

Dear Friends,

A heartfelt welcome to all of you on this beautiful and important day.

When we erected this gate, all of a sudden, this Park was complete. The fruit of five years of efforts and the contribution of a special group of people to a wonderful project which is worth living. Ten years ago, the first Park of Study and Reflection was inaugurated in Argentina. 46 years ago, Silo gave his first public speech on the healing of suffering. Some were touched deeply by his words and so this current started which later inspired the creation of the Parks.

We are grateful to Silo and to all who transmitted his message. Thanks to this message, we have found true friends and despite all the failures and difficulties the joy of life and internal freedom is growing inside of us.

We are now standing in front of a new Gate.
Gates open to sacred spaces.
When we step through them, we get inside.
We step
from noise into silence,
from the everyday to the extraordinary,
from the petty to the elevated,
from emptiness into meaning.
The "I" is diminished and something else shows its presence.

These gates lead to the Parks which contribute to the birth of a new human being.

Before we enter today, let's ask ourselves:
Who am I? – Allow this question to find its way inside and wait for an answer.

Now let's ask ourselves:
Where am I going? - Allow this question to find its way inside and wait for an answer.

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Mikebuda Park has now opened its gate!