



“Voices Across the Divide”
 a film by Jewish filmmaker
 Alice Rothchild

plus documentary shorts “Canada Park”
 & “4 Jewish Women Reflect on Learning
 about the Nakba” with discussion

Wednesday May 29, 2-5pm
 Guilford Library, 67 Park St

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Interviews with Palestinians in the US are interwoven with historical photos and footage to create an intimate picture of one of the most complex conflicts of our time, by examining the Nakba, the forcible military expulsion of Palestinians from Palestine to create Israel on May 15, 1948. This day that brought joy to migrant Jews in Palestine was a disaster (“Nakba”) for Palestinians who lived there as they lost their homes, possessions, country and sometimes their lives and were driven into exile.

“Voices” is a powerful documentary and oral history project exploring Israeli/Palestinian relations through rarely heard personal stories. Narrated by Alice Rothchild, an American Jew raised on the tragedies of the Holocaust and the dream of a homeland in Israel, the film follows her personal journey as she begins to understand the Palestinian narrative of loss, occupation, statelessness and immigration to the US.

“The events of 1947-49 stand at the root of the conflict. In order to reach a just and comprehensive peace between Israelis and Palestinians, the Nakba must be acknowledged.” – *Jewish Voice for Peace*

“A people without a country came to a country with a people, and that people experienced a terrible tragedy that continues to this day.” – Gideon Levy, Ha’aretz, Sep 2016