

# Domestic Violence is a Man's Issue

**“Amending Through Faith helped me realize the way I was talking to my wife was hurting her and destroying our marriage”**

- Amending Through Faith Participant



**AMENDING Through Faith** is an innovative, primary prevention initiative dedicated to *ending violence against women and girls by engaging and educating men*. It was started by YWCA Nashville & Middle Tennessee, operators of the largest domestic violence shelter in the state. Motivated by the fact that the shelter was consistently at capacity, and in response to the constant need for more shelter beds, **AMENDING Through Faith** was developed in cooperation with the General Commission on United Methodist Men to prevent violence against women before the violence occurs.

How does it end? **“Good men”** must play a critical role in creating a community where all women and girls are valued and safe. Extensive work by experts in gender based violence prevention reveals that this is accomplished through education and mobilization. **Only with the support and involvement of men and boys can the cycle of gender based violence be stopped.**

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**“The Amend project is a timely study in a society where the news is filled with reports of men crossing boundaries with women. The content is comprehensive, informative, intense and challenging. What an amazing undertaking to provide a way to engage in conversations in areas where most of us feel uncomfortable. The broad range of topics found in this resource covers current issues in our culture that lead to abuse and violence. I can imagine that if men can get involved and engaged in this conversation it could lead to transformation toward respecting all.”**

Rev. Dr. Linda D. Louderback (retired district superintendent, Great Plains Annual Conference)