

“Nobelity” A Film by Turk Pipkin

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A look at the world's most pressing problems through the eyes of Nobel laureates, NOBELITY follows filmmaker Turk Pipkin's personal journey to find answers about the kind of world his children and grandchildren will know. Filmed across the U.S., and in France, England, India and Africa, NOBELITY combines the insights of nine distinguished Nobelists with a first-person view of world problems and the children who are most affected by them. The laureates of NOBELITY include Desmond Tutu, Wangari Maathai, Jody Williams, Sir Joseph Rotblat and many others. The film's Washington D.C. opening night premier was a memorial tribute screening celebrating the life and work of Sir Joseph Rotblat. Having dedicating 50 years of his life to the battle against nuclear proliferation - a mission that was left to him by Albert Einstein - Joseph Rotblat passed away in August, 2005, just a few months after filming a cautionary interview with Turk Pipkin on the increasing dangers of nuclear proliferation.

NOBELITY has been an official selection of the SXSW Film Festival, the Maui Film Festival, Tahoe/Reno Intl Film Festival and the Global Peace Film Festival, and has sold thousands of tickets at repeated sold-out screenings in Austin, Texas. Information about NOBELITY - and the film's trailer — are available at: www.nobelitythemovie.com

- “Absolutely brilliant. One of the most important films of this year or any year.” - Harry Knowles, aintitcool.com

. The Nobility Project; “Dedicated to a better future for all our children” is a 501c3 action and education nonprofit with an educational web site about global issues at www.nobelity.org Visitors to the website are able to: Learn more about the critical issues that will shape our children's future. Watch streaming video featuring the insights of distinguished Nobel laureates. Connect to organizations that are working on these problems. Contact their elected officials. Watch the trailer for NOBELITY, with a voice-over by Willie Nelson. Support the Nobility Project by making a donation, buying a logo t-shirt or a beautiful framed photo from the film. The Nobility Project has also launched the “Nobility in Schools” program with a goal of engaging young people in their own futures. Following the advice of Jody Williams to pick an issue and get to work on it, The Nobility Project is also preparing to build a water and solar power system at a school in Kenya which served as one of the locations for the film. Dr. Harold Varmus Nobel Prize for Physiology and Medicine, 1989 Former head of the National Institute of Health under Presidents Clinton and Bush, Dr. Varmus' principal segment in the film is an eye-opening look at global disparities, particularly in regard to global health. “The disparities in the world right now are astounding, Varmus tells Pipkin. “In this country we've seen our life expectancies rise from the high 40s to well over 70, pushing 80. In many countries around the world, the life expectancy is 40 years, and sometimes falling.” In a conversation that includes astounding statistics (half a billion people who have malaria each year; over two billion people infected with tuberculosis), Varmus also dispels the myth that the United States government is one of the primary funders of global health initiatives. “As a fraction of our gross national product, we're at the bottom of the 22 wealthiest nations. Only one-eighth of our foreign aid is devoted to health.”

- "Nine Ways to Save the World" - Esquire Magazine

- “This is the straight stuff. I'd call it No-bull-ity!” - Willie Nelson

- In Nobility, nine Nobel laureates offer straight talk on the planet's future.” - The Austin Chronicle NOBELITY

- “Where can you go to hear straight talk on the state of the world today and, perhaps more significantly, the links between the environment

and peace. / Sir Joseph Rotblat ("Peace") - Nuclear Physicist/Disarmament Activist, Nobel Peace Prize, 1995