



You're Invited

You are cordially invited to the
Center for Interfaith Cooperation's
Second Annual Interfaith Banquet
"Hoosiers of Many Faiths in Community"



Honoring
Kanwal
Prakash "KP"
Singh

as the 2016 "Interfaith
Ambassador of the Year"
and Featuring Anita Lerche as
Mistress of Ceremonies

Sunday, February 21, 2016, 5:00 pm-8:00 pm
Columbia Club Ball Room
Monument Circle, Indianapolis

*A multi-course vegetarian meal will be served
All dietary needs will be addressed
at time of ticket purchase*

Price: \$75 per person
Table of 8 with special recognition: \$850

To purchase tickets and learn more about
sponsorship opportunities visit:

www.centerforinterfaithcooperation.org

The CIC is a non-profit organization dedicated to strengthening the interfaith community in central Indiana and beyond by:

- * Supporting existing connections between and among faith communities;
- * Fostering additional interfaith opportunities through social, cultural, and educational interaction; and
- * Connecting interfaith communities through volunteer service and civic engagement

All proceeds go to the CIC. For more information visit
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Kanwal Prakash (KP) Singh is a world renowned artist, architect, and designer. Born in India and educated in Punjab, KP moved to Indianapolis in 1967 after coming to the United States two years earlier. For nearly half a century, KP has dedicated himself to helping build a more welcoming, vibrant, and inclusive city. Virtually every significant interfaith and intercultural initiative in Central Indiana has been founded, led, or inspired by KP Singh. He works with teachers, students, civic leaders to create a better understanding of Sikh faith traditions and contributions. But even more than representing the Sikh community to other Hoosiers, **KP Singh** is an ambassador for the ideals of interfaith cooperation.

KP has been a tireless advocate and supporter of historic preservation, cultural diversity, and the importance of arts to life and human spirit. His distinctive, finely executed pen and ink drawings of historic architecture and religious monuments in India, Europe, and the US heighten our awareness of the special place of significant buildings and sites in the visual, cultural, and spiritual fabric of our communities. His words are as powerful as his drawings. His book, *The Art and Spirit of K.P. Singh ~ Selected Drawings and Writings*, reveals respect for diverse ideas and inspirations, and admiration for universal human struggles and triumphs.

Being named Interfaith Ambassador of the Year by the Center for Interfaith Cooperation is only the latest of **KP's** many awards and honors. He is one a handful of people to receive the Sagamore of the Wabash, the state of Indiana's highest award, not once but twice. He has received several awards for his services to the Sikh community in the US and around the world, and has garnered many of the top architectural honors in the United States. In 1995 the International Center of Indianapolis (which KP co-founded) named him International Citizen of the Year.

