

GARLAND OF APPRECIATIONS

OM SRI GURAVE NAMA

*Om Sri Gurudeva Jayanti!
In Whom Bliss, Peace, Mercy and Refuge For All
Are Guaranteed!*

*Deeper than the Ocean!
Giver of Mystic Potion!*

*Sustainer of Life and
Worthy of Worship,
Sharper than a Knife and
Sweeter than Pudding are
The Words from His Lips!*

My Infinite Guru Lighting the Way:

*I AM BIRTHLESS AND
DEATHLESS*

What a Glorious Day!

*Om Bolo Satguru Sri Swami Jyotirmayananda Ji Ki Jay!
I offer the flowers of Divine Virtues at Your Holy Feet
On this and everyday! Namaste!*

*With Om & Prem,
Sri Sudarshan
Miami Beach, Florida*

THE BRIGHTEST STAR

Om Tat Sat.
Happy Birthday to You, dear Swamiji,

During this year of self-isolation, your gift of sat-sanga has been a bright star in a dark night. Every morning at 8, I sit in front of my tablet and enjoy stories of Lord Krishna and Lord Rama, and especially your wise and witty commentary.

I pray for your continued long life, good health and sharp intellect.. I am grateful for your many years of guidance. Your teachings have changed my life.

Once again, a very happy birthday to you, Swamiji
With Prem and Om,
Bhavana (Swami Bhavyananda)
Cape Canaveral, Florida

VENERATIONS GREAT SAGE!

My beloved and revered God-illuminated Gurudev, Charan Vandana!

Greetings and best wishes on your Birthday! My incessant prayers for your wellbeing; may you continue your Gyana Yagya for many more years in good health.

The depth of my feelings for your venerated presence in my life is not easily expressed, but I know is felt by you, Gurudev.

Everything of any significance that I have learnt in this life has come from you, Gurudev, through your illuminating teachings and your lofty example.

To live life with grace and dignity, with perfect composure, without any contradictions, I have watched you exemplify, and try each day to emulate ~

The meaning of 'Divine Love' an abstract anomaly before, has become more Real for me now, because you have held me to the Path!

To 'stand tall' amidst all life's challenges ~ to "handle it" as you often say, from you have I learnt and try to implement.

To be at peace within myself, for there is nothing to gain or lose in this world ~ to surrender completely to Divine Will ~ once again from Gurudev.

To know now, what it means when Gurudev says ~ "Silence speaks louder than words!" ~

To feel secure, safe, and strong in the faith that nothing can 'touch me' because you, Gurudev, are 'with me' perpetually ~

Your hand raised in blessing and your sweet smile, constantly assuring me that "all is well" ~ is forever in my heart.

Indebted to you Gurudev, in more ways than can be enumerated ~
With the deepest love, reverence and gratitude ~ always~

Your disciple,
Swami Aradhanananda
Miami, Florida

