

LIFE IS A VOYAGE - A POEM BY DAISAKU IKEDA

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But we will write a noble history of life
Day after day, year after year
Our hearts, yours and mine,
Burning ever brightly as we pursue our
Journey of life, across eternity
Laughing aloud at the world's frenzied criticisms

Seeing, appreciating, and extolling
All that is most beautiful in this world
In this age of the latter Day of the Law
Which is ruled by a dark destiny

Sharing heart to heart ties
With so many precious, treasured friends
How joyful and boisterous will be our lives
Even after death, and across the three existences
What an exquisite and indestructible achievement of honour it is *celebrating*
To share this ~~the~~ voyage of life with comrades, together, **sharing** our victory
Bathed in the moon's beautiful light, bathed in the moon's beautiful light

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