

**I WAS SEX
TRAFFICKED
AS A P*RN
PERFORMER**

**MY SUDDEN DESCENT INTO SEX
TRAFFICKING FROM THE PORN INDUSTRY**

**A GLOBAL MOVEMENT OF FIGHTERS
©FIGHT THE NEW DRUG**

ALIA'S STORY



MY NAME IS ALIA.

**IT'S A NAME I WASN'T
KNOWN BY FOR MUCH
OF MY LIFE, BUT IT'S
NOW ONE I WEAR
PROUDLY. THIS IS
MY STORY...**

ALIA'S STORY

MY EARLY YEARS WERE A TUMULTUOUS ROAD FILLED WITH CHALLENGES. RAISED IN AN ENVIRONMENT WHERE LOVE AND SAFETY WERE SCARCE, I LEARNED TO NAVIGATE A WORLD WHERE MY WORTH FELT UNCERTAIN.

ALIA'S STORY

AT 14, I MET A MAN ON SOCIAL MEDIA WHO WAS ABOUT TWICE MY AGE.

I KNOW NOW THAT HE WAS GROOMING ME FROM THE START TO COMPLY WITH WHAT HE WOULD ASK OF ME LATER, BUT I COULDN'T COMPREHEND THAT BECAUSE OF THE VALIDATION I RECEIVED FROM HIM.

ALIA'S STORY

**THE VAST MAJORITY OF
TRAFFICKING VICTIMS
ARE NEVER KIDNAPPED
AND HELD IN A
BASEMENT.**

**REAL-LIFE ISN'T THE
MOVIE "TAKEN."
REAL-LIFE IS BROKEN
LITTLE GIRLS, EASY TO
MANIPULATE AND TOO
EXHAUSTED BY THEIR
LIVES TO HOPE FOR
SOMETHING BETTER.**

ALIA'S STORY

**AT MY START IN THE
MAINSTREAM PORN
INDUSTRY, I WAS
GUARANTEED SAFETY,
CONTROL, AND STATUS.**

**THIS WAS EVERYTHING I
HAD WANTED AND
SOUGHT AS AN ESCAPE
FROM MY TRAUMATIC
PAST. BUT WHAT ENDED
UP HAPPENING WAS FAR
FROM WHAT I WAS
PROMISED.**

ALIA'S STORY

I DIDN'T UNDERSTAND AT THE TIME THAT I WAS BEING TRAFFICKED, AND THAT WHAT I HAD EXPERIENCED IN THE INDUSTRY—THE FORCE, THE TRICKING, THE COERCION—WAS ALL TRAFFICKING AS WELL.

ALIA'S STORY

**EVEN THOUGH I DIDN'T
UNDERSTAND I HAD
EXPERIENCED SEX
TRAFFICKING, BY MY
LAST YEAR IN THE
INDUSTRY, I WAS ABLE
TO RECOGNIZE THAT THE
IDEA OF THE INDUSTRY
I WAS SOLD WAS A LIE.
I HAD NO CONTROL,
I HAD NO SAY,
I HAD NO SAFETY.**

**BUT I KNEW I WANTED
TO GET OUT.**

ALIA'S STORY

**THOSE OF US WHO
LEAVE THE INDUSTRY
ARE SOME OF THE MOST
RESILIENT, SMART, AND
RESOURCEFUL PEOPLE.**

**THE WORST TIMES OF
OUR LIVES MAY BE
DOCUMENTED ON FILM
FOREVER, BUT THEY DO
NOT DEFINE US AND WE
ARE NOT ALONE.**

ALIA

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Alia's STORY

**WHAT LED ME INTO THE MAINSTREAM
PORN INDUSTRY**



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HOW I WAS SEX TRAFFICKED AS A POPULAR MAINSTREAM PORN PERFORMER

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