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We are members and leaders in the European Bibliodrama Conference in Aland September 3-7 2014.

We are Europeans coming from Aland, Finland, Lithuania, Sweden, England, Belgium, Germany, Hungary, Austria and Switzerland. We have come together in peace, to the demilitarized area of Europe.

We strongly believe and exercise the attempt to understand the others. This we do on the basis of our Christian culture and religion.

We want to encourage our leaders on local, regional and national levels in Europe to give all effort to see and solve problems and conflicts in mutual understanding ways.

We encourage our politicians and church leaders to be inventive to open the door to refugees and to encourage the people of our countries to open up for people who can no longer live in their homelands.

We urge that we open up for peaceful living together with different cultures and religions; and to give our energy for the opening of social human movements in Europe; and not to give energy to fear of change.

We urge our politicians and leaders to go to the uttermost in talks; and to live in tolerance, understanding and confrontation without weapons. We urge our nations to not sell weapons to places in war.