# Phone Call Script to a Senator’s Office

This script makes a concise, respectful, and persuasive call to your senator’s office regarding the militarization in Gaza, the famine crisis, the ongoing bombings in Ukraine, and the need for inclusive negotiations. This is an especially helpful script if your senator is a faith-based person or is of Christian faith.

## 1. Identify

“Hello, my name is [Your Name], and I’m a constituent from [City, State].”
**(Always state you’re a constituent — it carries more weight.)**

## 2. Express

I’m calling because I’m deeply concerned about the U.S. role in escalating global conflicts — especially the militarization we fund and the man-made famine in Gaza, also the continued bombings in Ukraine where President Zelensky is being left out of critical negotiations.

## 3. Invoke a Moral Appeal …Faith-Based Framing

As a person of faith, I know we are called to be peacemakers. In Jesus’ own words he says in Matthew 5:9, ‘Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.’
I’m urging the Senator to stand on the side of Jesus and justice, to demonstrate being such a child of God.

## 4. Make a Clear Ask

“I’m asking the Senator to vouch for peace by:

• Firmly opposing further militarization and funding that fuels violence

• Demanding immediate humanitarian relief for devastated and dying innocent people and children in Gaza

• Supporting negotiations that include ALL impacted leaders, including President Zelensky, to find a path toward peace.”

Your position carries immense influence. To urge for de-escalation and humanitarian aid is not weakness — it is leadership aligned with the Gospel.

“Jesus says again in Matthew, ‘But I tell you, do not resist an evil person.
 If anyone slaps you on the right cheek, turn to them the other also.”

In this moment of violence and death, I ask you to remember Christ’s radical call to break cycles of retaliation and to **embody mercy** where others seek vengeance. Please ask yourself, as a man of faith in your position, what would Jesus do?

## 5. Close with Urgency and Gratitude

History will remember where we stood during this time of suffering. I’m asking the Senator to lead with moral courage and represent the will of the people by advocating for de-escalation and diplomacy. Thank you for taking my concerns seriously.

## Tips for Making the Call Impactful

**-** Be concise: **Keep the call under 90 seconds.**- Be personal: **Briefly mention any personal connection (faith, family, service, etc.).
-** Be respectful but firm: **Staffers note tone as well as content.
-** Optional: **Ask the staffer to record your position and whether the senator has taken a stance.**