



## Hackney SACRE Collective Worship 'quotation exchange'

"We ordained that if anyone killed a person ... not in retaliation of murder or in punishment ... it would be as if he killed all mankind.  
And if anyone saved a life it would be as if he saved the life of all mankind."

**Qur'an (Islam)**

"The person who hates certain people but tells you that he still loves God; that person is lying."

**Rabbi Yannai (Jewish)**

"Every gun that is made,  
every warship that is launched,  
every rocket fired  
signifies a theft  
from those that hunger and are not fed,  
from those who are cold and are not clothed."

**President Eisenhower (secular)**

"Goodness is stronger than evil;  
Love is stronger than hate;  
Light is stronger than darkness;  
Life is stronger than death;  
Victory is ours through Him who loved us"

**Desmond Tutu (Christian)**

"I am a man of peace. I believe in peace. But I do not want peace at any price. I do not want the peace that you find in stone; I do not want the peace which you find in the grave; but I do want the peace which you find embedded in the human breast, which is exposed to the arrows of the whole world, but which is protected from all harm by the power of Almighty God."

**Gandhi (Hindu)**

"Humanity is one race in the whole world. God as Creator, as bountiful and as merciful is One God. We should never try to divide God into the God of different groups. Worship the One God, the One Divine Teacher of everyone. Everyone has the same human form, everyone has the same soul."

**Dasam Granth (Sikh)**

"But the harvest of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, fidelity, gentleness and self-control."

**Galatians 5.22 (Christian)**

"Lead me from death to life, from falsehood to truth.  
Lead me from despair to hope, from fear to trust.  
Lead me from hate to love, from war to peace.  
Let peace fill our heart, our world, our universe... ."

**Upanishads (Hindu)**

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