



THE CITY OF NEW YORK
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
NEW YORK, N.Y. 10007

May 1, 2008

Dear Friends:

It is a pleasure to welcome everyone attending the Global Love Day celebration hosted by The Love Foundation, Inc.

200 languages are spoken on New York City's streets, and throughout the five boroughs men and women from every culture live side by side in mutual respect. We know that our diversity is a source of strength, and we are pleased to join The Love Foundation in celebrating the common threads that unite all races and ethnicities together.

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. once said: "Men often hate each other because they fear each other; they fear each other because they don't know each other; they don't know each other because they can not communicate; they can not communicate because they are separated." We remain committed to strengthening understanding between New Yorkers of all backgrounds, and it is a pleasure to unite with others dedicated to that same goal. Together, we will build a better future in our City and far beyond. Please accept my best wishes for an enjoyable afternoon!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Michael R. Bloomberg".

Michael R. Bloomberg
Mayor