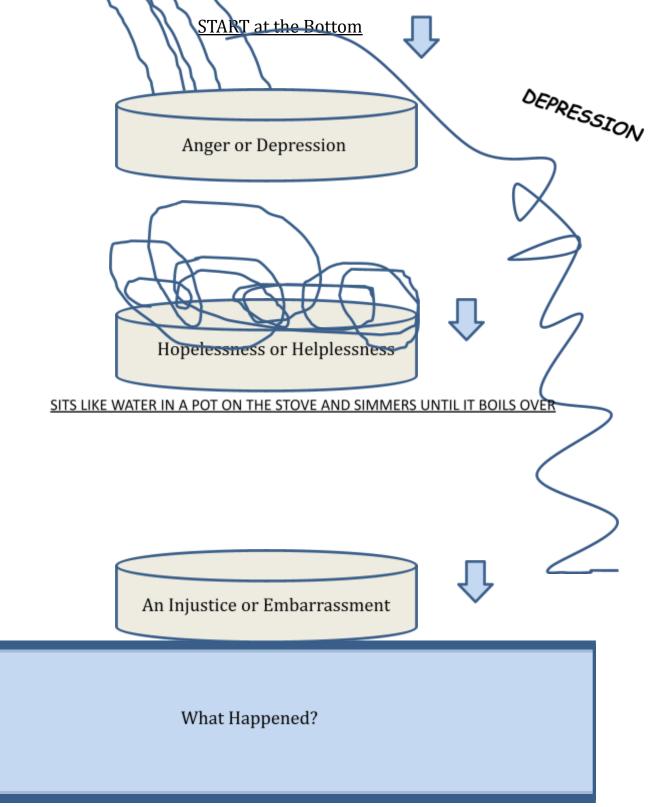
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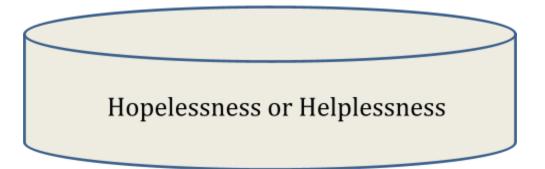
There are many layers of emotions, thoughts, and feelings underneath anger. It's kind of like a flaky-layer biscuit. To begin to resolve anger, we have to investigate the layers.



START

<u>The Anger Blanket, Part 2</u>

We need to "Make Space" for other possibilities and thoughts. Space is best found in the 2nd layer.



Let's figure out a way to "Take your Power Back"

Options:

- 1) Other Possibilities: Is that 100% TRUE?
- 2) Radical Acceptance about things we cannot change (Radical, meaning, to Notice without judgment, Acknowledge)
- 3) Wisdom to know the difference: Can or Cannot change?

Hopelessness or Helplessness

Your feelings aren't right or wrong, but what you do about your

feelings could be right or wrong. **Brainstorm healthy responses**:

Good Responses

Bad Responses

Start by considering these anger management tips.

- STOP. STOP. STOP.
- It's ok to be angry. But it's NOT, NOT, NOT ok to hurt someone
- Be sure to ... Breathe...slowly, intentionally for a while.
- Take a timeout...find some space to be alone
- Get some exercise...go for a walk
- Think about it...are there any ANTS?



Automatic Negative Thoughts

- Do you know that's 100% True?
- Are there any other possibilities?
- Any other way to see it?
- Be cautious about assigning INTENTION.
- It's ok to make mistakes. It's ok to be a learner.

The Things We Can and Cannot Change

We could....

We Cannot Change...