Prisoners Revolutionary Literature Fund Needs You: Donate, Fund-raise and Volunteer for PRLF!

...I am just one of over 2 million prisoners locked down within the belly of the beast. Yet I refuse to allow myself to be crushed by these harsh and brutal conditions; ...I grew up in just one of the many, many slums in Chicago. I ended up in prison by the age of 13... I am 30 now. I have been raised by cold steel and concrete which I do not wear as a Scar of Honor but as an indictment against a system that has been built on genocide and slavery, and has continued to insist on throwing away its “undesirables” generation after generation. However, let me be clear, I am in search of the truth and not pity. My struggle is linked with the struggle of millions across the globe...” —from prisoner yyy

The Prisoners Revolutionary Literature Fund (PRLF, www.PrisonersRevolutionaryLiteratureFund.org), an educational literature fund and project of the 501(c)(3) International Humanities Center, has filled thousands of requests from men and women who are locked up in U.S. prisons and are seeking revolutionary literature, especially subscriptions to Revolution newspaper.

As its Mission Statement says, "Through providing this literature, PRLF provides an educational opportunity for prisoners to engage with world events and key political, cultural, and philosophical questions of the day from a unique revolutionary perspective, including discussions of morality, religion, science, and the arts. Every week prisoners can delve into the urgent and lively news and debate about unfolding political and social struggles, and can critically think about and dissect the current state of society as well as search for an alternative.”

PRLF Cannot Provide Prisoners with Revolutionary Literature Each Year and Keep Up with the Growing Demand WITHOUT YOU

Prisoners Revolutionary Literature Fund urgently needs your help to renew over 800 prisoner subscriptions to Revolution that will come due by the end of 2009, at a cost of $14,000 for 6 months. Funding new subscriptions to 160 of the prisoners now on PRLF’s waiting list requires another $5,600 for one year. Prisoners’ frequent requests for revolutionary literature, in addition to subscriptions to Revolution newspaper, include the books The Science of Evolution and the Myth of Creationism by Ardea Skybreak, and Away With All Gods! Unchaining the Mind and Radically Changing the World by Bob Avakian, Chairman of the Revolutionary Communist Party, USA. And the demand for more revolutionary literature is growing. See many of the prisoners’ letters at www.PrisonersRevolutionaryLiteratureFund.org/prisoners.html.

In addition to the much appreciated individual donations over the years—big and small—PRLF was a beneficiary of some significant events in 2009, including programs in Harlem, NY, Evanston, IL and the Bay Area, California. In July 2009, PRLF was one of two National organizers for the Revolution Rally in New York’s WBAI radio. A fund-raising event is being planned in Houston, TX.

Visit PRLF’s new, improved website www.PrisonersRevolutionaryLiteratureFund.org

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(Send this to people in whose name you’ve donated to PRLF)

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Buy one or more subscriptions to Revolution and commit to
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Volunteer for PRLF!

PRLF also needs you and others like you to become actively involved in all aspects of the project. Volunteer:
• Designing or laying out promotional materials
• For PRLF’s website
• Assisting with challenging censorship of the
newspaper and books by prison authorities
• Reading and responding to prisoners’ letters
• Translating letters from Spanish to English
• and communicating with Spanish-speaking prisoners
• Typing handwritten letters from prisoners and
saving them electronically
• Fund-raising
• Offer your unique skills and abilities

Don’t forget to visit PrisonersRevolutionaryLiteratureFund.org/prisoners.html.

To volunteer or to contact PRLF: 773-960-6952 or
prlf_fund@yahoo.com

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