

A HEART FULL OF LOVE

Om Tat Sat!

To be born in a family of the wise Yogis is a great rarity in this world as stated by Lord Krishna in the Sri-mad Bhagavad Gita (Verse 42). But it is perhaps an equally rare privilege to meet a spiritual Guru of such great caliber as Sri Swami Jyotirma-yananda.

I learned about Swamiji in 1990 from the "Yoga Journal," edited by Stephan Bodian, which in the renewed Russia could already be freely received by mail from the USA. My intuition did not fail me: I wrote a letter to Swamiji and He graciously replied to me.

Our correspondence over the next years has amounted to several hundreds of Word pages. Sri Swamiji's replies were always prompt and extremely concise. From the very first letters I deeply felt the spiritual connection with Swamiji, the greatness of His Spirit, the highest culture of communication and a Heart full of Love. The books and IYG materials that were graciously mailed to me fully satisfied my intellectual and spiritual needs and were a balm to my heart.

The generosity of Swamiji's great soul that He bestowed upon me, and subsequently upon all of us, is hard to describe in words. Even today Swamiji finds the opportunity and energy to respond to our greetings. It is simply amazing!

Because of Swamiji's direct involvement in the organization of our Parashakti Yoga School, it has been safely fulfilling its role as a spiritual center for over 20 years. For our yoga classes and *satsangs*, my wife Nelly and I were able to build a special hall, which Swamiji named "Ananda Bhavan" in response to my request. We end each class with a reading from



Swamiji's writings, which I read in Russian translation to my dear students, and we always express our gratitude to Him.

The titanic work that Sri Swamiji undertook—to inspire and guide spiritually seeking souls over the world—is akin to the mission of an *Avatara* in its depth and scope. It could not have been carried out for so long and with such success had it not been driven by the inherent Avatavic Power within Him, with its Divine Wisdom, Compassion and Love.

We heartily wish our dearest Sri Swamiji Health and Vigor now and for years to come!

We also wish to express our gratitude to all Swamiji's disciples for their karma-yogic work in spreading Integral Yoga and Vedanta Philosophy as brilliantly interpreted by Sri Swamiji.

I cannot but express special thanks to Sri Swami Umananda, Sri Swami Subhadrananda and Sri Swami Arjunananda for their invaluable help to us with IYG and book materials which we translate for our website, *satsangs* and, when the opportunity arises, publish in book form.

*Samastha Loka Sukhino Bhavan-
tu! Om Shanti! Shanti! Shanti!*

Vladimir, Nelly, Vladislav, Sviato-
slav and Yoga School of Parashakti

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FERRYING OUR SOULS TOWARD THE GOAL

Om Tat Sat

Adorations Divine Swamiji!!!

Perpetual adorations, praise and glory to our beloved Swamiji!! Please accept our profound gratitude and appreciation for the wisdom, grace, compassion, humor and patience You have showered upon us for so many decades.

Due to Your expansive heart, we are all embraced in unconditional love that nurtures us forward. Your skillful hand progressively ferries our souls over the world process towards the goal. A greater gift we can't imagine!!! In return, our gift is to support Your mission in whatever ways are possible for each of us.

Our light is shining brighter day by day, bringing radiance into the areas around us. May we all inspire others to access the path to liberation.

Thank You again for fulfilling Your *dharma*. We are blessed by all Your efforts.

Om Tat Sat

Barbara
Long Island,
New York



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A BEAUTIFUL SPIRITUAL JOURNEY

I often reflect on my spiritual journey. During my middle school, I had participated in a Gita chanting competition and had memorized the Sthitaprajna Shlokas from Chapter 2 of the Bhagavad Gita. When I was in high school, during one of my summer vacations, I enjoyed studying the meaning of the same *shlokas* using Swami Chidbhavananda's Gita. I liked the short stories by Ramakrishna Paramahansa linked to some *shlokas*. I especially loved Shloka 70 from Chapter 2 of the Gita and memorized its meaning as well.

*Aapooryamaanam achala-
pratishtham Samudram aapah prav-
ishanti yadwat;*

*Tadwat kaamaa yam pravishanti
sarve Sa shaantim aapnoti na kaa-
makaami.*

"Not the desirer of desires, that man attains Peace in whom all desires merge, even as rivers flow into the ocean, which is full and unmoving."

Many years later when our friends and I were preparing for a Gita competition along with our kids, I received cassettes of The Gita by Swami Brahmananda. I was very excited and started reading the Gita every day in the morning and was able to recite most *shlokas* after listening to the cassettes many times. The desire to delve deeper into the Gita remained with me over the years.

Over time, I started listening to various discourses, gaining deeper understanding with each one. Swamiji has gently guided me in understanding Vedanta at a pace I could

manage. During my last meeting with Swamiji a few years ago, he advised me to continue my regular job while practicing *sadhana* alongside. He mentioned that I would eventually get the opportunity to devote more time to spiritual *sadhana*. I kept listening to a lot of Swamiji's discourses including the discourse on Panchadashi which I liked very much.

Last year September, I got an opportunity to enroll in a structured 1-year Quintessence of Vedanta course and am enjoying it very much. I am currently learning an introductory text Atma Bodha and I am able to connect to a lot of what I have learned from Swamiji, such as the Sadhana Chatustaya, Pancha Koshas, the three bodies, or *shariras* and the Mahavakyas.

I attended the New Year's lecture at the Ashram recently and felt Swamiji's blessings in my spiritual pursuit. I enjoyed the meditation and Swamiji's New Year message about RESOLVE.

As we cleanse ourselves, I feel that slowly our intuition increases, and we start realizing that there is a divine plan associated with everything that happens good or bad. It all helps us evolve spiritually and we slowly become channels to promote *satsanga* wherever we go, as Swamiji explained in his New Year message.

My humble salutations to Swamiji for guiding me on this beautiful journey, helping me to understand myself better each day and find joy in everyday activities.

Happy Birthday Swamiji.
Jyotsna

THANK YOU!

This year I am especially appreciative on this day. Last summer I went to Germany for a vacation. A friend that lives there took me to see an old Catholic church, built in the year 1509. There was a separate room and shrine, dedicated to Mother Mary. Supposedly people had all sorts of miraculous and Divine inspirations occur. I didn't expect anything, but then remembered, it was coincidentally, the day of Guru Purnima! However, I couldn't attend the celebration at the Ashram.

I had told my friend I was raised Catholic, before converting to Hinduism. She's taken me to see many Catholic and Orthodox churches and monasteries all over Ukraine, where I use to vacation for many years.

One Orthodox church was built on the side of a cliff overlooking the Black Sea, constructed in the 11th century. There I bought three pictures as souvenirs to give to my Mother. She hung them in a prominent place, where she would see them everyday. Years later, my Mother passed away on January 7, which is Christmas day in Orthodoxy. And they believe if someone passes away on a holy or saints day, they are blessed.

Your book, *Mystic Pathways Through the Bible*, taught me so much and prepared me for the experiences it has to offer. And indeed, Hinduism and Yoga relate to all religions and creeds.

Thank you,
Yogesh
Miami, Florida

ILLUMINATING LAUGHTER

*Aum Tat Sat, Janmadin ki Shub-
hkamnayein, Swami Ji!*

I am offering a poem I wrote
entitled, Illuminating Laughter

In a dark cave,
your words are the torch
giving guidance.
Shimmering cave walls,
showing us the grandeur of our
soul's significance.

I am in awe at your
comforting humor.
My only regret is
not meeting you sooner.

I am lucky to receive your grace.
Your knowledge comes at the
right time - Reading your words
is a healing embrace.

I wandered blind, unseeing,
'til your voice became my guide.
A melody that lit the dark
where shadows used to hide.

I felt little warmth,
slow spiritual pulse,
'til your light broke through.
And painted life with colors rich,
in your radiant hue.

1000 shining sons
cannot compare
to your illuminating laughter.
In my book of life,
your inspiration helps me
to write a strong spiritual chapter.

Namaste, aum tat sat,
Arun Raghubir



GRATEFUL

It's difficult to express my ap-
preciation for Swamiji with words.
Grateful is the closest I can find.

Grateful for Swamiji, the teach-
ings, the helpers near and far. For
Bob/Purushottam who first told me
of Swamiji and for the opportunity to
listen to 1000s of hours of recorded
lectures and cozy *satsangs*.

For the extra special visits to
Miami, seeing Swamiji, meditating,
chanting, and repeating mantra by
the serene lake at the ashram.

For Ganesh who led me to Hanu-
man, for Hanuman who led me to Sri
Ram, and for Sri Ram who led me to
Swamiji. A heartfelt thank you Swamiji.

Much Love,
Ramesh/Rich Green
North Carolina

SWAMIJI — AN ENLIGHTENED SAGE

Dear Swamiji,

Wishing you a very happy birth-
day. I would also like to express my
heartfelt gratitude for sharing your
wisdom through the daily *satsanga*
and your enlightening talks on the
Ramayana and Bhagavata Purana.
Your discourses simplify the pro-
found teachings of the scriptures,
helping me better understand my life
and its unfolding events.

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Your diligence and dedication
are qualities I deeply admire and
aspire to emulate. Your boundless
love and compassion for all inspire
me to strive for greater kindness and
selflessness. Your message of unity
and bringing people together is both
beautiful and transformative.

Your regular emphasis on *sadha-
na* and Integral Yoga is instrumental
to our spiritual progress. Thank you
for guiding us and illuminating our
lives with the light of your enlight-
enment.

I pray to God for your long and
healthy life.

With love and deepest gratitude,
Amit Bajpayee
Singapore

COMPASSION AND PRECISION

My heart is filled with love and
gratitude for Sri Swamiji. Whenev-
er I have strayed from the true path
and come to Swamiji for guidance,
he guided me with compassion and
precision. From the spiritual point
of view, my life as a householder
has been successful, largely due
to his suggestions. And now as I
transition into the life of a *sanya-
sin*, his living example has been in-
dispensable. Eternal gratitude and
love to my Guru.

Swami Jyoti Purush Ananda
North Carolina

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OUR NORTH STAR

DWARKA— PALACE OF LIBERATION

Revered Gurudev:
Om Namah Shivaya

Adorations and humble salutations to the Divine Lotus Feet of Poojya Swami Sivanandaji and Gurudev Jyotirmayanandaji.

Blessings of all blessings to be sharing and celebrating the 94th Birthday together in Gurudev's Divine Presence. Prayers to Ishwara for continued radiant health for our Beloved Gurudev.

I just returned from Poojya Swamiji's Ashram. Words can hardly begin to express the profound and Divine time experienced during my stay.

The highlight was Cozy Satsang with Gurudev in His *kutir*. Time and space was transcended. I was stilled, totally enamoured with His succinct explanation of the teachings of ages of sages being played in Ramanand Sagar's Krishna series.

Enraptured with the Cozy Satsangs at the Ashram, I participate virtually via Twitch in the comfort of my den daily at 8:15am sharp. (I am addicted—Divine addiction!)

This heart is full of immense gratitude and in awe for today's episode (Thursday 12/26/24). In serendipity and alignment with Ishwara's Divine plan for all us mortals, Gurudev is beckoning us, guiding us all to DWARKA—Palace of Liberation.

Sharing my takeaways on The Four Gatekeepers at the Palace of Liberation—Shama, Vichar, Santosh and Satsang:

Swamiji says, "Befriend any one of the gatekeepers unconditionally and others will follow."

These gatekeepers have been presented in detail by Swamiji in his weekly Yoga Vasistha Tuesday and Wednesday evening Premiere broadcast.

I feel a special friendship developing between Santosh and I. Santosh is *satwic* contentment—a mind that is anxiety-free with the understanding of the truth that God has equipped us with everything we need for our evolution. Joyousness, enthusiasm, boundless perpetual peace. The breeze of contentment—how nourishing!

Worldly joys and pleasures are no longer alluring. Desires, expectations and fulfillment of wishes no longer haunt us. A dynamic spiritual inspiration sets in, guiding us to the path of Godward march: The ONE-NESS with Ishwara.

Happiness is independent of "hoppiness". Visualize Buddha's perfect, vast, absolute contentment. It is real prosperity. Relax, become humble, joyous kind and compassionate. Radiate Divine Peace.

Immerse in *sadhana* and befriend one of the four gatekeepers and enter into the Palace of Liberation.

Mystical and magical is Poojya Gurudev's presence, and sublime, heart awakening is his teachings. Words are charged, kindling and nurturing the Divine Virtues in our being.

Gurudev, immense gratitude and infinite love for all your Divine blessings and teachings in this one's life. OM TAT SAT.

Prayers to God for continued radiant health for our Beloved Gurudev.

Love and Om
Vidya Patel

Dear Swamiji,

You have been like a North Star in our lives. Your simple to understand but very clear and extremely powerful books led us to meet with you in the summer of 1984. Ever since our first meeting, we have felt very lucky and thankful to the Almighty. As before and now, all of our family members count on receiving your guidance and blessings in our journey to self-realization.

Your daily messages keep reminding us about the purpose of our human existence and slowly but surely remove our ignorance about who we REALLY are.

May you continue showering your grace on ALL FOREVER.

Arun, Taru and Ami Joshi; Mike, Priti, Prasaad, Sachin, Shivani and Achal Joshi-Guske

GLIMPSES OF GURUJI

When God created you, he knew exactly what he was doing. He recognized that the world was in desperate need of someone who was both exceptionally wonderful and infectious kind. You are quite fortunate.

But today is a wonderful day to honor you, one of God's most magnificent creations, and know that no matter what happens on this special day, we always wish the best for you and we wish you a very Happy Birthday.

JOOG JOOG JIYO!!!

Aum Namah Shivaya!
Manuben & Vinubhai
Lexington, Kentucky

THE GUIDING STAR

Dearest Swamiji,

Thank you, Swamiji, for being the guiding star in my spiritual journey. No words can really express my deepest gratitude for the countless ways you have illuminated my path and enriched—and completely changed—my life. And it keeps on changing... growing spiritually deeper every day.

Your divine wisdom, compassion, humor and unwavering guidance in your many talks throughout the years have been a beacon of light, guiding me along the way even in the darkest of times.

You embody the very essence of what it means to live a life of purpose, humility, and service. Your selflessness and dedication to the spiritual well-being of others are truly inspiring! And these, in and of itself, are the highest teachings of how to live one's life!

I am sooooo incredibly blessed—from the very depth of my soul—to be one of your disciples and also honored with becoming a *sanyasi*.

Each lesson, each meditation, each word of encouragement from you has not only profoundly strengthened my faith, but also intensified my *sadhana* and understanding of *Maya*, the world, and my place within all of it. Through your teachings, I have learned how to 'be,' and am no longer under the spell of worldly desires that used to distract me from God.

I now live life on purpose and realize truly that less is more (finally).

Your presence is a constant reminder of the boundless potential within each of us and the importance of walking the path of truth and love—and waking up!

May this auspicious occasion of your birthday be filled with the same



joy and blessings that you have so generously given to all of us.

Happy Birthday!

Prem and Om

Swami Sushilananda
Miami, Florida

JAI GURUDEV!

Dear Swamiji,

I am eternally grateful for the infinite guidance, love, wisdom, and blessings you share in every moment—both in what is visible and in all that is yet to unfold. For the profound depths I have journeyed to discover and the divine surrender to all that remains to be revealed, I offer my deepest thanks. Happy Birthday! Jai Gurudev!

With *Pranams*, *Prem* and *Om*,
Sri Mahima Devi
Florida

YOUR LOVING BLESSINGS

Happy Birthday, Swamiji! Many blessings and thanks to you for all of your loving spiritual teachings over the years! I am most grateful to you for your loving blessings. Wishing you a wonderful, blissful birthday!

Hari Om Tat Sat
Durga
Florida

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THE GREATEST GIFT

Param pujya Swami Ji,
Koti koti Pranam.
Hari Om tat sat.

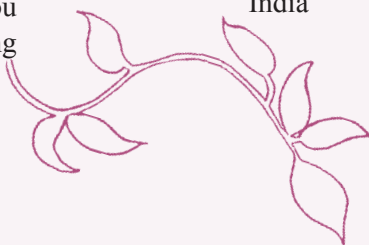
We wish you a very, very happy birthday and pray to Him to grant you many, many joyous returns of this auspicious day. May you continue to be healthy in the years to come and keep guiding us on the spiritual journey we have embarked on with your grace.

We are eternally grateful for putting us on the path leading to spiritual advancement. Swami Ji, you are like a lighthouse emitting signals to guide seafarers to be aware of the obstacles to be circumvented for a smooth journey to reach the goal.

God has been very kind in bringing you in our lives. To be able to receive your grace and guidance has been the greatest gift we could ever have thought of and received.

We profoundly pray to Him to continue this bond ad-infinitem.

Om Tat Sat
Sukhvarsha & Rajinder Chopra
India



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MY GURU—AKASH DEEP OF MY (BHAV SAMUNDRA) LIFE OCEAN

It is very difficult to speak of my guru in the few words of my knowledge. Close proximity does not necessarily mean a closeness in human relationship. A sincere desire to live beyond the physical plane paves the way for a deeper understanding of life and its purposes.

Life is extremely short and we should not ignore the essentials that lead us to peace and harmony internally & externally, because a human being is essentially a spirit.

This can be strengthened by the practice of normal and ethical virtue. External comforts cannot secure peace that we crave for. We should keep our mind ever saturated with thoughts of God. Then we will be able to move forward towards God.

Life is too short to spend in fault finding. Holding grudges and keeping memories of wrongs done to us. To be happy we should learn the art of forgetting all grudges and memories of wrong done to us.

Our Guru's teaching that we are the Architect of our Destiny impressed me very much. Another statement of his that Integral Yoga leads toward self-effacement and ultimately God realization is very inspiring.

Gurudev, please accept my *koti pranam* in your lotus feet.

Swami Pratibhananada
Swami Jyotirmayananda Ashram
Lal Bagh, Loni,
Ghaziabad, U.P, India

TOWARDS THE SHORES OF PEACE AND UNDERSTANDING

To the Most Revered,
Sadguru Paramhans Swami
Jyotirmayanand Ji Maharaj,

My profound reverences unto
Thy all pervading Divine presence!!

On the auspicious occasion of your Birthday, I offer my sincerest *pranams* and heartfelt gratitude at Thy lotus feet. This day is a celebration of the Divine light you bring into this world, a light that guides, nurtures, and illuminates the path of countless souls, including my own.

My heart overflows with gratitude as I reflect upon the immeasurable grace you have bestowed upon me. You are the beacon of hope, the unwavering pillar of strength, and the embodiment of compassion.

Like a skilled navigator guiding a ship through turbulent waters, you have steered my life towards the shores of peace and understanding. Your teachings, steeped in the wisdom of the Vedas and Upanishads, have been my guiding stars, illuminating the path of *dharma* and leading me closer to the ultimate truth.

Recently, I faced an unimaginable loss, the departure of the mortal body of my only sibling, my beloved younger brother, Kailashi Swami Nikhilananda Saraswati Ji Maharaj. He, too, was a

devoted follower of the path you illuminated. This loss left a gaping void in my heart, a wound that felt too deep to heal. During this dark period of intense grief, it was your presence, your teachings, and your unwavering support that held me together. You took charge like a father would, providing me with not just solace but also with the strength to bear this immense pain.

Your guidance reminded me of this eternal truth, helping me accept his departure as part of the divine plan and find strength in my own *dharma*. You gave me the courage to continue on this path, to find solace in the eternal truth that transcends the impermanence of this earthly realm.

On this special day, I pray for your long and healthy life, that you may continue to guide and illuminate the world with your wisdom and grace for many years to come. May the Divine Mother shower her choicest blessings of perfect vibrant health and long life upon you!

May we continue to bask in the warmth of your Divine presence. May we strive to live by the principles you teach and walk steadfastly on the path you have shown us. May the light you represent illuminate my heart and the heart of each individual.

Om Shanti Shanti Shanti

With utmost reverence and deepest gratitude,
Your humble devotee,
Swami Divyananda Saraswati
(India)

**PUJYA SWAMIJI—
ONE WITH THE DIVINE SELF**

On the auspicious occasion of Pujya Swamiji completing 94 years of his divine incarnation, we bow with reverence at his holy feet! Heartfelt congratulations to all his devotees and disciples across the world.

We express our gratitude to our beloved Gurudev for taking human form to uplift humanity. From time to time, the Divine Self manifests in human form to guide souls on the path to enlightenment, demonstrating how liberation can be attained while living in this limited world. Sri Ram, Sri Krishna, Jesus Christ, Swami Shivananda, Sri Ramakrishna Paramahansa, Bhagavan Ramana Maharshi, and many other great sages have incarnated for this noble purpose. Swamiji is a continuation of this sacred lineage.

To describe Swamiji's immense glory, I draw upon the Yoga Vasistha, which portrays the characteristics of an enlightened sage. Anyone who has come into contact with Swamiji, directly or indirectly, would recognize these qualities in him. He is living proof that enlightened sages do actually exist in this world.

**The Characteristics of
a Liberated Sage**

In the Utpatti Prakarna (Section 9), Sage Vasistha describes the traits of a liberated sage:

“One who is ceaselessly devoted to *Brahman*, exists for the sake of the Self, rejoices in speaking about *Brahman*, and enlightens others about their essential



nature, attains liberation even in this life.”

Swamiji's life is a testament to this truth. Even as a student and especially after taking *sanyasa* at the age of 22, he has tirelessly shared the profound wisdom of Yoga-Vedanta across the world. His ability to explain profound scriptures in simple, lucid, and even humorous ways is unmatched. Even today, at the age of 94, he continues to enlighten his disciples daily.

Sage Vasistha further describes:

“One who abides in the Self even while engaging in actions in accordance with the scriptures, who views the world as a reflection in the placid lake of Consciousness, as an illusory projection, is a *Jivan Mukta* (liberated in life).”

Swamiji exemplifies this ideal. Though active and cheerful in daily life, he remains rooted in the realization of his Divine Self. He is neither elated in prosperity nor dejected in adversity. From his early days until his establishing ashrams in Puerto Rico, Miami, and India, Swamiji has faced numerous challenges, yet never

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dwelled on them. His teachings, born from experience, provide practical guidance on navigating adversities with calm and grace.

**A Compassionate Guide and
Perfect Yogi**

The Yoga Vasistha further describes:

“Though abiding in the Self, he maintains the practical realities of the world.”

Although Swamiji abides in the Self, he remains sensitive to the struggles of his disciples. When approached with sincerity, he offers personalized guidance tailored to their challenges and level of development. Swamiji's teachings benefit everyone, helping them overcome stress, grief, tension, and daily challenges while maintaining inner stability.

“One who has no egoism, and who has neither the sense of doership nor non-doership, he is a liberated sage.”

Swamiji is a perfect Integral Yogi, seamlessly integrating action, emotion, reason, and will-power. His extensive body of work includes numerous books

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(translated into many languages), lectures, and practical teachings. Yet, despite his monumental achievements, Swamiji remains free from egoism, embodying the spirit of a Maha Karta (Great Doer), Maha Bhokta (Great Enjoyer), and Maha Tyagi (Great Renouncer).

Guiding Across All Planes of Existence

“Having removed the veil of ignorance, he is able to see the three worlds both arising from the Self and being negated by the Self.” – Yoga Vasistha

Swamiji’s guidance operates on physical, mental, and causal levels. Like the sun, he illuminates all three planes for his devotees, who absorb his wisdom in proportion to how much they remove their distractions and impurities.

“One who does not cause fear in others, and in whom others do not cause fear; who is unaffected by joy, anger, and fear.” – Yoga Vasistha

Swamiji exemplifies this ideal through countless acts of calmness and composure. One instance from Divine Life recounts how, just an hour before a dinner-lecture, a pot of *dal* Swamiji had prepared was accidentally spilled by a disciple. Swamiji calmly smiled, reassured her, and cooked the *dal* again without any frustration.

Similarly, a technical glitch once erased many of Swamiji’s lectures and writings. Swamiji reassured the devotee with a smile, telling him not to worry, displaying his characteristic grace.

Late Swami Shashi Bhushan Ananda shared how, in the 1980s, Swamiji entrusted him (then Dr. S.B. Mishra, a young medical graduate), with establishing the Swami Jyotirmayanda Ashram in Loni, Ghaziabad, a region then notorious for criminal activity. On his first visit, Dr. Mishra was threatened by local mafias to abandon the mission. Fearful, he sought Swamiji’s guidance and was reassured with prayers for his safety and success.

The next day, despite his fear, Dr. Mishra returned and was amazed to find those same individuals pledging their support after learning of Swamiji’s spiritual lineage. Today, the Loni Ashram thrives, carrying out charitable and spiritual activities for over 40 years, a testament to Swamiji’s grace.

A Life of Detachment and Service

“A Liberated Sage is free of all attachments.” – Yoga Vasistha

Despite his enormous contributions, Swamiji remains free from attachment. He has selflessly served humanity—providing medical aid, supporting the education and marriage of 85 orphaned girls, and educating

poor children. His Jnana Yajna includes monthly magazines, numerous books, and thousands of lectures. Yet, he remains unattached, never seeking credit for his immense contributions.

Through his inspiring words and presence, Swamiji continues to guide devotees toward self-realization. While outwardly humble and gentle, his inner strength is as unshakable as the Himalayas.

Gratitude and Pranam

Swamiji’s birthday is not just a celebration, but a reminder for us to delve deeper into the meaning of his teachings and strive toward Self-realization. May we honor him by practicing his teachings and expressing our gratitude through our actions.

May Pujya Swamiji be blessed with radiant health and a long life, so his Light continues to guide and transform countless lives. He is truly a precious gift to all of us.

Thank you, Swamiji, for your infinite patience, boundless compassion, and tireless contributions to humanity.

Speck of dust in His holy feet,
Yoganjali

Swami Jyotirmayananda Ashram,
Loni, Ghaziabad, India
(Inspired by Swami Shashi
Bhushan Ananda’s words and
thoughts)