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Director's
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By Liz
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MY RECIPE FOR PEACE

Written for One Peace Many Path's "Recipes for Peace" event Sept 19, 2012. Read more recipes at www.pjals.org/blog, and come to our Sunday Nov 11 Membership Meeting to concoct and share your own recipe for peace and justice!

My recipe for peace calls for:

- * bread for all ...because "*Peace begins when the hungry are fed.*" -- Gene White
- * land for all and homes for all; clean air and clean water for all
- * recognition of the inherent worth and dignity of every human person and the interconnected web of life, of which we are all a part
- * compassion and action, solidarity and unity
- * appreciation of difference
- * the freedom to love whom we love, the freedom to marry if we choose
- * the freedom to organize and the right to self-determination
- * accountability to those directly affected

- * a dose of people's history so we can see root causes
- * life balance for all: "*8 hours for work, 8 hours for rest, 8 hours for what we will.*"
- * community involvement & community-building
- * shared power and a model of power-sharing
- * courage, to stand up and get accused of trouble-making when what you're doing is trouble-revealing. In Martin Luther King's words: "*Nonviolent direct action seeks to create such a crisis and foster such a tension that a community which has constantly refused to negotiate is forced to confront the issue. It seeks so to dramatize the issue that it can no longer be ignored.*"
- * Struggle! Frederick Douglass wrote: "*The whole history of the progress of human liberty shows that all concessions yet made to her august claims have been born of earnest struggle. ... **If there is no struggle there is no progress.** Those who profess to favor freedom, and yet deprecate agitation, ... want crops without plowing up the ground. They want rain without thunder and lightning. They want the ocean without the awful roar of its many waters. **Power concedes nothing without demand. It never did and it never will.**"*

Leave out:

- * military spending, military aid, & militarism as a whole

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- Desk chairs and a desk for interns.
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- Printer ink: \$45
- Office Angel to help keep our supplies organized and tidy: Priceless!
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Rusty Nelson on
Peace and War

November is for SOAW

Remember School of
the Americas? School
of Assassins?
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Institute for Security

Cooperation? Some of us will never forget our experiences at Ft. Benning or the U.S.-sponsored atrocities that made us passionate about being there, but we might forget our country still maintains a facility to perpetuate terror against impoverished Latin Americans who dare to act, or even speak, against their own oppression.

Perhaps you get emails from SOA Watch and know that thousands of opponents of our anachronistic U.S. policy on Latin America gather each November to observe the grim anniversary of the massacre at the University of Central America and try to shame our military into eliminating our own haven for state terrorism. You may know our tax dollars pay for this institution of human misery which has few enemies in Congress and a 'wall of honor' for many of our hemisphere's worst abusers of human rights.

No history of PJALS is complete without recalling the delegations we sent to the SOA or the witness and sacrifice of Paddy Inman and Eric Robison, among heroes from around the country, but we reduced our efforts when the results of risks and rallies became completely predictable. A few women and men of conscience go to prison each year. Congress pays no attention, and the army is unmoved. I believe faithfulness is more important than success, but we felt we could be more faithful and come closer to success by changing our venue, reducing the expenses of individuals and groups anxious to participate, and

enabling more activists to take risks which don't involve consequences as dire as six months in prison.

Closing the SOA is still urgently important, and the facilitators of SOA Watch are courageous advocates of truth and justice who deserve your support. The issue is often obscured by the latest malfeasances of our military misadventures, but we who demand justice cannot ignore Guantanamo, Gaza, Bradley Manning, and the other elephants roaming our living room. I hope you will be aware of the events of November 16-18, in Columbus, GA. The protests and processions of thousands once elicited national news coverage and dialogue. This year, you may have to go to soawatch.org to keep posted, but do that.

If this is a new area for you, please learn about the SOA and what you can do about it. If it opens old wounds and reminds you of failed campaigns, check out the good things happening because of SOA Watch; gains made for Central American communities, new awareness for a few members of Congress, and interventions for peace in Colombia. And tell your congressional delegation to "Close the SOA!" Politicians often must be hounded to do the right thing, no matter how good their intentions.

Speaking of politicians, this is an election year, in case you need reminding, and elections are another common November theme. Most of you have probably voted before reading this, but I have to add a few reflections

One observation is that most of us with PJALS never have the luxury of voting for a congressional candidate or incumbent interested in the demise of SOA/WHINSEC. We don't get Green or Socialist candidates, even in the primaries. Senators Murray and

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Risk Takers

By Mike Edwards, PJALS member

“Risk takers” is a Republican phrase that has become synonymous with describing the men who singlehandedly grow the economy and in the process, lead America to a better, more ethical, wealthier future. What politicians say is that growth, like broccoli and puppies, is universally good, and that growth is orchestrated by the few capitalists who are able to generously provide financing for the system.

According to Chris Hedges book *Empire of Illusion*, the porn industry, largely centered in the United States, generated over 96 billion dollars in 2006. On a pure growth model view of the world, this revenue is a phenomenal good to society. The porn industry creates jobs; jobs that cannot be outsourced. Actors and actresses, camera people, lighting and make-up technicians, UPS truck drivers who deliver the finished videos and the hotel industry through pay per view revenues, all benefit from the “risk takers” at Wicked Pictures. The “risk takers” in this industry cash in their winnings on luxury cars, speed boats, exotic trips and castles in cities like Las Vegas and Los Angeles. Everybody who touches this industry (figuratively of course) benefits; even the liquor distillers and drug and alcohol treatment councilors benefit greatly from the porn industry’s largesse (addiction rates among porn actors and actresses are astounding). Hell, even divorce attorneys benefit from the porn industry. Wives strangely dislike it when their husbands sit in front of the laptops for hours on end looking at strangers participating in intercourse.

Growth is also seen in the gun shops of the southwestern United States. Drug cartels in Mexico vying for control of lucrative

markets en el norte send straw buyers to gun shops in Arizona, New Mexico and Texas to purchase military weapons and ammunition to carry out war in cities and towns all over Mexico. Those purchases of weapons and ammunition are sources of wealth in the United States. Gun and ammunition manufacturers benefit, truck drivers benefit, more DEA and ATF personnel are hired, construction workers are hired to build a bigger sturdier border fence, drone pilots and mechanics are hired to oversee the happenings along the border. Because of the breakdown in Mexican society, powerless workers stream into the United States to pick fruits and vegetables under the hand of wealthy landowners. These workers supply cheap food for already overfed Americans who gorge on dollar cheeseburgers in front of their TVs and deride the presence of “illegals” in their great land.

Pick an industry and follow it out. Military hardware manufacturers, pay day lenders, the members of the Jersey Shore and the inventors of the Snuggi are all great engines of growth in the United States but for what? Other than jobs, how do these industries provide anything positive for society? More importantly, to what extent do these industries damage society?

Growth is not always good and it should not be worshipped as a demigod. There are people who go to work every day and clean and care for the infirm for 9 bucks an hour and teachers’ aids who see most of their wages disappear into the pockets of Aetna or Kaiser Permanente. Small farmers lose their land every day because they cannot afford to compete. Economic stability, and the sustainability of the community and of the environment are goals that must trump the Republicans’ endless calls for rewards for the “risk takers.”

Col. Ann Wright: Patriot for Peace

by Michelle Little, intern

I have often felt that many of the wars we are waging in foreign countries were wrong. I remember watching the initial bombing in our second war with Iraq played live on my television screen in a campaign we called “Shock and Awe.” I remember feeling scared, confused and borderline disgusted. I always feel a little disheartened when I watch crowds of Americans cheering about the death of “terrorists.” I never exactly understood why I was having those feelings or what it all meant, but after listening to Col. Ann Wright speak at the Unitarian Universalist Church on October 11, I no longer question whether those feelings are justifiable.



Col. Ann Wright told those who gathered at the church about her journey in the military. She spoke of the initial reasons for joining the military; to get out of a small town in Arkansas, educational opportunities and a recruiter who touted that she could “see the world.” Although she stated that she has been blessed to never have to serve in direct combat situations, she provided more than her share of dedication to her country through military service. As a 29 year veteran, she worked as a State Department diplomat and was the Deputy Ambassador of many foreign US Embassies. Like me, she also felt that the war waged upon Iraq in 2003 was wrong. She left her position in the State Department in opposition to that war.

Col. Ann Wright has since become a world-renowned peace activist opposing wars

in countries such as Iraq, Afghanistan and Palestine. According to Ann Wright, the war in Afghanistan is touted as a necessary war to fight terrorism, while in reality the numbers suggest otherwise. With about 15,000 Taliban and as little as 5 members of Al Qaeda in Afghanistan at any one time, what is necessary about 100,000 US troops, 40,000 NATO soldiers, 80,000 civilian contractors and hundreds of thousands of trained Afghani soldiers? It just doesn’t make sense. And to add to the confusion, more US soldiers are killed by Afghani soldiers that we have trained and supplied than by any other conflict or issue.

She also spoke about a very scary reality in our world today: drones. These unmanned aerial vehicles are the number one choice of weapon in our military today. In fact we are currently training more drone operators than in any other facet of the military. They can be controlled virtually anywhere on the globe from the continental U.S. and can take out targets with pinpoint accuracy. The reality of many foreign countries is the constant buzzing of drones overhead, as we roam the sky looking for suspicious activity. The reality for many of these people is never knowing when one will strike. The truth is, it may one day be our reality too because by 2016 Congress has mandated that the FAA have the ability to control 30,000 drones in American commercial airspace. If that doesn’t get you up to speed about the direction this world is going, I don’t know what will.

She came to Spokane as part of her work on a project called Gaza’s Ark. She has been aboard many flotillas that have attempted to break through Israel’s naval blockade of the Gaza ports. She was onboard the Challenger 1 in the Freedom Flotilla that had one of its ships violently attacked by Israeli military.

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Welcome our new interns! Michelle, Josh, Lucy, and Justin are senior social

Michelle Little grew up in Omak, WA, and is the mother of three children, ages 7, 4, and 2. Michelle decided to get a degree in social work so she can change people's views on social workers, due to her own previous negative experiences with social workers



At first, she was interested in working in corrections or chemical dependency. After learning about macro-level social work in one of her classes, Michelle realized that she wanted to make a bigger difference and work on a larger scale. The major turning point for her was when she went to Olympia to lobby for healthcare. She realized that one change can make a larger difference when made on the macro level, whether that is from policy changes or advocacy work.

Liz Moore's talk with the social work classes about the organization sparked Michelle's interest in PJALS. She liked the idea that at PJALS we can be ourselves and not have to conform to what others want. Michelle was interested in economic justice, police accountability and the Bring Our Billions Home campaign.

Michelle's most memorable moment at PJALS was when she attended Col. Ann Wright's speech about Palestine and Israel. It made her really think about what was really going on over there; she has even started doing her own research on the situation.

After Michelle gets her BSW, she would like to work on the Masters in Social Work and Masters in Public Administration dual degrees at EWU and work to make larger societal changes.

Josh Neil, from Whidbey Island, WA, is very active on EWU's campus, where he helps the Pride Center Coordinator with various presentations about the LGBT community and how to become an ally.

Josh got very interested in learning more about PJALS after talking with one of the interns from last year. He then saw the organization's work as something that he saw himself doing in the future. He states, "I'm looking forward to becoming more involved in the political process," so he can become a more informed citizen.

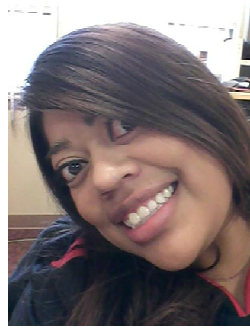


He describes his most memorable moment at PJALS thus far, as doing phone banking for Referendum 74. "It was my first time doing phone banking. It's an interesting, and sometimes, emotional experience." During this time, Josh was able to have a good conversation with a woman voter and even though she was most likely going to vote against the referendum they still had a positive conversation about the LGBT community. He recalls that this gave him hope about how society's views are changing toward equality. "It inspires me to continue fighting for equality, because even though there may not be change today, we must still push on for tomorrow," he says.

Upon graduation, Josh plans to continue his education by pursuing a Masters in Social Work, which then would start a career in advocating for others and changing policy for the betterment of society.

work students from EWU. We're delighted to be working with them!

Lucy Vazquez, from Wenatchee, WA, became interested in social work because she liked the case management work she saw her mother doing in the community. Lucy is also working on a minor in Chicano/Latino studies.



Lucy has been active in MEChA, NASA (Native American Student Association), One America and other social justice groups and she's learned leadership and communication skills. She has a passion for social change, is open-minded, and wants to help other people

Lucy is very involved in MEChA (Movimiento Estudiantil Chicano/a de Aztlán) at EWU. She first became interested in PJALS while participating in events PJALS put on at EWU. She found that both MEChA and PJALS pursued similar principals, particularly, building a nonviolent world. Lucy is hoping to gain tools and knowledge about how to be a better community organizer for her future work. She will be pursuing her Masters in Social Work next year.

Her most memorable moment so far was her participation in the event, "11 Years in Afghanistan, Not One More Death, Not One More Dollar!" Lucy said she "didn't think that reading the death tolls of U.S. Soldiers and Afghanistan civilians was going to get me that upset and emotional, but it changed my life forever. Also hearing all the speakers give their testimonies made me realize that real people are suffering and at that point I couldn't physically do anything to help but I was doing something by working on events such as that one. It really was an eye-opener for me."

Justin Filla is from Cowiche, a small rural community outside of Yakima, WA. He was originally majoring in Criminal Justice, but after learning more about systemic issues that contributed to the delinquency of minors, he realized that he would



rather be on the other side of the problem. Rather than putting people in jail he wanted to help them in other ways. He then decided the Social Work program would be a good fit. He is still considering finishing his degree in Criminal Justice, but would like to focus on his current program. For the last three years, Justin has been involved with ASEWU, the Associated Students of Eastern Washington University, and is currently the elected Student Services Representative.

Justin first heard about PJALS through a former intern who he worked with on the ASEWU. He was fascinated by the large range of issues that PJALS was involved in. He chose to do his internship with PJALS when he realized that many of the issues the organization works on were also important in his life, such as LGBT equality and police accountability.

Even in the few short weeks as an intern at PJALS, Justin has already had some memorable experiences. Topping the list for him was attending the event "Rally For Love," and seeing many local religious leaders stand together in support of Referendum 74 and the freedom to marry for all couples regardless of gender or sexual orientation.

Justin would like to work in an organization that does macro level advocacy.

Why Marriage Matters: LGBT People of Color Discuss the Freedom to Marry for All Loving Couples

by Lucy Vazquez

As the November election approaches and ballots are being filled out, it's important to bring up conversations about LGBT communities' rights and that no one should face discrimination when they hope to marry the person they love.

PJALS teamed up with Why Marriage Matters Washington to organize an event that focused on engaging in the conversation among communities of color about the freedom to marry. The East Central Community Center was filled with love, laughter, tears, and reflection as it became a safe space for a dialogue with great leaders of our communities who shared their personal stories as gay, lesbian, and two spirit people as well as allies showing their support to all loving couples.

This event was so powerful it touched my heart and made me reflect on my life; I didn't realize how much I could relate to their stories. The stories brought tears to my eyes because all I could think about was the ignorance that surrounds our community regarding marriage equality. Everyone should have the right to love and marry whoever they wish to.

I was speaking as an ally to the LGBT community and why marriage matters to me. But as I was about to approach the microphone I started to feel my stomach turning, my hands shaking, and the constant fear that nothing would come out of my mouth. At that moment, I glanced over to the panelists and envisioned my sister sitting in one of those chairs and it hit me, marriage matters to me because I want my sister to be able to marry the person she loves. I knew at the moment that I needed to be her voice.



Standing, from left: Terrie Ashby-Scott (moderator), Ramon Alvarez, Farand Gunnels, Marvo Reguindin, Sandy Williams, Renika Williams. Seated, from left: Rev. Happy Watkins, Lucy Vazquez, OJ Coates

Reverend Happy Watkins ended the panelists' speeches with words of encouragement and words of love that I believed touched the hearts of everyone in the room. The event then proceeded to comments and questions from the audience. It was so inspiring to see the amount of love and support the audience showed towards the freedom to marry, something that I will never forget.

It's time to Bowl for Water!

Last year, through the fun of “Bowling for Water” and donations, we raised \$4,000 to purchase a water system for a pre-school and kindergarten in the city of Khan Younis, in Gaza. This year we are at it again! We want to raise buy another water purification/desalination system for children and their families in Gaza

Roughly 90% of the water in the Gaza Strip is polluted and undrinkable, so these systems are greatly needed. The systems are built and installed by Palestinian companies with 80% of the materials being local. So not only are you helping to provide drinking water for a preschool or kindergarten, but you are also helping out their local economy. So far this project has installed 38 units at kindergartens and UN schools in Palestinian refugee camps, providing 30,000 children with clean, safe drinking water.



“Bowling for Water” will be on Saturday, December 1st at 4:00pm at the North Bowl, 125 W. Sinto. Registration fees are \$25 for an individual or \$90 for a team of four. These fees include 2 hours of bowling, shoe rentals and a beverage! You can't beat that deal!

So get a team together and enjoy a great time bowling while helping a great cause. Last year everyone had a blast, and this year will be no different. **To register for “Bowling for Water” please contact Justin Filla at jfilla@pjals.org.** To contribute, please send your checks made out to Middle East Children's Alliance (MECA) and note they are for the Maia Project, to the PJALS office at 35 W. Main, 99201.

Dreaming of Duvets

by David Smith-Ferri, traveling in Kabul with **Voices for Creative Nonviolence**

Haroon has recurring dreams. Haroon whose father was killed when he was a boy and who remembers a gnawing hunger during the long winter in every year of his childhood. At night, he dreams that someone drops him from a great height. He freefalls through the air, crashes to hard ground, and dies. During the day, he dreams of relief from the anger and confusion that pursue him, and of being a photographer, a traveler.

Faiz, who lost his parents when he was a boy, and whose brother was shot and killed in front of him, has nightmares, too. Each night at the Afghan Peace Volunteer (APV) House here in Kabul, as he sleeps against the wall a few feet away, his moans and cries wake me. By day, he dreams of being a journalist, of marrying and raising a family, of a world without borders and war.

In Afghanistan, with a child mortality rate of nearly twenty percent, many children never even have a chance to form dreams, yet alone to realize one. Life is especially hard on children whose families flee their homes, leaving behind not only their land and livelihoods, but their social networks. Across the country, four hundred people are displaced every day by violence and poverty, and many of them choose to come to Kabul, carrying their shattered dreams with them. Kabul, a city built to support 300,000 people, is now home to over five million.

Last winter, particularly fierce, dozens of very young children froze to death in squalid, “refugee” camps on the outskirts of the city. An estimated thirty-five thousand people live in these camps....

Read the full article at <http://vcnv.org/dreaming-of-duvets-in-afghanistan>

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- * materialism and economic exploitation
- * world domination by superpowers or corporations
- * fear, borders, segregation, separation, and blind obedience
- * violence in all forms: physical, whether by individuals or by armies or by drones; ideological, economic, political, structural...

Take these to the compost pile and let them decay!

Here's how we can cook it up:

- * For all steps, prepare together ... Cesar Chavez wrote, *"We have tried to involve masses of people in their own struggle. Participation and self determination remain the best experience of freedom..."* and that experience is transformative.
- * Understand disparities and why they exist. Look at problems and their root causes from a structural standpoint.... What patterns do you see? Who benefits? What communities are most hurt? Who is included and who is excluded? How?
- * Name race, gender, class, ability, sexual orientation explicitly in the solution. Imagine a bird in a cage. Examining only one wire cannot explain why the bird cannot fly. It is multiple wires, arranged in specific ways, that reinforce each other and trap the bird.
- * Listen to and take leadership from people of color, women, young people, poor people, working people, people in countries our nation targets, people whom corporations exploit.
- * If we have white privilege or male privilege or class privilege or American privilege, use it to create fairness, access and equity for all.
- * Make plans together: Who has the authority to make the change you want? What actions could influence the power holders? What could we do after they say no the first time,

and the second time?

- * If policymakers don't see the light, turn up the heat!
- * Change systems, institutional practices, policies, and outcomes.
- * Renew your efforts and yourself daily.

With this recipe:

- * Create new economic forms that are not based on exploitation or growth for the sake of growth.
- * Create justice and equity. Equity is happening when we see even outcomes across communities and continents, including markers like race, gender, ability, sexual orientation, and income.
- * Create peace: Responding to an accusation that he was "disturbing the peace" by his activism during the Montgomery Bus Boycott, Martin Luther King replied: ***"True peace is not merely the absence of tension: it is the presence of justice."***

Serve to all.

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She sees what is happening to the Palestinians as an ethnic cleansing, and a United States government-sponsored ethnic cleansing. Project Gaza's Ark will attempt to do something that has not been tried before, which is break through the Israeli blockade from the inside out, to establish trade routes so that Palestinian goods can be exported despite the blockades and Palestinians living in Gaza can begin to rebuild their economy.

This amazing woman is taking her knowledge and experience and using it to fight
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Rusty Nelson on Peace and War, continued
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Cantwell are about as likely to rile, restrict or criticize the U.S. military establishment as they are to put strings on military assistance to Israel. I expect Rep. McMorris Rodgers and her opponent, Rich Cowan, are both intentionally uninformed on the issue, each claiming to be a stronger supporter of the military than the other. Michael Baumgartner might be one to call for closure of the SOA, but I have reasons to deny him my vote and, if he somehow won, Republican senators would steer him away from any such good instincts. Jay Inslee is an easy choice for governor, but his resignation from Congress cost us his important vote against the SOA. He was usually a co-sponsor of legislation to close or defund the SOA, and later, WHINSEC, and he will have to be creative to continue that good work as Governor of Washington.

I'm delighted to vote my conscience and passion on several ballot issues, but with my reactionary state legislators unopposed, there's not much excitement regarding candidates, except that I don't ask my friends for permission before writing them in. Maybe that's why I can't go Green in the presidential race. If I can suck it up and vote for Cantwell, I can vote for Obama, too. He's in a closer race, hasn't had time to disappoint me as often as Cantwell, and their shortcomings are similar. It's just that I expect my vote for Cantwell to count, while my vote for president is something much less. Don't tell me you forgot about the Electoral College, again.

Sometimes I feel like I'm the only person who thinks the Electoral College is retained a century past its usefulness out of sheer, anti-democratic perversity. I've actually had people try to explain how this dinosaur makes sense in the 21st Century, and these were not folks who want a return to having U.S. Senators chosen

by state legislatures. I detest the Electoral College, and I think that's healthier than hating Ohio and Florida or the voters who live there and are told their individual votes will count. Unfortunately, there is no will to change this system among mainstream Republicans and Democrats because the misbegotten, two-party system would be unlikely to flourish without it. After all, it can be manipulated by the money and power of a few people who don't have to bother to vote.

By the way, I love to vote, and I'm proud that my state can handle voting by mail. I don't want to discourage anyone from voting, even if your only incentive is voting against a slate of candidates or issues. I'm happy that I can vote for marriage equality in Washington. I hope someday to be able to cast a vote that will say, "Close the SOA!" or "Peace, not war!" or "No state killing!" Until that fine day, I'll just have to keep pestering officials someone else has chosen, trying to make political progress and preserve some of the gains made in my lifetime.

May your vote be counted and your political aspirations realized. - RN

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for the human rights of all people. This woman simply does not stop: coming to visit us in Spokane right after returning from Pakistan where she spoke out against the use of drones, to turning around and gearing up for another attempt at breaking the Israeli blockade to Gaza on a boat called "Estelle" leaving from a Swedish port the following week.

Ann Wright is doing more of something we could all benefit from doing: believing strongly about an issue, standing up and taking action.

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