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There is so much that men can do to make the world safer for women - and a lot of it is around how men act around each other. Instead of laughing at your friend's inappropriate joke about women and defending him by saying "he's just joking," consider asking your friend, "I don't get it - why is that funny?"

Rather than politely listening to friends wondering whether #MeToo is overdone and asking "what about the guys," be the voice talking about the millions of women whose stories were never told - and about the countless still suppressed. Instead of engaging in a discussion about "what if she's making it up", consider a different dialog about "what if she who spoke up represents hundreds more whose voices are silenced.

Fellow men, our silence reinforces the cycle of violence.”