



Amnesty International Philadelphia Area Write-a-thon

Sunday, December 9, 2007

1:00 – 4:30 pm

Media Community Center

301 N. Jackson St., Media, PA

Come be a part of Amnesty International's **Global Write-A-Thon**, Amnesty's largest and most renowned letter writing event, on the eve of International Human Rights Day. Join us for an afternoon of inspiring speakers, entertainment, children's activities, refreshments - and most importantly - letter writing.

Thousands of individuals around the world will be participating in similar events throughout the world on the days leading up to and following International Human Rights Day.

www.amnestyeastpa.org/writeathon

or call (610) 644-3469

Writing letters does make a difference! Photojournalist Jennifer Latheef of the Maldives was sentenced to 10 years in prison for photographing a peaceful protest. While in prison, guards threatened her with torture and drowning. Her captors kicked her with steel-toed boots, resulting in a spinal injury. Amnesty International activists from around the world sent letters to the authorities, calling for her release. In August 2006, authorities freed her before she had served one year of her 10-year sentence. **Take part in Amnesty's Write-a-Thon and help others like Jennifer.**

