

Before you sit down to enjoy Father's Day, stand up for what it means.

We know the realities of violence against women and children - as witnesses and victims, as friends and companions of those who have suffered. That's why we, men from all walks of life, have committed to turn our private concern into public action.

We call ourselves "founding fathers" because we intend for this crucial beginning to give way to a new kind of society - where decency and respect require no special day on the calendar, where boys are taught that violence does not equal strength and where men stand with courage, lead with conviction and speak with one voice to say, "No more."

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Today, we salute 100 men across America for their individual courage and commitment on behalf of this issue.

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