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Demilitarisation
Disarmament
Democracy
Development

FOR WORLD PEACE

"People Talk of Peace but Prepare for War" Vijay Mehta

Q. How are we going to achieve World Peace?

a. We carry on the \$1.6 trillion a year military spending (\$4 billion a day approx.)

b. We unite behind the 4D Charter to release the money needed (\$300 billion per year approx.) for realising peace and development.

Ans. b. Sign up for a Safer World

At a time when 24,000 children are dying every day due to mainly preventable causes, the economy is sinking into a recession and the higher food prices are making life unbearable for the world's poorest; **the** world is over armed and underfed.

The global issues such as poverty, war, terrorism and climate change are interlinked and require a broad understanding for achieving collective security and world peace. No government, single group or individual can solve these issues on its own. Cooperation and concerted action between states and civil society is urgently needed. Sign up to 4D!

The 4D Charter: through working together on disarmament, demilitarisation, development and democracy citizens can work for world peace by campaigning for:

- Demilitarising the global economy to shift resources towards health, education, development and human security programmes.
- An effective and credible United Nations whose goals include human rights, social justice and Democracy.
- A culture of peace and sustainable Development.
- Disarming the world and investing in a vision of world peace.

Join other thinkers and activists in supporting the 4D vision. We would also welcome your endorsements and collaboration on the 4D Charter for World Peace – SIGN UP TO THE 4D CAMPAIGN FOR A SAFER, JUST AND DEMOCRATIC WORLD: As a first step

- Sign the global petition at <u>www.unitingforpeace.org</u>
- Join our Facebook page <u>www.facebook.com/unitingforpeace</u>
- Follow our Twitter page <u>www.twitter.com/unitingforpeace</u>

Sample Endorsements for '4D for World Peace':

- I support this important campaign of 4D for World Peace, necessary steps to peace Mairead Maguire, Nobel Peace Prize Laureate (1976), Northern Ireland
- Peace is not only the absence of war, it means calm and it means conditions where human beings can maintain their human integrity. **Dr. Shirin Ebaadi,** Nobel Peace Prize Laureate (2003), Iran
- 4D, Count me in...! Deepak Chopra, Best Selling Author and Founder Chopra Foundation, USA
- The 4D Charter provides the essential dimensions of struggle for a more humane and sustainable future. It offers us a 21st century map capable of guiding our moral and political imagination in its search for practical solutions. Richard Falk, UN Special Rapporteur on Human Rights for Palestinian Territories
- 4D for World Peace! Good initiative. Dr. Scilla Elworthy, Founder Peace Direct, UK
- Peace is not absence of war. It requires proper understanding so that we create a compassionate, honest society. **Arun Gandhi**, Grandson of Mahatma Gandhi
- > This is the essential curriculum for peace, healing & healing justice, James O'Dea, Former Director of the Washington, DC office of Amnesty International
- Uniting forces and collaborative effort for peace most encouraging! Tenzin Tethong, President Dalai Lama Foundation
- Peace, Love, Ice cream and all the best wishes to 4D. Let's inspire the world to take action. **Timm Duffner**, Brand Leader, Ben & Jerry's at Unilever
- Through peace we bring health and well-being for all. **Polly Higgins,** International Environment Lawyer for making Ecocide the 5th Crime against Peace, UK
- I endorse the 4D for World Peace Campaign. Noerine Kaleeba, co-Founder "The AIDS Support Organization" (TASO), Uganda
- The 4Ds will be possible when we become aware of our common humanity and the spiritual values we share. **Sister Maureen Goodman**, Director, Brahma Kumaris
- The 4D Charter sets out inspiring goals and highlights important points for discussion. Indeed, the idea of a free forum for critical discussion, developing solutions and implementation of global peace and sustainable development is both necessary and important. Jeremy Gilley, Founder Peace One Day, UK





















