

## **Protect Yourself – Stay Aware, Stay Sucka Free**

Even in recovery, traps can be set to pull you back into old patterns or criminal allegations. Gangsters Anonymous encourages every recovering member to be wise, cautious, and spiritually grounded in truth.

### **Example of a Real-World Setup**

A member took a simple chain to a jewelry store for cleaning. When he returned, the owner brought out three similar chains and acted confused about who he was. A woman outside appeared to be hiding and watching the exchange. Later reflection revealed: If he had taken those chains, he might have been accused of theft.

This is how subtle entrapment can look.

### **What Entrapment Looks Like**

Someone creates a false opportunity to make you look guilty.

A business or person pressures you into taking or touching something not yours.

Hidden observers or cameras wait to catch your reaction.

People bait you into arguments or actions that can be misinterpreted.

### **How to Protect Yourself**

Stay Calm and Observant – Don't react emotionally. Look around and take note of who's watching.

Document Everything – Time, date, what was said, and who was there.

Get Receipts or Proof – Anytime you hand over property or money.

Walk Away from Confusion – If something feels off, step back and refuse to engage.

Don't Confront Alone – If possible, bring a witness or record interactions in public places.

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### **Report Suspicious Setups –**

Contact local law enforcement or consumer protection.

### **Spiritual Reminder**

“Freedom means living in truth, not reacting to traps.”

Our program teaches us to break free from lawless thinking, impulsive reactions, and fear. Stay humble, stay alert, and keep your side of the street clean.

***Gangsters Anonymous – A Fellowship  
of Men and Women Seeking Freedom  
from the Mentality of Crime.***

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