



**Climate Action Network
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Civil Society has come to this implementation COP with a vision. We want world leaders to deliver for Africa, for Islands States, for Indigenous Peoples, for women and youth, for workers, for our families around the world.

But with only three days left, what has actually been delivered?

Developing countries , representing billions who are most vulnerable to climate change, have again stood in unity as they did in Glasgow, and again - are asking for a Loss and Damage Finance Fund to be agreed at this COP27. And true to form, and yet again, rich nations are standing in unity **AGAINST** this. This unity of historical emitters to block and delay REAL action to address the consequences of YOUR own lack of action is resulting in loss of life, loss of livelihoods, and suffering at a scale unimaginable to us.

As an African Woman, who has witnessed this suffering, I can only conclude that you do not care about my life, the lives of all Africans, the lives of all living in the Global South. Yet again, our lives are dispensable. We see you, we hear your doublespeak, we witness your double standards and we say to you now: We, the people, will not let you do this to us again. **We** stand united too, and **our** unity is unstoppable.

The people united will never be defeated.

No Climate Justice without Human Rights - We are not yet defeated.