

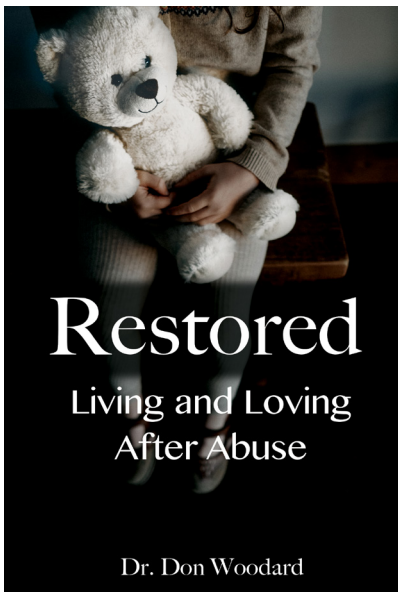


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## NEW BOOK OFFERS A JOURNEY OF HOPE AND HEALING FOR THE ABUSE VICTIM



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**About the Author:** Dr. Don Woodard has served in the ministry for over thirty years. He has served as a pastor, evangelist, and Christian counsellor. For fifteen years he traveled as an evangelist working extensively with teenagers. He has counseled thousands of people on various issues ranging from emotional abuse to sexual abuse. Woodard has served as a consultant to ministries that serve troubled young people and adults with addictions and behavior challenges. He has an earned Doctorate of Divinity from Carolina Baptist College and has studied Nouthotic counseling.

To connect with the author or request a review copy of *Restored*, please contact publicity director Keli Garrett at [media@emeraldhouse.com](mailto:media@emeraldhouse.com).

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