Benevolence across races:
Very Singaporean?

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The ghost of racism has long haunted Singapore. This is not surprising. It is a small, densely populated, multi-ethnic society, and while it has experienced waves of racist incidents, it is not unusual for such incidents to occur. However, recent events have highlighted the persistence of racism and its impact on the society.

During the election campaign, there were incidents of racist attacks on ethnic Chinese candidates, with some physical violence. This has raised concerns about the prevalence of racism in Singapore.

The government has taken steps to address this issue. They have launched a campaign to promote racial harmony and have increased the deployment of police officers to monitor and prevent such incidents.

In conclusion, while racism is a persistent problem in Singapore, the government is taking steps to address it. It is important for all citizens to work together to promote a more inclusive and harmonious society.