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The Peace The World The Beatles.

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If we talk about the word called “The Beatles”. We are all known that they are the most famous rock band in the world in the 1960-1970. The Beatles is one of the most influential groups of the 20th century and it was consisted of George Harrison, Paul McCartney, John Lennon and Ringo Starr. During 10 years of the Beatles, they extended pop and rock music to their fundamental and producing many good songs for the new generation.¹ The way of their writing music was to change the world to be a better one in which their music focus on creating the freedom, equality and peace to our world.²

The Beatles was considered to be one of the most important popular music groups of all time, especially in term of music. They played music in several genres, ranging from pop music to rock music, often including with classical music and other elements in a new way.³ In the early 1960s, they created a new trend called "Beatlemania" (It is a term that the fans used to call them during the 1960s)⁴. They came to be a cultural observer as a symbol of the ideals shared by the cultural revolutions by using their own songs to create a peace to our world.

¹ Steve Anderson. “The Beatles Changed Everything.” *The Huffington post*, 3 Sept. 2012. <http://www.huffingtonpost.com/steve-anderson/the-beatles-changed-every_b_11738.html>

² Ian Inglis. *The Beatles popular music and society*. 2000. P.1-20.

³ Wikipedia contributors. “The Beatles.” *Wikipedia, The Free Encyclopedia*. 4 Sept 2012. <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/The_Beatles>

⁴ Wikipedia contributors. “Beatlemania.” *Wikipedia, The Free Encyclopedia*. 4 Sept 2012. <<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Beatlemania>>

The Beatles wrote their song between 1960s-1970s. The songs of each period have the differences in their suitability for performance, the instrument that were used and the range of subject that mattered at that time. During the 1960-1970, the Beatles had been keeping on changing their music to be one of an important role to say something to our world.⁵

The Beatles made a song named "All you need is love". The concept of the song was to make a request to change the world by using the lyric which is easy to understand by people of all nations. The beginning of the song started 1967, with John Lennon and Paul McCartney working on separate songs. And it was decided that "All You Need Is Love" which was created by John Lennon was the better one because of it is easy to understand the message of love and peace. It is easy to remember and understand because it is included all the feeling which meant to create the peace for our world.⁶ When the song was released in the United States, the crime rate in that evening in the United States became zero. The song which is about the enlightenment, love and peace became an anti-war anthem during that period of time. All you need is Love was to be a part of the influence that wanted to make some change to an Atomic war. The Beatles revolutionized music and the world through their lyrics. They changed the perception in every single person. They created love and peace through their honest message that our world never had something like this before.⁷

The Beatles songs are based on fact situation which were taken place in our world. The style that they used to create their songs changed every time they released their new songs. The songs' names were used to clarify the meaning of the message

⁵ Sullivan, Henry W. *The Beatles with Lacan Rock 'n' Roll as Requiem for the modern Age*. 1995. P.36-41.

⁶ Songfacts contributors. "All You Need Is Love by The Beatles." *Songfacts*, 6 Sept 2012. <<http://www.songfacts.com/detail.php?id=130>>

⁷ Todd, McFliker. *All You Need Is Love to Dismantle an Atomic Bomb: How the Beatles and U2 Changed the World*. 2007. P.65-72.

that they wanted to say to us such as one of their album named “Revolver” which was released in 1966. A year later, they produced many songs that critics considered it to be the finest material, coming with the album named Revolver (1966s). The Beatles has been put many of their songs in the Revolver, they used many of their songs to clarify the meaning of to be united as one to our world.

In 1970, the band was broken up, each of them was successful in their life of being an individual person, but even the band was broken up, they were still keeping on the goal that want to create the peace to our world.⁸ John Lennon was one of the most powerful artists at that time. “Give peace a chance” and “Imagine” are the most influential song of all time. Lennon had been wanted us to think that all the things which had been divided us are only an illusion that we created and they are not real, but with religion, country and possession that make people feel different and they are the cause of cleavage and many problems in this world. He wanted us to create a place where everything that separates people do not have or never exist in this world. So this song reveals us the fact about that means to create equality for the humans.⁹ If we imagine that all these things are gone, the world would be in peace. As the people listen to Lennon’s music, if they can truly understand Lennon message. They would understand and know how to create peace and equality in this world.¹⁰

If we look through the history in the 1960s and the 1970s. There were many peace movements all over our world. We had many conflicts which were going to ignite the war, but one of the boy bands at that time stood against all things to prevent the world from another holocaust. “Thanks to the Beatles” one of the guys posted on

⁸ Wikipedia contributors. “The Beatles.” *Wikipedia, The Free Encyclopedia*. 11 Sept 2012. < http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/The_Beatles>

⁹ Songfacts Contributors. “Imagine.” *Songfacts*. 11 Sept. 2012. < <http://www.songfacts.com/detail.php?id=1094>>

¹⁰ Lyric Interpretations Contributors. “John Lennon: Imagine Meaning.” *Lyric interpretation*. 11 Sept. 2012. < <http://www.lyricinterpretations.com/John-Lennon/Imagine>>

the website. He said thanks to Paul, Ringo, John and George.¹¹ They created everything for us especially for the peace. Thereby, if we do not have The Beatles the world would not be the world that we live in today. We would still divide the people into many stereotypes into many classes. In consequence of having the Beatles, we have peace equality and we are all united as one world.

¹¹ Hubpages. "How The Beatles Changed The World." *Hubpages treesgrn*. 11 Sept 2012. <<http://treesgrn.hubpages.com/hub/How-The-Beatles-Changed-The-World>>