

SOLUTIONS WITH DEBTERAW, IV  
Call me by my name, address and task  
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*If you are a Christian, repent*  
*If you are an atheist, contact*  
*If you are a cheat, stop your cheating habit*  
*If you are a liar, walk to leave*  
*If you are an Aethiopian, live and let live*  
**"Dreams of our forefathers"**

## **The unfinished journey of DEBTERAW**

Versus

## **The Finished journey of B. Obama**

On March 23, 2008, an article on Debteraw vs. Senator, was posted on [debteraw.com](http://debteraw.com) call *me by my name: solutions with Debteraw, XXV* and <http://mahder.com>. That article was based on the differences between DEBTERAW and the Senator. It was about race, color and religion.

Today's article is based on the similarities between DEBTERAW and President Obama's education and experiences.

In as much as DEBTERAW has graduated from a prestigious university, like that of Obama, DEBTERAW started to work as a teacher though the school officials would not allow him to teach beyond 2<sup>nd</sup> grade. When the new government came to power, the then current government officials wanted DEBTERAW to serve under their directions. DEBTERAW refused knowing that those officials were not genuine but "opportunists". When the DERG appointees for education began to pressure DEBTERAW not only to work but also to cooperate with them, lest he will be classified as anti-revolution. As usual, DEBTERAW came with his new harmless creative device. That is, he told to the Board members of Education that his father is aging and that he was soon to take over the Zuquala Monastery as his primary job. The Board members were astounded at his request for resignation from teaching profession. Of course, clandestinely, DEBTERAW was educating and organizing a political party. The rest is history, as they say.

Let us have a look at these similarities

1. Obama worked as a community organizer for 3 years and
2. DEBTERAW worked as political organizer for three years.
3. Obama served as practicing attorney for 3 years and
4. DEBTERAW worked as editor-in-chief for a political publication known as DEMOCRACIA.

5. Obama served as a Senator for 10 years (both for US and State legislator).
6. DEBTERAW is serving full time Revolutionary for political reforms.
7. Obama used to lecture on part time basis and
8. DEBTERAW used to serve churches on part time basis.
9. Obama authored two books, one on dreams of our fathers and the other on the audacity of hope for future generations.
10. DEBTERAW authored numerous publications, books and poems.

As a result, Barack Obama has become the President (E) of a powerful nation on the whole world while DEBTERAW ended up as a prisoner of conscience of an ancient but civilized nation.

Obama has started his journey from Philadelphia – the source of the American Constitution but DEBTERAW has yet to travel from the red mountain - ASSIMBA – where the seeds - (Sudan-Eritrea-Ethiopia-Djibouti-Somalia)’s CONSTITUTION will be drafted.

Obama has traveled through B&D (Baltimore and Delaware) to reach Washington DC

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DEBTERAW has yet to travel via ADAA □(Assimba-Dessie-Addis Ababa) to reach the new flower, Addis Ababa. (See Tedla Asfaw’s regret as his knowledge of ASSIMBA revealed not by his fellowmen but by outsiders)

## Concluding remarks

Obama is considered a product of Martin Luther King as well as Malcolm-X. His rebellious character is not by “any means necessary” as that of Malcolm X. Instead of working in places where Harvard graduates prefer to... Obama chose to negotiate his way through the downtrodden population of Chicago West Side.

DEBTERAW chose to work with Lab Adder □□□□ and Gebar □□ those who worked by their sweat and taxpayer Aethiopians.

Obama is lucky to live in a political system with all its checks and balances intact. He is also lucky that he lives in a country - physically surrounded by two Oceans, sea and land whereas DEBTERAW’s Aethiopia’s physical geography is surrounded by dry land, sea and rivers and with no political system familiar to all its citizens.

Obama was born around the time when President Kennedy pronounced as “Ask not what you can do for your country, ask for what you can do for your country” whereas DEBTERAW was a high school student when President Kennedy’s speech reverberated all over the world. Besides, DEBTERAW WAS BORN IN SOCIETIES THAT HONOR SACRIFICE IN ONE’S COUNTRY not a dream.

Obama is 47 years old and he is the 44<sup>th</sup> president of USA. Let us hope that on Obama's 50<sup>th</sup> birthday, DEBTERAW's provisional political government will be put in place with the help of the 44 churches in DEBTERAW's Tabots of Gondar and so God help all.

The Lab Adder and the Arso Adder have now become politically conscious thanks to DEBTERAW and his EPRP. What is now required is an immediate release of the true son of Aethiopia and Aethiopianism from TPLF's dungeon.

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Postscript

The Aethiopian Student Movement has taken almost the entire life span of President B. Obama. We do not know whether this is the beginning or the end of political and civil liberties for the Black Movement in America. Besides, President (E) Obama did not say. We have to wait and see.

But as to the Aethiopian Student Movement, it is high time to bear fruit. Despite this Movement and in spite of DEBTERAW'S down payments, Aethiopians have not been able to choose their government democratically. The institutions of the church should be left alone, the bureaucracy should be democratic and the freedom of speech, self-expression and assembly (SEA) should be respected.

The difference between the developed and underdeveloped is not based on material wealth alone but on the cumulative culture of knowledge and experience. EPRP has developed such a knowledge base and experience by keeping its name, address and task.

Americans are united around BO. (□) Why is it not possible to UNITE, if not for all Aethiopians, at least for those who at one time or another has been associated with DEBTERAW's path of struggle? □ □ □ □ □ If you believe DEBTERAW's path was and is wrong, let us discuss and iron it out. I truly believe that the way of DEBTERAW is similar to that of President of Barack Obama.

A prominent political commentator was asked why all Americans want President B. Obama to lead them. His response was "we need him more than he needs us." Maybe this is true for all Aethiopians that they need DEBTERAW more than he needs them.