

A CALL TO THE YOUTH

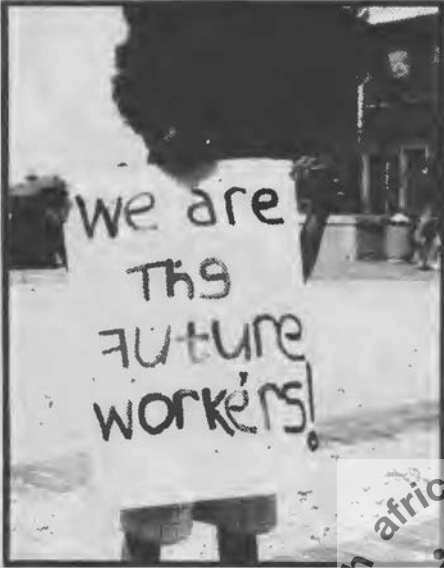


At a time when there is a lot of talk about a new South Africa, it is important that the voice of the youth be heard.

If there is stratum and sector that needs to have a say on the future of this country, then it is the youth.

We are the future. The youth must contribute in the shaping of a new South Africa.

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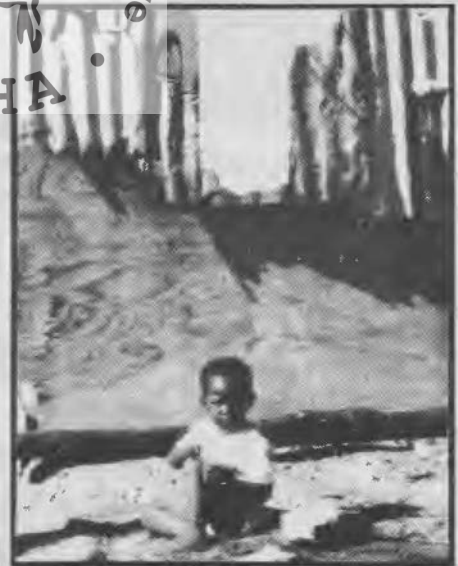
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LET THE VIEWS OF THE YOUTH BE HEARD

The ANC Youth League calls on all youth to participate actively in the shaping of a new South Africa.

THE ANC YOUTH LEAGUE SAYS THAT:

- * *A future that leaves the youth with no education is no future.*
- * *A future that denies youth jobs is no future.*
- * *A future that robs young people of their right to leisure and recreation is no future.*
- * *A future that makes young people gangsters and criminals is no future.*
- * *A future that leaves the youth with no house is no future.*
- * *A future that excludes young people from exercising their political rights by denying them the vote is no future.*

Let us as the youth say what kind of a new South Africa we long for.

Let us now, spell out those rights that the youth want to see in a new South Africa.

Let us tell De Klerk that we are sick of apartheid.

Let us tell him that attempts to give our oppression and exploitation a new face will not succeed.

Let us tell him that guarantees for minority groups are nothing else, but perpetuation of apartheid.

Let the vision of a new South Africa guide us in our day-to-day activities.

AS PART OF ITS CAMPAIGN FOR YOUTH TO BE INTEGRALLY INVOLVED IN THE BUILDING OF A NEW SOUTH AFRICA, THE ANC YOUTH LEAGUE CALLS ON YOUNG PEOPLE TO:-

1) Support the call for mass action:

It is important for us to support the call by the ANC for mass action. We need to support the ANC's program of action aimed at creating a climate of free political activity, including the release of political prisoners and return of political exiles, if it is to be met by 30th April. As we have always understood, it is vital that we struggle for our freedom. A new South Africa will not be given to us on a golden tray by De Klerk. Let us engage the enemy through our mass action and campaigns.

2) Endorse the call for a Constituent Assembly:

The only forum that can guarantee that our rights as youth are enshrined in a new constitution is a Constituent Assembly elected on the basis of one person one vote.

3) Build mass and fighting Youth League Branches:

Let us draw the millions of young people into our branches. Let us make the Youth League the political home of students, young workers and unemployed youth. Let our branches be strong weapons in our struggle for a new South Africa. Let us organise young people by taking up issues affecting their lives such as crime, joblessness, lack of political rights, etc.

4) Participate in the Signature Campaign:

The Signature Campaign is a priority for the Youth. Through the Signature Campaign the demand for a Constituent Assembly can be won and Youth Rights can be addressed. By taking the Signature Campaign door-to-door we can build the ANC and the Youth League.

By embarking on this program, we as the youth will be determining our destiny. By struggling alongside our parents in the ANC, we will be letting our voice be heard.

WE ARE THE FUTURE!!

LET THE VOICE OF THE YOUTH BE HEARD!!

BUILD MASS YOUTH LEAGUE BRANCHES!!

VIVA ANC VIVA!!

A CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY ON OUR TERMS!!

FORWARD TO A NEW SOUTH AFRICA WHERE EDUCATION, JOBS AND RECREATION WILL BE GUARANTEED FOR YOUNG PEOPLE!!