

# The Cult Of True Victimhood: From The War On Welfare To The War On Terror

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## STOCKHOLM SYNDROME AS VERNACULAR RESOURCE

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First coined in 1973 to describe a pathological response on the part of individuals involved in kidnapping or hostage-taking situations, the label "Stockholm syndrome" has since been used in a much broader range of contexts including reference to wife battering and human trafficking, and in debates about gender and race politics as well as international relations. Tracing the domain expansion of Stockholm syndrome since the 1970s, we examine how the label offers claimsmakers a device for neutralizing the arguments of those with opposing points of view, and, in so doing, reinforces collective narratives and "formula stories" of victimization.

### INTRODUCTION

Over the past 30 years, there have been several high-profile cases where Stockholm syndrome has been said to be involved. Stockholm syndrome, as it was defined by one of the earliest psychiatrists interested in the condition, is a disorder whereby abductees bond with or express loyalty toward their captors in an effort to save their lives or make their ordeal more tolerable (Strentz 1980). First used in 1973 in connection with the response of a group of employees held hostage in a robbery at a Stockholm bank, the use of the term "Stockholm syndrome" used to be restricted largely to kidnaps and hostage-taking incidents. However, since the 1970s, the term has been used in a much broader range of cases. The power imbalance argued to be an essential dimension of the syndrome and the false emotional bonds these imbalances are said to create have led some claimsmakers to suggest that Stockholm syndrome occurs not only in abduction or hostage-taking cases but in a whole host of situations and conditions not immediately

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