



# FORGES

Friends of Rwandan  
Genocide Survivors

**PLEASE JOIN US FOR AN EVENING OF REMEMBRANCE**  
**APRIL 17TH, 2010**  
**BOSTON COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL, 150 WILLIAM T MORRISSEY BLVD**  
**DORCHESTER, MA 02125**

***Time: 3:00 PM to 8:30 PM***

**16 Years Later**

**An evening of remembrance to honor the victims of the Genocide and praise the  
resilience and courage of the survivors**

## **Agenda**

- 3:00 - 3:10    **Welcome** ( BC High School Representative)
- 3:10 - 3:30    **Opening Prayers**
- 3:30 - 4:00    **Opening Remarks:** *A new generation is rising* (Chantal Kayitesi)
- 4:00 - 4:30    **They are in a better place** (Genocide Survivors and friends)
- 4:30 - 4:45    **Remembrance Songs** (Robert Gakwaya)
- 4:45 - 5:00    **Poems** (read by Rwandan College students)
- 5:00 - 5:50    **Candle lighting (everybody) & Reading of victims names:**  
*Facilitated by Esperance Uwambyeyi & Christina Mukankaka*
- 5:50 - 6:00    **A message of encouragement** (Sister Anne Fox)
- 6:00 - 6:30    **Break & Refreshments**
- 6:30 - 7:20    **They will not be called "Orphans" anymore** (Esperance Uwambyeyi)  
**Success Stories and Video projection**
- 7:20 - 7:30    **Poem by Justin** (read by Rwandan students)
- 7:30 - 7:40    **A thank you prayer**
- 7:40 - 8:00    **A message of hope and strength** (by young Rwandan Survivors)
- 8:00 - 8:15    **Pledge of Remembrance** – with Music Arrangement
- 8:15 - 8:30    **Closing remarks**  
***End of commemoration activities***

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Event Organizer: FORGES (Friends of Rwandan Genocide Survivors)

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