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Judith Carmody is an Irish author, educator, and organizational consultant whose work brings language, clarity, and compassion to the often unseen dynamics of interpersonal and systemic psychological risk. With a background that blends lived experience, reflective practice, corporate insight, and evidence-based research, her work illuminates how identity, safety, and belonging can be quietly eroded through structural behaviors.

Judith is the creator of *The Psychological Pattern of Violence - Coercive Control™* framework and a suite of original concepts that map how psychological abuse operates within professional settings. Through mechanisms she provides language for experiences that have long been endured without recognition. Her frameworks help individuals and organizations identify early patterns of domination, destabilization, and identity erosion, enabling more informed, accountable, and humane responses to psychological harm.

Her pioneering *Workplace Wellbeing & Safety Strategy Framework™* is a transformational model for whole-person wellbeing. It integrates psychological wellbeing, psychological safety, and psychological abuse—not as separate organizational silos, but as interconnected human experiences that shape every aspect of workplace culture. This strategy supports leaders, teams, and systems in moving from Psychological Risk to *Psychological Intelligence Leadership™*, creating environments where dignity, autonomy, and emotional safety are protected.

Judith is also an invited speaker at national and international events. In February 2026, she delivered a landmark presentation in Athens, Greece unveiling *Workplace Coercive Control™*, *The Workplace Coercive Controller™*, and *The Silent Architecture of Workplace Harm and Violence™*—a defining moment that positioned her work at the forefront of global conversations on structural psychological harm. In November 2024, she presented at the Kerry Together Conference Partners – End All Violence and Abuse Against Women and Girls.

Judith's teaching style is thoughtful, trauma-informed, and grounded in the belief that naming harm is the first step toward restoring autonomy and wellbeing. Her training modules guide organizations in recognizing non-physical violence, understanding its cumulative impacts, and building cultures that honor equality, respect, and human safety. She is known for her ability to translate complex psychological patterns into accessible, compassionate, and actionable learning.

As the author of *Co Bully No More*, and *Unwrap the Gift of YOU*, Judith explores the realm of non-physical violence with insight, empathy, and academic rigor. Her writing reveals how psychological abuse quietly erodes personal and professional identities, and how individuals can reclaim clarity, language, and self-trust.

Judith Carmody holds a Master's Degree in Leadership in Health & Wellbeing supported by extensive evidence-based research and applied therapeutic study. She is also a Chartered Accountant (CAI), bringing a combined academic foundation in psychological harm, organizational systems, and professional governance to her work.

The Moment of Awakening A Call Toward Truth, Self-Love, and God

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Some moments in life feel less like coincidence and more like alignment — when the inner world and outer world begin speaking the same language. For those whose lives have been marked by harm, these moments often become turning points: invitations toward truth, consciousness, and God.

Harm disrupts what's familiar, exposes what was hidden, and forces a person to confront realities they never asked to see. Yet within that disruption, something profound can occur: awakening. Not because harm is sacred, but because surviving it brings a person into direct contact with truth — and truth is one way that God makes Himself known.

There's a moment in every survivor's life when the soul sees something it cannot unsee. Once the soul recognizes harm, it cannot return to the illusion that once offered protection. Abuse lives in distortion; awakening lives in truth. That clarity is painful, but it's also catalytic. It urges a person to seek meaning — to search for what is real, to reclaim what is theirs.

Awakening begins quietly. It begins with grief, disorientation, and the recognition that the world is not always shaped by fairness. But beneath that pain is a deeper movement: the soul reclaiming its own authority. Harm forces questions that comfort never provokes — Who am I beyond what others have done to me? What is sacred? What is mine to carry, and what must I release?

These questions mark the beginning of consciousness.

And consciousness, when followed honestly, becomes a spiritual path. It leads inward, toward the place where God is not an external figure but an inner truth — the quiet presence that does not judge, abandon, or distort. When the noise of other people's narratives fades, the voice of God becomes clearer. Not a voice of thunder, but a voice of alignment — the knowing that dignity, peace, and self-love are divine rights.

It's here that an ancient promise becomes unmistakably relevant: "And you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free."¹

Not as a slogan, but as lived experience. Truth frees a person from the distortions of harm, from the lies they were told about their worth, and from the narratives that never belonged to them.

Self-love emerges in this space. Not as sentiment, but as recognition. It's the understanding that cruelty endured was never a reflection of one's worth. It is the awareness that God did not author the harm — but God can illuminate the path out of it. In awakening, a person sees that their value is inherent, unshakeable, and untouched by the failures of others.

Sometimes life mirrors this awakening back in symbolic ways.² These moments are not random; they are resonant. They reflect the inner shift already underway — the movement from harm to consciousness, from silence to truth, from survival to meaning.

In the end, harm does not bring a person closer to God. Awakening does. Harm may open the door, but truth is what walks through it. And self-love is the light that makes God visible again.

Footnote:

- 1) John 8:32
- 2) Like a quiet visit I recently had to an open church, followed just days later by this unexpected invitation to write an essay proving God's existence.