



HUM 2306 01: Comparative Religion

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During our discussions in class and also during our trips, I figured that it is important to imagine a future where people of different religions join together in harmony and love because, in a society where variety and religious differences sometimes cause tensions, this is what we need to do.

I was inspired by Ms. Karen's poem that she read to us on our last day of the intersession, so I decided to write a poem for my final project. I started writing it on the bus on our way back to Ifrane. My references were basically all the discussions and time spent together with the Mercer students, as well as our visit to different locations for religious practices. The universal love of God and the value of accepting our neighbors are emphasized in this poem, which praises the peaceful coexistence of people of many religious backgrounds. The poem weaves a tapestry of comprehension, compassion, and unity with each individual lesson it offers in a line. I also gave it the title: **United in Devine Love**.

In a world furnished with colors diverse,
Where souls meet on paths dispersed,
Between the tapestry of faith's embrace,
A symphony of hearts, united in grace.

From East to West, each faith finds its place,
A shining mosaic, cultures interlaced,
For in the tapestry, threads intertwine,
Weaving a harmony, divine and fine.

In monasteries, mosques, and churches grand,
Prayers ascend to the heavens' demand,
Whispers of hope, the faithful confess,
A testament of love and humbleness.

Amidst the differences, they stand tall,
Embracing the love of the One for all,
United, they see past the outward attire,
Seeking a connection that soars higher.

For God, they adore with the greatest devotion,

Guided by scriptures, their hearts in motion,
Yet, in this unity, they choose to see,
The love of God in you and me.

In monasteries, mosques, and churches grand,
They join hands, together they expand,
Spreading a message of peace and care,
Their unity becomes strong and rare.

So let us walk together, hand in hand,
In this complex tapestry, let us expand,
With hearts entwined, across every land,
People from all faiths, united and grand.

For in the love of God and neighbor's embrace,
We find the essence of divine grace,
A symphony of souls, united we'll be,
In this harmonious dance of humanity.

End.