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"WE STAND SHOULDER
TO SHOULDER
WITH OUR
MENFOLK IN A
COMMON STRUGGLE
AGAINST POVERTY
RACE AND CLASS
DISCRIMINATION"

FSAW
17 APRIL 1954
FEDERATION OF S.A. WOMEN

women unite against
Botha's new deal

Botha 16/11

24 August 1984

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On the eve of the Coloured elections, elections hated by most peace-loving South Africans of all races, the Nationalist government, like the cowards that they've repeatedly proved they are, detained UDF members and their affiliates.

^{We}~~FEDSAW~~ demands the immediate release of our husbands and brothers or the government should promptly charge them. The government's inhuman way of detaining people indefinitely is abhorred and rejected the world over.

The UDF is internationally acclaimed for its stand of openly opposing the tricameral parliament. Why then silence its leaders by detaining them, if Botha and his thugs are not scared?

Before the volcano erupts, we advise Mr Botha to release our leaders.

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