

SOULFORCE, INC.

is the result of Mel White's determination to apply M.K. Gandhi's and Martin Luther King Jr.'s principles of nonviolence to gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender people.



2008 Equality Ride
Soulforce.org and EqualityRide.com

“Getting serious about nonviolent resistance will give our struggle for justice the power and moral authority of the great civil rights movements of Gandhi and King. It will help renew our own tired spirits in the process.” —Mel White

Invite Mel White to share his vision with your students today!

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WHAT PEOPLE ARE SAYING ABOUT MEL WHITE'S CAMPUS VISITS...

“Dr. White provided our students a new way of understanding sexual orientation.”

—Anita Bradshaw, Yale Divinity School

“The Most well attended lecture we have hosted. Dr. White is articulate, funny, insightful, and genuine. He handles controversy with integrity. He is skilled at confronting hatred and ignorance... He is one of a kind.”

—Mark Gorney, Program Director,
University of Wisconsin

“His themes of acceptance and inclusion provided a positive path of action...”

—Ayappa Biddanda, Vice-Chairman, Issues Committee,
University of Tennessee

“Dr. White touched us with his compassion and his insights.”

—Debra Brazzel, Associate Dean of Chapel,
Duke University

“His Words were a great source of relief and encouragement to a campus in turmoil... Insightful... Touching...”

—Jane Dickie, Director of Women's Studies, Hope College

“Mel was articulate and entertaining in his speech and dealt most kindly and effectively with those in the crowd who did not support him...”

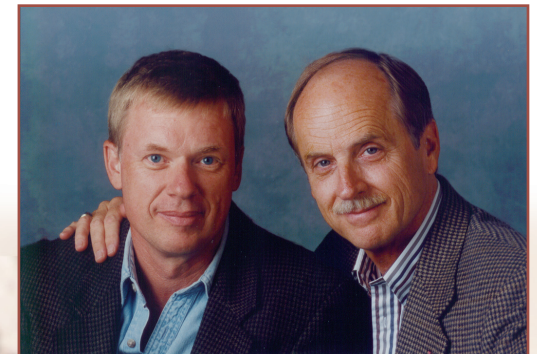
—Gregory Dillon, Interim Director of
Campus Programming, EPAUW University

Voices in both sides of the homosexual debate are becoming more shrill,” Dr. White admits. “And though it would be a fatal mistake to avoid the issue, we need to end the noisy rhetoric and learn to listen to each other.”

“Gandhi and King call us to a better way. Non-violence has no losers. Our goal is reconciliation, to turn our enemy into a friend, to create a nation where the GLBT community can “live together as good neighbors.”

Mel understands both sides of this controversial issue from long years of personal experience. Besides his major address with a question and answer time that follows, Mel is available to meet with your GLBT student group and/or with faculty and staff to discuss the specific questions/problems/opportunities that you face on your campus.

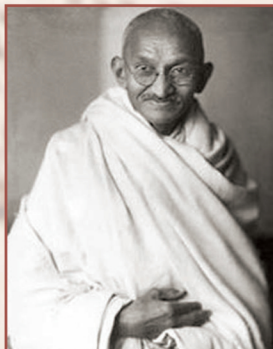
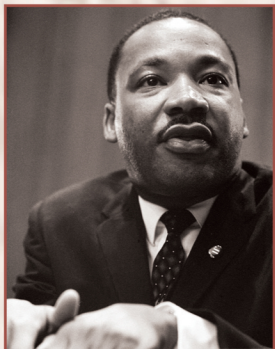
Often local organizations, churches and agencies are delighted to co-sponsor and promote Mel's lecture appearance as a citywide event and share in Dr. White's fee and expenses.





Mel White's commitment to the Gandhian "soul force" principles of non-violence prepares him to face opposition with quiet calm and an unfailing sense of humor. His presentations model nonviolence in action. Perhaps no one is better qualified to speak on both sides of this complex and diverse issue than the Rev. Dr. Mel White.

Once a prize-winning filmmaker, best-selling author, and ghost-writer for famous religious and political leaders, Dr. White finally accepted his homosexual orientation "as a gift from God." Now, after thirty-five years of struggle, Mel has come out of the closet to bring hope to homosexuals, their friends and families, to confront the avalanche of antigay rhetoric, and to launch his own nonviolent campaign for justice and understanding "on behalf of God's gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender children."

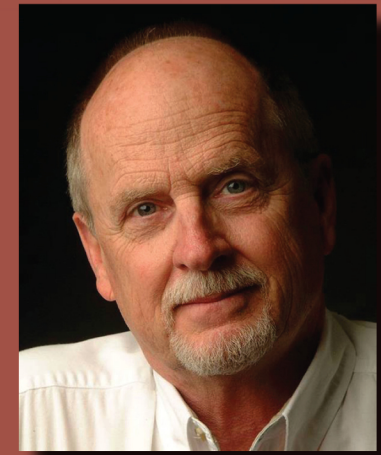


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Dr. Mel White for your campus
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Dr. Mel White

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To be Gay and Christian in America*

&

*Religion Gone Bad: The Hidden
Dangers of the Christian Right*
Re-release in 2010:

*Holy Terror: The Fundamentalist
War Against Lesbians and Gays*

CREATE A FULL-DAY EVENT

- A major address with plenty of time for Q&A with Dr. White...
- A meal with your committee...
- A meeting with your GLBT students...
- A visit to a class or dorm group...
- A session with faculty/staff to discuss concerns on your campus...
- Interviews with local and campus media...

*A complimentary copy of Dr. Mel White's Autobiography, **Stranger at the Gate**, and a 30 minute video of Mel under fire on **60-Minutes** and **Larry King Live** are also included.*

**AVAILABLE NOW
FOR A FULL DAY
ON YOUR
CAMPUS!**

Homosexuality is a subject to handle with care. Every college and university has faculty, students, and staff on both sides of this controversial issue. Mel White is determined to use his campus appearances to build bridges of understanding.