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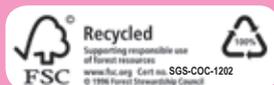


‘Open your newspaper – any day of the week – and you will find a report from somewhere in the world of someone being imprisoned, tortured or executed because his opinions or religion are unacceptable to his government. The newspaper reader feels a sickening sense of impotence. Yet if these feelings of disgust all over the world could be united into common action, something effective could be done.’

Peter Benenson (1921-2005)
founder of Amnesty International

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STAND UP FOR HUMANITY

TODAY you can do one simple thing to make our world a better place.

Violence and lies wreck the lives of millions of people around the globe. Men and women are forcibly disappeared or are executed. People who speak or write the truth are thrown in jail. Refugees are treated like criminals. Others are abused, tortured or killed because of their race, gender, sexual orientation, language or beliefs.

Must it be this way? Millions of us say no. We belong to Amnesty International, a worldwide movement of ordinary people who stand up for human rights and freedom.

AMNESTY gives its members and supporters a way of protesting about human rights abuse – and the means to do something about it that really works.

We fight lies by telling the truth. It is the foundation of everything we do. Our researchers find out what is really going on behind the headlines. Whether we are uncovering evidence of corporate abuse, or shining a light into torture cells around the world, our research has to be 100% solid because lives – quite literally – depend on it. This often means visiting a country to investigate the situation on the ground by conducting interviews, observing trials, and liaising with human rights activists.

Dictators, secret policemen and thugs everywhere hate Amnesty because they know our information is accurate, reliable and unbiased.

We campaign on behalf of individuals at

risk in places from Burma to Zimbabwe. We campaign with communities suffering human rights abuses, such as women in Iran, slum dwellers in Kenya or indigenous peoples in Canada. We spotlight global issues such as the death penalty, the arms trade and protecting women's rights.

We use our research and evidence to lobby governments and MPs and to raise media and public awareness by compiling detailed and thorough reports based on hard facts.

We organise demonstrations, promote knowledge and understanding through educational activities, we campaign online and we write thousands of letters on behalf of individuals facing human rights violations.

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Azza Hilal Ahmad Suleiman is fighting for justice after Egyptian soldiers attacked her during a large protest near Tahrir Square in 2011



'One thing that gives us hope is support and solidarity from regular people. People are the only impetus for change. Government will not improve or do anything unless there is pressure from people... The amount of messages I received gives me a lot of hope despite all the challenges.'

Aung San Suu Kyi, Burmese pro-democracy leader who spent 15 years under house arrest



'I was quite young when I first learned about Amnesty International and was struck by the fact that it had been founded simply because one thinking man had read about the arrest of two young students... After I was placed under house arrest and many of my colleagues were imprisoned for their political beliefs, my appreciation for Amnesty International increased by the day.'

Peter Benenson founded Amnesty International in 1961 – it is now the biggest voluntary human rights organisation in the world



'Only when the last prisoner of conscience has been freed, when the last torture chamber has been closed, when the United Nations Universal Declaration of Human Rights is a reality for the world's people, will our work be done.'

Jenni Williams is a member of Women of Zimbabwe Arise – she has been arrested more than 30 times in her struggle to improve life in her country



'Amnesty International is our big sister. When I'm in prison, if I know that someone, my big sister, is shouting for me, telling people about me, then I feel less distressed, less frightened and less alone.'

