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The last February 11, on the occasion of the World Week of Confessional Harmony, I was invited by Casa Turca-Arco Fórum to the "Concierto 3 Culturas" (Concert of Three Cultures) in the Basilica of La Milagrosa in Madrid. The Basilica was beautiful, full of assistants, the perfect organization, attentive, warm and efficient.

The concert artists, Rosa Zaragoza and the group Airun alternated songs of the three monotheistic cultures, Muslim, Jewish and Christian. The atmosphere became warmer and we all participated in the singing of some *dikr* in the manner of the oriental mantras.

There were people known for interreligious dialogue. The faces were happy because of the possibility of living, in that moment, in harmony being different. It was to glimpse or anticipate a way of relating in peace and unity. The voice of the Muslim soloist impressed us for his strength and tenderness.

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