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Human rights in the arts

Mural on human rights



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This mural is the result of collaboration between the UN Human Rights Office in Paraguay and Oz Montania, a local street artist. It is on display in Asunción's Palacio de Justicia and has become a reminder of the important work of human rights defenders and their long struggle in the country.

'Proclamation of the Abolition of Slavery in the French Colonies' François Auguste Biard, 1849





John LENNON - Imagine (1971)

Imagine there's no heaven It's easy if you try No hell below us Above us only sky Imagine all the people Living for today...

Imagine there's no countries It isn't hard to do Nothing to kill or die for And no religion too Imagine all the people Living life in peace...

Imagine no possessions
I wonder if you can
No need for greed or hunger
A brotherhood of man
Imagine all the people
Sharing all the world...

You may say I'm a dreamer But I'm not the only one I hope someday you'll join us And the world will live as one