

COMPETITION ASPECT: ESSAY

‘PEACE’



Peace is one of the greatest desires of any human being all over the world. But unfortunately, this peace is always absent due to so many factors arising from within and without. Whether from within or from without, we need to make peace with ourselves and others and which is accepting the situations that is making you not to have peace.

Writing on peace, I am putting a self-experienced situation as I lost my job and was forcefully displaced from Kumbo due to the crisis which I had no control yet I made up my mind to have peace. Coming to a new place without money, job, patching up with others and trying to adapt to others and new ways of doing things in a uncomfortable environment, adapting to funny meals different mindset was a whole difficult school. I sad and said no need to seat, calculating crying and asking God why but to accept and see how to journey with the situation.

I made up my mild on the following guiding principles:

➤ I forgot about what I had and what I was thinking about in the present situation but hoping for future change with different strategies.

- I said I will accept anything we are eating or others are doing and I made up my mind to be happy despite the conditions.
- I saw a need to be tolerance and to accept each other's' opinion, beliefs and what not so as to maintain peace for myself and others.
- I considered being diverse and charitable to each other irrespective of ethnicity, gender, social status and religion affiliation so as to have peace and give others peace.
- I also saw a need to be humane and I applied the Golden Rule principles of treating others right so as to be happy since others are happy.
- I applied solidarity where Ubuntu comes in since no one is an island. I am because others are and because of others are so I am.

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