Group Writing Assignment

As a group, write a paragraph explaining what main message you think Langston Hughes is trying to convey in this poem. For this exercise your paragraph should include: a topic sentence, 3 supporting sentences (with direct quotes as evidence), and a concluding sentence. (Groups with six members will have 4 supporting sentences.)

Wealth

From Christ to Ghandi
Appears this truth-
St. Francis of Assisi
Proves it, too:
Goodness becomes grandeur
Surpassing might of kings.
Halos of kindness
Brighter shine
Than crowns of gold,
And brighter
Than rich diamonds
Sparkles
The simple dew
Of love.

[Langston Hughes](http://www.poemhunter.com/langston-hughes/poems/)

Brainstorming

Main Idea

Supporting Details