

## The origin of The Golden Sun

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What a gift to be together in the Murad Hassil, which means: wish fulfilled. Inayat Khan once said that every pupil who in this temple expressed his wish with open heart, could experience this blessing. Last year I experienced this blessing very deeply. It gave me courage and power to continue the chosen path, despite the scepticism of many people around me. I hope we all may experience the blessing of this place today.

Two years ago I did a big ceremony about Twelve World Religions. It was the last one of three, which took place in Erfurt, Germany. Again it was a powerful international event, in which we exercised connection and respect towards our different religious expressions. Inside me new ideas already grew about the next step: how could we make a ceremony to heal the energy of our countries, to heal the energy of Europe.

An old master from the Andes Inka tradition, named Juan Nunoz dell Prado, joined us in Erfurt. I spoke with him about my ideas. He told me about an old ceremony of the Inkas, named Situa. During the high days of the Inkas, Situa was a ceremony that took place on a yearly base. 52 Representatives from 52 countries of the Inka dynasty gathered in the main temple of Cuzco. They performed a ceremony in which they connected with the heavy energy existing in the 52 countries. On an energetically level, they 'digested' the heavy energy and transformed it to light energy. All done for the well being and health of all people of the Inka imperium. All different local cultures and expressions of religion were honoured and respected in the huge Inka imperium. They all had a place in the centre of the World, Cuzco.

A few days after Erfurt, I told this beautiful story to some students. Suddenly I felt warm and realised that this was what Europe needs. Because on a daily base we practice our political and economical cooperation, sometimes very hard. But where do we practice respect and understanding without political, religious or economical influences, to practice peace? Imagine that we could develop this in Europe!

I knew this would be my next project, which gave me a huge wave of joy. But soon after that I also felt shame: who do I think I am, this is too big for me! But in the next days, warmth and inspiration of the heart won over my fear. A lot of people around me also felt very inspired.

In the next weeks an image came to me of an artwork, somewhere located in Europe, where Inka likewise, a yearly ritual will be performed with representatives from all European countries. And to make the idea well-known, I saw another image, of a golden sun disc in the shape of a puzzle that would travel through Europe. To make the soil fertile, to make people interested and awake, to get ready for the real artwork: Peace in Europe.

Soon after that we decided to start Foundation Temple Europe, to make the idea strong and founded. Since then, we work with a group of enthusiastic volunteers. Together we created The Golden Sun, performed a lot of ceremonies and are making plans for Golden Sun Europe.

We work on Peace in Europe!

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