

# So long as you Care

A child or an adult raped, abused.  
Encourage to disclose.  
The interview is the beginning.  
Depends with who?  
Be it Chief or Con,  
No matter their rank,  
So long as you care.

Traumatised and vulnerable.  
The setting, the comfort,  
Requires humanity.  
Examination terrifies all but a few.  
Victims feeling "Oh God what did I do",  
Support from a family saying "who are you",  
Professional opinion is key.

Be it care worker, teacher, PSNI, Social Services or GP  
We all work together in protecting the individual,  
The person and their view.  
Who makes the decisions?  
DPP now PPS!  
All have their labels.  
When the file is ready,  
Is it really about you?  
The Court has their own view.  
The trial may be very, very long  
Question asked time and time again.  
Who are the innocent?  
Who's on trial?  
Landed in a system in need of support,  
But from who?