Tibetan Film maker **Dhondup Wangchen** was detained in March 2008 soon after he completed filming a documentary Leaving Fear Behind featuring Tibetans expressing their views on His Holiness the Dalai Lama, the Olympic Games, and Chinese laws. He was subsequently sentenced to six years in prison. He filmed more than 100 Tibetans, most of whom chose to speak on camera without concealing their identities. The film was smuggled out of China prior to the filmmaker's detention, and was screened in August, 2008. Dhondup Wangchen has been suffering from hepatitis B after his imprisonment, for which he has said that he has been denied adequate medical treatment.

Tibetan Association of Northern California welcomes everyone to join us at the Film screening of "Leaving Fear Behind" followed by intimate discussion and Q&A with Lhamo Tso.









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