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Arvind Devalia – Peace Activist, Best-selling Author, Speaker and Coach

Event: Peace in our Time

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Holocaust survivor and Anne Frank’s step-sister Eva Schloss to speak out in support of Syrian refugees

St Johns Wood, London:

Eva Schloss, MBE, Holocaust survivor and step-sister of Anne Frank is to make a heartfelt plea for more support and compassion towards refugees.

Eva herself sought refuge in London after the Second World War. Now aged 86, she lives in St Johns Wood.

Having experienced the distress of going into hiding with a Dutch family in Amsterdam as a 15-year-old Jewish girl during the war, Eva is calling on British people to “open up their gates” to Syrian refugees at a time of extreme need.

The Holocaust education campaigner, who survived Auschwitz concentration camp said: “Now we are back into this terrible world again - it feels like we are near war.”

“The refugee crisis is “history repeating itself” – Eva Schloss

Eva will be speaking on Sunday 20th September at a special Peace Evening organised by best-selling author and coach Arvind Devalia. A fellow peace activist, he will also be sharing his own ideas on how to bring more peace into the world.

"Peace in the world begins with you and me - every single peaceful action you take makes the world a better place" - Arvind Devalia

The evening will also feature musical and singing contributions based around the theme of peace from special guests such as international singers Helen Astrid and Renu Gidoomal.

"Peace in our Time" will take place at 6.00pm at St Marks Church, 114 Hamilton Terrace, St Johns Wood, NW8 9UT.

Tickets cost £5 (plus 95p booking fee) with all profits going to charity.

Details at www.ArvindDevalia.com/PeaceEvening2015

About Arvind

Arvind Devalia ([www. ArvindDevalia.com](http://www.ArvindDevalia.com)) is a peace activist, coach, speaker and best-selling author with a keen interest in reconciliation and bringing people together.

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