

Drama & Dysfunction in Interpersonal Relationships

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I. Introduction

- a. Choices
- b. Problems

II. Dysfunction

- a. Personalize
- b. Polarize
 - i. Adversarial – Me vs. You
 - ii. Argumentative – Right/Wrong
- c. Perseverate
- d. Pain
 - i. Rescue
 - ii. Resolution

III. Drama Switch

- a. Rescuer – “Every Rescuer NEEDS a Victim”
- b. Persecutor – “Every Persecutor NEEDS a Victim”
- c. Victim – “Every Victim NEEDS a Persecutor”

IV. Focus

- a. A Focus on Problems Produces Pain
 - i. FIGHT
 - ii. FLIGHT
- b. A Focus on Purpose Produces
 - i. Passion
 - 1. Passion for the Purpose
 - 2. comPassion for the People
 - ii. Servant
 - 1. Empower
 - 2. Exhort