

September 28, 2009

His Imperial Highness, Prince Ermias Sahle Selassie,

Greetings,

My sons and I wish to take a few minutes to express our thanks for your presence at the historic event held at The Church of Haile Selassie I on September 19, 2009.

It was a meeting that will have many positive effects into the future, regardless of the minor incursion experienced during the information-sharing session. I was the person that addressed you with the question of the use of technology for disseminating information. Your reply of using the wide-range of technologies, not only for disseminating information, but especially 'Green' technology as a strategic advantage in Ethiopia and the entire continent, underscores the importance of Education and Health. Learning and teaching institutions and healthcare facilities will produce educated and healthy people that can take maximum advantage of these technological opportunities as they arise.

As you know, your grandfather, His Imperial Majesty Emperor Haile Selassie I continues a legacy as an advocate for unity, peace, justice and equality; attributes of a strong nation. This will not be achieved without a struggle. There is fragmentation within the Rastafarian community caused by mis-information and mis-understanding, resulting in ignorance. Education of our respective communities will go a long way to reducing and eliminating fragmentation amongst Rastafarians and many of our Ethiopian brothers and sisters. This ignorance is transformed into enlightenment as knowledge about The Crown Council of Ethiopia, the Imperial Ethiopian World Federation (I.E.W.F.), and the Church of Haile Selassie I is communicated throughout our community manifesting unity, peace, justice, and equality. As a Rastafarian, I am delighted in the relationship established between of The Crown Council of Ethiopia, I.E.W.F. and The Church of Haile Selassie I.

We count on our relationships growing as we all continue to tackle the problems that keep our continent and Ethiopia in economic and political bondage. The bondage remaining because of 'petty' differences is being dismantled as we tackle the overwhelming educational, economical, and healthcare needs of our people.

Thank you again for your participation and inspiration as we pursue the destiny of a liberated and united Ethiopia and continent.

As a strong and vibrant Ethiopia stretches forth her hand onto God, in the words of His Imperial Majesty Emperor Haile Selassie I, "we are confident in the victory of good over evil!"

JAH guide and protect,

Michael, Malcus, and Jahson Clarke...