

Finally, I should like to direct a few words to those who are younger than we are. It is to their judgment that everything we do here - or fail to do - must ultimately be submitted. It is their future we are dealing with. It is their country, even more than ours, that we are attempting to refashion and strengthen. So I would invite their interest and sympathy and co-operation as well as their criticism and suggestions.

Presiding over this conference is one of my last major responsibilities as the Prime Minister of Canada. As I look back over the past five years, I can think of things that I have left undone and of things that I might have done better. But I am not troubled by the thought of any conscious failure of devotion, on my part, to Canada, or its interests, or to any of its people. So it is with a full heart - but with full confidence, too - that I invite you to join with me in the task of building an even freer, greater and more generous future for our beloved country.

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