Let There Be Peace on Earth
Text: Sy Miller, Jill Jackson, Jan-Lee Music
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Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with me.
Let there be peace on earth, the peace that was meant to be.
With love for one another, family all are we.
Let us walk with each other in perfect harmony.

Let peace begin with me, let this be the moment now.
With every step I take, let this be my solemn vow;
To take each moment and live each moment in peace eternally!
Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with me.

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**Sacred Texts**

“It is very difficult to serve the True Guru. Surrender your head; give up your selfishness. Realizing the Shabad, one meets with the Lord, and all one's service is accepted.”

*Shri Guru Granth Sahib, page 27*

“But Ruth replied, ‘Don’t urge me to leave you or to turn back from you. Where you go I will go, and where you stay I will stay. Your people will be my people and your God my God. Where you die I will die, and there I will be buried.”

*Ruth, 1:16-17 (NIV)*

“One who sees multitudes of Israel recites: Blessed are You, Adonai our God, Ruler of the Universe, Who knows all secrets. Why is this? God sees a whole nation whose minds are unlike each other and whose faces are unlike each other, and God, Who knows all secrets, knows what is in each of their hearts.”

*Brukhes, Chapter 58a*

"‘If you let these women go, it will be as though I had never been,’ she replied. ‘I am determined to stay beside you wherever you go. Your people will be mine, your God will be mine. Where you die, there I will die, and there I will be buried. The Lord watch over the way of his servant Rachel until I arrive at Bethlehem.’”

*Genesis 31:49-53 (NIV)*

"Say: ‘Travel through the earth and observe how He began creation.’

*Surah Al-'Ankabut [29:20] - Al-Qur’an al-Kareem*

**Baccalaureate Speaker**

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Michael is an Assistant Professor of Epidemiology and of Immunology & Infectious Diseases at the Harvard School of Public Health and is a clinical pathologist at Brigham and Women’s Hospital / Harvard Medical School, where he oversees molecular virology diagnostics. He is an Associate Member of the Broad Institute of MIT and Harvard where he has helped to develop one of the nation’s highest throughput testing facilities for COVID-19, which tests samples from across New England.

At Dartmouth, Michael earned his AB as a Senior Fellow studying mostly at Thayer School of Engineering and in biological sciences. In his junior year he moved to Sri Lanka with the support of Tucker to gain experience in a Sri Lankan medical clinic and also to experience living in a Buddhist country. His time there led to a newfound practice of meditation for him which eventually led to ordination as a Buddhist monk.

After Dartmouth, he completed his MD and Ph.D. degrees in the NIH Medical Scientist Training Program at Emory University and post-doctoral work at Princeton University and Harvard Medical School and residency at Brigham and Women’s Hospital / Harvard Medical School. As a part of his research and through a not-for-profit that he ran for eight years, Michael has spent numerous years abroad in a range of capacities, all related to public health and research towards the same aims.

Recently, his research has taken a turn towards understanding the epidemiology and immunology relating to SARS-CoV-2 (the virus that causes COVID-19) and he has been a nationally recognized scientist in the media and advising state, national and international governments, agencies, and financial institutions throughout the epidemic.