

# AN EVENING OF EDUCATION & HOPE



*In Celebration & Support of*  
**MATÈNWA COMMUNITY LEARNING CENTER  
OF LAGONAV, HAITI**

SATURDAY, MARCH 21, 2009  
6:00-9:00 p.m.  
The Atrium School  
69 Grove Street, Watertown, MA

Special Guest  
**JEAN-ROBERT CADET**

Reading from his book  
**Restavec: From Haitian Slave  
Child to Middle-Class American**



**Art & Music  
Caribbean Dinner and Dessert  
Tickets: \$ 60**

Jean-Robert Cadet was a child restavec in Haiti. Although he is now an accomplished educator and author, Jean-Robert believes no one can ever overcome being a child slave.

"It's with you," he stated on the Oprah show, "because I believe that your childhood is your foundation."

The Matènwa Community Learning Center offers a learning environment where children are respected and valued. The Center addresses issues of social justice. Solutions emerge from the community and model what is possible in Haiti.

For more information visit: [www.matenwacclc.org](http://www.matenwacclc.org)

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- A student sponsor (242 students) \$300
- A teacher sponsor (16 teachers) \$2,000
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