Peace Pilgrim on Visit

A Peace Pilgrim, unnamed except for that designation, walked into Canton Wednesday to further her individual mission of the brotherhood of man.

Peace Pilgrim, pictured above looking at the broken soles of the fifth pair of shoes she has worn since leaving Los Angeles last Jan. 1, says she undertook the pilgrimage as a "penance for whatever I may have contributed, by commission or omission, to the tragic situation in the world today."

She is sponsored by no one, belongs to no organizations, solicits no funds and says she has no home, using Cologne, N.J., as a forwarding address.

Dressed in dark blue slacks, shirt and tunic, she carries a few of her peace petitions addressed to President Eisenhower and the United Nations. She gives talks before small groups expounding her theory of overcoming evil with good, falsehood with truth and hatred with love as the way to peace.

She expects to finish her 5,000-mile walk for peace late this year at Washington and New York.

"Until mankind has learned the way to peace I shall remain a wanderer on the face of the earth, walking until I am given shelter, fasting until I am given food, using money given me to bring the message on the way to peace to the people of my country and of the world," she says.

While in Canton Peace Pilgrim was a guest in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Curtis Dubble of 1131 Hoover Pl. NW.