WHO ARE WE?
As Lila Ghising grew up in Hetauda, Nepal, she noticed her friends started to vanish. They were there one day, and gone the next.

She didn’t know it at the time, but her friends were part of the 15,000 Nepalese girls under 14 who are sent to India or the Gulf Coast each year to live as slaves.

With the discovery of her friends’ plight, Lila began Friends of WPC Nepal, a charitable organization that fights against human trafficking and sexual exploitation of women and children. The organization does this by supporting programs that help victims of trafficking, namely The Women’s Protection Center in Nepal. (नारी संरक्षण केन्द्र)

How do we fight human trafficking?
• We empower women through education and job training
• We help survivors return to society with dignity and respect
• We advocate for healthcare resources and increase awareness of HIV/AIDS

Fighting against human trafficking is a crime against humanity. Join us to eradicate this crime.
ABOUT NEPAL

Nepal is a small, beautiful country in Asia. It is nestled in the Himalayas between China and India. Its population 30 million people. Of those, approximately 40% live below the poverty line and 47% of the population is unemployed. This ranks Nepal among the ten poorest socioeconomic nations in the world.

The Nepalese are a beautiful, resilient people. They are kind and hospitable, but ingrained in their society is a caste system that justifies the mistreatment and marginalization of those in lower castes. This propagates the poverty and injustice observed in their society, and prevents help from reaching those who need it most.

TO THOSE WHO ARE AGAINST HUMAN TRAFFICKING

As an organization we address the problem of human trafficking in a holistic way. We provide the support and the tools to help women become self sufficient through their hard work. We are giving you the power to help women and children support themselves in a sociocultural setting that has isolated them.

Here are a few ways you can help:
• Learn more about human trafficking
• Donate to WPC
• Sponsor WPC projects in Nepal
• Sponsor rescued women and children
• Volunteer with WPC in Nepal or USA
• Organize fundraisers for WPC

For more information go to www.friendsofwpcnepal.org or email us at info@friendsofwpcnepal.org

WOMEN’S PROTECTION CENTER NEPAL

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