

UPF Bratislava, Slovakia Interfaith Event with Lama Tibor Geljen

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Despite the cold weather and darkness in the early evening, a nice crowd (a total of 24) gathered at our Peace Embassy last Wednesday.

They were richly rewarded with an inspiring and versatile presentation by the famous Lama Tibor Geljen.

Already as a young boy, he felt he was different from his surroundings, he had habits and tastes typical for Tibet - which he discovered much later. After a long search, he found his spiritual home in the Tibetan tradition of Buddhism under the patronage of the Dalai Lama.

In the mid-1990s, he and his wife pioneered this tradition in Slovakia by holding seminars and lectures, doing media work, etc. In addition, they visited Tibetan monasteries for retreats and learning.

The Lama regretted that his wife could not be present too because she had to care for a large group of visitors at their center.

In Slovakia, the cooperation between Buddhists of different orientations, helping each other, works almost unlimitedly.

He received Father's autobiography.