This Light that Pushes Me



An exhibition and book featuring photographs and personal testimonies of Quaker peacebuilders from sub-Saharan Africa.

All have experienced some form of violence.

The exhibition and book trace the journeys that have transformed that suffering into a force for social change.

Exhibition at Friends House

9 April-8 May 2014. Previews from 2 April.

Film and discussion series

From 16 April. Free. For full events listing and exhibition opening times go to www.quaker.org.uk/africa-peacebuilders.

Exhibition and book launch

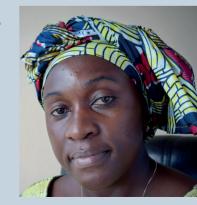
9 April 2014 6pm-8pm

Friends House, 173 Euston Road, London NW1 2BJ

Join us for a special evening of music, discussion and live performances.

All welcome. Free event.

Please RSVP to africa@quaker.org.uk.



Wednesday night films at Friends House

Beyond Forgiving 16 April, 6.30pm

A documentary depicting the journey of two South Africans to bring healing and reconciliation to their country post-Apartheid. Ginn Fourie and Letlapa Mphalele form an unlikely pair: a black atheist man and a white Christian woman. One has suffered directly from actions of the other, but both have been victims – and have risen beyond their pain. What brings them together is a profound story of tragedy, forgiveness and hope.



Post-film discussion with Howard Grace, Executive Producer

Icyizere-hope 23 April, 6.30pm

A documentary depicting the healing and reconciliation that took place between mortal enemies after the genocide in Rwanda in 1994. The film shows the emotional gathering of ten perpetrators and ten survivors of the genocide as they participate in a three-day workshop involving a dialogue about forgiveness and reconciliation.



Africa United 30 April, 6.30pm

The extraordinary story of three Rwandan kids who walk 3000 miles to the Soccer World Cup in South Africa. Using a sack load of ingenuity and sass, our pint-sized protagonists set off through the endless horizons of Africa in pursuit of an unlikely dream. Through them, we encounter an Africa few people ever get to see, and experience the joy, laughter and hope - 'the ubuntu' - that comes from making an incredible journey together.

Post-film discussion with Debs Patterson, Director



