Winning Ways

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NONPROFIT

Concert raising funds for Peru project

Karen and Tom Worthington of the Worthington Law Centre are hosting Francesco Attesti of Cortona, Italy, for a private concert in their home to benefit Santa Lucia Rotary Club's joint charitable venture with the Rotary Club of San Antonio-Miraflores, Lima, Peru’s Happy Homes Project –Joining Hearts.

The Happy Homes Project will help in developing a shelter for girls, ages 6 to 18, who have been sexually abused and are living in extreme poverty. At present, these girls are provided with very limited accommodations, food, clothing, education and psychological support.

The goal is to raise $70,000 to expand and make improvements to the existing shelter, thus providing the girls a safe and comfortable place to call home.

While this event is sold out, people may still contribute to the charitable program of the Santa Lucia Rotary Club of Salinas. Donations can be made to the Santa Lucia Rotary Foundation and mailed to 215 West Alisal St., Salinas, CA 93901.

History of farming, crops and animals, in the area.