


An Evening With Filmmaker
HILARY HELSTEIN

FILM SCREENING OF
**AS SEEN THROUGH
THESE EYES**

NARRATED BY MAYA ANGELOU
CO-PRODUCED BY SUNDANCE CHANNEL



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Poet Maya Angelou writes, "I know why the caged bird sings." So does director **Hilary Helstein**, who has traveled the world over the past decade, compiling interviews with survivors who have given us something that history couldn't; a journal of the Holocaust as seen through the eyes of the artist, through the eyes of people who by the very act of creating, rebelled and risked their lives by doing what they were forbidden to do. As Maya Angelou narrates this powerful documentary, she reveals the story of a brave group of people who fought Hitler with the only weapons they had: charcoal, pencil stubs, shreds of paper and memories etched in their minds. These artists took their fate into their own hands to make a compelling statement about the human spirit, enduring against unimaginable odds. It features Simon Wiesenthal, the children of Terezin, and Dina Gottliebova Babbitt, personal artist to Dr. Mengele.

The mission of "As Seen Through these Eyes" is to combat prejudice, intolerance and bigotry through a series of moving interviews with these survivor-artists. The film has garnered multiple international awards to date and has screened at numerous UN offices including New York, Brussels, Vienna, and Burma, among others as a human rights film.

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