We are all uniquely special!

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I have an extremely special and unique family. My grandparents are from different cultures. I am Muslim, Hindu and Canadian. I am especially lucky to have both Muslim and Hindu traditions respected and celebrated in my family. I have learned a lot about both cultures and their holidays. I get to celebrate EID and Diwali with my families in multicultural Canada.

Living in Canada allows me to experience my mix heritage freely, and happily. Both sets of my grandparents immigrated to Canada in the early 1970s and have become used to celebrating their heritage and Canadian culture together. We can celebrate our religion and culture in Canada.

Canada is extraordinarily respectful, tolerate and accepting of all religions and cultures. What a wonderful country!