



Federal Department of Aid and Allocation Control

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE




Fact Sheet on FEDAC Refugee Relocation & Resettlement Efforts During the Dominion War and Bajor Crisis

FROM THE OFFICE OF THE HIGH COMMISSIONER OF SENTIENTARIAN AFFAIRS

"Remember.....FEDAC is Working For You!"

11.07.2378
55525.94736174524

FEDAC Office of Public Relations, 257 Rue de Vaugirard, 75015, 15th Arrondissement,
Paris, France, European Alliance, United Earth, United Federation of Planets
98033-10222-S03-87



"Esteemed members of the press, since its establishment in 2249, the Federal Department of Aid and Allocation Control has been on the front lines of nearly every battle against hunger, disease, and privation in the known Galaxy. From the Colonial Crisis to the Suliban Emergency and beyond, FEDAC has been there to provide succor to the victims, and to help them build new lives in the ashes of catastrophe. The Dominion War was no exception. In the face of the single worst sentientarian crisis in the history of this Union, FEDAC and its sister agencies provided unprecedented levels of aid and support, and have continued to do so as the aftershocks of the War continue to reverberate. For billions of sentient lives, FEDAC has represented the difference between death and survival, and has served as the living symbol of the United Federation of Planets' promise—to allow people to live their lives to their highest and freest potential. In the words of President Byss Th'r'hahlat: "It has not been an easy task - the quest for utopia never is. Perhaps our greatest achievement is less that we have created utopia - but more that in this tempestuous, dangerous, strange galaxy of ours, we have prevented hell." (2261).

If FEDAC is provided with the resources and mandate to continue its mission in the Bajor Sector and the Cardassian Borderlands, the potential payoff in lives saved and improved is likely to be quite literally uncalculatable. This document will provide a precis of data summarizing the scale and success of FEDAC's work, which many laypersons may not fully understand.

For questions, clarifications, or requests for interviews or further information, please contact my office.

FEDAC Press Secretary Ki-San Tao

THE OCCUPATION OF BAJOR AND THE BAJORAN REFUGEE CRISIS (2319-2369)

- In 2319, the Cardassian Union occupied the B'Hava'El system and annexed the First Republic of Bajor. Under the authority of a supplemental Federation Council act, FEDAC dispatched a monitoring team to Trillius Prime to investigate conditions in the sector and prepare for potential spillover of fighting into Federation Treaty Space.
- In 2322, as the Cardassian occupation tightened its grip, Director T'Lana of FEDAC authorized **Operation 'Abundant Harvests'**, in which two dozen Antares-class freighters were rerouted to the Border Zone to serve as makeshift shelters for the estimated **50,000** Bajorans who had fled their home system.
- By 2330, open revolution had erupted against Cardassian rule. As conditions in the borderlands degenerated far past even the worst-case scenarios the UFP had anticipated, FEDAC rose to the occasion, declaring the Bajor Sector a **Class Three Emergency Zone**, and rerouting resources and personnel into the region.
- In 2347, the Cardassian Border Wars began in earnest with the Setlik III Massacre. FEDAC upgraded their classification to a **Class Two Emergency Zone**, and extended it to three neighboring sectors.
- During this time period, FEDAC oversaw the construction and operation of **fifty-nine** Refugee Relocation Camps on nineteen different planets and moons, which processed a total of **13.7 million** Bajoran refugees, **1.8 million** refugees from other border systems, and **3,741** Cardassians seeking asylum.
- Given the semi-permanent nature of many of these facilities, and the seemingly intractable nature of the conflict, the Federation Council established the Bajoran Permanent Refugee Commission (BAJ-PRC) as a subsidiary arm of FEDAC, under the direction of Dr. Winn Betram.
- Of these, **4.8 million** Bajorans were eventually resettled in the Federation Treaty Zone, **2.2 million** voluntarily renounced their residency rights and sought shelter elsewhere, and **6.7 million** were eventually repatriated to Bajor following the Cardassian withdrawal in 2369.
- In addition, FEDAC supplied other refugee camps and resettlement centers outside Federation control with **17,300 Galactic Standard Weights** of food and medical supplies. Between 2320 and 2328, **580 Galactic Standard Weights** of sentientian supplies were shipped to Bajor, before the Cardassian Occupational Government banned all unauthorized imports.

THE WORMHOLE OPENS (2369-2373)

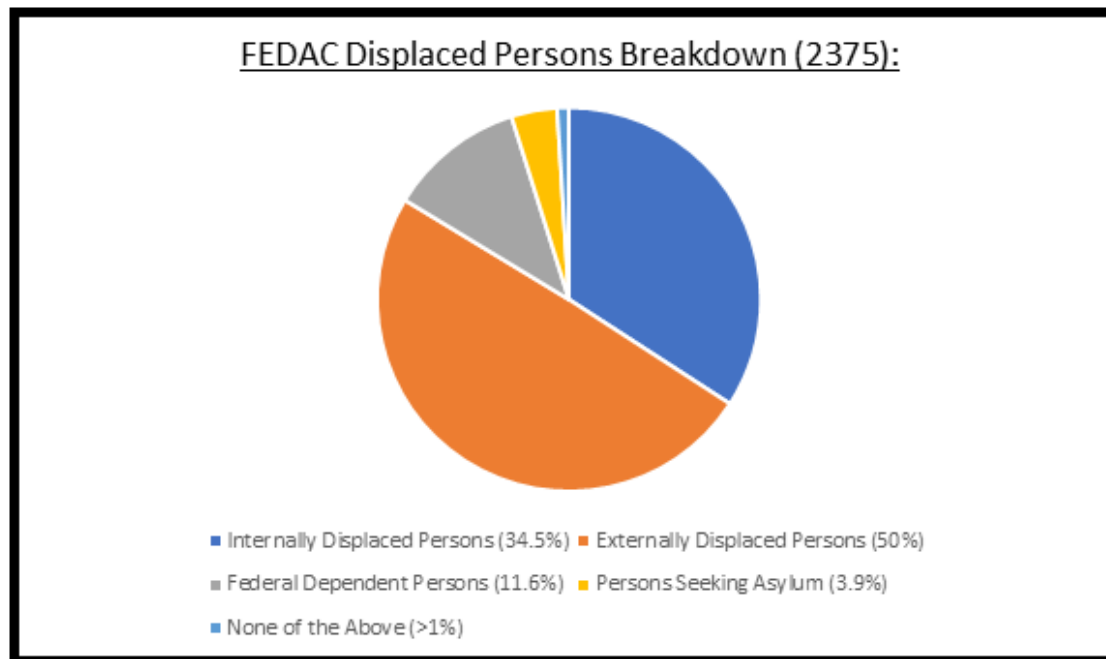
- Following the Cardassian Withdrawal from Bajor in 2369 and the **Federation-Cardassian Border Agreement of 2370**, it was widely believed that political stabilization would lead to an end to the need for large-scale FEDAC deployment to the Bajor Sector. In 2369, the FEDAC Board of Supervisors ordered a general winddown of BAJ-PRC as conditions allowed.
- The discovery of the Bajoran Wormhole in 2369 undermined these assumptions, as did the rise of the Maquis in the Demilitarized Zone in 2370 and their active operations against the Cardassian Union.
- Despite this, FEDAC continued to provide sentientarian support and services to people across the sector, repatriating millions of Bajorans home to the B'Hava'El system in 2369-2371 and establishing a Permanent Mission to the Second Republic of Bajor.
- Between 2370 and 2373, the Permanent Mission supplied the Provisional Government of Bajor with **3,800 Galactic Standard Weights** of sentientarian supplies, and **10 Class VI industrial-grade matter replicators**. Additionally, nearly seven hundred Federal citizens spent time on Bajor and its colonies providing medical and administrative support to the new government.
- As exploration of the Gamma Quadrant continued, FEDAC found itself called upon to respond to new crises and situations caused by this new astropolitical reality. In 2370, FEDAC successfully resettled **3.1 million** Skrreea refugees on Draylon II in two months (**Operation 'Gran Paradiso'**), the largest single transportation effort ever undertaken by this agency to that date.
- Following the Klingon Cardassian War of 2372-2373, FEDAC's mandate in the Bajor Sector was expanded to include the Cardassian Union. Efforts at providing sentientarian assistance to the new Cardassian government, however, were undermined by the Klingon refusal to respect Red Cross signals or attempts to negotiate sentientarian corridors. Despite this, over **20,000 Galactic Standard Weights** of medical and food supplies were landed on Cardassian colony worlds during these two years.
- In 2373, the Cardassian Union acceded to the Dominion, and expelled all Federation personnel from their territory. Renewed offensives against the Maquis and the Klingons created new waves of refugees, as almost **750,000** former residents of the Demilitarized Zone fled into Federation Treaty Space. Additionally, as Gul Dukat's purges and consolidation of power intensified, approximately **50,000** Cardassian dissidents sought shelter in Federation territory. The existing camp infrastructure maintained by BAJ-PRC proved essential in managing this emergency.
- As tensions with the Dominion intensified over the course of 2373, Director Thy'lek Shahassan ordered FEDAC to begin planning for a general mobilization in preparation for hostilities.

THE DOMINION WAR (2373-2375)

- Following the Second Battle of Deep Space 9 and the United Federation of Planets' declaration of war against the Dominion, FEDAC was placed in a state of emergency mobilization. This would prove essential, as the Dominion's advance over the next year proved unspeakably devastating for the Alpha Quadrant.
- In their response to this unprecedented, FEDAC was ably assisted by the **Federation Aid and Mercy Corps**, the **Colonial Transportation and Settlement Union**, the **Gol'nev**, the **Red Cross**, **Médecins Sans Frontières**, the **Ecumenical Council of Earth**, the **Children of the Prophets**, and the **Sisters of Kul'Ar'Nan**, jointly operating under the authority of an Emergency Board of Commissioners. The following results could not have been accomplished without their aid.
- On January 17th, 2374, President Min Zife of the United Federation of Planets issued **Presidential Directive ZSU-087363**, declaring FEDAC's efforts to be "of the upmost priority", ensuring that the Agency could receive resource and budget allocations secondary only to the war effort itself. This would prove to be prescient, given the events that followed.
- On February 3rd, 2374, FEDAC declared a **Class One Emergency Zone** in twenty-four sectors—a classification that would be extended to nineteen more by the end of the war.
- The Dominion advance throughout late 2373 and early 2374 would prove devastating beyond all belief. In just five months, over **one hundred Federation colonies, members, and associated worlds** were occupied, as well as dozens of unaligned, neutral, or allied planets. Even after the success of Operation Return in May 2374, Dominion control extended deep into Federal Treaty Space, and in many cases would not end until the ratification of the Treaty of Bajor in late 2375.
- Scores of other worlds were subjected to Dominion or Cardassian raids, bombardments, or blockades. In all cases, Dominion conduct towards captive populations was marked by casual and arbitrary cruelty and use of indiscriminate violence.
- Even where Dominion authority was not extended directly, the effect of their advance could prove sweeping. In many cases, the Dominion attempted to secure their rear areas and flanks by extending support to local regimes or factions amenable to alliance—often simply supplying weapons and munitions to any local warlord or militia willing to pledge allegiance to the Founders in return for carte blanche to exterminate their traditional enemies. Infamous examples of this include the Satarrans, who took advantage of the opportunity to conquer their longtime Lysian enemies, and Skempala, where the Dan Tor government installed by the Dominion spent years carrying out purges and prescriptions against domestic enemies until its collapse in 2376.
- An already-difficult situation became even worse in August 2374, when Betazed was occupied by the Dominion, the first Federation 'Core System' to ever be occupied by a foreign power. In addition to the **500,000** refugees from fled the star system ahead of the advancing Jem'Hadar, the Dominion thrust into central UFP territory sparked a chaotic migration of **3-5 million civilians** away from the sector. With less than a day's notice, FEDAC was able to redeploy dozens of ships transport and supply these refugees, in **Operation 'Clara Barton'**.

THE DOMINION WAR (2373-2375)

- Estimates from FEDAC and the Federation Diplomatic Corps are that over the course of 2373-2375, approximately **2.8 billion** sentients found themselves involuntarily displaced from their homes. This is, by far, the largest movement of persons recorded in the Alpha or Beta Quadrants by the UFP or any other records we have access to. Of these, **793 million** sought shelter from FEDAC or an associated organization. A further breakdown to follow:
- FEDAC estimates that of these **274 million** were **Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs)** from Federal worlds and colonies.
- An additional **396 million** were **Externally Displaced Persons (EDPs)** from outside Federal Treaty Space.
- **92 million** were **Federal Dependent Persons (FDPs)**, refugees from worlds with treaties of association or protection with the UFP.
- **31 million** were **Persons Seeking Asylum (PSAs)**, residents of states or planets formally in a state of war with the United Federation of Planets who were seeking sanctuary from their own governments.
- With only a few months' notice, FEDAC found itself responsible for the well-being a population larger than that of most Federal colonies. Despite the enormity of this task, this agency responded with its trademark speed and efficiency.



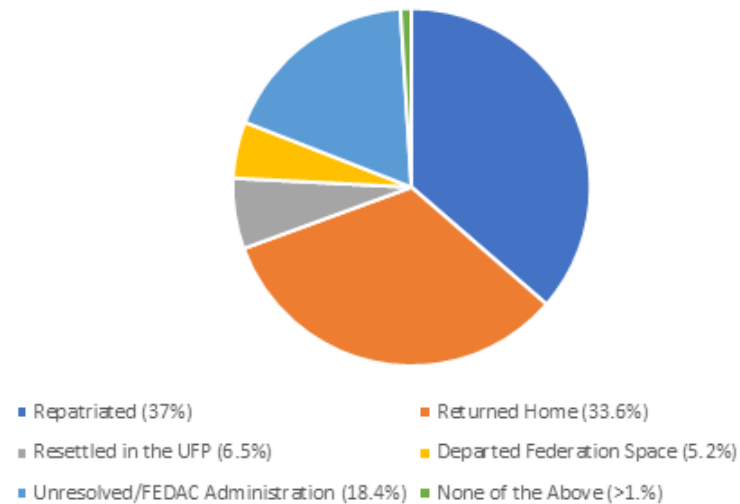
THE DOMINION WAR (2373-2375)

- FEDAC oversaw the construction and operation of **7,416 separate Refugee Relocation Camps** across one hundred and ninety-seven different star systems, with life support capacity for three hundred and twenty-three different species.
- In addition to directly-managed facilities, FEDAC also provided other organizations and administrations with **209** field hospitals, **83** water and waste treatment facilities, **123** Class VIII commercial-grade matter replicators, **253** modular fusion reactors, and **13,498** prefabricated shelters.
- In support of this operation, FEDAC mobilized an unprecedented fleet of **837** ships, including both Federal-flagged vessels and civilian ships donated or chartered.
- FEDAC and its associated organizations deployed **350,000** employees to the frontlines to manage this unprecedented sentientarian catastrophe, supported by nearly **2.5 million** volunteers.
- To supply and maintain this system, FEDAC successfully shipped **567,000 Galactic Standard Weights** of food, medicine, and other sentientarian supplies to the front lines, despite the constant threat of Dominion attack.
- Fatality rates via natural causes within the organization overseen by FEDAC were stabilized at an average of **0.9%**, through the enforcement of strict sanitary and hygienic regulations, systemized medical care, and regular ration disbursements. Independent refugee centers outside Federal jurisdiction suffered an estimated **6.7-18%** fatality rate, according to independent analysis.
- Throughout the war, FEDAC worked hard to integrate Displaced Persons into Federal society and the war effort.
- **193,000** sentients enrolled in Federal universities or trade schools through the **Federation Education Exchange Program**.
- **8.4 million** sentients volunteered for FEDAC or an associated organization.
- **29.7** million sentients were employed by the Federal Office of War Production.
- **33.4** million sentients found work through the Local Employment Program.
- Though FEDAC is a noncombat agency of the Federal government, the Dominion and its allies were unwilling to respect traditional norms or laws of warfare. More than **17,000** FEDAC employees and contract workers were KIA or MIA during the course of the War, usually as a result of enemy attacks against refugee camps or convoys.
- As a result of their actions during the War, **43** FEDAC employees were awarded the Federation Meritorious Service Medal, **eleven** were decorated with the Distinguished Service Cross, **nine** were awarded the Christopher Pike Medal of Valor, and **three** were named Heroes of the United Federation of Planets.
- During the entire course of the Dominion War, FEDAC maintained rigorous standards of personal and institutional conduct, enforcing administrative regulations and Federation law fairly and uniformly against all sentients under our jurisdiction.

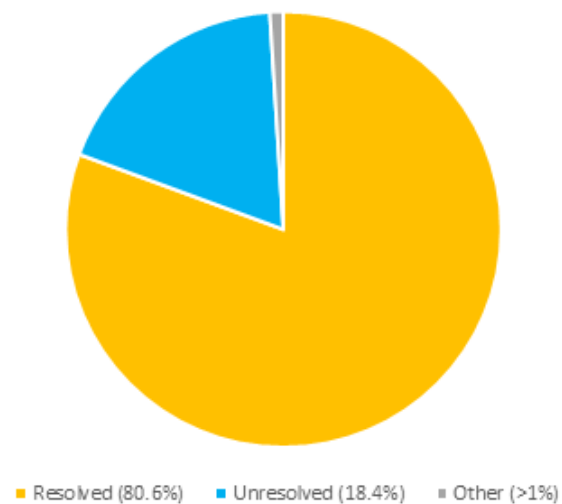
THE END OF THE WAR.....THE BEGINNING OF THE FIGHT (2375-2378)

- On October 23rd, 2375, the Treaty of Bajor was signed, bringing an official end to hostilities. As per Article II, Clause (a), all territories were to be returned to the status quo ante bellum, and per Article V, Clause (b), all detainees and POWs were to be repatriated to their nations of origin as quickly as possible.
- This was interpreted by a Commission of Signatory Powers sitting in joint session at Deep Space 9 to indicate that **all refugees and Displaced Persons were to be repatriated to their nation or star system of origin if possible.**
- Over the last three years, FEDAC has taken great strides in carrying out this mandate, despite the scale of the task ordered and the numerous complications that have emerged. A breakdown of dispositions to follow:
- Of the estimated 274 million Internally Displaced Persons, **virtually all were returned to their home systems** as soon as Dominion occupation was lifted. The exception were those who came from worlds destroyed or subjected to such devastation that they were unable to support increased population. In those cases, FEDAC sought to find them new homes within Federation Treaty Space. Screening by the Federal Department of Disease, Flora, & Fauna Control (FEDFAC) is proceeding as fast as possible, but approximately **7.4 million** remain under FEDAC jurisdiction.
- An additional **396 million** Externally Displaced Persons were registered with FEDAC's Refugee Relocation Camps. In many of these cases, an agreeable resolution has been difficult to achieve. Many worlds remain embroiled in geopolitical chaos, anarchy, or are under the occupation of various nonaligned powers hostile to their return.
- **203 million** have been successfully repatriated to their home systems.
- **34.5 million** have accepted repatriation by a third party.
- **27.2 million** have requested asylum and been resettled within Federation Treaty Space by the Office of Refugee Rehabilitation & Relocation, with fourteen new colony worlds opened to settlement under the auspices of this program.
- **8.3 million** have voluntarily renounced their residency rights and departed.
- **27,943** have been expelled from FEDAC facilities for egregious violation of rules of conduct and **4,298** have been extradited to face trial in their home systems.
- Despite this, **132 million EDPs** remain in FEDAC camps awaiting either resettlement or the resolution of diplomatic efforts to return them home.
- Of the **92 million** Federal Dependent Persons, most have been repatriated to their home systems or resettled elsewhere within the Treaty Zone. However, **678,000** sentients remain in legal limbo after their home systems renounced their preexisting Treaties of Association with the UFP.
- During the War, **31 million** sentients from states in a state of war with the United Federation of Planets requested asylum. Of these, **93.2%** had their claims accepted, but **6.4 million** of those are still awaiting resettlement or immigration clearance.
- In total, **146.5 million** Displaced Persons from the Dominion War are still under FEDAC authority, awaiting resolution of their cases. For context, this is **larger than the total number of refugees processed by FEDAC between 2249-2373.**

Resolution of FEDAC Displaced Persons Cases (2378) (A):



Resolution of FEDAC Displaced Persons Cases (2378) (B):



THE END OF THE WAR.....THE BEGINNING OF THE FIGHT (2375-2378)

- Further complications have emerged with peace. Despite the Treaty of Bajor, many of the ancillary conflicts fanned to flames by the Dominion continue to burn, and a steady stream of refugees continue to arrive in Federation space.
- An additional difficulty has been caused by the unusually close cooperation between the Federation, Klingon, and Romulan Empires over the last three years. When Romulan forces withdrew from Benezar and other Federation worlds they had liberated during the war, **28,019** auxiliaries and other subjects (mostly Remans) requested asylum and refused to leave. A further **4,602** requested asylum from the Klingon Empire, and **844** from the Kzinti Patriarchy. The UFP accepted **87.4%** of these requests, but **2,403** legal cases remain active.
- In support of the UFP's stated objective to peacefully stabilize the frontier regions and put an end to the disruption of the war, FEDAC has established **209** new Permanent Missions to independent star systems in the last three years, seeking to aid other nations in resolving their crises domestically.
- FEDAC also continues to provide copious amounts of sentientarian aid to the Cardassian Union under the terms of the **Cardassian-Federation Mutual Assistance Pact (2376)**, administered by Starfleet's **Cardassian Peacekeeping & Reconstruction Command (CAPRECOM)**.

Moving Forward

- Despite unprecedented circumstances and a crisis beyond what anyone in the Federation had envisioned, FEDAC rose to its responsibility as the last guarantor of sentient freedom in the face of catastrophe.
- Even now, three years after the war, FEDAC continues to shoulder a burden far beyond what had been envisioned for this agency, with authority and responsibility for nearly one hundred and fifty million sentient beings, in addition to existing commitments.
- If the Federation Council approves the continuation of FEDAC's wartime budget allocation and the subsummation of the assets and personnel of the **Bajoran Permanent Refugee Commission (BAJ-PRC)** into the new **Federal Displaced Persons Administration (FEDIPA)** as Director Thy'lek Shahassan has proposed, then this agency is confident that it will be able to continue its vital work without interruption.

Federal Department of Aid and Allocation Control

Office of Public Relations

FEDAC: A POTTED HISTORY

The Federation Department of Aid Control (FEDAC) was created in 2249 in the aftermath of the Colonial Crisis, the UFP's largest sentientarian crisis since the Romulan War. During the 30 months of the Federal Emergency, Federation Central had lacked the central organisation to support and assist the work of Non-government aid organisation and provide aid to civil and military powers at the frontline of the multiple disasters. Based on the experience of the Starfleet and the recommendations of the Tilly Inquiry, President Paula Christenson would create the Federation Aid Organisation (FAO) in October 2247. It was renamed FEDAC in 2249, after it was combined with the Federation Sentarian Rights Observation Commission (FSROC).

FEDAC's first test would be the 2256-57 Klingon War. Despite a shortage of material, ships and support from other institutions, FEDAC would conduct several organisation civilian evacuations from frontline system, and house nearly **2.3 million** Displaced Persons across six different planets. FEDAC would declare the sentientarian crisis on the border over in early 2259 - only for the Klingon Campaign against the Suliban to spur the organisation into action. Between 2259 and 2271, over **55 million** Suliban - an estimated **30%** of the total Suliban population outside of Klingon space - would become Displaced Persons in FEDAC care. Over **45%** of this number would seek asylum in the UFP.

Throughout the late 23rd century, FEDAC remained heavily committed to the care and processing of Displaced Persons escaping the Klingon, Romulan and Thallonian Empires. By 2293, FEDAC was operating **285 Refugee Relocation Camps** throughout the Federation Treaty Zone, as well as a fleet of fifteen heavy passenger transports. Between 2260 and 2293, FEDAC would process **110 million** refugees across its facilities, with staff peaking at **2,100 employees** and **140,000 volunteers**. The Khitomer Accords and the Treaty of Algeron both saw mass population transfers that were managed through FEDAC on behalf of the signatory governments. By 2320, FEDAC had reduced in size to **1200 employees** and **80,000 volunteers**: yet, even during the 'Long Peace' of the 24th century, FEDAC still had under its' care an average of **25 million** Displaced Persons per Standard Year.

FIND OUT MORE

Speak to the FEDAC Press Office at: 98033-10222-S03-87

Contact your local FEDAC representative at: [YOUR LOCAL SUBSPACE CODE]-10634-S01-11

Volunteer for FEDAC by dispatching a subspace message to: 98033-10241-S05-51

A NOTE FROM THE AUTHOR, NATHAN GOLDWAG

As usual, I need to cite [The Edge of Midnight: A Narrative of the Federation-Klingon Cold War \(2256-2293\)](#) and [We Have Engaged the Borg: An Oral History of the Battle of Wolf 359](#), both of which I used as a source for terminology.

I also reference [Scenes From Will Riker's War](#) and [Pi'maat](#) by sixbeforelunch, which are some of the best Star Trek fics I've ever read on here.

Nathan's work can be read at <https://nathangoldwag.wordpress.com/>

LIKE WHAT YOU'VE READ?

Discover more Trek History with Tranquility Press, the collaborative writers group of Fan Authors, Artists and Worldbuilders who are exploring the Star Trek Universe beyond the starship on the screen.

Find out more at:
www.Tranquility.Press
Or follow us on Twitter:
[@TranquilityPress](https://twitter.com/TranquilityPress)



TRANQUILITY.PRESS ♦ @TRANQUILITYPRESS

A COLLABORATIVE WEBRING OF *STAR TREK*
FAN AUTHORS, ARTISTS, & WORLDBUILDERS

"there are always possibilities"