



Michael O. Leavitt
Governor
Declaration

Whereas, peace begins with each of us when we respect ourselves, each other, and the planet we share and when we try to work out our problems peacefully; and

Whereas, we can help create peaceful communities by focusing on how we interact with our families, our neighbors and our co-workers; and

Whereas, we can lessen violence and separation when we pull together for a common goal; and

Whereas, the United Nations declared 2000 as the International Year for the Culture of Peace; and

Whereas, a global movement is growing to ask the world to declare one day of peace on January 1, 2000;

Now, Therefore, I, Michael O. Leavitt, Governor of the state of Utah, do hereby declare January 1, 2000, as

One Day in Peace

in Utah, and urge citizens to recognize the importance of promoting peace and harmony in our community each and every day.

Governor: *Michael O. Leavitt*

