

Jayaguru
Nilachala Saraswata Sangha
Branch: America Saraswata Sangha
Program for Young Aspirants' Session

Date: May 23, 2010

**Time: 11:15am-11:40am (Eastern)/10:15am-10:40am (Central)/08:15am-08:40am (Pacific)/
3:15pm - 3:40pm (GMT)**

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	Topic		Time
1	Pranam and opening of the curtain (Bhaba Bandhana...)	All	11:15 – 11:16
2	Shri Guru Pranam - Short Stotra Bandana	All	11:16 – 11:18
3	Introduction	Bijoy Bhai	11:18 – 11:20
4	Reading – Recap last two readings	Gyan Bhai	11:20 – 11:30
5	Discussion and Q & A	Gyan Bhai	11:30 – 11:35
6	Song	Bhakti	11:35 – 11:40
7	Bhaba Binimaya	Gyan	11:40 – 11:41
8	Invitation for the next session – 06-06-10	Brij	11:41 – 11:42
9	Beg for forgiveness for any mistakes	Gyan	11:42 – 11:43
10	Last Song (Dayamaya Shricharane)	Shreya	11:43 – 11:44
11	Pranam, Jayaguru Nama Kirtan and closing of Curtain	All	11:44 – 11:45

Beginning Prarthana:

Bhaba Bandhana Mochana Pujiyabaram
Gunahinamasesha Gunadhipatim
Bhaba-bhirujane Satatam Baradam
Pranamami Gurum Siva Kalpatarum

Shri Guru Pranam:

Om Brahmanandam parama sukhadam kevalam jnanamurtim
Dvandatitam gagana sadrisam tattvamasyadi laksyam
Ekam nityam vimalamachalam sarvadhi saksibhutam
Bhavatitam trigunarahitam sadgurum tam namami.

Invitation:

Jayaguru. I invite Shri Shri Thakura, all the young aspirants, their parents and other members of America Saraswat Sangha to our next session to be held on Sunday, June 6 2010 at 11:15 eastern time.

Beg for forgiveness for any mistakes:

Jayaguru. On behalf of all the young aspirants of America Saraswat Sangha, I beg for forgiveness from Shri Shri Thakur for any mistakes that we might have made.

Recap - MonoTheism

1. The expressed part of Brahman, the universe, is fully and absolutely pervaded by Brahman.
2. Brahman or God became many as he wanted to be many. This is an important difference in Hindu belief compared to other religions.
3. Brahman exists now and existed before time or the creation. He will continue to exist after everything is perished.
4. Only a part of Brahman is expressed, rest can't be defined. We can describe the rest as what it is not rather than what it is.
5. Brahman is expressed as three qualities and powers; power to create, power to sustain and power to destroy.
6. All Devas and Devis are manifestation of special qualities derived from the three qualities.
7. All devas are subtle expression of matters and special expression of Brahman.
8. Hindu religion is a way of life – it is not limited to meditation, prayer and other rituals.
9. The practice of the religion promotes spiritualism.
10. Hindus feel the presence of Brahman or God in everything and worship everything as God.