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"I am deeply convinced that the problem cannot be solved by force, that the military technology will crash against the will of any people determined to fight. I firmly believe that when the people are willing to fight --and this is how I feel about our own people, too-- no power, regardless of its might, can throw them down on their knees".

References to the original: [Address at the reception to the delegation attended a Baltimore sports. May 4, 1999](#)

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