

## *A Quick Look into the Commission on the Status of Women (CSW 58) 2015*

### *Information for Girls, Boys and Young Adults*

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- ❖ The Commission on the Status of Women held its 58<sup>th</sup> session at the United Nations in New York City, March 10-21.
- ❖ The two week event focused on the 8 Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) challenges and achievements.
  - ❖ The empowerment of women and girls was the center focus for the commission.
  - ❖ Focus was also placed on making equality between men and women a reality.
- ❖ Topics discussed: human rights for women, women and girl's access to education, poverty, training, science, technology, and women's access to full employment and decent work.
- ❖ Violence against women was overall one of the main topics addressed in an effort to have the issue included in the post 2015 agenda.

