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Message:

Dear Governor,

I am a victim of CDV. Although I escaped my abuser it is very frustrating for those of us who are doing what's needed and there is no immediate reprimand for our abusers. I lived with my abuser for 7 months. There is a definite disconnect with law enforcement and resources. The laws are not strict and I can understand a little why they are there to protect the innocent. Law enforcement are not well equipped in our state and when a woman does everything needed to prosecute, it seems as though they take it lightly to gain more charges. Battered and abused women live in constant fear when our abusers are released. This is why women are dying. I would love to sit with you and help to remedy this problem. I'm not a republican but I do listen and relate to things that are truthful. You have done a lot of great things. I would love to show you about what it's like to be a battered woman. I feel it will help others who stay silent come forward. Please, please meet with me. Your friend in Christ, Danita Farmer