



Showing Up Creates Hope

At ATASK, we know that showing up makes a difference. Every conversation, every act of care, every moment of support helps survivors feel seen, safe, and empowered.

On October 18th, our [Silk Road Gala](#) becomes more than a gathering—it's a chance to celebrate stories of resilience, hope, and connection. From performers sharing narratives of hope to community leaders speaking on the power of support, the evening reflects what happens every day at ATASK: lives transformed when people show up for one another.

Whether you join us in person, support through a donation, or spread the word, you are part of this story—and your involvement strengthens our work in meaningful ways.

The Gala Experience: Why it Matters

The Silk Road Gala is more than a night of performances and conversation—it is a living reflection of ATASK's mission. Each voice and act of leadership on this stage highlights the importance of showing up—leaders who bring care, creativity, and courage to their communities, just as ATASK does every day for survivors.



Grace Lin
Special Guest

Award-winning author and illustrator **Grace Lin** will join us for a fireside chat on the transformative power of storytelling. Growing up as one of the few Asian American children in her town, Grace understands what it means to feel unseen. Through her books and advocacy, she creates mirrors and windows for young readers—affirming identity, building empathy, and celebrating resilience. In dialogue with ATASK, her insights remind us of the power of being witnessed, heard, and supported.

Irene Li, our Emcee, brings warmth, authenticity, and a lifetime of community-building to the evening. From feeding families in need during the pandemic to empowering restaurant workers through mentorship, Irene embodies the spirit of showing up for others. Her presence guides the evening with heart, connecting attendees to the mission and the impact of collective care.



Irene Li
Gala Emcee

Gala Co-Chairs **Vivian Pham and Leverett Wing** reflect the spirit of showing up in their leadership. Vivian's dedication to service and community-building inspires her to create spaces where everyone can thrive, and Leverett brings decades of leadership and

advocacy, empowering changemakers and strengthening communities across Massachusetts. Together, they help shape an evening that celebrates resilience, connection, and the everyday acts of courage that define our community, inviting all of us to engage, contribute, and amplify the impact of ATASK's work.



Vivian Pham
Gala Co-Chair



Leverett Wing
Gala Co-Chair

Alongside these voices of leadership, the Silk Road Gala also lifts up **stories of resilience**. One of the most powerful moments of the evening will be hearing directly from a **survivor** who will share her journey of courage and hope. The program also features two **special performances** that highlight stories of belonging and perseverance, demonstrating how culture, art, and community can help us heal. And as the evening unfolds, the **After Party** offers a joyful space to celebrate, dance, and reflect on the collective impact of showing up for survivors.

You are cordially invited to the
Silk Road Gala
Saturday October 18, 2025 @ 6 PM
Renaissance Boston Seaport District
606 Congress Street, Boston, MA

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[Buy Tickets](#)

Individual tickets are available and sponsorship opportunities are open.

Join us in building a future where every survivor is heard, supported, and empowered.



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in the lives of survivors of domestic violence.

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