



A Talk by Rebecca Tinsley

Tuesday, June 21

Time: 1:15-2:45pm

Location:
UN Office of Baha'i International
Community
866 United Nations Plaza, Suite
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Located on East 48th Street
between 1st Ave & FDR Drive

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In 2004, while the world turned a blind eye to the genocide in Sudan, journalist and human rights activist Rebecca Tinsley visited the Darfur refugee camps to interview survivors about their experiences. When she asked the women how she could help, their response was emphatic. "Go and tell our story. No one knows what's happening here."

Remarks by

Rebecca Tinsley
Former BBC reporter and
author of *When the Stars Fall to
Earth*

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that address genocide and
assist survivors

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Speakers' Bios

Rebecca Tinsley is a journalist and human rights activist who has worked in nine African countries. She founded Waging Peace, a London-based group campaigning on Darfur, and Network for Africa, a charity working with survivors of genocide after the big aid agencies move elsewhere. Together with her husband Henry, she was asked by President and Mrs Carter to start the Carter Centre UK. She was on the London Committee of Human Rights Watch for seven years, and has attended human rights trials in Turkey on their behalf. Rebecca was born in Toronto in 1960 and moved to the UK in 1970. She completed a law degree at the London School of Economics. She is a former BBC politics reporter, and she stood for election to the UK parliament twice during the 1980s. Two of her novels have been published in the UK. Her articles have appeared in *The Times*, *The Independent*, *The Telegraph*, *The Guardian*, *The New Statesman*, *The Santa Barbara News-Press* and the *Anniston Star*. She is on the advisory board of Bennington College, Vermont, and is a trustee of the Bosnian Support Fund.

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