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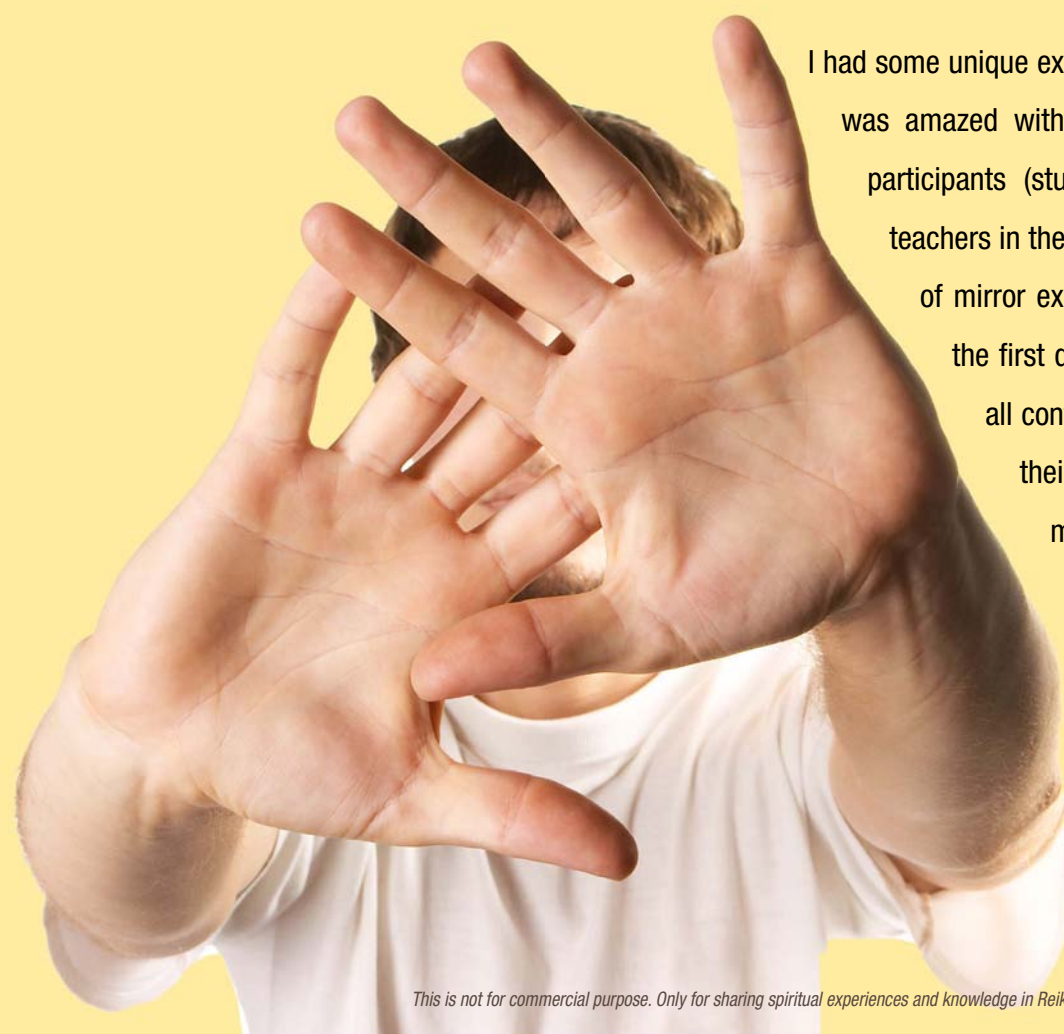
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EDITORIAL

Can there be a responsibility without ability?

Just the other day I had the pleasure of teaching Reiki to a group of teachers. When teachers and Parents learn Reiki, I do not believe that it is the single individual who learns but it is the part of a society gets purified. Those who influence the social life should become spiritual in their attitudes and outlooks. That is for sure. In fact that should be the necessary qualification for all those who have an impact on society.



I had some unique experience during this seminar and I was amazed with what I saw. None of those 20 participants (students for us though they were teachers in their real life) could do the homework of mirror exercise that we give on the end of the first day for more than 2 minutes. They all confessed that they could not tolerate their own face for more than couple of minutes and they were drenched with fear about their own face. They realized that they are not comfortable to face what they were seeing and could not accept the change.

In short none of them really were coming to terms with their own nature. To accept oneself, to be with oneself is what is termed as ease. And if we are not with ease with oneself, we have no choice but face the dis-ease. That is restlessness. What is shocking is that if not even one teacher is restful how would they make their students restful. Teaching and learning both are the activities of the mind. It is the restful mind which teaches and makes other restful. Teaching is not only a profession; it is a mission to create a new society. It is something, which makes students take stride from the animality to humanity towards divinity. If the teacher is animous in nature how can he/she bring transformation in the students? It is a huge responsibility. But when one takes responsibility one needs to acquire that ability to teach. Without ability the whole exercise would be not only futile but may also generate a lot



of stress in the system. Those filled up with questions can't answer the questions from the students. Possibly most of the teachers today do not look to their profession as mission. They have forgotten the nobility in their profession. They have forgotten that they can make a huge difference to the world and contribute hugely in giving directions to hundreds of lives which will create environment of the future. If one is not happy with oneself, how can students be happy with the teachers and vice versa? If you do not WALK the TALK, it is bound to create a lot of turmoil within. The inner Mahabharata will emerge.

Our own research shows that those who avoid themselves ultimately land up with cancer in their later lives... Cancer is nothing but an inner suicide. Every cell gets a message of rejection and starts killing itself leaving a lot of negativity. Why not be friend with your own self? Spirituality just does that. Making friendship with yourself!. The fight between our conscious and subconscious minds is like that churning of the ocean of emotions and many a times throws that poison as it happened in mythological times. One better be aware of this.

We need teachers with a calm mind and a compassionate heart to teach the new hyper generation. One needs a large heart to manage these indigo generations. If a teacher has to be effective, he/she has to have a pure heart, He/she has to take this as a mission to create a better world. Earlier the teachers understand this, better for the society! Let the New Year bring those new thoughts and new understanding.

Wishing you all a very Happy 2018!

Ajit Sir

December 25th, 2017



ATTITUDE DECIDES ALTITUDE

By Krupa Choksi

Few days ago I was reading a book “Attitude decides Altitude”. The content of the book was not so interesting but I liked the title of the book a lot. It is our attitude towards everything which decides our altitude in life. May it be workplace, may it be home or may it be situations we face on spiritual path. We all face problems in life. It is not a problem but they are the situations, which comes to make us learn something. But here our attitude decides our reactions to the situation.

It is believed that beauty lies in the eyes of beholder. Our perspective towards situation decides our reaction. Thus we become happy or sad. I think our attitude in life is decided by our core statement which is called “Mahavakya” in Sanskrit. It is the statement with which we are born with. Guruji always says that everyone proves that statement at the end of every event in life. For example, my core statement is “I am no good” then throughout my life I will prove this statement. I will react in such a manner in every situation where in I will prove this statement to be right. This happens subconsciously. And when this statement is proven, I feel extremely happy from within. So consciously I am unhappy but subconsciously I am extremely happy from inside and I do not want to change. Our journey on the spiritual path is to break this statement and get freedom from our limitedness and experience our own divinity. This is at the layer of “Aavaran”. The last layer of our sanskaras or impressions which is very difficult to break.

In our life, Guru comes with the divine statement that “I am divine” and tries to break our core statement but we do not co-operate with him. Our core statement makes us think that our existence will be lost if it breaks and we get upset with our Guru. We start maintaining distance with him and we start reacting as if we are victimized by our Guru.

Our Guru does all this because of his divine love towards us. He has reached and he wants all of us to get freedom from this cage of our core statement. Realization is nothing but getting freedom from our core statement. But unfortunately we i.e. Our ego do not allow him to break. We start thinking that our Guru does not know

many things or rather he is impractical. This is our sheer ignorance. He knows everything. He is representing that divine who is omnipresent, omnipotent and omniscient. Now the question is how it will break? It will break either by the act of Guru or when we face adverse situations in life. When Guru breaks it, we do get hurt but he knows how to heal those wounds so it becomes easy for us. But if he does not break then situations will get created in our life which will shatter our ego as our purpose of life is to reach salvation. Here it will take more time for us to heal as wounds would be deep. Believe me I am not writing this to scare you but I am writing because I have experienced this.

Many sadhaks (seekers) think why difficulties come in our life again and again. It could be that our Guru has put us on fast track of sadhana wherein he wants us to get freedom from our core statement as soon as possible. He does this because probably he wants that we all should realize divinity within us in his presence so that he can heal our wounds. That is the reason many times sadhaks feel that his/ her Guru is very harsh on him/her. Believe me, our Guru feels more hurt than what we feel. He is divine mother to all. And every mother when scolds her child she feels hurt from within. Guru's job is like a doctor who has to perform surgery to make us heal from disease of separation from divine. Doctor causes pain with good intention so is the case with Guru but often he is misunderstood.

At this stage surrender is required because unless you have total faith in your Guru that he will not harm you, you will not allow this surgery. That is the reason many people leave this path. But they are the unfortunate ones who do not know the intentions of Guru. He is really pained when someone goes away because he can see that person's life in totality. It is like a person is drowning and someone comes to save him and that person drowning says I do not need your help. How much distress that person will feel who wanted to save a drowning person?

Many people say that surrender happens on its own. That is true but till the time we reach that stage, we need to be aware about our thinking and reactions in a particular situation.

And even if have reacted inappropriately in any situation, we should immediately change our outlook try to see from different perspective or manage ourselves by creating understanding that some good outcome is going to come from this situation and bear the situation. Because our Guru is constantly watching us and he will never allow any harm being caused to us. Besides this, remember he will give you everything. His one thought can make you successful but we have to wait till he gives. He is the one who can create our destiny provided we will him to do so. Here our understanding about the situation will decide our altitude in life. Therefore, in any difficult situation, connect

with our Guru and try to think how he will look at the situation and immediately your reaction will change. Have you ever thought how Gururji has reached to these heights? It is definitely because of his attitude. That is why it is said that surrender is the fastest path to reach. It is called Sahaj yoga (easy path to reach) because you lose your identity and allow Guru (master) to work on us. Otherwise when our ego interferes, we make his job difficult and cause more delay in realizing ourselves. So develop a positive attitude towards every difficulty in life so that we can be in surrender and can realize ourselves.

Feedback on the article in Newsletter December 2017 by our sadhak

BE FEARLESS OH MIND

By Amol Pukale, Bengaluru, India.

Jai Gurudev !!

*How beautiful is the 1st article of this month's newsletter – "Be Fearless Oh Mind"
It appeals to me in every way especially to the current situation I am experiencing.*

*Insecurities and Fears hold me back in so many ways and from accomplishing so many things.
What you have written exactly echoes the experience of my mind.
"But as against that the one who does not experience his own love leads a life of fearful entity.
They are not even aware about their own nature of love. Then they face..."*

I take the message "drop the cravings for the material world and surrender to that supreme power" Nisshanka hoi re mana... nirbhay hoi re mana...

With your Grace and Blessings I resolve to be fearless and drop all the insecurities and work out of Faith and Love. I am yet to experience the Love that you have mentioned but am sure that with surrender and Truth it would dawn unto me.

This life should not be wasted. I surrender it to you and Swami that may you be able to make something meaningful out of it. I pray that every thought, desire, and inspiration that comes to me... may reach me only after it has been through the filters of Swami and Your will...

May every single moment be used towards a meaningful cause.. May the rigid walls of ego melt and the duality cease and this being merge at Thy Lotus Feet my Gurudev!



IF TOMORROW NEVER COMES...

by Telangan

“Leave nothing for tomorrow which can be done today”... It is so seamlessly precise for us in life. Very few go along it and most leave things incomplete for tomorrow. As per the ‘*Law of Karma*’ we get fruits instantly both ways.

A friend of mine having tears in his eyes every time while having dosa. His old father once said ‘I’m craving for a dosa now. He said... Papa it’s very late in the night, let us go tomorrow. Same night his father passed away and he is living with the wound for past fifteen years, which may never heal, tomorrow will never come back.

Staying away increases affection and bonding between two people but if the partner departs abruptly then the increased love and bonding becomes terrible burden. We just remember all those ‘not done’ things, which were left for tomorrow and the pain lingers forever. We are not careful enough until people around us are energetic, once they depart we have just memories left to play with. Therefore we must live everyday as if that’s the only day left for us.

Every moment must be cherished, loved, and enjoyed with complete vigor.

There are so many people who open their eyes in the morning with total sluggish mind. They should at least think about those who are not destined to see the morning light. The terrorist attacks on Taj and Oberoi or bomb blasts had snatched the privilege of so many lives to see the tomorrow. When we hate to travel to office we must think of those unemployed youth. When we crib about food we must think of those who are hungry for months. When I see parents hitting their kids I wonder why can’t they see the craving of childless couples?

As per Hindu philosophy and faith after death, Dashkriya vidhi helps to fulfill the incomplete desires of the diseased person but it’s more important to do everything when the person is alive. ***The past could never be erased, the future is unknown but the present is in hand and we must take care of every moment specifically with contentment. We should never keep things undone for tomorrow and we should ‘Just do them... NOW...***

Agnihotra Movement

Miracles of Agnihotra ash:

(Courtesy Homa Newsletter 139 & 140)



Healing from Vertical Esophagitis.

Alonso Maya Arango

Armenia, Quindio, Colombia, South America

I learned about Homa Therapy 3 months ago with my brother Luis Carlos. Since then, I have started taking Agnihotra ash 3 to 4 times daily and lately also took to its practice. I had a condition called "vertical esophagitis", stage 3. All the food I ate, came back. I vomited everything. After one month of taking the Agnihotra ash, I began to feel good. Today, I have no reflux of any kind and this improvement is also confirmed by the medical results.

I also suffered from high blood pressure, 100/140. Now my BP is normal, 80/120. Besides, I no longer suffer from high cholesterol and high triglycerides. I also had a problem with creatinine. But everything is normal now. I am completely healthy. Practicing Homa Therapy is wonderful and the Agnihotra ash has healing power as the Ancient Science of AYURVRDA says.

Note: Mr. Alonso Maya is in charge of Homa Technology at the banana farm, which he and his brother Luis Carlos Maya manage

Back to life from death- a case of Prostrate Cancer:

Laura Macias Diaz

Guayaquil, Ecuador, South America

I have a brother who was very, very sick with cancer in the hospital. I went to see him there, took him out of the hospital and brought him to Dr. Montufar. My family was already buying a coffin for him, since he was practically dying.

Dr. Montufar sat him in a chair and we started doing Tryambakam Homa. Then he applied Agnihotra ash cream on his chest and back. My brother began to take Agnihotra ash every day in water, in food and a little underneath the tongue.

I took my brother for one week daily to Dr. Montufar and miraculously my brother was saved. There was no need for the coffin anymore, because he got better and he still is in good health.

He had suffered from prostate cancer. That was approx. a year and a half ago. The Medical Doctors had told him that he was going to die soon, but he is fine.

I have seen several so-called "Homa Miracles" in Dr. Jaime Montufar's Clinic, "El Buen Pastor" (The Good Shepherd)





Reiki Vidya Niketan is now re-launching its SAFE program for families to create a better world. It is the combination of families which creates society and the societies create the world. A happy, healthy and harmonious family ultimately will lead to a happy, healthy and harmonious world. This program which was first launched in 2008 was little ahead of time then. However the need of this program is felt intensely in the current situation. This column will be mainly devoted for various dimensions of family life.

Trust, suspicion and relationship...

TRUST is a very important factor for all relationships. When trust is broken, it is the end of the relationship. Lack of trust leads to suspicion, suspicion generates anger, anger causes enmity and enmity may result in separation.

A telephone operator told me that one day she received a phone call. She answered, "Public Utilities Board." There was silence. She repeated, "PUB." There was still no answer. When she was going to cut off the line, she Heard a lady's voice, "Oh, so this is PUB. Sorry, I got the number from my Husband's pocket but I do not know whose number it is."

Without mutual trust, just imagine what will happen to the couple if the telephone

operator answered with just "hello" instead of "PUB".

NO OVERPOWERING

Many relationships fail because one party tries to overpower another or demands too much. People in love tend to think that love will conquer all and their spouses will change the bad habits after marriage. Actually, this is not the case. There is a Chinese saying which carries the meaning that "It is easier to reshape a mountain or a river than a person's character."

It is not easy to change. Thus, having high expectation on changing the spouse character will cause disappointment and unpleasantness.

It would be less painful to change ourselves and lower our expectations...

Back To Home

By Ajit Sir

Rains have gone, cold has gone,
The Sun is out again,
The fear is gone, the doubt is gone,
The faith is back again.

Disease has gone, germs have gone,
The health is back again,
Dizziness gone, drowsiness gone,
The zeal is back again.

Sadness gone, Sorrow gone,
Happiness is back again.
The gloom has gone, the doom has gone,
Blooming is back again.

Relations are gone, reactions are gone,
The child is back again,
The breath is gone, the death is gone,
The home is back again.

Everything's easy once it's done
Battle's a simple when it's won
Problems are solved once attended
Pain is gone with merely some love
Wounds are healed with tiny care
Past will be vanished with touch of present

So when you're in pain and feel miserable
Your spirits are damp and soaking wet
When the sky is black and gloomy
Don't lie down upon your problems
And ignore them with tears in the eyes
Just do every thing though you are choked

Break the shackles and still try to sing
Paint the sky cheerful indigo again
Take the plunge into it with all bright courage
Don't worry or ever get furious
Remain calm and attend your problem
Things will fall in place slowly but surely

Keep the faith and just do it...

Just Do it...

by Telangan



When we are in deep pain and feel it's all over
We hold on to Him
The sorrow slowly melts away, Sai takes over

When we feel lonely, lost and discarded
We hold on to Him
We are filled with solitude, we feel comforted

When happiness arrives from unknown quarters
We hold on to Him
In joy, we thank Him. Nobody else matters

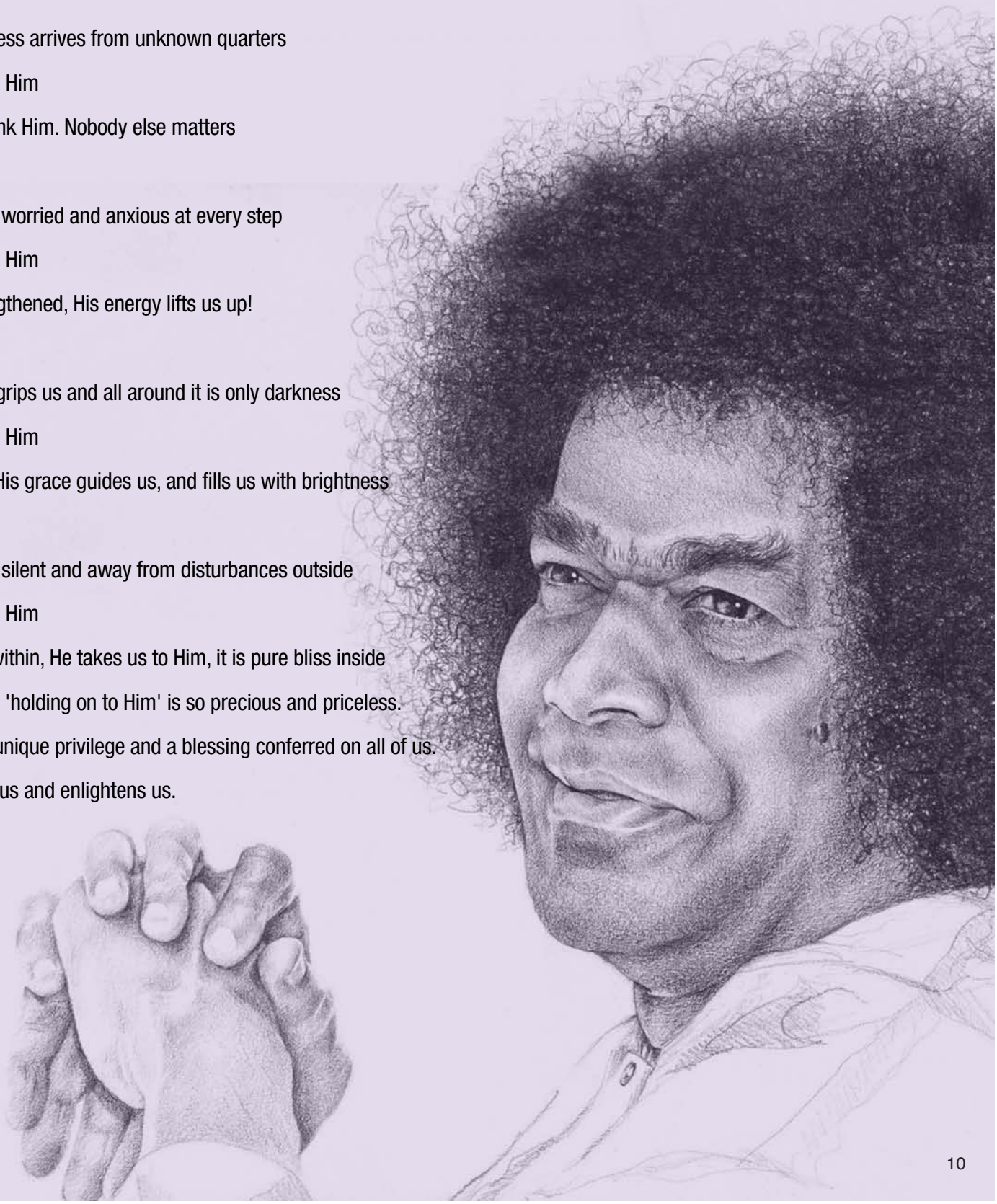
When we are worried and anxious at every step
We hold on to Him
We feel strengthened, His energy lifts us up!

When desire grips us and all around it is only darkness
We hold on to Him
The sliver of His grace guides us, and fills us with brightness

When we are silent and away from disturbances outside
We hold on to Him
He takes us within, He takes us to Him, it is pure bliss inside
The feeling of 'holding on to Him' is so precious and priceless.
In fact it is a unique privilege and a blessing conferred on all of us.
It emboldens us and enlightens us.

Poem from a devotee of Swami Sathya Saibaba

Shared by Ms Aruna M.





What they don't tell you about corruption!!

By Vivek Pandye

Grossly defined, corruption is understood only in terms of money. It is bad for some and very bad for many. However, some of us are even compatible with corruption and don't particularly look at it as bad. And a very few, knowingly or unknowingly come in support for corruption. The views and opinions multiply amongst the elite and the opinions about the matter outnumber the opinion makers. Corruption in general can be understood as a social taboo or from the economic viewpoint a fuel necessary to act as a catalyst to stimulate the finances of a nation. But what is it exactly? Where did it all start? Why was it regarded as a social and moral taboo once and yet, it has managed to slowly and smoothly become a part of our civilizations across the world. There have been instances where people have put their very lives at stake for a fight against corruption. But then again a question comes up, if it is so bad, will it end? Can we dream of a corruption free society, at least in the gross-perspective. The answer is not that easy and the solution seems a little far-fetched. Well, we may or may not be able to arrive at a solution, but what we must and we can do is lend clarity to our own minds as regards this commonly known and yet unknown phenomenon called corruption.

One of the reasons for corrupt practices across the world is the way the systems of the world are made and our ignorance or lack of awareness towards our own existence. We initiated all the systems to enable us to lead better lives, but the very same systems have become bondages. The system of marriages or having a family, the system of doing businesses for the purpose of survival, the system of getting educated to pacify the societal needs of competition or the system as fundamental as keeping the body alive and kicking (medical science) were all meant and designed for our own good. In search of happiness, we ended up complicating our lives. Any sort of an escape away from these systems, with the intention of liberating our tied soul, tantamount to the beginning of corruption. Hey wait! We are not asking you to be complete freaks and create a jungle out of some beautifully intended civilizations. All we are attempting is to take a deeper and a closer look at things so that we understand and evolve. What we are all seeking is a smooth and jovial transition in this

limited time offer called life. When we go parading about the weaknesses of the system, we should eventually look at our own fallacies deeply and ask if we subconsciously invited the happening of a corrupt event.

Frankly speaking, even the existence of various systems should not be a problem. We can easily manage to stay good within or without these systems, provided you have the spaciousness in your own intelligence and are ready to keep the emotions intact. So where does the problem lie. Sure, within us. Not all men who are born are strong, but not every man should die weak. People ask us to live strong! But, we should also prepare for a life which enables us to die strong, and at will. The real problem lies in not understanding the fallacies of being human and also not having adequate knowledge about the way we should operate as humans, considering the enormous potential lying within each of us.

A common scene at the municipal corporation of a busy town will reveal the normalcy with which corruption is dealt with. An ordinary procedure of transferring the water tax-bill to your name will easily spill a 100 rupee note extra with the utmost of ease. Both the parties these days happily settle without much of whining about and with the serenity of a marriage lending a feeling of nirvana to both. Let's get the job done as early as possible; who has time to take rounds for the most mundane task of a mundane world; does it matter if someone gets a 100 or 200 extra, are the wonderful quotes being heard many a times. But once again, the big question arises, is it just about money or finances of our life? The answer is a big NO! It is prevalent just about everywhere you look. Be it managing relations, carrying out your own education, getting a job or doing business, or be it even upbringing the children. We sadly carry out most of our transactions in an unknowingly corrupt way. Whatever be the reason, any transaction can't be carried out without communication. Communication proceeds and prefixes any sort of a transaction between two individuals. If we are aware enough, we will know that things have a blue print within us before the communication happens. If we are intellectually strong, mentally sharp and emotionally poised, who can ask for a bribe from us, can they?

Shifting to another perspective, we all have desires or wants and we also have the will to execute them with actions. The problem lies in the way we execute or go about things. Even before the physical action takes place, there is a subtle side to it. The intellect- which makes you plan; the mind- which makes you think about the pros and cons and finally; the emotions- which lend you the desired sensations initiated for which the action was intended. If we are absolutely clear about these three, I can assure you there is no problem at all. When we execute things with full knowledge about the same, we end up striking happiness most of the times or at least we are aware and prepared for the consequences. However, just acting out of impulse in a hurried/accidental manner may lead to corrupt actions. When you are aware and you know that the other person is talking from the intellectual level, it should be dealt with your own intellect. When someone is sharing his or her own experience from the mind, your mind should adhere to the same from the mental plane. Emotions should be dealt with the purest of your emotions. Usually cunning business people (or anyone for that matter) make us fall to their advantage at the emotional level (so don't fall into the trap). To catch hold of these three subtle faculties, just hold back a little whenever you feel like taking an action in a hurried or compulsive way. The consciousness will arrive along

with the appropriate solution. Secret is to know ourselves first and for that we need to be in the most pristine order within us.

One last thing, the big issue with corruption is not at all about money. It is about the habit of getting the job done faster. We have lost our patience to sit outside an office and wait for hours. We are in a hurry to get something done very fast, as if that routine-mundane task is a stress and not life. Why can't we look at life in a single chain of events which is all about enjoyment? Why can't we take everything in our strides in a much more positive way and yet be clean about the transaction? How about saying, "I will wait", rather than escaping every situation by offering a few bucks? How about giving time to your child, rather than offering him/her a toy or a chocolate as a bribe? By being fidgety all the time, which place do we exactly intend to reach? Is the very place not meant for us to be in? Are the people around us and all the situations that we are in, ours or not? Let us all stop running away from life. Let us all do away with our likes and dislikes. Let us all finally, accept everything and yet keep our eyes open with the intention to educate and enlighten the beautiful people around us at all times. Let us all begin with our own existence first. Thank You.



Power of Positive Thinking

There was a king in the ancient India. He had an elephant. That was a massive monster animal. The king had won number of wars sitting over him. He loved the elephant truly. After few years the elephant became old. The king stopped taking him in wars. One day the elephant went to the lake and got stuck in the mud. He tried hard to come out but could not move at all. Later he started shouting for support. Soldiers came running but could not pull him out so ultimately they started pushing him with pointed spear. The elephant started crying with pain and helplessness. When king heard this. He called the oldest caretaker and asked him how to bring that elephant out. The caretaker said start playing every war instrument immediately. After hearing those familiar war sounds the elephant was suddenly awoken to a new state. He pulled himself with lot of vigor and command and within few minutes he walked out of mud like the olden days winner fighter...

Positive thinking could help anyone to come out of any severe problem very easily. Negative, depressing thoughts would only damage. The positive thoughts change the state of mind and bring out the winner from within.

Sadhaks' pilgrimage to Jagannath Puri



Our sadhaks are always eager to visit the pilgrim places with Guruji. Jagannath Puri Yatra to Orissa was earlier planned for 20 sadhaks. Ultimately the number swelled to 35. Pilgrims moved from Mumbai on 7th December to reach Bhuvaneshwar. Sadhaks from Thane, Pune, Nashik, Devrukh, Baroda, Ahmedabad, Rajkot, Bengaluru participated in this. Our sadhaks from Katak (Odisha) and his family were the hosts for pilgrims for most of the time during this trip. And the way they looked after the arrangements were top notch. Wableswhar Mandir located on the island in the midst of Mahanadi River, Kapilash Temple in the laps of large mountains, world famous Sun Temple of Konark, The



first Hindu hermitage set by Sri Adi Shankaracharya 1500 years ago in his mission of Hindu Renaissance in Puri, The magnificent Jagannath Temple, The vast expanse of Chilika Lake playing hide and seek with the Bay of Bengal, The Baudha monument on the summit of Dhawalgiri where Emperor Ashok laid down his arms to get initiated to the philosophy of Non-violence were the places which pilgrims would never forget in their life times.

Datta Jayanti in Devrukh Ashram



Datta Jayanti was celebrated at Devrukh ashram between 1st and 3rd December with usual pomp and enthusiasm. These three days were again magical with the chanting of Hari Om Tat Sat Jai Guru Datta" echoing in the environment of the ashram, the interspersed forcefully chanted Rudradhyays, Sadhaks going into huddles with blissful reunion, that wonderful scene created by sadhak artists depicting the birth of Lord Dattatreya in the ashram of Sage Atri.. everything was mesmerizing to say the least. The icing on the cake came with the lively performance of artists from Devrukh Sangeet Mandir-the affiliated activity of Shri Swami Samarth Sewak Pratisthan.





Datta Jayanti in Chicago Datta Kutir

Datta Jayanti was also celebrated by our sadhaks in Chicago at Datta Kutir in Des Plaines. Sadhaks performed Datta Yagna chanting Datta Mantra 1,25,000 times. They also chanted Dattanam Sankirtana. The day started with performing abhisheka on Datta idol. Sadhaks came in large number and had a dinner (Prasada) together to end this wonderful event.

Prize Distribution of DACC

Devrukh Arts Creative Community and Shri Swami Samarth Sewak Pratisthan jointly had organized competitions for school and college students in and around Devrukh village in the subjects of Paintings, Essays and Singing on the theme of Lord Ganesh. The results were declared in the last month. The distribution of prizes was done on the day of Datta Jayanti (3rd December) in the evening. Mr Ramalingam, Ex-counsel general of India in UK and retired IFS Officer and our sadhak from New Delhi, was the chief guest for the event. Members of LIC agents Association who had sponsored Paintings awards besides DACC awards distributed the prizes to winners of Painting competition while Mr Madhusudan Raut of Devrukh Photographers' Association who had sponsored the competition for Singing presented the Singing awards. Principals of many schools in Devrukh were also present at the event.



Exhibition of Children's paintings at DCaD



DACC organized the exhibition of paintings of 84 students who participated in Ganesh Painting Competition held in August 2017 on 4th, 5th and 6th December 2017 at the exhibition gallery of Devrukh College of Arts & Design (DCaD). This initiative of DACC was well appreciated by local residents and school administrations in and around Devrukh. This effort will boost the talents of these young artists. DACC has further decided to come out with a calendar for 2018 depicting the winning pictures. This way the art of these young artists will now spread in every house in Devrukh. DACC is planning to extend the same concept in other rural areas like Ratnagiri, Kolhapur and similar towns in Maharashtra state.



We just had grand celebrations of Datta Jayanti at our ashram. Many sadhaks came from various locations. This time the number of small children also was large. One eight year old child asked Guruji, "If the God is within us, how come we do not perform miracles?" Guruji smiled and said, "child, look at this. If someone gives you a new mobile what happens? Can you immediately speak using the mobile to anyone? No. You need to insert the SIM card, then register that and finally need to activate the card by fulfilling the terms of mobile operator. Thereafter you can use mobile and talk to anyone you may like. Truly, the moment you had a mobile in our hand, the power to talk on it came to you. But it was latent. However you could not use that hidden, latent power till you went through the process of charging, inserting card, registering and finally activating. It needed to be go through this process before that latent becomes active. Same is the case with God. That process of activating the God within is called Spiritual practice"

Program Schedule for January 2018

Reiki Seminars

Dates	Reiki Teacher	Centre	Degree	For registration
6th & 7th January	Saneeta Kulkarni	Nashik	1st	Shubhada Garge
20th & 21st January	Khushal Solanki	Bengaluru	1st	Komal Pukale
20th & 21st January	Krupa Choksi	Delhi	1st	Preeti Khanna (9871118906)
20th & 21st January	Vishal Shridhankar	Pune	1st	Amrut Kirpekar (9960101018)
20th & 21st January	Ajit Sir	Devrukh	1st	Devrukh Math (2354261322)
20th & 21st January	Bharatiben	Ahmedabad	1st	Bhartiben (09925722456)
27th & 28th January	Rakesh Kumar	Mumbai	1st	Vinaya Sawant (9004328016)
27th & 28th January	Kalpita Keer	Thane	1st	Jayshree Desai (9322244564)
3rd & 4th February	Krupa Choksi	Kota	1st	Dr Neeta Parekh