

# Global Vision for Peace



invites

## Stephen Cipes

to join the esteemed **Honorary Committee**, with

**His Holiness the Dalai Lama**

**Nobel Peace Laureate Jody Williams**

**Nobel Peace Laureate Sir Joseph Roblat**

**Nobel Peace Laureate Oscar Arias Sanchez**

**Nobel Peace Laureate Betty Williams**

**Nobel Peace Laureate Mairead Corrigan Maguire**

**Former U.N. Assistant Secretary-General Gillian Sorensen**

**Amnesty International Executive Director Kate Gilmore**

**Former Director, United Nations Environment Program Dr. Noel Brown**

**Congressman Dennis Kucinich**

**Congresswoman Tammy Baldwin**

**Human Rights Activist Kerry Kennedy**

**Roots of Peace Founder Heidi Kuhn**

**Andre Sobel River of Life Foundation Founder Valerie Sobel**

**Stephen Cipes, Founder, Children's Kingdom**

**Author Marianne Williamson**

**Director Robert Altman**

**Actor Chris Cooper**

**Actress Marianne Leone Cooper**

**Actress Susan Sarandon**

**Actress Anjelica Huston**

**Artist Robert Graham  
Actor Michael York  
Photographer Pat York  
Artist Yoko Ono  
Author Kurt Vonnegut**

in Partnership with  
**The United Nations**



**launching  
ARTISTS FOR THE U.N.**

**Global Vision for Peace, in partnership with The United Nations, has launched ARTISTS FOR THE U.N. to enroll artists of letters, philosophy, statesmen/stateswomen, visual arts and entertainment in affirmation of the vision and power of The United Nations as the global peacekeeping body.**

**Stephen Cipes**  
will be named  
**"A Friend of the U.N."**

and receive a gift of  
**The Dove of Peace Pin**

in 14k Gold with a Certified Diamond  
handcrafted by American jewelry-artist **Henry Dunay**

**Author Mordechai Richler once said, "Be an honest witness to your time."** Artists play a unique role in culture: to be beacons of consciousness, to transcend politics and partisanship, to be beholden to no one, to tell the truth and hold up a mirror to its time -- the illusions, dysfunctions, injustices, corruption, ideals and ideas. We invite artists to create a collective voice through **ARTISTS FOR THE U.N.** to empower the ideals, vision and power of the United Nations as it continues to define and redefine itself in a challenging, changing global landscape.

The first outreach is **ACADEMY AWARDS 2004**. Last year, the Global Vision for Peace outreach for peace manifested in more than 30 world-famous film artists wearing the Dove of Peace pin to the Academy Awards ceremony, including **Meryl Streep, Adrian Brody, Daniel Day-Lewis, Martin Scorsese, Susan Sarandon, Pedro Almodovar, Anjelica Huston, Chris Cooper, Brendan Fraser, Drew Barrymore** read a message of peace from **His Holiness the Dalai Lama** at the press reception, and the Honorary Committee included the **Dalai Lama, Leonardo DiCaprio**, seven Nobel Laureates including **The Honorable Mikhail Gorbachev**

This year, for the Academy Awards 2004 initiative, **the wearing of the pin is in holding up the light for peace, and in affirmation of the mandate and power of The United Nations.**

### **CO-FOUNDERS**

**HeathCliff Rothman and Xorin Balbes**

### **THE HOST COMMITTEE**

**John Solomon, Creative Vice President, Walt Disney Imagineering**

**Stephen Nemeth, president, Rhino Films**

**Bruce Cohen, Film Producer**

**Sara Risher, Producer, New Line Cinema**

**Kimberly Brooks, Founder, Lightray Productions**

**Lynda Obst, Author/ Film Producer**

**Greg Smith, Broadway Theatre Producer  
Felicia Rangel, Media Director, Deepak Chopra**

**HONORARY ARTISTS, thus far**

**Michael Gross  
Jesse Kornbluth  
Peter Duchin  
Barbara Kopple  
Linus Roache**

We will host a press reception on Wednesday, February 4, 2004  
at the **United Nations**  
to announce the partnership of Global Vision for Peace and The U.N.,  
launching Artists for the U.N., and the initiative at this year's  
Academy Awards

**Special Guest**

Former Assistant Secretary-General of the United Nations  
U.N. Foundation Senior Advisor

**Gillian Sorensen**

As an esteemed member of the Honorary Committee, you are  
welcome at the U.N. press conference and evening cocktail party on  
February 4 in New York, as well as to the Global Vision for Peace/  
U.N. cocktail media reception in Los Angeles on Thursday, February  
26.