

A THREE-PART SERIES

MEASURING LOVE

in the Journey to

End Sexual and

Intimate Partner

Violence



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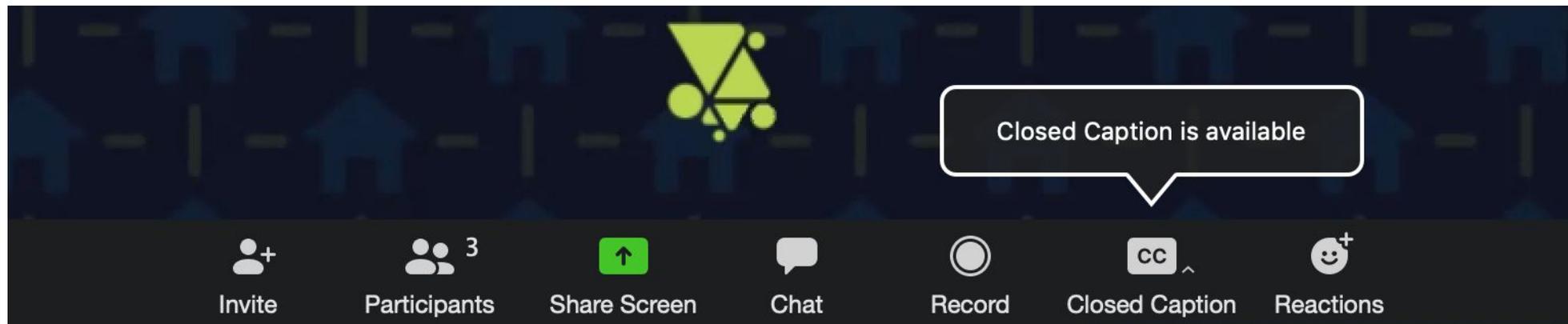
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- ▶ Domestic violence/intimate partner violence
- ▶ Sexual violence
- ▶ Violence across the lifespan, including child sexual abuse
- ▶ Prevent before violence starts
- ▶ Connect to other forms of violence and oppression
- ▶ Connect to other prevention practitioners

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Polling Question

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Sessions 1 and 2 Available Now!

The collage features several key elements:

- Grid of 16 Circles:** A 4x4 grid of colored circles (pink, green, blue, orange) containing text. The top row headers are: "Self Care", "Learner", "LSP Management", and "LSP Client Support".
- Top Right Video Feed:** A small inset showing a woman speaking.
- Meet Our Guests Slide:**
 - Dr. Audrey Jordan:** Founder, A2J Consulting and Thrive Team. (Photo: woman with glasses)
 - Shiree Teng:** Strategy (Photo: woman with purple background), Strategy & Learning, and Valuation Consultant.
- Right Side Video Feed:** A larger inset showing a woman speaking.
- prevent connect logo:** Located in the bottom right corner of the slide area.

PART 3: LIES AND LIES WE TELL

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A Brown Paper
Shiree Teng & Audrey Jordan

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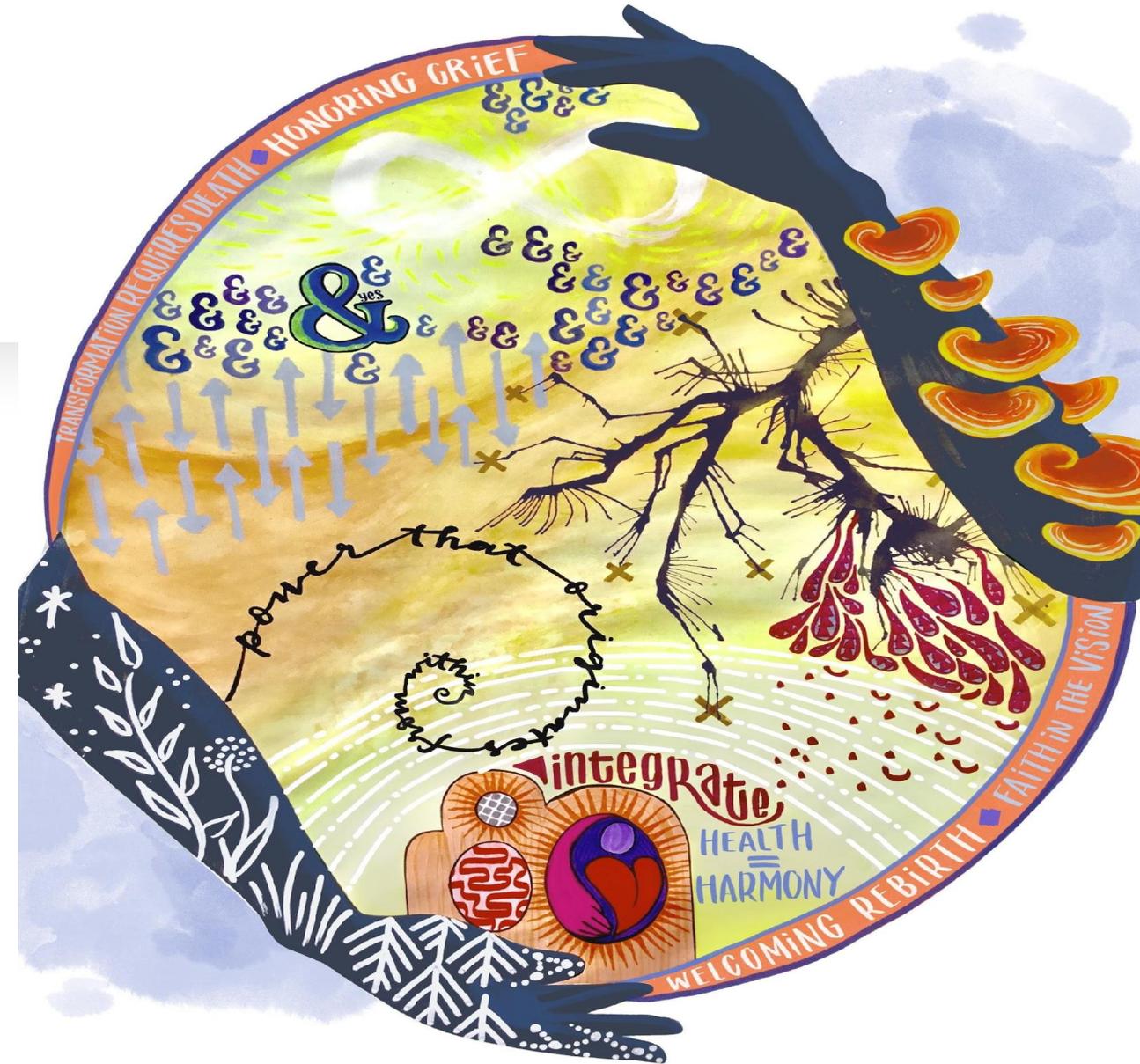


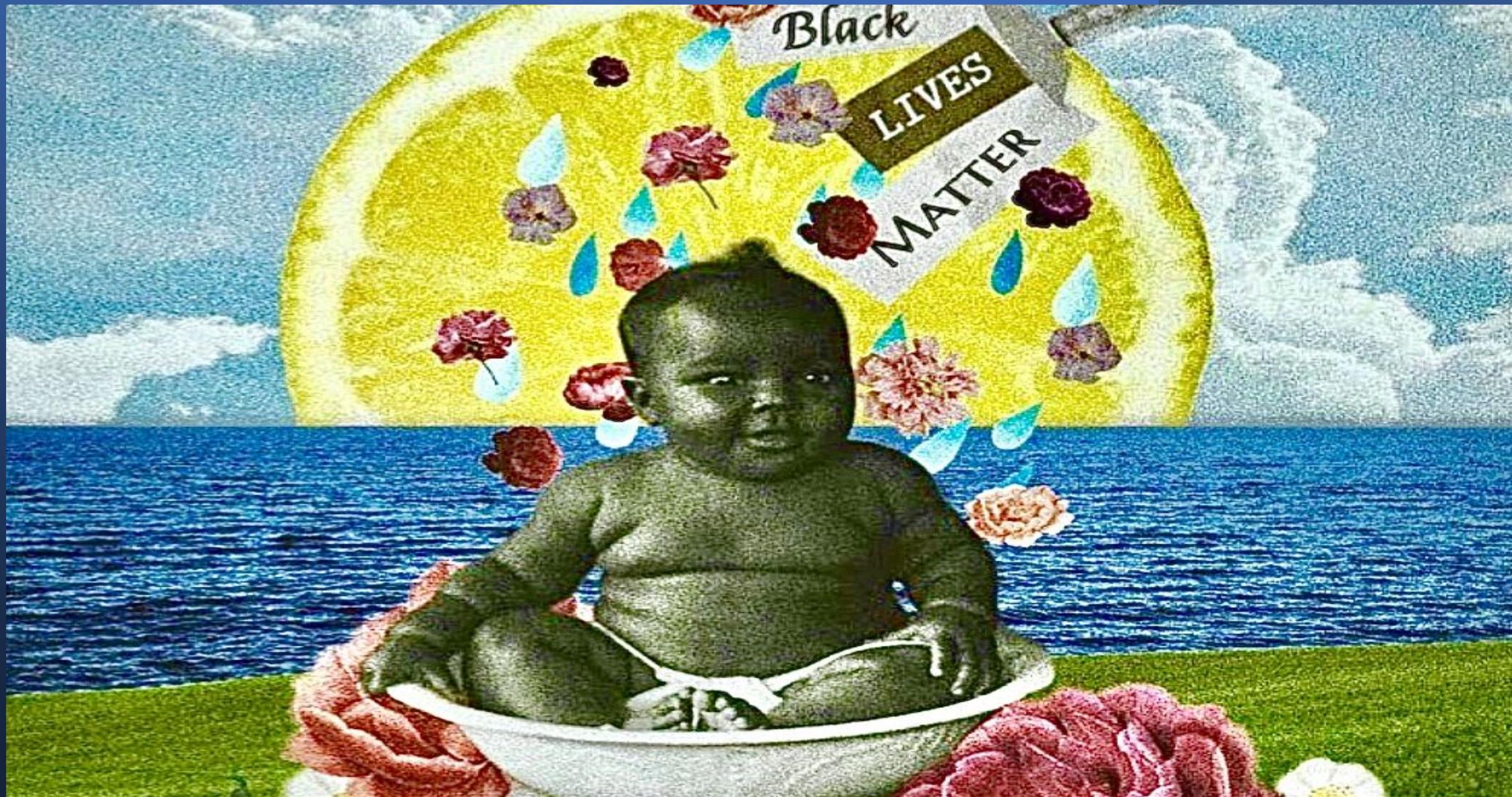
Healing Love: Into Balance

A BROWN PAPER

•Please chat:

- Name
- Place you're zooming in from
- What is the toughest part of what you do?
- What is the blessing in that grievance?





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*There comes a time
when humanity is
called to shift to a
new level of
consciousness...
that time is now.*

WANGARI MAATHAI

**THE PRACTICE OF
LOVE IS THE MOST
POWERFUL ANTIDOTE
TO THE POLITICS OF
DOMINATION.**

bell hooks

SELF LOVE

Conscious of how we're in integrity with our own values

Critical analysis of our own thoughts and behaviors

Self care as revolutionary acts of resistance

LOVE OTHERS

Deep listening

Compassion and understanding

Forgiveness
Chance to do over

LOVE AS A COMMUNITY PRACTICE

Organize and develop leaders

Spread vision and hope

Fight for material change

LOVE FUSED WITH POWER

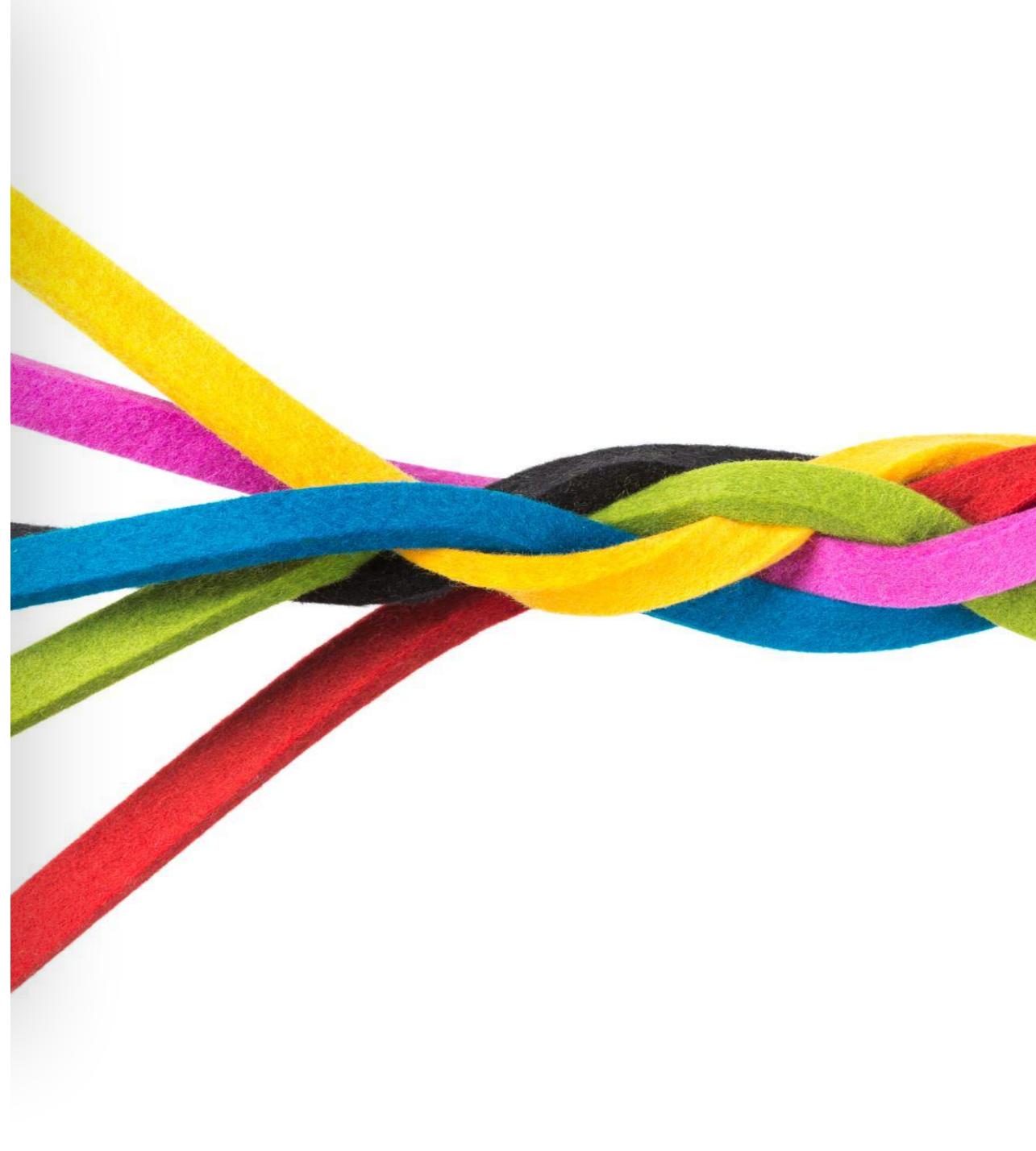
Own and materialize our power

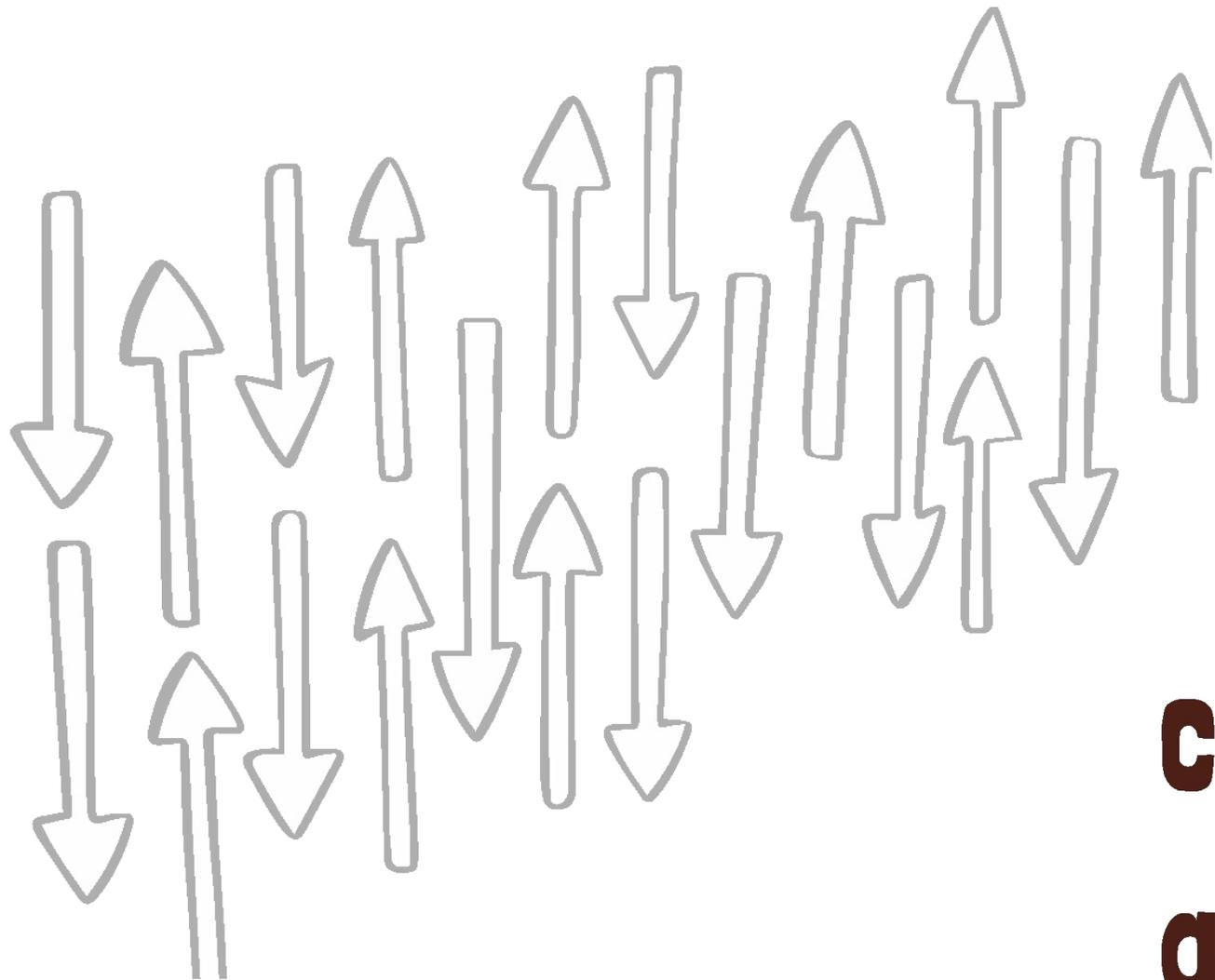
Share power with

Build power for collective liberation

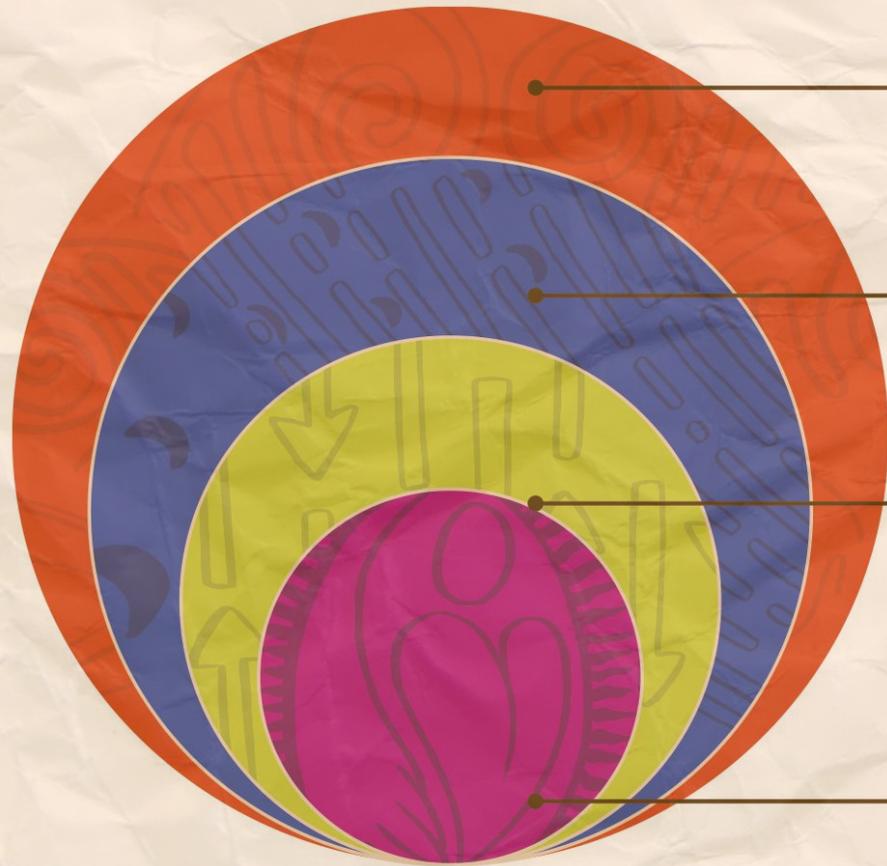
Group Agreements

- Be present
- Lean into your courage
- Share the what





**catalytic love is
an intentional
decolonizing act**



• **LOVE FUSED WITH POWER**

• **LOVE AS A COMMUNITY PRACTICE**

• **LOVE OTHERS**

• **SELF LOVE**

**real self love
is calling
yourself
out on all
of your shit
in order
to grow and change.**

GINA MOFFA, LCSW

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Boundaries are important

From where I can love myself

AND

Love you...

Chat in...

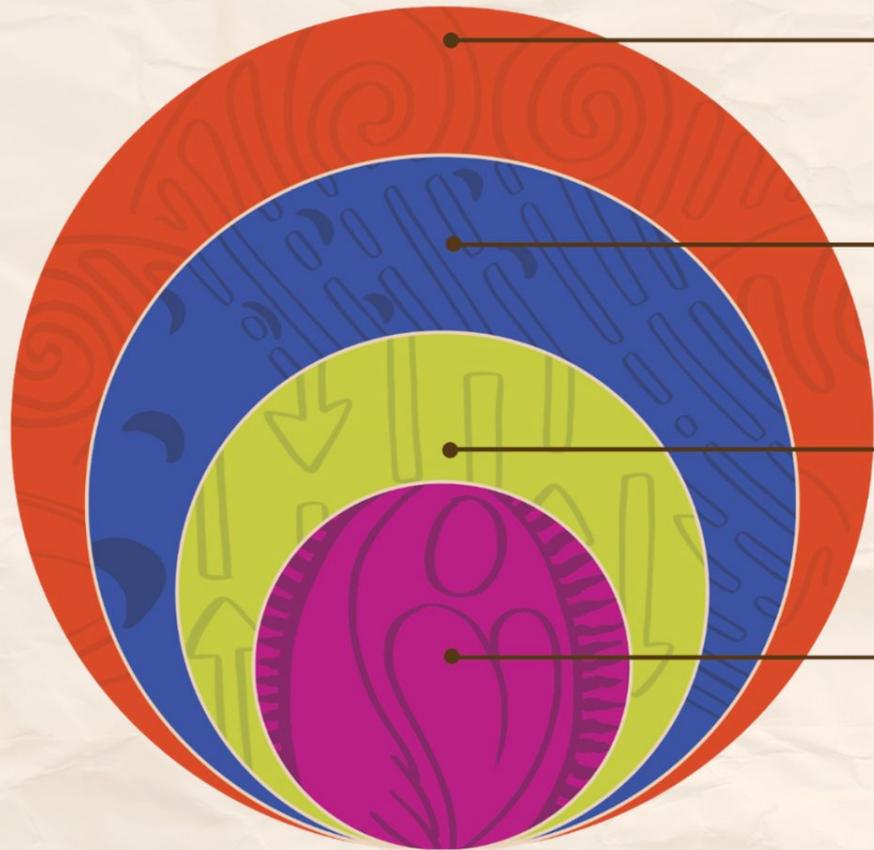
- ▶ **What actions / behaviors will help me keep my boundaries radical and self-loving?**



It Starts with a Conscious Decision...

- ▶ To be complicit or disruptive in a structural oppressive system that values patriarchy, racism, sexism.

Emergent, Transformative, Catalytic Love



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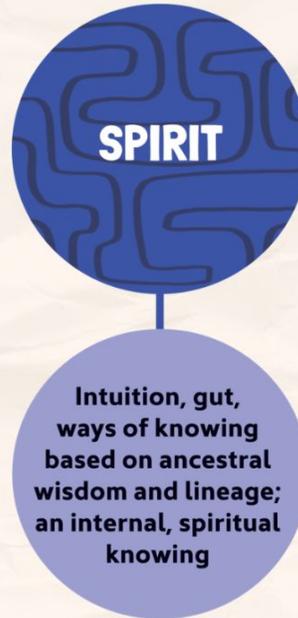
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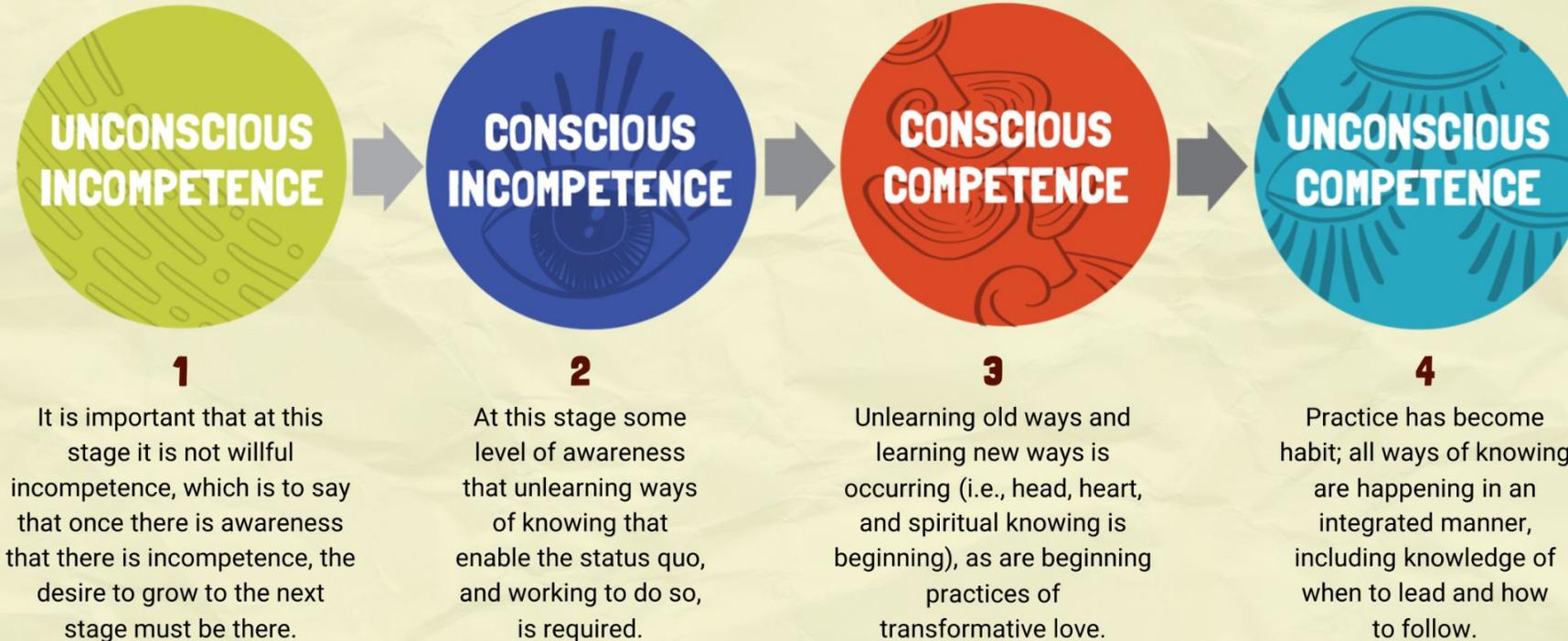
WAYS OF KNOWING

The original Ways of Knowing framework:



During this project we came to understand that there is another, overarching pathway of Knowing:

Measuring Love Framework



Choosing to be a disrupter of and not complicit with structural racism in our actions, relationships and decisions, transforming ourselves from unconscious incompetence to unconscious competence, and to empower others to do the same.

Shiree and Audrey share in a brief dialogue

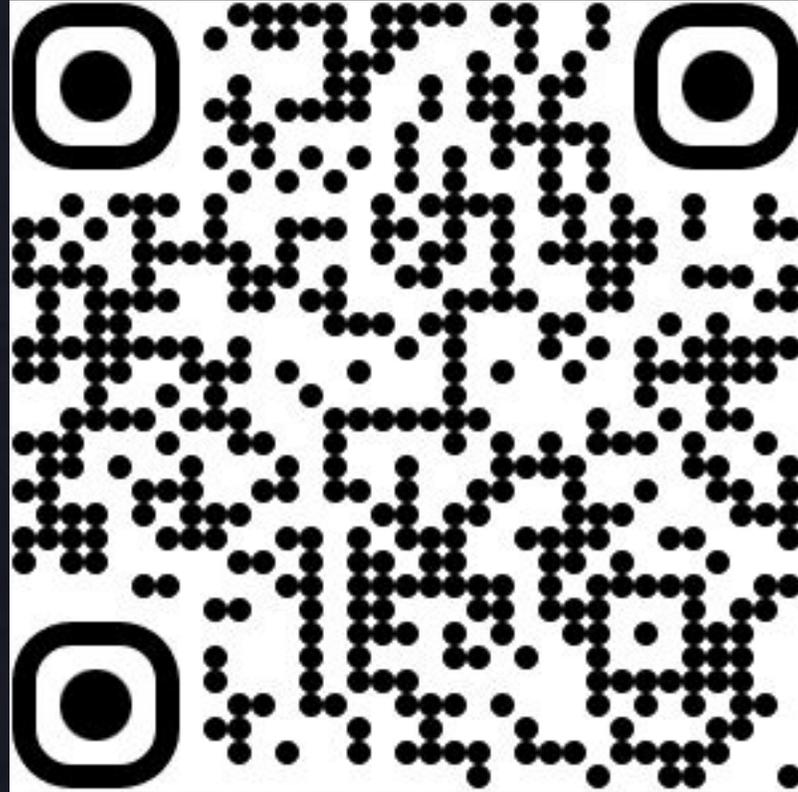
Breakout Discussions

In triads, please tell a story about a time when you were palpably aware that you were in a moment.

- ▶ Briefly share the circumstances.
- ▶ What was the choice opportunity?
- ▶ What choice did you make? What happened (for others? For you?)

**When we are in
fear we are
disconnected
from our Soul, our
true essence, that
which is love.**

Lili Velo





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