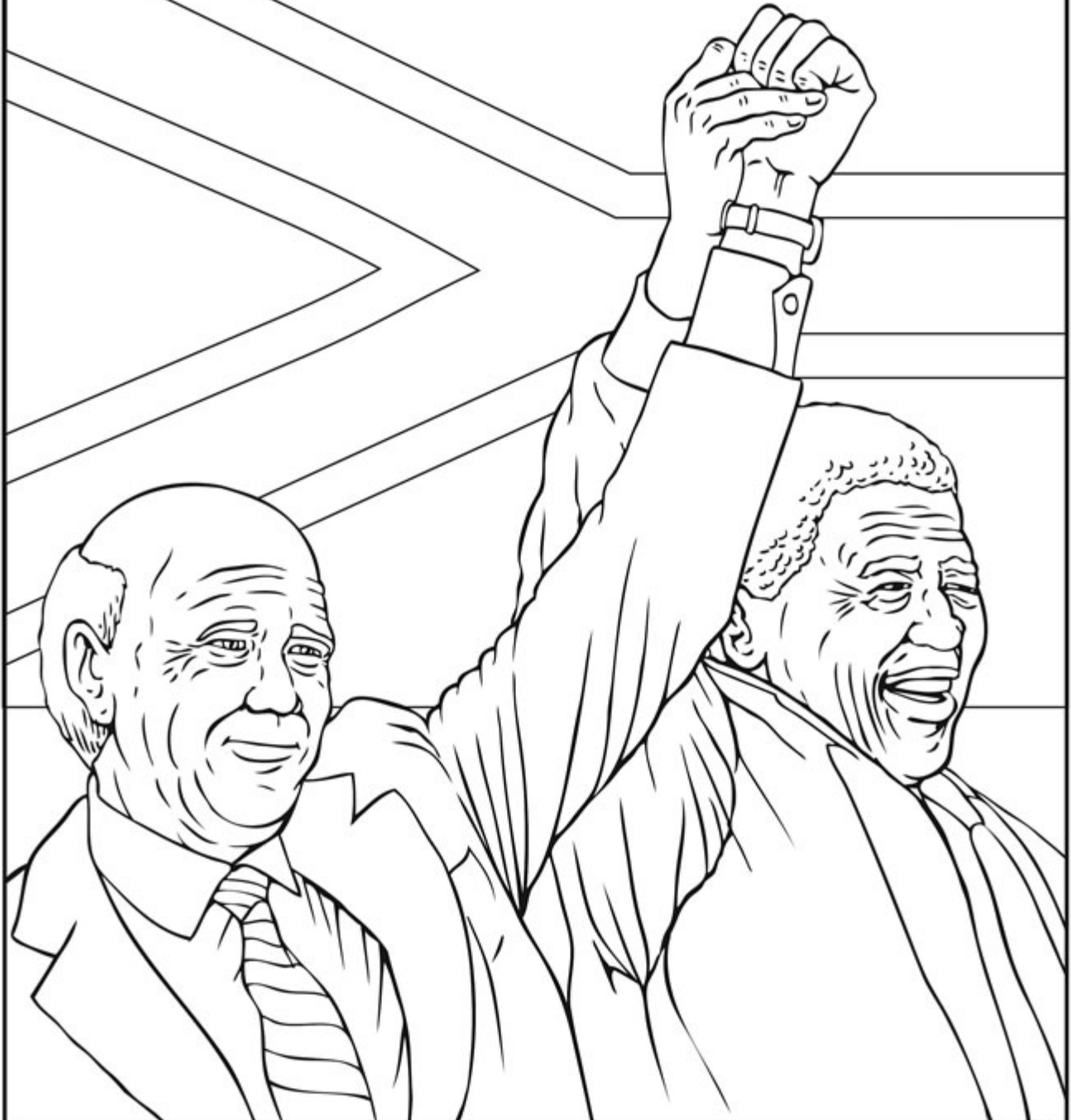


*"Resentment is like drinking poison and then hoping it will kill your enemies."*



Within days of his release, Nelson Mandela gave a speech declaring his commitment to peace and reconciliation between the oppressed and the oppressors. Apartheid was eventually done away with and the transition to true democracy (one person, one vote) was peaceful. For their working together in this cause, Nelson Mandela and President F. W. de Klerk received the Nobel Peace Prize.