

PEACE AND HUMAN RIGHTS

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Peace? As of now, is hardly to achieve. Based from the news which is happening in our country, we are not in peace. Also in our little community, peace is not been practiced as well as in home. But some, and very rarely are practicing on it.

Human rights, yes, we all have the rights to express our own feelings, opinions and problems to our parents, to our community, as well as to our country. But we have no rights to hurt, as well as to take the life of our fellowmen or the life of others.

Filipinos can only enjoy the kind of life they deserve and aspire for when there is peace in the country, when human rights are respected, protected promoted and fulfilled. This takes action from everyone in every sector. Human rights are set out as principle in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights. A Declaration is not legally binding. It lays out principle and objectives and carries moral weight. Human rights are practiced, yet, many are abusing their rights by acquiring their rights in a bad way. Human rights and peace would go each other by using human rights in order to acquire peace.

When an effort is made to fully to respect, protect, promote and fulfill all human rights whether economic, social, cultural, political or civil and that effort helps build towards peace or can prevent conflict. Government officials and public servants are obligated by law to respect human rights and to promote and fulfill them as they go about their work.