

# National Association of Adult Survivors of Child Abuse

[www.NAASCA.org](http://www.NAASCA.org)

## Bill Murray, Founder and CEO

We're building an International survivor / activist / professional community because we believe that together we can do what we cannot do alone. Our many thousands of NAASCA 'family members' are from across the globe, although most are located in North America. We became a 501(c)3 recently after operating for many years as a grassroots organization. We do this all volunteer, non-paid.

*Child abuse trauma prevention, intervention & recovery*

We have a single purpose at NAASCA to address issues related to childhood abuse and trauma including sexual assault, violent or physical abuse, emotional traumas and neglect, and we do this from two perspectives:

- 1) Educating the public, especially as related to getting society over the taboo of discussing childhood sexual abuse, presenting the facts that show child abuse to be a pandemic, worldwide problem that affects everyone;
- 2) Offering hope for healing through numerous paths, providing many services to adult survivors of child abuse and information for anyone interested in the many issues involving prevention, intervention and recovery.

I'm a long-time activist / advocate for community-based policing (25 years) and have a 'sister effort' I've been running since the attacks of 9-11-01. The web site for Los Angeles Community Policing (LACP.org) has been updated daily since early 2002, and was recognized by the DOJ years ago as the world's largest grassroots effort devoted to the subject of community-based policing.

I am a talk show host myself (6 nights a week and 2200 episodes so far) and have spent my career in 'the industry' (film, TV, journalism). Visit our Talk Show home page: [www.BlogTalkRadio.com/NAASCA](http://www.BlogTalkRadio.com/NAASCA).

I'm approaching my 35th year on my healing journey as a recovering adult survivor of childhood sexual assault, child pornography and kidnapping / trafficking, and am happy to make contributions from my broad experience and understanding of public safety issues, law enforcement and government.