

DISTRICT 7950

SPEAKER

BUREAU



◇ **Robin Singer**, from the Rotary Club of Falmouth, Cape Cod.

Her presentation will include the problem and solutions associated with young girls being trafficked from rural Nepal and from slums in India to brothels in Indian red-light districts. The Rotary Club of Falmouth, Cape Cod's sub-committee on human trafficking has been helping support a hostel and a school in Nuwakot, Nepal which educates at-risk girls in a community where child marriage and trafficking to brothels is part of the economy and culture. By teaching them English, math, science, human rights, and computer skills, the Rotary program provides what girls need in order to find respectable jobs, provide education to others, and change the culture in their villages. Through one district 7950 initiative, solar energy has been provided to the hostel so that there is reliable energy and internet for the Falmouth Rotary zoom teaching program.

The presentation includes a video message from the founder of the Nuwakot facilities who is a trafficking survivor. She was rescued after 3 years of rape and abuse and went on to become the first girl from her village to get a college degree. She founded the school and hostel three years ago, and has already helped hundreds of girls receive the education they need to avoid child marriages and trafficking. Please contact Robin at msrobinsinger@gmail.com to arrange a presentation at your club meeting, or if you want more information.