are injecting that culture in the mindset of the children. Also, punishments should be given to those guilty of such act.

Child abuse is a great menace in Nigeria and it has to be stopped in order to have a good and peaceful atmosphere in our country, Nigeria.