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# Did You Hear Me Crying? (The Heartbreaking True Story Of A Child Abused) - Child Abuse True Stories



## DID YOU HEAR ME CRYING

The moving story of survival through 45 years  
of sexual, physical and emotional abuse

Cassie Moore



## **Synopsis**

This is the book that should never have had to been written - let alone experienced. Every child and human being has a fundamental right to a life free from humiliation, fear and violence. Yet the World Health Organisation estimates that up to 40 million children are abused every year and according to Women's Aid, 1 in 3 women has been beaten, coerced into sex or otherwise abused in her lifetime. In this shocking memoir, Cassie Moore gives a very open and honest description of how she suffered and survived a lifetime of abuse. She describes:- The sexual, physical and emotional abuse she suffered at the hands of her Stepfather and Mother, who then sold her into marriage at the age of 16 - The heartbreak she suffered when she naively left her 22 month old baby behind when she fled to London with the man she fell in love with, only to be abused by him for a further 23 years- The self-loathing, depression and despair she felt during those lonely years - The enormous sacrifices she had to make to save herself and start a new life

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## **Customer Reviews**

This book deserves so much more than the 5 stars I can give it on here. It is closer to a 100 stars. The book was not only well written but written with true depth, meaning and emotion so strong and

courages that if I did not know it to be true I would have thought the author was a mastermind in laying down the bare facts without actually having gone through any of it. My heart goes out to the author and the true horror she had to endure, finding the courage to write about it is one of the most courageous things I have ever heard about. The book was so well written that I could actually pick up on the horror, emotions, upsets and heartbreak the author had to endure. I was rooting for her all the way to the end as I really wanted this stunning, courageous, absolute gem of a woman to find her way out of a life of horror. And in the end she made it and I could not be happier. I have always cried when reading a good book but this time I cried my eyes out and I at one stage got so upset at what I was reading that I had to put the book down to gather myself but could not resist going back for more to see what happens. This is definitely the most emotional read ever and I for one recommend it to all women having to suffer through abuse. Excellent work Cassie, you're a gem and I wish you only the best for the future!

Today's Review is on Did You Hear Me Crying by Cassie Moore. Have you ever read a book based on someone's life that hit's you so hard that you need a little time to mull it over before moving on to another? This book did just that. A sometimes horrific record of mental, sexual, verbal, and physical abuse, Did You Hear Me Crying will touch your heart as well as your very soul. Cassie's story begins with the animosity that her mother feels towards her and the verbal and physical abuse she inflicted upon her. She then goes on to talk about the sexual abuse she had suffered at the hands of her stepfather who repeated the offense for years. More times than not, children that are subjected to what Cassie had at a young age tend to latch onto the first person that shows them love and affection as a teen or young adult, and that's exactly what she did. Sadly though, this first love was just as bad as the parents that abused her. But life goes on and as such Cassie was able to find love once again and of course everything seemed well until he began controlling her, berating her, and beating her. Finally hitting bottom, Cassie reached out for help and slowly but surely has broken free from the cycle of abuse, but at a great cost. She has no relationship with her mother and stepfather; which I think is actually a good thing, no relationship with her sisters, and her children deserted her. Now, after 46 years of abuse she is finally in control of her life and is abuse free. Her children have opened the lines of communication, and she has finally found true love and more importantly, she has begun to heal. A moving story of one woman's struggle that will leave you wanting to reach out to the author. To tell her to keep strong, and to tell her she is loved. 5 of 5 stars Available at

I enjoyed the story, don't get me wrong, but the author went to "high school"??? Secondary school in Ireland, or is it different in Dublin. Oh and she applied for welfare in England? Fair enough. But social security in Dublin? A good few phrases that are making me doubt the authors credibility. Silly mistakes.

When you hear this woman tell her story you are there with her and feeling things as if it were you. When she struggles to believe that "he won't do it again", albeit her step father or a husband, you want to reach out and set her free. Amazing Cassie.

I choose I high rating cause this book hit home with me. I would recommend this book to everyone. Cassie's story is something that many women and men go through hopefully reading her story will inspire you to speak up for yourself.

I have read a lot of child abuse books but this one is so full of hope and power that came after 45 years!!! CASSIE-- is to be admired!! Her poetry needs to be published!!! I hope she finds her family together at Christmas!!

This book is a perfect telling to help people understand why women stay in abusive relationships. Heartbreaking yet hopeful and strong. I recommend this book to anyone who is being abused or knows someone who is. I doubt there are many that could read this and say "but she didn't have it as bad as I have". Ms Moore has been so strong in her willingness to bare her soul in this heart wrenching tale of pain and hope.

This book is so sad. I kept thinking "Why doesn't she give up on him?" But then, what would I do in each of her traumatic experiences. While it was immensely tragic, it was so well written. She surely was the most abused person I ever knew of in my lifetime. So many years wasted for her hoping always to get someone to love her. I wish her all the best and hope all the children will understand someday and give her all the love she deserves.

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