

*Survivor to Advocate:
An Intimate Conversation with
Mildred Muhammad*



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Mildred Muhammad is a domestic violence survivor with a story to tell the world. It is not just “a” story – it is “one of the many” stories built on the experiences of domestic violence and the depths of its terror. After her children were kidnapped and her inability to go on living without them, she began the silent struggle of looking for them, knowing that if she exposed herself, John Allen Muhammad would locate her and kill her. She was triumphant in her struggle to get through those 18 months of not knowing where her children were and re-gained full custody of them. She fled from her estranged husband and moved to Maryland with the children. She was frightened during the horrific sniper shootings, sat through court proceedings during the trial, and last but not least, began re-gaining her strength to start a non-profit organization, After The Trauma, to assist survivors of domestic violence.

Today's Agenda

Welcome & Introduction:

Carol Post
Executive Director, DE Coalition Against Domestic Violence

Stephanie Hamilton
Chair, DE Victims' Rights Task Force

Lunch and Conversation

Closing Remarks:

Susan Alfree
Co-Chair of DVRTF Victims' Tribute Planning Committee

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