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Gaura Bhakta Vrinda

Hare Krsna Hare Krsna
Krsna Krsna Hare Hare
Hare Rama Hare Rama
Rama Rama Hare Hare



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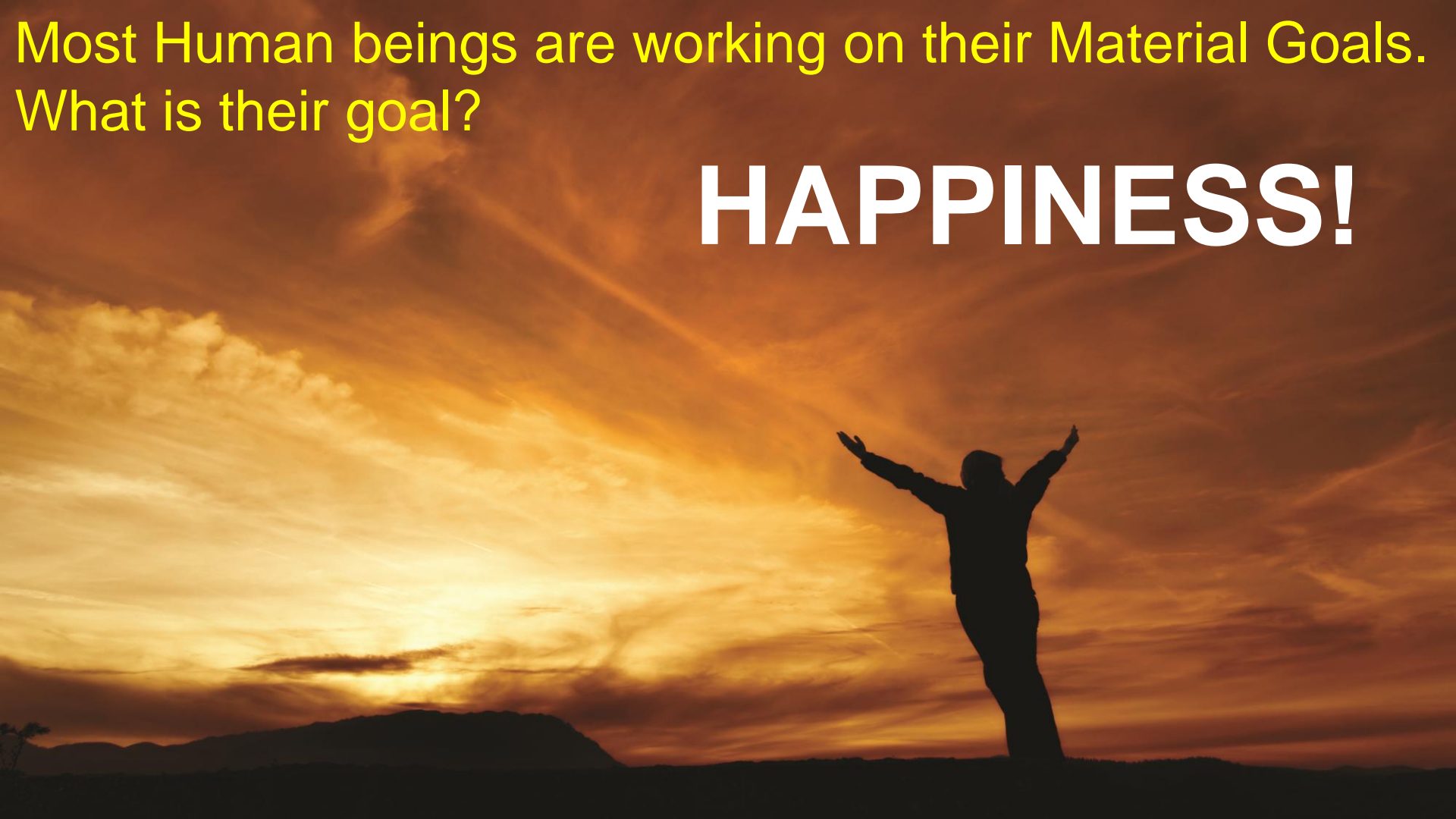
Ete Caamsa Kalaah Pumsah
Krsnas Tu Bhagavan Svayam
Indraari Vyaakulam Lokam
Mrdayanti Yuge Yuge ... S.B. 1.3.28



[All the incarnations are either plenary portions or portions of the plenary portions of the Lord, but Lord Sri Krishna is the original Personality of Godhead. All of them appear on planets whenever there is a disturbance created by the atheists.]

Most Human beings are working on their Material Goals.
What is their goal?

HAPPINESS!



But, many people
have to struggle to
live **happy** in
this life...!



Those in high job have stress wants to relax
and be **happy** in material life...



STRESS IS KILLING YOU



44%

OF AMERICANS FEEL MORE STRESSED THAN THEY DID 5 YEARS AGO

1 IN 5

AMERICANS EXPERIENCE "EXTREME STRESS"

SHAKING, HEART PALPITATIONS, DEPRESSION



- Stress causes Strokes
- Stress shrinks the brain
- 3 out of 4 doctor visits are stress related..



Some resort to austerities to get happiness



Some even torturing themselves for happiness..

Many worship for happy life now & in heaven..



For going to heaven, some are ready to do anything – even killing others!..



Why do they kill others for getting their heaven?





Why do these yogis go for yoga Siddhis?





Why do these yogis meditate for lives after lives...?



All have one common goal..



We ALL want to be HAPPY forever!.



But only in the spiritual world, there is Permanent Happiness..



That Permanent Happiness is Mukti...

Who Rejects Mukti?





Jaya Rādha Mādhava
Jaya Kunja Vihārī

Jaya Gopī Jana Vallabha
Jaya Giri Vara Dhārī ... (Jaya)

Yaśodā Nandana Vraja Jana Ranjana
Yamunā tīra Vana Cārī ... (Jaya)

[Hare Krishna Hare Krishna
Krishna Krishna Hare Hare
Hare Rāma Hare Rāma
Rāma Rāma Hare Hare]

There are FOUR Goals for Every Soul ...

- Dharma – Welfare & Religion
- Artha – Possessing Wealth, Fame, Beauty, etc.
- Kama – Sense Enjoyment
- Moksha - Mukti (Liberation – Permanent happiness)



Dharma



Artha



Kama



Moksha (Mukti)

Bhukti – Enjoyed in this world
- Temporary

Dharma,
Artha,
Kama

Mukti - Enjoyed in Spiritual world
- Permanent

Moksha

WHO and WHERE they want to be Happy

Dharmis	- Bhukti - Material
Karmis	- Bhukti - Material
Siddhas	- Bhukti - Material
Yogis	- Bhukti & Mukti
Tapasvis	- Mukti - Spiritual
Jnanis	- Mukti - Spiritual
Rishis	- Mukti - Spiritual

But, what is Mukti (Moksha)?...



There FIVE kinds of MUKTI (Liberation)

1. Salokya
2. Sarsti
3. Samipyaa
4. Sarupya
5. Ekatvam



Saalokya – Living in the same planet as Lord...



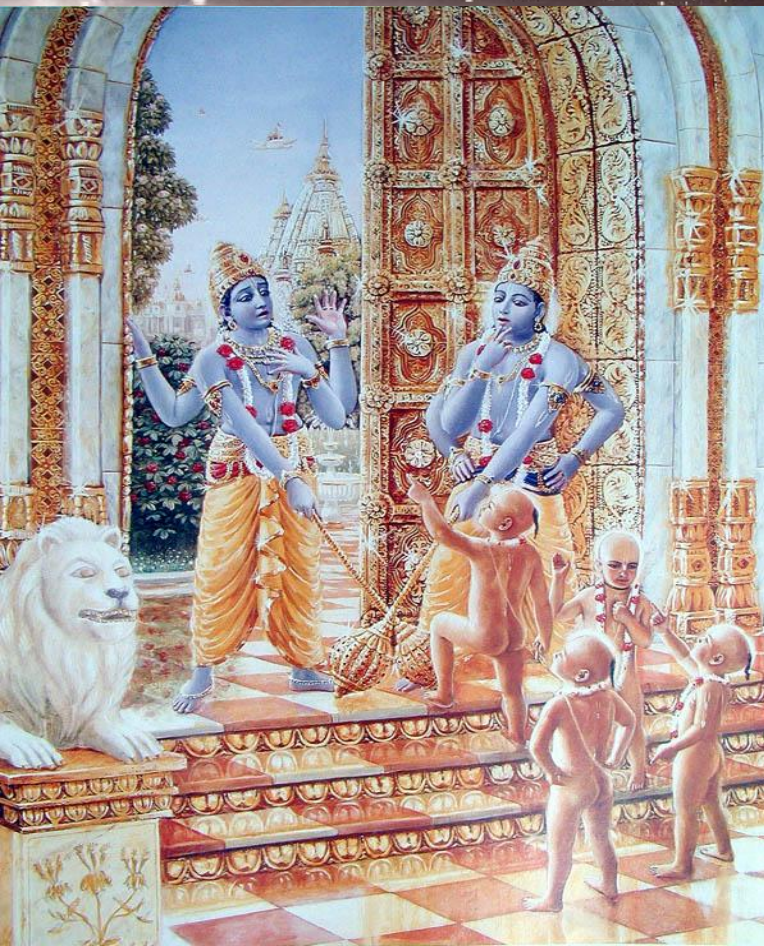
Saarsti – Have same opulence as Lord



Saamipya – To be an associate to the Lord



Saarupya – Have same features as Lord



Ekatvam – Merging in Lord's Brahma Jyoti



But Srila
Prabhupada used to
laugh at them!

Why?



ON THE FLY SLOKA! (2 lines)

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Sālokya sārsti sāmīpya

Sārūpyaikatvam apy uta

Dīyamānam na grhṇanti

Vinā mat-sevanam janāh ... (S.B 3.29.13)



[A pure devotee does not accept any kind of liberation such as:
Salokya – Living in the same planet as Lord, Sarsti – Have same
opulence as Lord, Samipya – To be an associate to the Lord,
Sarupya – Have same features as Lord, Ekatvam – Merging in Lord,
even though they are offered by Lord Krishna.]

Of all, what is the worst thing to do?

Merging in Brahman is the worst of all!
Why?



Srila Raghunatha Dasa Goswami
says:

Merging in the Lord
(Brahma Jyoti) is like
getting eaten by a tigress.
Practically there is no way
of return..

It is a spiritual suicide and
loose opportunity to serve
the Lord!

A vibrant sunset scene with a bright sun low on the horizon, casting a golden glow over a sea of clouds. The sun's reflection is visible on the water in the foreground. In the distance, dark mountain peaks are silhouetted against the colorful sky. The overall atmosphere is serene and majestic.

Krishna says that His pure bhaktas
reject all kinds of Mukti he can
bestow..

What do they want then?



They only
want to
serve
Krishna..

So that
Krishna
is
happy..

Bhukti mukti sprha yavat
Pisaci hr̥di vartate
Tavad bhakti sukhasyatra
Katham abhyudayo bhavet
(C.C. Madhya 19.176)



[How is it possible for the ocean of devotional happiness to appear in the heart as long as the witches of desire for sense enjoyment and liberation remains present there?]







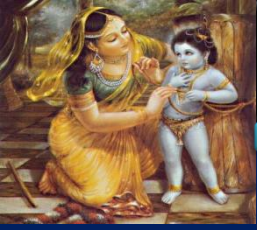
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Kuverātmajau baddha-mūrtyaiva yadvat
Tvayā mocitau bhakti-bhājau krtau ca
Tathā prema-bhaktim svakām me prayaccha
Na mokṣe graho me 'sti dāmodareha



*Two sons of Kuvera cursed to be the trees;
You gave them the chance to be Your own dears.
My Lord, will You offer me same realization?
Dont cheat me by giving moksha or liberation!*



Sri Damodarashtakam

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Varam deva! mokṣam na mokṣāvadhim vā
Na cānyam vr̥ṇe 'ham vareśād apīhā
Idam te vapur nātha! gopāla-bālam
Sadā me manasy āvirāstām kim anyaih



*Although You give moksha, I don't ask for moksha,
Nor do I want anything You could bestow.
I only request that Your sweet childhood play..
Ever be enacted in my heart to stay.*



For those dear bhaktas, Krishna is never hidden!

[Where can you hide from me?
Where can you run from me?] .. Krsna

[I will find You I will,
I will catch You I will
Where can you hide from me?] .. Krsna ... (Where)

[You come from Goloka
Way high from Vaikuntha] .. Krsna

[All the Vishnus come from You,
You are not avatar!
Where can you hide from me?] .. Krsna ... (Where)

[You hide as Paramatma
In the heart of Jivatma!] .. Krsna

[Even great rishis yogis,
Can't find You O' Krishna!
Where can you hide from me?] .. Krsna ... (Where)



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[Where can you hide from me?
Where can you run from me?] .. Krsna
[I will find You I will,
I will catch You I will
Where can you hide from me?] .. Krsna ... (Where)

[You shine as bright Brahman
Who comes from You Bhagavan!] .. Krsna
[Blinded like a fly to fire,
Jnanis run and kill them Krishna!
Where can you hide from me?] .. Krsna ... (Where)

---- Ending ----

[Where can you hide from me?
Where can you run from me?] .. Krsna



Kartik & Parikrama





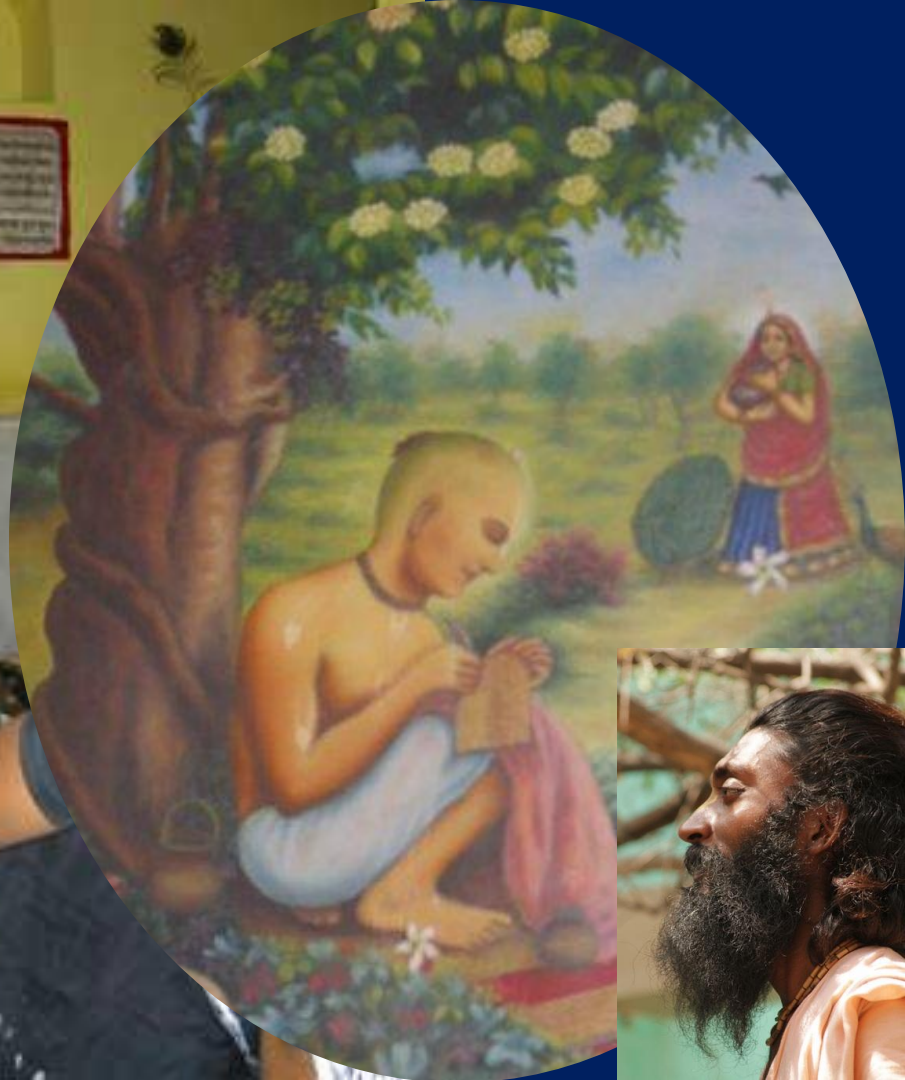




Mother
Yashoda
was worried
that
Krishna is
not eating
enough
and
becoming
thin...













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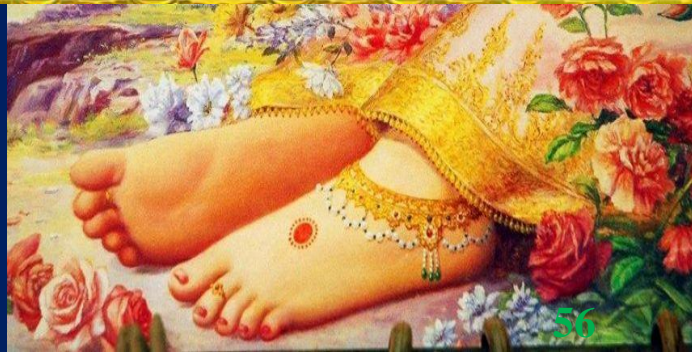


Bol Radhe Bol
Bol Krishna Bol ... (Bol)

Bol Bol Bol - Radha
Ramana Bol Hari Bol ... (Bol)

Bol Bol Bol - Radha
Madana Bol Hari Bol ... (Bol)

Bol Bol Bol - Radha
Mohana Bol Hari Bol ... (Bol)





Can some of you summarize what we covered?



*"Always do bhajan, this will please me.
Hare Krishna Hare Krishna...
I have come for that."*

Time for Kirtan!

**Hare Krsna Hare Krsna , Krsna Krsna Hare Hare
Hare Rama Hare Rama, Rama Rama Hare Hare**

THANK
YOU!

HARE
KRSNA

