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Sommario/riassunto	The community in which children are nursed; the family, should by all means be a safe haven. However, it is not. People in family relations are more likely to be threatened, hit, kicked, raped or beaten up. Such violence in the domestic circle conjures up a lot of questions. The authors have been engaged with this problematical issue for years and

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are now trying to make the dynamics of violence within the family more comprehensive. This book is a reflection of on their dialogue.