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Navi Riar, left, Gagandeep Kaur, Harman Gill, Rajpreet Gahunia, Anureet Kaur and Jaspreet Kaur march with the Sikh religious flags in a celebration of ecumenical peace to the north steps of the Capital, Saturday, October 11, 2008. The event is being hosted by the Sikh Gurdwaras or temples of the Sacramento Valley, which are celebrating the 300th anniversary of the Sikh Holy Scripture -- 1,430 pages of poetry in 31 different meters that calls for interfaith understanding and harmony.

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The Five Loved Ones of the Tenth Prophet, of the Sikh Religion, march in a celebration of ecumenical peace to the north steps of the Capital, Saturday, October 11, 2008. The event is being hosted by the Sikh Gurdwaras or temples of the Sacramento Valley, which are celebrating the 300th anniversary of the Sikh Holy Scripture -- 1,430 pages of poetry in 31 different meters that calls for interfaith understanding and harmony.

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Thousands of Sikhs march in a celebration of ecumenical peace from T and Sixth streets to the north steps of the Capital, where community leaders and elected officials address the peace marchers, Saturday, October 11, 2008. The event is being hosted by the Sikh Gurdwaras or temples of the Sacramento Valley, which are celebrating the 300th anniversary of the Sikh Holy Scripture -- 1,430 pages of poetry in 31 different meters that calls for interfaith understanding.

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Jeevan Gill, right, 12, of Sacramento along with thousands of Sikhs march in a celebration of ecumenical peace to the north steps of the Capital, Saturday, October 11, 2008. The event is being hosted by the Sikh Gurdwaras or temples of the Sacramento Valley, which are celebrating the 300th anniversary of the Sikh Holy Scripture -- 1,430 pages of poetry in 31 different meters that calls for interfaith understanding and harmony.

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Gurjeet Singh Nijjar, march holding the American flag, during the celebration of ecumenical peace to the north steps of the Capital, Saturday, October 11, 2008. The event is being hosted by the Sikh Gurdwaras or temples of the Sacramento Valley, which are celebrating the 300th anniversary of the Sikh Holy Scripture - 1,430 pages of poetry in 31 different meters that calls for interfaith understanding and harmony.

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