



9th Ethics Symposium – 4 September 2009

Theme: “Contemporary Ethical Issues in Papua New Guinea

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“We have not inherited the earth from our parents; we have borrowed it from our children.”

Personal Pledge

God our Father,

Constantly remind me that I am only a custodian of the resources and assets of this nation; that I am charged with this responsibility to care for it and guard it for the future generation.

Today I make this pledge to be an honest and responsible steward in every responsibility that I have been tasked with.

I want a better future, for myself, for my family for my country.

You have blessed me with abundant blessings and opportunities. Help me to put into good use what I have received from your bounty. I want to make a positive difference to my people, my community, my society and Papua New Guinea as a whole.

May my words and action bring healing to all the hurts that have been inflicted on my friends, colleagues and everyone. In all my dealings, how small they may be, may there be transparency and honesty.

Help me to make that conscious decision to start within myself today. Together with ethical and like-minded people, we can turn the tide, from negative to positive Papua New Guinea.

Let it begin with me.

Amen

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