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## Freedom Party

... Today's Choice For Tomorrow!

Dear Friends and Supporters,

What's wrong with our justice system?

With a tripling of Canada's crime rates over the past 30 years, most Canadians sense that all is not well but few are aware of the actual causes and facts behind this alarming trend. More ominously, some of those who DO know are being threatened to keep silent by **CENSORSHIP**.

One of those individuals is **GORDON DOMM**, the ex-Ontario Provincial Police officer who has gained notoriety over his distribution of banned information on the **Karla Teale trial**. But the message of his crusade against unjustly imposed publication bans goes well beyond the particulars of that famous case.

Gordon Domm wants YOU to be aware of what's happening --- and to join him in his effort to reform, as he puts it, "our once proud justice system." We want you to hear his message in person.

You are cordially invited to join Gordon Domm for dinner and discussion of this very important issue on:

Saturday, December 3, 1994 6:30 pm

at:

the RADISSON HOTEL LONDON CENTRE 300 King Street, LONDON, Ontario

Reservations: \$50 per plate (tax-creditable!) (Your cost as low as \$12.50!)

As an added bonus, we will be joined by **David Helwig**, whose public defence of freedom of speech has earned him recognition in both Canada and the United States. Also joining us will be **Freedom Party**'s own **Robert Metz**, who in addition to being an outspoken critic of censorship, also became a victim of it. (For more background information on our speakers, please refer to attached biographies.)

Together, Domm, Helwig, and Metz will form a panel offering differing insights into what ails our justice system, and on what they think our governments and courts are really hiding behind many of their imposed **publication bans**. Panel moderator and our host for the evening will be **FP**'s vice-president, **Lloyd Walker**, who will guide a lively discussion and invite the audience to participate.

I know that many of you are concerned about the deterioration of our justice system and the perceived decline of society's morality. If you would like to gain some insight into the reasons behind this and to take an active role in working towards correcting the situation, I encourage you to attend this event.

Reserve now! Your fully <u>tax-creditable</u> contribution of \$50 (per person) to Freedom Party entitles you to a delicious dinner, good company, and an evening guaranteed to create some controversy and excitement.

Use the enclosed response form and post-paid envelope to send us your contribution by cheque, money order, VISA, or MASTERCARD. Or call us (collect!) to reserve by charging the credit card of your choice. (519) 681-3999.

<u>Time is limited</u>. Your earliest response is always appreciated. I look forward to meeting you on **Saturday, December 3**. <u>Doors open at 6 pm</u>. **Cash bar. Dinner is served at 6:30**. Discussion follows.

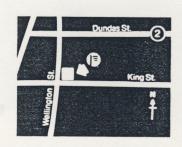
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Sincerely,

FREEDOM PARTY OF ONTARIO

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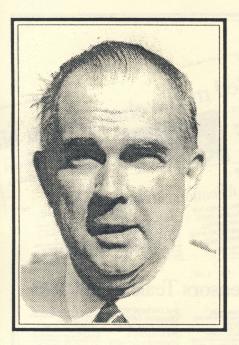
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P.S. Remember, <u>all contributions to Freedom Party are tax-creditable!</u> A post-paid envelope and response form are enclosed for your convenience.





## **Gordon Domm**

Gordon Domm is the Co-ordinator and Spokesman for Citizens' Coalition Favoring More Effective Criminal Sentences. A retired OPP police officer from Guelph, he is best known for his public defiance of the Karla Teale (Homolka) Trial Publication Ban. He is the only person to date to have been charged with a violation of that ban, despite many other obvious breaches.

Domm's public defiance of the trial ban has netted him convictons on two counts of "contempt of court" and a total fine of \$4000. An appeal of his convictions is now pending.

The outcome of his appeal is crucial to the fundamental freedoms of Canadians, because it will establish a precedent that can be used to either protect or violate a Canadian individual's freedom of speech and fundamental principles of justice.

## **David Helwig**

David Helwig is publisher and founding editor of The Business Times. Prior to that, he worked two years for London radio stations, and eight years as a full-time freelance journalist for The Globe and Mail and other national media.

His investigative reporting has been recognized with national and international awards from the Canadian Association of Journalists, Canadian Association of Broadcasters, Radio-Television News Directors Association of Canada, and the International Radio Festival of New York.

In 1991, the bicentennial year of the U.S. Bill of Rights, he was named by the U.S. Free Press Association as one of the top five defenders of the bill's first amendment, which guarantees the fundamental freedoms of religion, speech, and the press. His work has also been recognized with a citation for "meritorious public service in journalism" from Governor-General Ray Hnatyshyn.





## **Robert Metz**

Robert Metz is a founding member and president of the Freedom Party of Ontario. In 1993, he volunteered to represent a London landlord before an Ontario Human Rights Commission (HRC) Board of Inquiry. The landlord was accused of discriminating against his Asian tenants on the grounds of race. In August 1994, the Board concluded that there was no evidence of racial discrimination. The Human Rights Commission has filed a notice of appeal which is still pending.

During the course of the hearings, the Board placed a retroactive **publication ban** on Freedom Party's June 1993 edition of its newsletter, Freedom Flyer, which reported details of a deal the HRC tried to make with the landlord in exchange for dropping the complaint against him.

Metz has been an outspoken advocate of freedom of speech for over a decade and has addressed many government commissions and public audiences and has debated many censorship advocates.

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