

Living God

Of all forms of God, the one with the highest aesthetic appeal for mankind has always been the human form. Spiritual seekers seek humane and human deities in mysticism to satisfy the deep yearning of their souls. All Mystics at all times and climes have flashes of the truth that the ultimate reality is love and our earthly love is, but a pale counterfeit reflection of that infinite ocean of love. However, as this immediate awareness of God was vouchsafed to them in rare moments of exaltation, rapture, and ecstasy were eclipsed by fear and bewilderment, respectively. These temporary glimpses only help to increase the yearning of the seeker and ultimately lead him or her to give the union a permanent nature. God is at every nook and corner of the spiritual journey of those who have an enormity of love and adoration. The journey never ends, and His presence, therefore, is never exhausted while seated in the cavity of our own hearts. Our God remains living within us, never to leave us ever, in this life, and beyond. True religion is a matter of direct, immediate, and first-hand experience and not by any means a matter of hearsay. True religion is universal not only for priests and sages. The divine effulgence, beyond the depths of darkness and limitation, the golden veil that hid His face, has been drawn aside. The true spiritual traveler boldly proclaims – “I have seen Him face to face, I have seen the absolute, who is dearer than anything, dearer than wealth, dearer than near ones and offspring, dearer than anything imaginably possible.”