

Nashville Friends Meeting abhors the horrific violence continuing in Israel and Palestine. As Quakers, we respect the universal sanctity and dignity of all people. We urge our government to:

- call for an immediate cease-fire among all parties to allow them to enter into diplomatic negotiations to build a just and lasting peace,
- call for the immediate release of hostages by all parties,
- call for immediate and adequate humanitarian aid, and
- redirect USA military funding in this region to peacebuilding.

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