



Embassy of Ukraine in the Republic of Singapore



Today Ukraine is resisting the Russian war of aggression. This is the largest threat to Ukraine's existence since the restoration of its independence in 1991.

Russia's unprovoked war has already destroyed and damaged a vast amount of the cultural heritage sites and pieces of art in Ukraine – the powerful elements of its national identity and history.

Supporting Ukraine through art is yet another testament to its power, which allows expressing one's understanding and perception of the world, but also introduces essential changes around us.

Art is always presented or performed in a context and for a reason. We appreciate the efforts of the Asian Art Association of Singapore to put the initiative "Love and Peace: World Charity Painting Competition 2022" into a reasonable context and for the right reason. We are thankful to many people in Singapore and all around the world for doing their part for humanity.

Donations received by the Ukraine Humanitarian Crisis Response fund of the Singapore Red Cross will make a difference in someone's life, mitigating the plight and helping to overcome wartime difficulties.

In times of darkness, we need to support the light that refused to surrender.

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