



**Associazione
3 Febbraio**

Let's defend our humanity let's defend life

Sako Bakari, a 35-year-old man originally from Mali, was killed on 9 May in Taranto whilst on his way to work. The perpetrators were minors. To escape the attack, he sought refuge in a bar, but the owner threw him out, leaving him at the mercy of the mob. The inhumanity and racism evident in this incident remind us of others that are taking place in this country - like the criminalization of the NGOs who nonetheless continue to courageously try to save lives at sea, like the Sea Watch. Incidents that happen one right after another and become increasingly brutal, making it difficult to find the right words. The strongest and most encouraging ones come from the thousands of people who gathered in Taranto to denounce what happened, to stand against violence and racism, to say no to the indifference and dehumanisation that attacks the lives and humanity of our immigrant brothers and sisters – that is, of everyone.

We denounce the indifference and inhumanity in which violence is perpetrated, fuelled by the climate of hatred emanating from the government and which, sadly, is also emerging amongst the people

We stand with them, with the loved ones who have lost Sako. We promote self-defence, pacification and unity amongst solidary people against all forms of racism and discrimination

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