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## Global Chalice Lighting for December 2009

The International Council of Unitarians and Universalists announces the 76<sup>th</sup> in its monthly series of global chalice lighting readings. Congregations worldwide are invited to participate.

All ICUU-affiliated groups have been asked to submit brief chalice lightings for the project. Every month, a reading will be distributed to Unitarian and Universalist congregations around the world. We ask each congregation to use the reading for at least one worship service in the designated month, identifying it as the “Global Chalice Lighting” for that month and naming the group which submitted it. Readings will be circulated in English and, where different, in their original language.

It is hoped that the ICUU Global Chalice Lighting Project will enhance the worship experience in our congregations and raise awareness of the international dimensions of our religious movement.

This Global Chalice Lighting is to be used during December 2009.

Knowing we must die, we question what life means.

Final answers may elude us, but by living the questions, we create and discover meaning where we can.

Rev. Forrest Church (1948–2009)  
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