



Proclamation

WHEREAS: The human suffering and destruction resulting from nuclear war must never be permitted to happen, making its possibility the most urgent national and international issue of our time; and

WHEREAS: The costs of the arms race divert funds needed for social protections, revitalization of industry, assistance to failing farmers and unemployed workers; and

WHEREAS: The youth of the United States and young people everywhere are entitled to know their leaders are pursuing every avenue leading to nuclear disarmament so that they may look forward to a normal life span;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of May 1 through May 7, 1983, to be

PEACE WEEK

in Minnesota, to give citizens a special time in which to reflect, communicate and act in ways that express a common desire for peace.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this twenty-third day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-three, and of the State the one hundred twenty-fifth.

A handwritten signature of Rudy Perpich in cursive script, followed by the word "GOVERNOR" in a smaller, printed font.

Joan Anderson Greene
SECRETARY OF STATE

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