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BUILDING BRIDGES

through interfaith dialogue and YOUTH PARTICIPATION

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Original Music

Composed spontaneously at the conference and sung by Aishatu Ibrahim and Philtok David

Opening Song Build The Bridge

by Aishatu Ibrahim

When you build the bridge next to you And I build the bridge next to me In no time at all, we'll all have it up and see what can be done.

When you build the bridge next to you And I build the bridge next to me In no time at all, we'll all make it up. So link it, build it, one by one.

















Song for the Morning Circle

by Philtok David

There is something inside you
Something you've got
your neighbor needs to know.
Don't hold it up.
Just open up and let it out.
You could save the world today.
Don't hesitate, you can make that move
With a cheerful heart, you can let it out for him.

Have you seen that man?
Do you know his story?
Can you feel the pain somebody feels?
When you open your heart
And you open your eyes
When you open your ears, you'll hear the voice:

"I need your hand to help me stand.
I need your eyes to watch me grow.
Is someone there from the other side?
Can you show some love
When you have my feelings in your heart?"

"I need your hand to cross the stream.
I need your eyes to see the world.
But I need your heart to build the bridge
Linking me and you, linking you and him
In our Mother's land."









Song for the Evening Talent Show

by Philtok David

Light up a candle.

Walk in through the dark.

Let the people in the dark see your light.

Start up your search Searching everywhere Searching for the wretched ones Until you bring them to your light.

Think about the people in the dark.
Think of ways to change the world.
If you really want to make things right
Light up a candle in the dark.

Is somebody there? With your candle light You'll see the needs to bear for somebody.

Give them a hope. Give them a life to live. And the little things you do Will help the darkness disappear.









