

Sister Dorothy Stang Project

Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur

"Angel of the Amazon"

Martyred for Justice, February 12th, 2005



Spring 2008 Update

Sister Dorothy Stang was shot to death Saturday, February 12th, 2005, in Anapu, Para, a section of Brazil's Amazon Rainforest. She moved to Brazil over 40 years ago to help poor farmers build independent futures for their families. She was there with the Pastoral Land Commission, an organization of the Catholic Church that struggles for the rights of rural workers and peasants, and defends land reforms in Brazil.

Objective: To support the continuation of Sister Dorothy's mission in Brazil and education efforts in the United States as related to the challenges of living the call to Christian discipleship in today's Global Society.

Question: What can we do as Knights of Columbus, Catholics and citizens of our Global Community to continue the efforts of Sister Dorothy and the Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur?

Answer: We will continue to spread the word of our Savior Jesus Christ, we will defend and assist the poor, we will protect our God given environment for the good of all, and seek justice for victims of violence and atrocities.

Question: Will we come to the defense of a Catholic Nun who was murdered in cold blood?

Answer: **YES!!!** We must stand in solidarity with our priests, nuns and all of our worldwide church family when they come under attack throughout our world.

Project Observations: This is not just someone's "pet project". This project brings attention directly to the unacceptable violence and atrocities that are happening throughout our world every day. This is not another way of celebrating Earth Day / Arbor Day. This is a way to reconcile with God, each other, our global environment and the poor and less fortunate of the world.

Plan of Action

- 1) Pray the Rosary in the name of all victims of violence.
- 2) Plant a Dorothy Tree / Reconciliation Tree.
- 3) Send donations to:
The Sister Dorothy Stang Fund
c/o Sister Joan Krimm
701 East Columbia Avenue
Cincinnati, Ohio 45215
Phone: 513-761-7636
krimm@sndden.org

"We must be poor with the poor and recapture a tender and kind relationship with Mother Earth. Then we will know how to act."
~Sister Dorothy Stang, Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur~

➔ (Distribution of a detailed pamphlet from the Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur in regard to this project after Easter, 2008.)

➔ They Killed Sister Dorothy - The Movie Trailer Address Listed Below
➔ <http://www.themilkhaus.com/FTP/JUSTMEDIA/SISTERDOROTHYTRAILER>

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