

# International Human Solidarity Day - December 20



## ✓ What is International Human Solidarity Day?

Convinced that a culture of solidarity and a spirit of sharing was important for combating poverty and delivering the eight Millennium Development Goals, the UN General Assembly proclaimed 20 December as International Human Solidarity Day.



## ✓ It is:

- A day to celebrate our unity in diversity;
- A day to remind governments to respect their commitments to international agreements;
- A day to raise public awareness of the importance of solidarity;





- A day to encourage debate on the ways to promote solidarity for the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals including poverty eradication;
- A day of action to encourage new initiatives for poverty eradication.

## ✓ What Do People Do?

- Activities may include promoting campaigns on issues such as:
  - Banning land mines.
  - Making health and medication accessible to those in need.
  - Relief efforts to help those who suffered the effects of natural or human-made disasters.
  - Achieving universal education.
  - Fighting against poverty, corruption and terrorism

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