

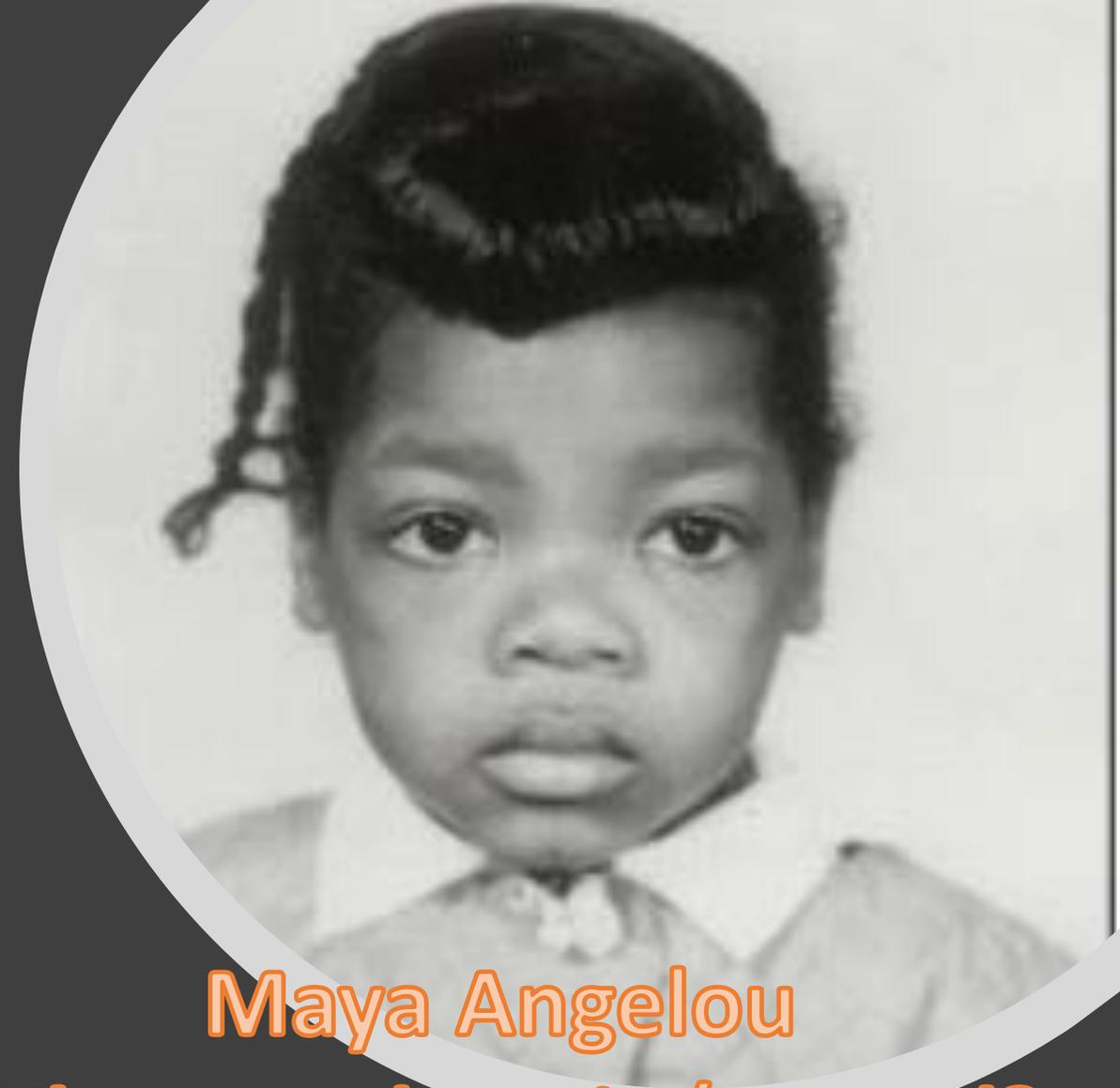


Online DIMEP Inner Healing



- **Course Objectives:** To help participants better understand what causes internal emotional wounds and how we can overcome and get healing.
- **Content will include**
 - Sin and wounds
 - Why are we so 'touchy' in some areas of our lives?
 - The different role players in our wounds, and how we are to react to them.
 - Healing from wounds

- At age 3 parents “calamitous marriage” ended.
- Sent with brother, age 4, to Dad’s prosperous grand-mother.
- After 4 years, Dad came and returned them back to mum.
- At age 8, she was abused & raped by mum’s boyfriend, Freeman
- Freeman was jailed for one day!
- 4 days after his release, he was killed.
- Maya thought her voice killed him and never spoke again for 5 years.



Maya Angelou

**What was her sin/wound?
Who are the role players?**



- Shortly after Freeman's murder, Angelou and her brother were sent back to their grandmother.
- When Angelou was 14, she and her brother moved in with their mother once again.
- At age 16 got a job
- Age 17, 3 weeks after completing school, she gave birth to her son.
- Married at age 23
- Divorced 3 years later
- Married again & Divorced
- Died at 86, a poet, writer, singer, dancer, lecturer, Hollywood's 1st black movie Director, activist etc.

*And
Still
I Rise*

By Maya Angelou

- You may write me down in history
 - With your bitter, twisted lies,
 - You may trod me in the dirt
 - But still, like dust, I rise.
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- You may shoot me with your words,
 - You may cut me with your eyes.
 - You may kill me with your fatefulness,
 - But still, like air, I'll rise.
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- Leaving behind nights of terror and fear
 - I rise
 - Into a daybreak that's wondrously clear
 - I rise

Behold, we go up to Jerusalem; and the Son of man shall be betrayed unto the chief priests and unto the scribes, and they shall condemn him to death, And shall deliver him to the Gentiles to mock, and to scourge, and to crucify him: and the third day he shall rise again.

Matthew 20:18-19



Trauma is damage to the mind, or an emotional wound, that occurs as a result of one distressing experience, or recurring events that **exceeds one's ability to cope** with the emotions involved with that experience(s). People and children will react to similar traumatic events differently.

Untreated physical wounds are likely to get infected and cause pain, illness, amputation or even death. Without the right intervention, trauma's effect can lead to serious, long-term negative consequences, spanning a life time or several generations.

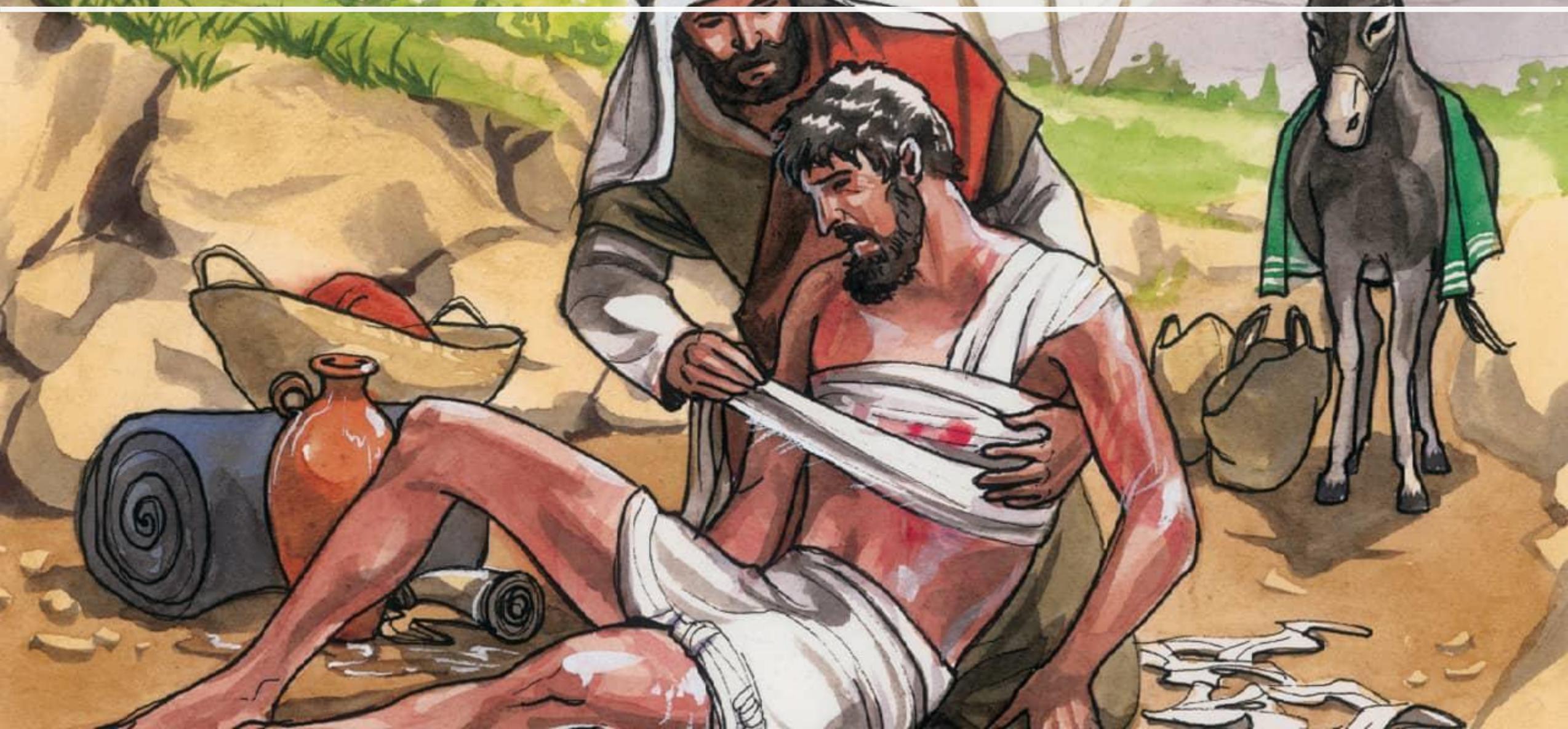


- Millions have been traumatized by war, gangs, violence, natural disasters, diseases, domestic violence, racism, sexual abuse (Me too and Church too movements), displacement, serial deaths, miscarriages, human trafficking.
- These things happen not only in distant lands: those suffering from trauma and loss are in our communities, at our doorsteps, and in our churches & homes.
- Trauma may be the largest mission field today - Dr. Diane Langberg, a Clinical psychologist. Do you agree or not?

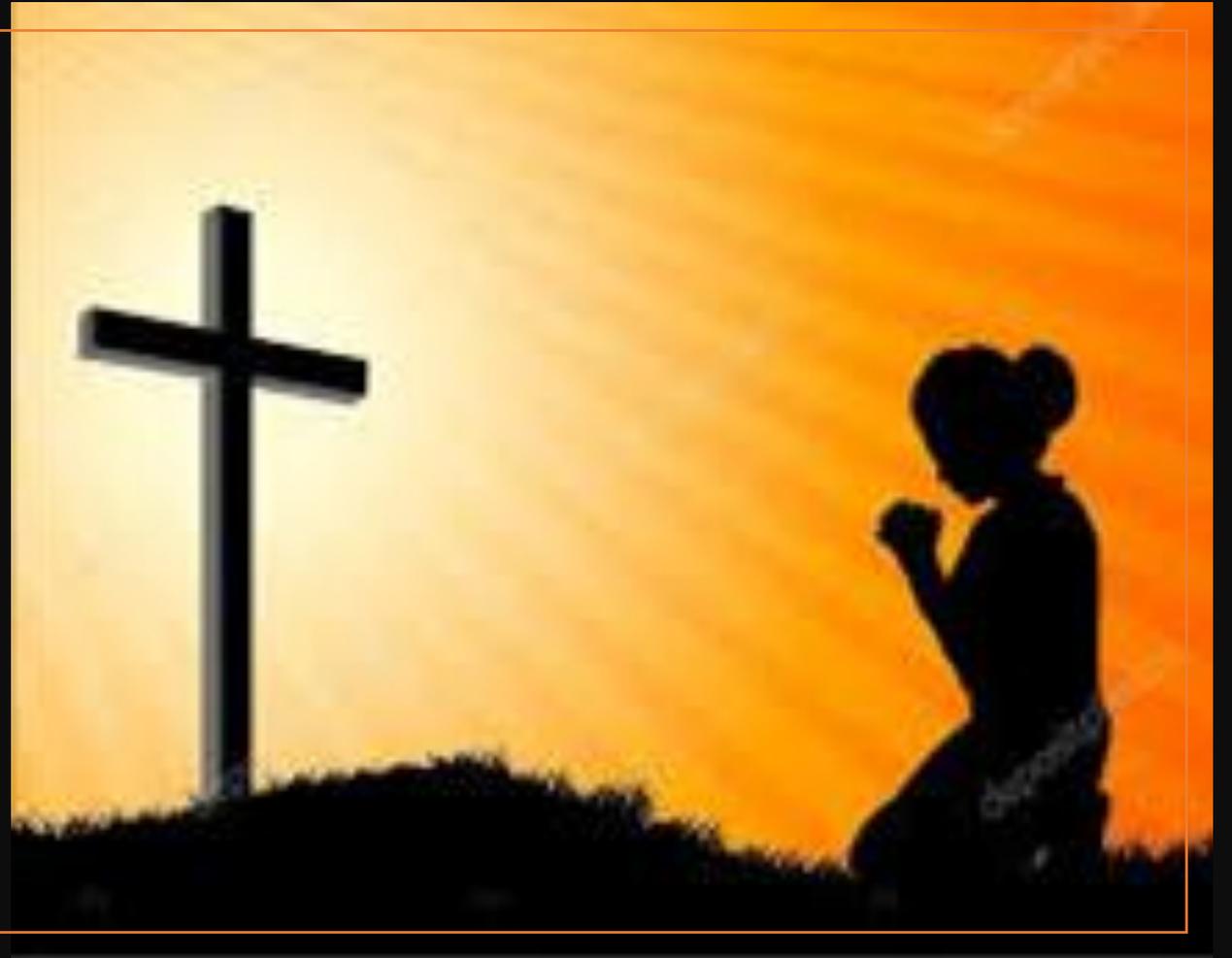


The person in need of healing

The process of healing



The Provision for our healing





*There is a
Balm in Gilead*