



# 基督信仰 分享

## 參與國際明愛大會所感

在國際明愛大會結束之時，我寫下「May 17, a day to say bye」這段說話，以表達我對天主和香港明愛的感謝，感謝他們讓我有機會參與這樣盛大的一個國際聚會。

其實，我應該說是給了我「很多的機會」，因為在大會期間，我有機會認識許多不同的人。明愛是由來自世界各地的人所組成；我獲得了從他們的經驗中學習的機會；獲得了結交新朋友的機會；將我們的信息從香港傳播到世界的機會。有機會與亞洲明愛建立聯繫，並有機會被提醒我們的行為應該體現愛。

寥寥數語，謹此表達我的感受。

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### May 17, a day to say bye

At the end of this General Assembly  
I confess I will miss it terribly.  
As I leave this beautiful venue this day  
I am sure the memories will forever stay.

Good things need to be said with joy:  
This assembly was surely not a decoy.  
It was a moment of exchange and sharing,  
A time to treasure like a golden ring.

As we know, things happened in a recent past,  
But the FAITH in a brighter future will last.  
Only HOPE sets us on a meaningful pilgrimage  
That starts here and now in this present age.

As we are returning back to our field,  
The sharing we heard will yield  
The fruit that will talk more about  
The LOVE of Christ inside out.

The journey ahead is more important. Rejoice!  
Christ uses you to spread his love without force.  
I am invited to remember him in my service  
That needs time, energy and also sacrifice.

Now that I leave this lovely Ergife Hotel  
I know I have words to joyfully tell.  
But the word now is a deep gratitude  
That comes from my positive inner attitude.

May what we have learned on new paths of fraternity  
Truly help us to consolidate our bond for eternity.  
Like this, people will know we are the disciples  
Who stand by His Love and its principles.

Our service users are our priority  
To serve with humility, not authority.  
They are the image of the Savior  
Who leads with good behavior.

Love in the service of hope  
With endurance, not other dope.  
Bless us, Lord, as we depart from here  
For we know you always hear.



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