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# WALK FOR FREEDOM New York to DC

Initiated and Organized By **ASPER-Italy**



In Coordination with **Eritrean Anti Tyranny Global Solidarity**



**On Foot From New York To Washington DC  
An Appeal to the UN & the USA  
On behalf of Eritrean Prisoners of Conscience**

Whereas Eritrean prisoners of conscience have been languishing in jails for years without charges and denied of visitation rights;

updated regularly).

The journey is divided into several stations. Those who cannot march the whole distance can join part of the march that are suitable to them. Interested individuals should e-mail their intention to join the march indicating their joining stations so that the march can be coordinated.

The route of the March and timetable can change slightly if need for that arise. At the moment, the schedule and the route is planned as follows:

<b>Date</b>	<b>Destination</b>	<b>Comment</b>
Thu. 8/17/06	UN Headquarters	Hand letter of appeal to K. Anan
Same day	Move to Liberty Statue	Start official March
Same day	Elizabeth , New Jersey	17 miles
Fri. 8/18/06	New Brunswick , New Jersey	21 miles
Sat. 8/19/06	Trenton , Pennsylvania	26 miles
Sun. 8/20/06	Philadelphia , Pennsylvania	34 miles
Mon. 8/21/06	Pay tribute to history of Philadelphia	Visit Liberty Bell; meetings
Tue. 8/22/06	Wilmington , Delaware	29 miles
Wed. 8/23/06	Newark , Delaware	14 miles
Thu. 8/24/06	Aberdeen , Madison	27 miles
Fri. 8/25/06	Baltimore, Madison	29 miles
Sat. 8/26/06	Laurel, Madison	22 miles
Sun.8/27/06	Washington , DC	22 miles
Mon. 8/28/06	Washington , DC	Lay Wreath - Unknown Soldier Tomb
Same day		Lincoln Memorial
Same day		Liberty Monument
Same day		Congress to hand letter of appeal

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### **List of the Marchers For Freedom**

Samuel Ghebregiorghis - Germany	Whole Route
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Tekle Ghebreghiorghis - Germany	Whole Route
Dania Avallone - Italy	Whole Route
Tsedal Johannes - United Kingdom	Whole Route
Gianmaria Giannini - Italy	Whole Route
Alessandro Giannini - Italy	Whole Route
Solomon Sengal (HIna) - New York	Whole Route
Afwerki H. Birhane - DC	DC Area
Samson Redeab, DC	DC Area
Fessehaye Desta, DC	DC Area
Dr. Yonas Mehari, DC	DC Area
Lemlem Mehari, DC	DC Area
Daniel Tewelde, New York	NY- NJ Route

## **Fundraising**

Dear sirs,

The March for Freedom is all about the respect of justice. We understand that committing to such an arduous journey on foot is not an easy commitment. However, considering the fact that justice is invaluable, considering the fact that those on whose behalf the March is organized, those who are languishing in jails in Eritrea without charges and without due process, the March is the least we can do.

We urge those who can to join the march, and those who can't to participate in this honorable project with whatever they can. To give you an idea, you can do one of the following things:

- 1- Write to your local Newspapers and other media outlets informing them of the event.
- 2- Write about the event on discussion forums and clubs that you are a member of.
- 3- If the group is marching through your city, make sure to receive them and see them to the confines of your city.
- 4- Volunteer to host them in your houses when they march through your city, and
- 5- Promote the project by discussing it and writing about it on Eritrean websites and discussion forums.

One more thing you can do,

The project is being totally financed with individual resources; and those resources are not in deep pockets. Tesfa Delina (asmarino.com) has been assigned to collect funds for the project. In a day or two, we will post a fundraising link for accepting contributions. Though any amount is good amount, and you are urged to send whatever amount you can afford, please be generous.

Thank you in advance

**the organizers**