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October Documentary Film Club Notice:

October 20, 2016

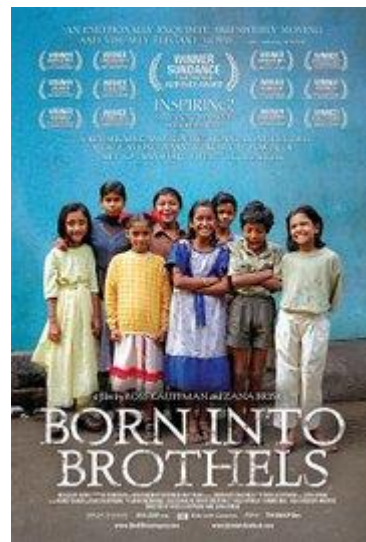
2:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Maravilla Theater

5486 Calle Real

Born Into Brothels

1 hour 25 minutes (2004)



A film by Ross Kauffman and Zana Briski (2004)

Born into Brothels features several unforgettable children who live in Calcutta's red light district, where their mothers work as prostitutes. Spurred by the kids' fascination with her camera, Zana Briski, a New York-based photographer living in the brothels and documenting life there, decides to teach them photography.

As the kids begin to look at and record their world on film, they awaken for the first time to their own talents and sense of worth, and they begin to become recognized as worthwhile members of society.

Born into Brothels captures the way in which beauty can be found in even the seemingly bleakest and most hopeless of places, and how art and education can empower children to transform their lives.