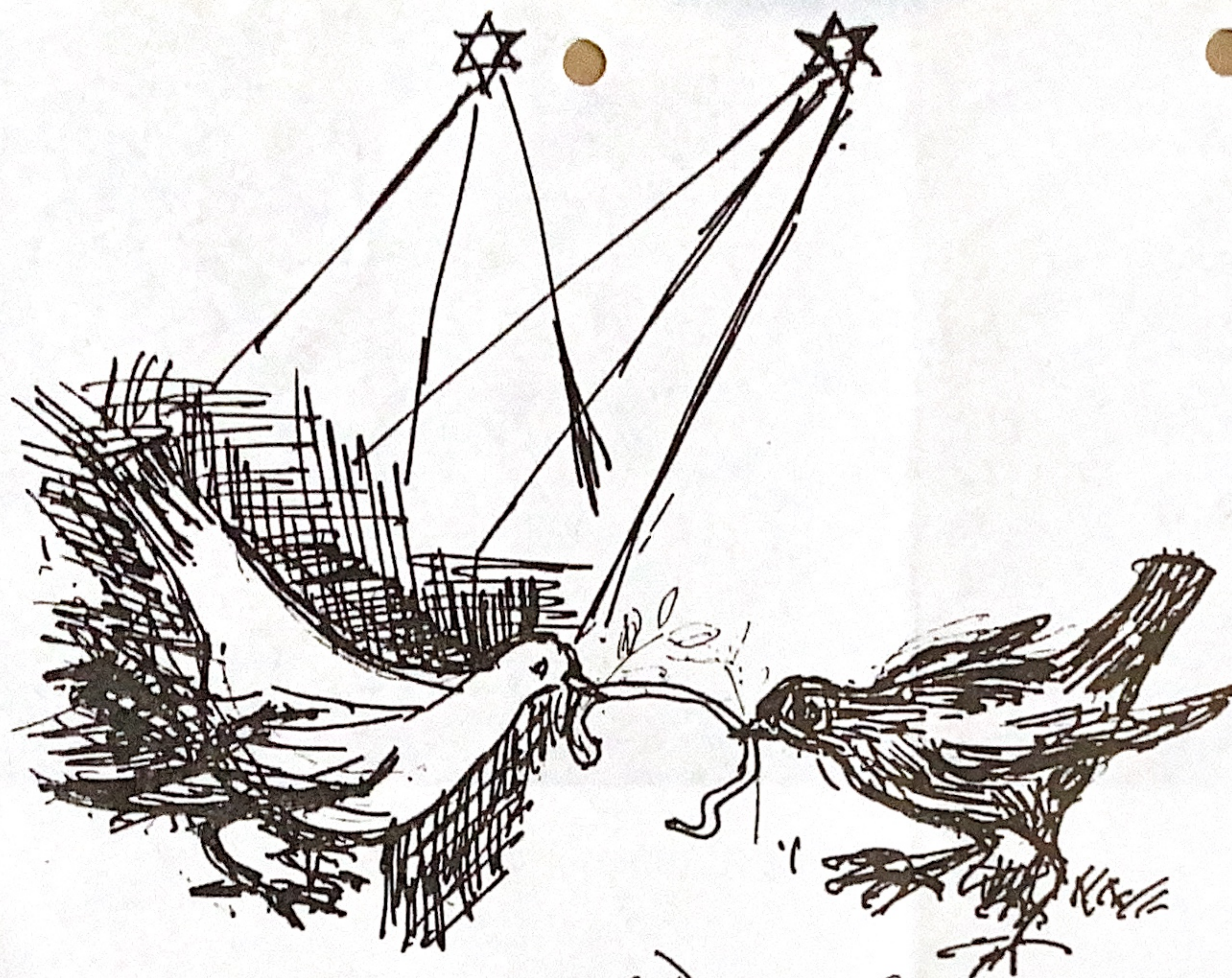




16 December 1900

To all Staff of Lloyd Paul
Telran

When the western world
celebrates the birth of Jesus
Christ who represents New
Hope, we think of you
and your families and
wish you also a prosperous
New year

The Staff of
Rotterdam branch

Dear Mohammed

These scratches represent the battle between LIGHT & DARKNESS
It is doubtful whether Jesus was born on 25th December. The early
religious leaders shrewdly incorporated the pagan festival of the Return
of the Light into their own Christian religion. 21st December in our
hemisphere the day with the shortest day light (or if you wish: with the
longest night). Light represents life and Hope. More light is more life →

And more hope. After 21st of December light will get the upperhand over
Darkness. Have you heard about the story about the good lord, who felt sorry for us
that Angels were only living in HEAVEN. To comfort us he created another creature with
wings to live on the Earth. We call these creatures: birds. The earthly Angels are distinctly
different from the Angels from Heaven. The former are still fighting for the warm!!
Only a few thoughts I wished to share with you in these dark days as
Thanks for the fine cooperation between you and Rotterdam in 1900. Adrian