

11th month 18th day
Year of the Dragon

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Comrade Malika,

Received your letter this afternoon, Victor went to court in the Bronx and saw Bloom. It's good to hear you are well and your burden lighter. I was telling Herman last week that you had struggled for our people a long time and probably would still, my faith has been rewarded. I've been in contact with Comrades in various Kamp's we're in the process of organizational consolidation, at the moment Comrades are working on the philosophical, historical, ideology of the B.L.C. Since our last bid for freedom it's been a lot of work but it's good for us keep's the mind sharp. Was trying to hook up another move but this dude is very shaky so it's changed up, every four months some snake crawls out from under a rock and heads our way but it just makes us more determined. Carter has been to see me a couple of times, i have an idea on setting up 3 squads to a unit, each squad has a leader and each unit has a leader the squads can act together or separate. We're trying to tighten up in the area of communication's, before long we hope to have established a chain of command, the structure is basically simple but it will be such that areas of responsibility would be clearly defined. Most of it's in my head & notes, a lot of Comrades have made suggestion's which i am analyzing. Because of our historical experience a new 8 points for attention that relate to our own conditions has come about - here they are.

- (1) Respect all Comrades and the people,
- (2) Do not tell lies to Comrades -
- (3) Do not take drugs or alcohol
- (4) Do not engage in back biting or spreading rumors -
- (5) Be Consciencious and purposeful in your work
- (6) Return everything you borrow
- (7) Do not destroy or damage poor and oppressed people's property -
- (8) Do not mistreat any prisoners. The day we enforce them will be a day closer to making us revolutionaries.

Heard from Mike & Hennie last week i was told they got 25 yrs. but it'll have to check on it, will pass your message to them, they still have state charges so will be around for awhile. Enclose is some articles i wrote the idea is to propagandise issues in the people's mind, then move on them that way it serves to educate them i.e. a school principle in our community has incurred the wrath of the people and they want him out, we kidnap him, hold him a week or two then let him go - him and the broad of education get's the message, we have served the people. Reading a book that was written in 1850 but wasn't published until over a hundred years later, it's about slavery. Our people have suffered much and still do, it's good Sule is race conscious, Black people need those who think about them and love them. These crackers owe our people much, Sule is a sharp dude, i dug rapping to him. I didn't think he'd be jealous. Black women have suffered much in this country so for you daughter to bring you pleasure and being something special you deserve that, may Allah bring the benefit of you much pleasure. The pictures i have are being put in an album, really thought i'd be gone so that's the reason i sent them out but i'll see that you get them before the trial ends. I really don't no how people see me, because i live mostly inside but i care & love very deeply for people, it has taken awhile to understand life and my relation to it, i don't have all the answers, probably never will but i do it has some meaning. I think of Nah a lot, i dreamed about him last week he was bigger and smiling. Thank you for the address, i used to write him & Sule about things i discovered, i hope & pray their lives will be better. Nah, means a lot to me more then anyone will ever understand. Your sister will help him with his spirit which is good, Amand will be a big brother to him, this

is a lot like slavery, i hate it. Been studying, giving P.E. classes and having general discussions with the comrades and working out pretty hard, getting ready for this next battle. Took i go to court tomorrow 1964 and want to try and get some sleep, court wears me out. Listen if you can get me some Black powder or gun powder soon as possible, you can put it into some cigarette packs then give it to Bloom. Your all over strategy must come from the condition's, your moves must be where the people will be educated and the most political mileage can be gained. I have every confidence in the peoples victory, attack the enemy where he is weak. Listen Soldier, there must be democracy in the Army but also military discipline, be centralize in strategy de-centralized in tactics. Hope to see Robert Vickers tomorrow we've been going over somethings but need to talk. If you stick by those principles you & your comrades will have the basic tools to build and develop a real fist to beat the enemies of our people.

What's happening with Collette? Ciro went to court today on the case when the pigs ramped on him & some other's, he also has a case in the BX, he was busted with a hacksaw coming back from court in Sept. we got a shake down and the swine found the bars cut and some home made keys stressed in the T.V., he had expected to hear something from her. Give all the comrades our love and love to you from Yunus, Mike & Harold and the blood's here I.M. Give back my love, august 27th was the day i was captured, glad that you will find it a day of rejoicing as it shoudl be, May Allah continue to be merciful to you. Did you get the star & crescent i want you to have it as a remembrance of our Lord.

Take care of yourself and it's good to no the struggle continues, the quest for freedom must never cease until every Black man

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Women, & Child are free to walk the street's of this land or any other with dignity and without fear. Remember that song "when will we be paid," well generation's of Black folk have entrusted us to collect it. We're going to give them hell from this side and i do y'all do it from that side.

Revolution Until Victory

Kiah

Have you been in Detroit, if not forget i asked, guess i'll never find out about those letter's you mention. What's happening with that Sister Dena? Each encounter with force's that attack my spirit has only strengthen me and made me more determine to win, that may sound subjective but i've wronged nobody, i seek no revenge of anyone, only the enemies of our people. Please try and get that powder for me.

As Salam Alairam

Cisco & i was rapping about feliks keep coming to us, taking our energy like we owe them something, we serve and love the people to them our energies are given freely, he says we owe ~~them~~ nothing. Look i don't mean to involve you in the things we've forced to deal with or anything. We can handle it.

19th day

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Lisuke Adesina Journals to

Good Morning,

I havn't been sleeping and probably won't so i decided to ask some questions, first you're right about me being way out of touch with you, i would like to know your view prospective on the struggle, the reason i ask is some people feel that armed struggle will come later, some that more must be done to will the support of the community, some that the issue of P.O.W.'s will come later. Objectively there is no whatever your view is it's beneficial to the over-all struggle. Everyone is in agreement on the need for organization, overall strategy but basically i want to know how you see it. A sister told me the people can't relate to liberating P.O.W.'s; A dude told me people can't relate to offing pigs; i disagree on bought but then i may be subjective. It's like defining the enemy, i can relate to class struggle but my analysis breaks down to a race war, so certain phases's that will support in certain areas are good tactic's. I am a Black Nationalist first, internationalist second. I am also willing to unite with others in a common cause, if the union is based upon principle. I ask and state my position because i no longer take people for granted, it is incorrect and leads into error. I am really off into defining things so that it is clear to everyone. This is in no way meant to complicate things but you had stated a fact and i stand corrected but need an explanation of that fact to understand.

Unity-Struggle-Unity

We have a book on ancient African Civilizations, i read more about the lives of Black folks each week. The dude in the library comes and drops them off. Yesterday i was explaining to Herman the need for us to be more self-reliant as a people. I said it before and i say it again "I love Black people". Outside of a few others

people i never gone off into this with anyone, but i get tired of talk about collectivists, we must stand on our own before we can walk with other's. Because i want to know where your feelings lie i put mind out front, i can say you probably never known my true feelings on these issues ^{not} that i tried to hide it, i can relate to class distinction in Black society and believe the contradiction can be resolved in a non-antagonistic manner except in the cases of traitor's. The reason i write so much is energy needs an outlet. You studied psychology you gave me a course once so ill return the favor, man is aggressive by nature, from this comes his creativity his ideas that he transforms into reality. In essence he must take something from himself (the idea) put energy and time into it to give it life, when man cannot create or act in creation, he must find outlets, so that's why i write so much. I am briefly quiet in an environment where i can act upon my ideas when it becomes bottled up then i talk or write. Frustration takes many forms, the comrades have grown and their creative energies seek expression, imagine five bombs exploding. That's what happens to dreams deferred. Comrades in other kamps want to move to armed struggle, it is away to release some of the energy. Will Malika, this is it for now.

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