

# FORGIVEN/FORGOTTEN POST-SHOW RESOURCE PAGE



## LOOKING FOR SUPPORT?

For some of us, this play hits close to home. If you would benefit from having someone to talk to immediately, Here 24/7 is your front door to the mental health, and crisis services provided by 11 agencies across Waterloo Wellington. Just call 1-844-437-4327 to get started or go to <https://here247.ca/>

If you've been impacted by crime and/or conflict, Community Justice Initiatives can be a great place to access support. CJI provides conflict resolution services, support for people impacted by sexual trauma, assistance for families involved with child protection, reintegration support for adults returning to the community from prison or custody, and integration support for new Canadian youth. CJI's Restorative Justice Programs are offered in Waterloo Region and Wellington County. For more info, check out <https://cjiwr.com/>



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DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

## LOOKING TO LEARN MORE?

Check out the **Waterloo Region Crime Prevention Council (WRCPC)**, a group made up of 40 diverse sector leaders from our community who pool together their perspective, knowledge, networks, and resources to create a deeper community commitment to prevention through public education, community development, and evidence-based decision making for the Region of Waterloo. Together they strive to shift the focus of crime prevention upstream, building a community foundation where all citizens experience safety and wellbeing equitably.

Find out more at <https://preventingcrime.ca> and check out their amazing free educational webinars at <https://preventingcrime.ca/our-work/upstream/>

# LOOKING FOR LOCAL RESTORATIVE JUSTICE VOLUNTEERING OPPORTUNITIES?

**Community Justice Initiatives** offers several meaningful ways for community members to create opportunities for healing and resolution and inclusion in situations of crime, conflict, and abuse. Ways you could make a difference through CJI:

- Help victims, offenders, neighbours, family members etc. to resolve conflict (Mediation Volunteer)
- Assist people of all genders affected by sexual harm (Revive Support Group Facilitator)
- Build relationships with women in prison (Stride Volunteer)
- For more information contact CJI's Volunteer Coordinator at 519-744-6549 x208 or go to <https://cjiwr.com/get-involved/>

Through **Circles of Support and Accountability** (a program of Mennonite Central Committee) teams of volunteers and staff, supported by professionals, meet with men and women with histories of sexual offending to hold them accountable for their actions and support them as they reintegrate into the community after release from prison. The result of Circles of Support and Accountability is fewer victims of violent and sexual crimes across the country. For volunteer opportunities, check out:

<https://mcccanada.ca/learn/more/circles-support-accountability-cosa>

## LOOKING TO BRING THIS CONVERSATION TO YOUR COMMUNITY?

Digital copies of *Forgiven/Forgotten* are available for purchase for home or group viewing; along with a complementary facilitator's guide that includes background information on Restorative Justice, discussion questions, and an interactive group activity. Contact us at [info@theatreofthebeat.ca](mailto:info@theatreofthebeat.ca) for more information!

Theatre of the Beat (TOTB) is a Canadian touring theatre company working to catalyze conversations on social justice and its intersection with the beliefs of the communities in which we find ourselves. If you enjoyed tonight's performance and want to continue supporting social justice theatre, we'd love to have you join us on this wild ride and become a donor today! For more information about our work and how you can get involved visit our website at:

[www.theatreofthebeat.ca](http://www.theatreofthebeat.ca)