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"Do we have the will to make poverty history?"  
— Barack Obama

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"The combined efforts of millions of concerned citizens could do wonders to help the impoverished."  
— Barbara Bower

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"When you give food to the poor, they call you a saint. When you ask why the poor have no food, they call you a communist."  
— Archbishop Helder Camara

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"Just because a child's parents are poor or uneducated is no reason to deprive the child of basic human rights to health care, education and proper nutrition."  
— Marian Wright Edelman

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"I believe it is wrong, in a country of such wealth and prosperity, to have 36 million Americans living in poverty."  
— John Edwards

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"To live in poverty is to live with constant uncertainty, to account getting judgments, and to respect harassment by the police, welfare officials and employers, as well as by others who are poor and desperate."  
— Barbara Ehrenreich

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"We are still called upon to give aid to the stranger who finds himself in misery and agony on his way home. For me now, we must ask the question of whether an office which produces progress must not be restructured and redefined."  
— John Luther King, Jr.

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"Imagine no possessions. I wonder if you can. No need for greed or hunger. A brotherhood of man. Imagine all the people sharing all the world."  
— John Lennon

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"The good news is we have the technology and the funds to abolish poverty on a global scale. All that is standing in our way is education and will."  
— Natalie Portman

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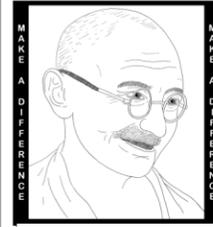
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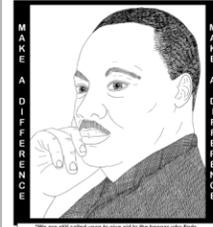
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"Poverty is the worst form of violence."  
— Mahatma Gandhi

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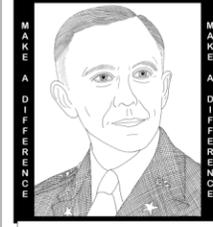
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"Wars are bred by poverty and aggression. Continued peace is possible only in a world of free and prosperous work."  
— General George Marshall

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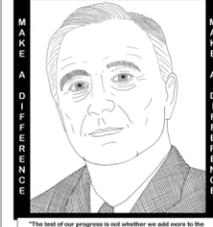
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"The best of our progress is felt whether we add acres to the abundance of those who have enough, it is whether we provide enough for those who have too little."  
— Franklin D. Roosevelt

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"Poverty and lack of knowledge must be challenged."  
— Russell Simmons

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"It's quite possible to arrive in the year 2030 when people are no longer dying of poverty. We could actually help lead a global end not a reduction, but an end to absolute poverty."  
— Jeffrey Sachs

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"It is important to see hunger as broad 'income' problems (dependent on how people can buy food) or otherwise get entangled in it, rather than in terms of the grossly miscalculated picture of aggregate food supply for the economy as a whole."  
— Amartya Sen

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"We know that many boys and girls leave school because of poverty, because they have to work. However, there are an important number of children who abandon their studies because of the abuses they're subject to by teachers and their own parents."  
— Michelle Obama

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"Some people think that poor people are lazy. Actually, it takes a lot of work to live when you are dirt poor."  
— Michelle Obama

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