# UNACCEPTABLE TRUTH | WEEK #06



Modern Day Slavery | July 7<sup>th</sup>

### INTRODUCING UNACCEPTABLE TRUTH #4: MODERN DAY SLAVERY

Remember: Acceptable	often leads to unacceptable	·
Like Poverty, Modern Day Slavery is a	not a	
Human Trafficking is the force, fraud or coercion of another in order to exploit them for the purposes of compelled labor or commercial sex.		
Joseph was a of Hun	nan Trafficking. (Genesis 37:23-28)	
Human Trafficking is the height of	over people.	
The Deal often is a		
Get and invest in	and aftercare.	

## LET'S CHAT WITH THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF ALTERNATIVES TO VIOLENCE, KARI CLARK

- 1. Tell us a bit about yourself and how you found yourself in this work.
- 2. Alternatives to Violence is intersecting and working with survivors of human trafficking. How did that work begin and what does it look like today.
- 3. What attitudes or behaviors exist in our culture that contribute to the problem of human trafficking?
- 4. What are some practical ways that we as a church community can be a part of the solution?
- 5. How about individuals? How can individuals in their everyday normal life participate in ending human trafficking?

## WHAT IS GOD INVITING YOU INTO TODAY?

- 1. Watch one of the nine human trafficking documentaries (We will email you the link)
- 2. Sign up for the online anti-trafficking training by the Polaris Project
- 3. Learn how to volunteer with Alternatives to Violence

#### THOUGHT PROVOKING QUESTIONS:

- 1. When you think of human trafficking, what comes to mind? Do you imagine this a problem in the developing world only?
- 2. Consider the story of Joseph. What emotions do you think Joseph felt? How about his brothers?
- 3. What do you think would cause people to ignore the humanity of another human being and sell them into slavery?
- 4. How does your privilege factor into your understanding and engagement of human trafficking?
- 5. Open a web browser. What products and companies are most likely sourcing their labor in unethical and illegal ways? Do you regularly use any of these products or companies? How can you adjust your purchasing habits now that you know?

