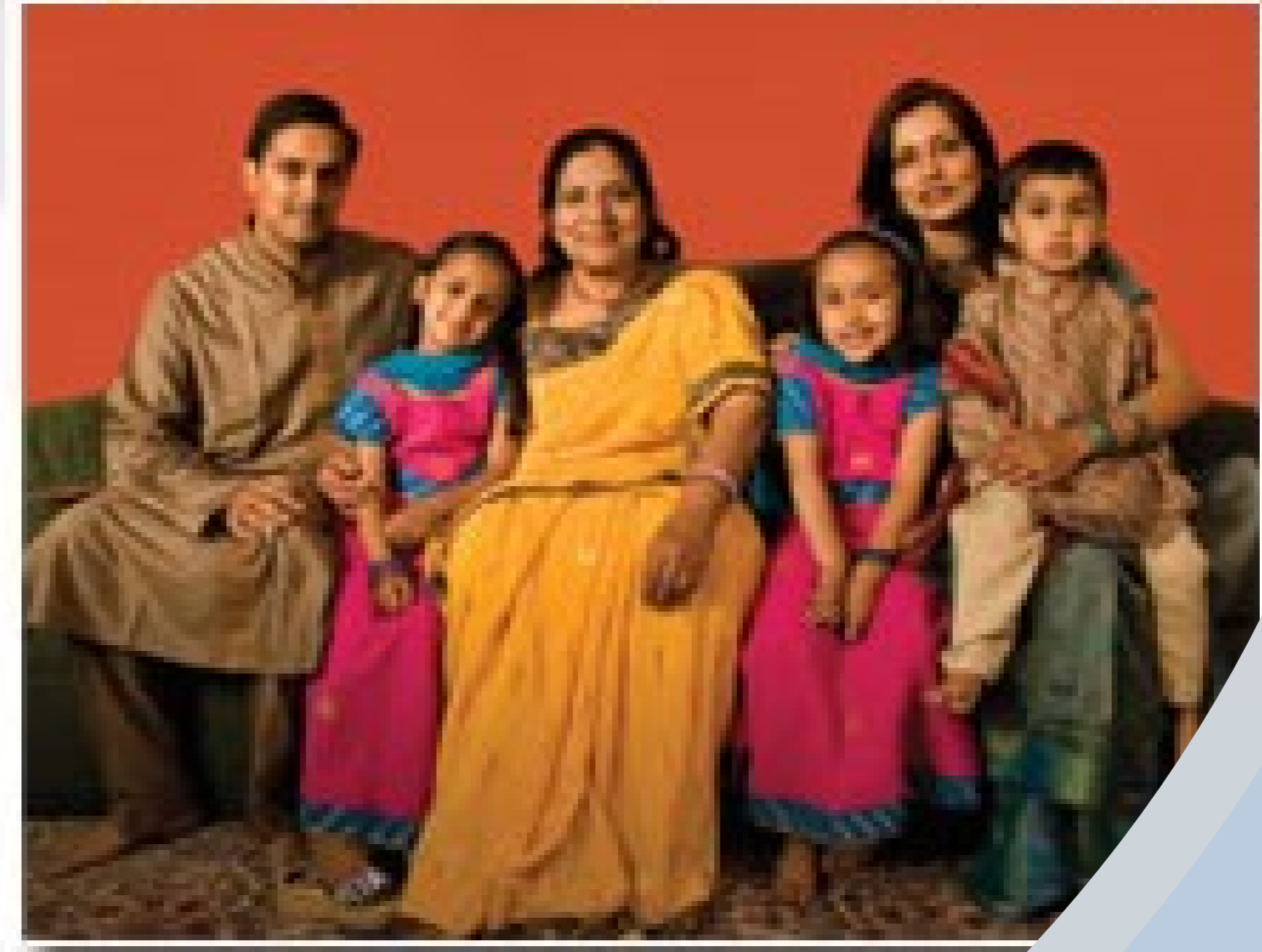




# **WHAT DO FAMILIES HAVE IN COMMON AROUND THE WORLD**

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“All truths are easy to understand once they are discovered; the point is to discover them.”

**Galileo Galilei** (1564 – 1642)

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What is the Origin of the word “**Family**”

From the Latin  
Famulus: Servant  
Familia: Household; Servants

**Care – Belongingness -  
Togetherness**

# A community of persons

Link and Bond among people who have deliberately made the Choice to Be Together

**Of Life, For Life and For Love**





# Caring for Life

Conceive,

Protect

and Nurture

True and Uncompromising Self-giving





# Development of individual and ...

Commitment, Support and Assistance

Truth and Trust

Virtues and Values





## ... Building blocks of Society

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Educating and Humanising  
Community

Mutually Enriching  
Interpersonal Relationships

Families Network for the  
Common Good



# Conclusion

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What can you do to promote world peace? Go Home and **Love** your family.

*Mother Teresa*





**THANK YOU !**

