

## ShowNotes

### Episode 11 : **Reflections of Adult Children of Mothers with Intellectual Disabilities**

#### **Summary of Episode:**

Tammy Bachrach is a researcher and also an adult child of parents with intellectual disabilities. She speaks to her research interviewing adult children of parents with IDD and her own lived expertise.

#### **Biography:**

Tammy Bachrach, PhD, graduated from Biola University and earned her doctoral degree in education with an emphasis in disability studies from Chapman University. She grew up in the disability community as the daughter and sister of individuals with intellectual disabilities. She has been a general and special educator for over 20 years, working with both primary and secondary students with disabilities. She served as the Associate Director of Services for CAPC Inc., a nonprofit agency, for 10 years aiding adults with disabilities. She has developed program designs and has provided input for state-level policies on disability issues as a board member of the Eastern Los Angeles Regional Center. She is currently an Associate Professor at Azusa Pacific University, Division of Teacher Education, Special Education. Her research interests include examining the experiences and perspectives of adult children born to parents with intellectual disabilities, family studies, and bridging the gap between disability studies, the Church, and Christian schools.

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### Resources

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