



# “Religious Diversity for Coexistence and Peace”

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One family from Barcelona (Hector and Dulce Macias) who has been active for many years with an interreligious group in Barcelona, has been invited to participate on November 17th at an

event organized by “Justice and Peace”, (Justicia i Pau – a catholic organization) Barcelona, in a beautiful space, the “Casa Golferichs” in the Gran Via de las Corts Catalanes.

The theme of the event was: The religious diversity for coexistence and peace, and what the different religions do to help peace.

Mr. Eudald Vendrell, President of Justice and Peace, welcomed us and then introduced the speaker Mr. Joan Gomez i Segalà, Sociologist of the Advisory Council for Religious Diversity of the Generalitat, Government of Catalonia

Next, we had a round table with 8 different religious traditions: The Sufi Muslim Community, the Syrian-Antioch Church of Spain, Bahá’í community, Catholic Christian Community, Brahma Kumaris Association, Hare Krishna and FFWPU represented by Maria Dulce Balil.

All of them wrote 3 contributions to peace before the event, which was read before our individual intervention by Quim Cervera, the main coordinator of the act. I spoke about the Bridge of Peace and Reconciliation of the WFWP, The Peace Road International

Project, and the international and interracial Blessings for World peace.

I also spoke about the Blessing of 40,000 couples that Mrs. Moon will officiate next November 21th in Zimbabwe. I finished my exposition with True Father’s Words about living for the sake of others. Some people at the table have been very impressed.

At the end the contributions have been read and a manifesto will be made with the points reached.

