

Mr. Louis le Grange  
Minister of Law and Order  
Civitas Building  
Pretoria, South Africa

Your Excellency:

With deep respect for human life, and a belief in the equality of people of every race and creed, we petition the government of the Republic of South Africa to release trade unionists, student and church leaders who have been detained for expressions of their political and religious beliefs, for racial reasons, and for opposing the system of apartheid which we decry as an affront to human rights.

~~Alan Nelson~~ Hurley, OP.

Marilyn Kewin

Rebecca Stevens

Stan Gough

Linda Jo Reynolds

J.R. Wilkinson

Leonard Butters

Jo Stowell

Mr. M. M. Muff

John Montgomery

Robert J. Nedel

Judith Sacetti

Mary Ellen Wilson

Mary Muters

Julie Schwab

Kathy Brady OP

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Your Excellency:

We respectfully request the release of Reverend Samson Daba of Uitenhage who has been detained in Port Elizabeth for expression of his religious opposition to the system of apartheid.

Nancy J. Nelson  
Michael R. Spencer  
Ken B. D.  
Daniel O. Stady  
Michael G. Cook, Jr.  
John C. Yoder  
Catherine Brooks  
Ronald Hunt

Mark R. Kemer  
Cynthia Phillips  
Virginia V. Goldman  
M. J. W. W.  
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John Yoshikawa  
Donald Rothaupt  
Dorothy C. Kiegel  
Utah Phillips  
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Jonda Baxter  
Amy Mickelson  
Gordon Stabinski  
Mary James  
Marilyn L. Mueller  
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Lewis R. Nelson  
Erich J. Richter  
U. C. K. K.  
Mima Lee Heston  
Olivia M. Keeble  
R. J. M. M.  
Marjorie Rothaupt  
Doris Edwards  
Gary P. Foster  
Al Mangan  
Cheryl Puhar  
Michele Padella  
Kathleen Donahoe  
Randy Cooper  
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Sean Daly

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Dale K. Sanderson

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Roxanne Hudson

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Anthony Jordan

Gary Shunk J.

Dan Swangard

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Jim M. Housh

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MESSAGE OF SUPPORT TO THE END CONSCRIPTION CAMPAIGN

Three weeks ago, every window pane in the zinc house belonging to one of our members living in Nyanga Bush squatter community was shot out by troops of the South African Defence Force.

The call "Troops out of the Townships" therefore, has a very real significance for many of our members. It also expresses, in concrete terms, our commitment as an organisation to Christ's values of true peace based on a liberated and just society.

We therefore express our solidarity with, and support of, the End Conscription Campaign. We salute the example of Dr Ivan Toms who has symbolised this commitment and vision through the weeks of his fast. We pledge ourselves to struggle alongside you until a just peace is achieved in our land.

Brussels, Monday 14<sup>th</sup> / 85

Dear Stephen,

Please find enclosed our latest issue of "The right to refuse to kill" (with an information package on ECC + copy of letter to SA ministry of Police).

Hope your trip was a success (and enjoyable at that).  
Keep in touch (if you have time).

We wish you and your friends all the best

Pascal

(EBCO staff member)

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