



Ukraine Holodomor Genocide Torch

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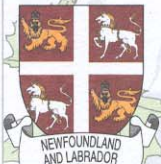
First leaving Australia on a journey through 33 of the world's countries, the "torch" arrived on Parliament Hill to remind all of the evil of genocide.



The "torch," the International Remembrance Flame brightly illuminating the darkness of the past, commemorates the Holodomor, the planned genocidal famine inflicted on Ukraine by the hand of despotic Joseph Stalin 75 years ago where millions of Ukrainians died.



Canada's government yesterday added its voice, formally recognizing the Holodomor for what it was, a genocide of unspeakable horror of man's supreme inhumanity to man



This International Remembrance Flame will continue on its world journey to arrive in Kyiv in November for the concluding ceremonies of this 75th anniversary year of remembrance.



This torch's world trek is a reminder to humanity to learn from history and not to repeat past crimes. As the International Remembrance Flame continues its mission across the globe, let it burn brightly!



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