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Activists bring anti-circumcision message to Harrisburg

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Brother K, 68, of Sacramento, California, founder of <u>Bloodstained Men</u>, is traveling the nation, going to 60 cities this year, to spread awareness of what his organization describes as the cruelty, damage, harm and worthlessness of baby circumcision.

The organization, made of men wearing white from head-to-toe, with bloodstained

groin areas, included mothers and children as they spread their message on Market Square in Harrisburg today.

"We stand on the street corners, hand out information cards to passersby, show our signs, we hold them high and proud to passing motorists and we are getting a wonderful reception in cities across America," said Brother K.

"Parents love their children and when they find out the truth about circumcision they say, 'no you're not going to do that to my baby,'"



"We are serious about ending baby circumcision in my lifetime, and I'm 68 years old. It's just a cruelty that is not worthy of a free people."

According the the website of the <u>American Academy of Pediatrics</u>, "After a comprehensive review of the scientific evidence, the American Academy of Pediatrics found the health benefits of newborn male circumcision outweigh the risks, but the benefits are not great enough to recommend universal newborn circumcision."