RECOMMENDED BOOK LIST

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Walking Prey: How America’s Youth Are Vulnerable to Sex Slavery
Holly Austin Smith / 2014

Today, two cultural forces are converging to make America’s youth easy targets for sex traffickers.

Trafficking of Children for Sexual Exploitation: Public International Law 1864-1950
Sunil Rao / 2013

A majority of the existing literature on human trafficking is based on the Trafficking Protocol (2000), and provides limited historical analysis of the preceding law on the subject.

The Johns: Sex for Sale and the Men Who Buy It
Victor Malarek / 2011

Each year, more than 800,000 women and children are lured, tricked, or forced into prostitution to meet an apparently insatiable demand, joining an estimated 10 million women already ensnared in the $20 billion worldwide sex trade.

Renting Lacy: A Story Of America’s Prostituted Children (A Call to Action)
Linda Smith / 2009

The average age of entry into prostitution in America is 13 years old. Forced into a life they never chose, manipulated, abused and tortured at the hands of the pimps who control them, our country’s children are sold on the streets, on the internet and at truck stops across America every night.

Unspeakable: The Hidden Truth Behind The World’s Fastest Growing Crime
Raymond Bechard / 2006

Written by Ahava Kids Founder and Director, Raymond Bechard, this book will finally bring the dark world of Child Trafficking into the light of day.

Sex Trafficking: Inside the Business of Modern Slavery
Siddharth Kara / 2010

Every year, hundreds of thousands of women and children are abducted, deceived, seduced, or sold into forced prostitution, coerced to service hundreds if not thousands of men before being discarded.

The Slave Next Door: Human Trafficking and Slavery in America Today
Kevin Bales & Ron Soodalter / 2010

In this riveting book, the authors and authorities on modern day slavery expose the disturbing phenomenon of human trafficking and slavery that exists now in the United States.

The Berlin Turnpike: A True Story of Human Trafficking in America
Raymond Bechard / 2011

This is a true story of human trafficking in America as told through the testimony of a landmark federal trial which took place at the heart of one of the country’s wealthiest states, Connecticut, over the course of eight days in 2007.

Trafficked: The Diary of a Sex Slave
Sibel Hodge / 2011

My name is Elena and I used to be a human being. Now I am a sex slave. If you are reading this diary then I am either dead or I have managed to escape...

The Blue Notebook: A Novel
James A. Levine / 2010

An unforgettable, deeply affecting debut novel, The Blue Notebook tells the story of Batuk, a precocious fifteen-year-old girl from rural India who is sold into sexual slavery by her father.

Other Dreams of Freedom: Religion, Sex, and Human Trafficking
Yvonne C. Zimmerman / 2012

Human trafficking has captured worldwide attention as a crucial moral and political issue, but perhaps nowhere more than in the United States.

Girls Like Us: Fighting for a World Where Girls Are Not for Sale: A Memoir
Rachel Lloyd / 2012

Powerfully raw, deeply moving, and utterly authentic. Rachel Lloyd has turned a personalatrocity into triumph and is nothing less than a true hero.

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