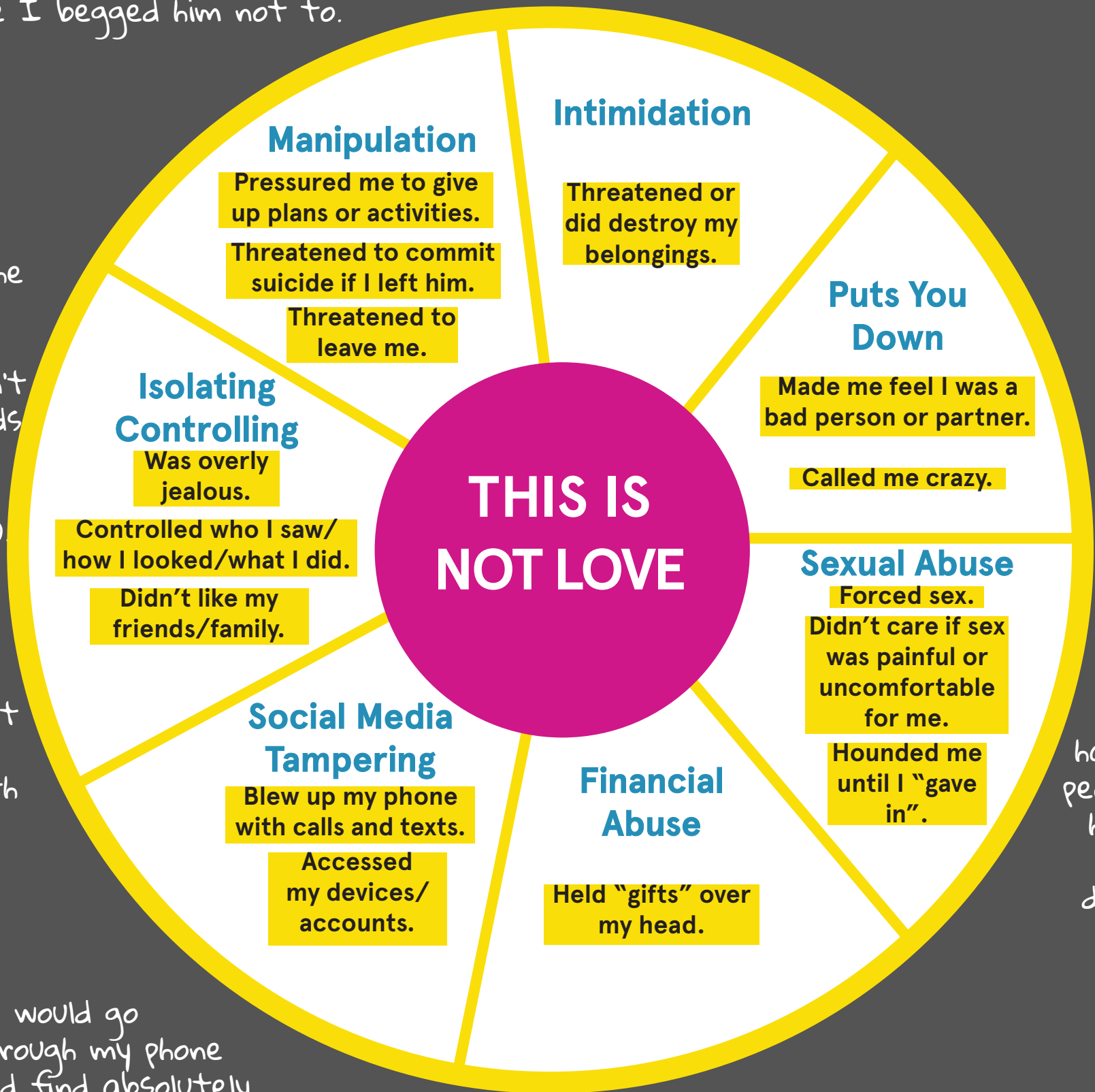


Female, 23, Maine
AGE DURING RELATIONSHIP: 15 to 18 years old
 Gender of intimate partner: Male

Every time he threatened to leave I begged him not to.

I lost my best friend because he made me tell her we couldn't be friends anymore (I got her back) I was isolated from my mom and moved out of her house with him.

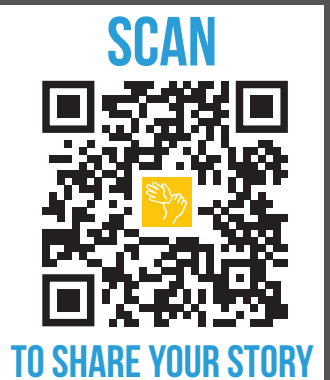
He would go through my phone and find absolutely anything to get mad at and hold over me.



I've only told a handful of people what he did. My parents don't even know.

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I never confronted my abuser because I am terrified of being harassed by his friends.