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It shouldn't hurt to be a child.

But sometimes it does. Each year a million children feel the pain of child abuse. And we can do something about it. If we all do just one thing, no matter how small, we can help prevent child abuse. Below are a few suggestions. Commit yourself to at least one and help stop the hurt.

I want to stop the hurt. (I'll check the commitment I've made and mail it in.)

- ☐ I'll show my child some love. (Sometimes I forget.)
- ☐ All I know about child abuse is hearsay. I'd like some facts. I'll mail in this coupon.
- ☐ I'll treat my child as a person, not a possession.
- ☐ I'll praise my children more often.
- ☐ I'll volunteer time to my local child abuse prevention organization. If there is none, I will try to start one.
- ☐ I'll spend more time with my children, starting tonight.
- ☐ I'll learn painless ways to tell my child "No".
- ☐ I'll learn the difference between discipline and abuse.
- ☐ I'll try to help a troubled family by being a foster parent for a while.
- ☐ I'll treat my children the way I wish I had been treated as a child.
- ☐ I have a problem. I'm going to start talking about it.
- ☐ I'll help a troubled parent. I'll be a friend and a good listener. After all, it shouldn't hurt to be a parent either.
- ☐ I'd like a one-year membership in the National Committee for Prevention of Child Abuse. Enclosed is \$10.00.



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