"#Me, Too"

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1 Timothy 5:1-2

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A. We live in a ___________ world infected by _______. (2 Tim. 3:1-4)

B. In the past few days, our news feeds have been thick with stories of _________ assault and ________________.

C. The ____________ become mind-numbing and the ___________ are heart-breaking.

D. Dear Church, we are not __________ and we are not __________

E. Tragically, there is a pattern and a history of ______ in __________ using that power to get what they want, including what they want from ________.

F. The Bible also tells sad stories of ___________ __________.
   1. There is the story of ______________ and ______________. (2 Sam. 11-12)
   2. An even sadder story is the story of what happened to _______________
      (2 Sam. 13).

G. In, Isaiah 61:1,3, God describes the promise of transformation and ____________ through our Redeemer.

H. Paul’s instructions to Timothy are clear and instructive: treat men like __________ and __________, and treat women as __________ and __________. (1 Timothy 5:1-2)

I. How do we stop such harm to individuals and people groups?
   1. If you have suffered, your key to freedom is ________ the ________.

   2. Know that your abuse is not _____ and was not caused by any _____
      of your own.

   3. If you are an __________, then you must seek ________, too.

   4. If you see __________, then do what you can to ________ it.
      a. Educate our children to the proper way to ________ all people
         and the proper way we should be __________.
      b. Teach our children about ____________.
      c. Teach our children about the dangers on the __________ and
         __________ their activity.