

Very few understand that the aim of human life is to see God.

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All that can be learned by going through the whole of the Gita can be as well accomplished by repeating "Gita," "Gita"—Gita-gi-ta-gita, ten times; it virtually comes to be "Ta-gi" "Ta-gi"—a modification of "Tyagi," "Tyagi," which means one who has given up the world both outwardly and from the mind.

— Sri Ramakrishna

Those who work without any consciousness of their lower ego are not affected with evil, for they work for the good of the world. To work without motive, to work unattached, brings the highest bliss and freedom. This secret of Karma Yoga is taught by the Lord Sri Krishna in the Gita.

— Swami Vivekananda

If one reads this one sloka—"Yield not to unmanliness, O son of Pritha! Ill doth it become thee. Cast off this mean faint-heartedness and arise, O scorcher of thine enemies!"—he gets all the merits of reading the entire Gita; for in this one sloka lies imbedded the whole Message of the Gita.

— Swami Vivekananda