Everything for the war? Nothing for us! Fighting together - for heating, bread, and peace!

While the prices for food, rents and heating costs – short: the costs of living-continue to rise, our government has only one thing in mind: Germany should be "ready for war". The defence budget is exploding, while cuts are being made in all other areas.

There is no money for education, health, local public transport, culture and youth centres. Even children are supposed to become "fit for war". In order to achive this, youth officers from the Bundeswehr are sent to schools. We say: No to war! Down with the armarment! The government is trying to play us one against the other, so that we don't join forces. They want to divide us into young and old, into employees and unemployed, in people with and without German passport. We communists hold against thist. We stand in solidarity!

We fight together for heating, bread, and Peace. That is why we are running for the EU elections with an internationalist List!



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The genocide in Gaza makes me extremely sad. I was born in Jordan and have Palestinian roots. The attacks on hospitals and the many children who were murdered, all the cruelty – this takes a lot out of me. I'm a master optician and so it's already difficult to concentrate on which glasses the customer is better off now (da verstehe ich nciht was das bedeuten soll. Er hat eh schon Schwierigkeiten die richtigen Gläser auszusuchen für seine Kunden?). The massacre in my home country is a reason for me to take to the streets and protest against the war policy of the federal government. It is assisting and abetting genocide. The DKP is the only party in Germany that is consistent is in solidarity with Palestine.

I am a member of the "Heating, Bread and Peace Duisburg" alliance active. We try to show people that the cost of armament and war is one of the reasons for rising prices, poverty, and social decline. It is important to see this connection to work actively against the conditions in this country. We must put an end to wars, exploitation, and hardship. I was born in Iran. As a communist, I try to support migrants and to encourage them to stand up for their rights. I do this in Duisburg, for example, with weekly social counselling.

As an active member of the GEW (Union for Education and Science), I find it extremely important, that our trade unions once again become more involved in the peace movement. The government's war policy has winners, including the defence industry, and losers, most of all all the wage dependents and their families. It's clear where our trade unions need to be. I remember the Example of the 1983 peace strike by hundreds of female teachers and teachers in Berlin and still draw my strength from these experiences of a strong peace movement. Today it's more difficult, but with the appeal "Trade unions against armaments and War", we have a good instrument in our hands: gewerkschaften-gegen-aufruestung.de.



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My parents came to Germany from Turkey in 1970 as so called guest workers. I have been in the DKP for four years and now support our work in Bottrops City Council. As local politicians, we publicise who in the town hall stands up for the interests of the people and who is against them. We call a spade a spade: Lack of housing and jobs, drastically increasing Fees and an unbearable school crisis. The schools are bursting at its seams. We urgently need a third Comprehensive school. For us, democracy does not mean that every five years, citizens mark the ballot papers, they should have a say!



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All the major parties are celebrating the EU as progress. At the same time there are many good reasons to reject the EU. It is the EU, that uses the right of asylum as matter for negotiation. It is the EU that produces the inhumane conditions for refugees outside the EU borders as in Turkey and within the of the EU borders as in Moria. And it is the EU, that returns refugees on the open sea to their home countries and even criminalised rescue at sea. At the same time, it is enriching itself the wars and the lack of prospects that people drive people to flee. Put an end to it.

The EU is not a peace project and not a project of open borders. The EU obliges its member states to armament and participates in the dangerous NATO confrontation against Russia. She isolates herself from the misery on the outside, for which it is responsible. It only allows well-trained skilled workers to migrate to the EU. .(Hier fehlen Satzteile) With its border protection agency Frontex it is partly responsible for thousands of deaths in the Mediterranean. Wars are the main cause of the fact that people leave their homes. Therefore: Stop the warmongers! Fighting the causes of flight - not refugees. We demand equal rights for all people living here. We don't want camps, we want flats. We don't want payment cards and Jobs for 80 Cents, but work and training places! We demand the full restoration of the right to asylum. Our welcoming culture means: Together fight against the EU of banks and corporations! Therefore: Vote DKP!

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