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राधास्वामी नाम जो गावे सोई तरे।
When the strains of this first prayer composed almost two centuries ago by Param Purush Puran Dhani Huzur Soamiji Maharaj, Radhasoami Sahab, rise at the crack of dawn every day above the morning sky of Dayalbagh or Holy Samadh at Soamibagh or Huzuri Bhawan at Peepal Mandi or Dera Baba Jaimal Singh at Beas or Kirpal Ashram at Ruhani Satsang or Dinod Dham at Bhiwani or numerous Radhasoami centres all over India and all corners of the world, they all resonate with the Divine Promise of Param Purush Puran Dhani Huzur Soamiji Maharaj that *"I will be with one and all and they will be looked after with more and more Grace."*

To mark the closing of the momentous bicentennial year (2017-18) of the advent of Param Purush Puran Dhani Huzur Soamiji Maharaj on this planet Earth in 1818, in commemoration of such an epoch-making event unparalleled in human history, a Landmark Workshop was organized jointly by Centre for Consciousness Studies, Dayalbagh Educational Institute and Divinity Study Forum, Radhasoami Satsang Sabha at Central Satsang Hall, Dayalbagh with the President of DEI and RS Sabha, Mr. Prem Prashant in the Chair. The Workshop involved noted scholars from all over the world who have extensively



studied Radhasoami Faith and its August Founder such as Prof. Mark Juergensmeyer, University of California at Santa Barbara, USA; Prof. David Christopher Lane and Prof. Andrea Diem Lane, both from Mt. San Antonio College, California, USA. Prof. Peter Roe, University of Waterloo, Canada joined the Workshop through video-link. Delegations from other Radhasoami centres also joined the celebrations in a feeling of brotherhood at the invitation of President, Radhasoami Satsang Sabha. The visiting delegations included those from Radhasoami Satsang Beas led by Mr. J.C. Sethi, Secretary; Sawan Kirpal Ruhani Mission led by Mr. I.R. Malik, Head Foreign Office; and Huzuri Bhawan, Peepal Mandi (Agra) led by Mr. Sumir Mathur, grandson of Revered Dadaji Maharaj. The Radhasoami Satsang Sabha delegation was led by Mr. Prem Prashant, President. The morning Satsang was also attended by the Revered Leader of Radhasoami Satsang Dinod (Bhiwani), Revered Kanwar Singh Maharaj with a large contingent of followers.

Vision Talk entitled, *"Complete Neuro-Theology as Ultimate Reality: Science of Consciousness"* was delivered by Gracious Huzur Prof. Prem Saran Satsangi Sahab. The Souvenir-cum-Abstract Book of the Workshop is a compilation of all the Vision Talks delivered by Gracious Huzur Prof. Satsangi

Bicentennial Celebration of Founding of Radhasoami Faith - The Ultimate Reality

Evolution of Dayalbagh Radhasoami Satsang Way of Life : A New World-Order (Economy, Polity and Spirituality) & The Life and Teachings of Param Purush Puran Dhani Huzur Soamiji Maharaj

Landmark Workshop in Central Satsang Hall Dayalbagh (Closing Function) August 24, 2018



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Sahab from 2003 till 2018 with power point slides and photographs. The full transcript of this Vision Talk will also be published separately. A presentation was made by Mr. Prem Prashant, President DEI and RS Sabha and Member, Divinity Study Forum on preliminary analysis of spiritual experiences compiled in a study by the Divinity Study Forum detailing evidences of the boundless mercy of Gracious Huzur Prof. Satsangi Sahab on the community. Lunch was hosted by Revered Leader of Dayalbagh for all visiting delegations seated in a round-table mode with nearly 10,000 Satsangis joining in the grand feast. Panel Discussion moderated by Mr. Prem Prashant was widely appreciated by the visiting delegations as very illuminating. The Workshop was transmitted to over 400 branches and centres in the e-Satsang cascade. The evening Satsang that followed in continuation of the Workshop was also attended by the delegations from Beas, Sawan Kirpal Ruhani Mission and Huzuri Bhawan, Peepal Mandi.

The Workshop carried forward the integrationist efforts started by Murar Declaration in June 2010 for promoting brotherly relations among all Radhasoami centres, followed by SPIRCON and Conclave of Leaders of various Radhasoami sects in November 2010 and visit of Revered Leader of Beas Satsang to Dayalbagh in March 2011. As a gesture of goodwill, Dayalbagh has withdrawn all cases in courts of law



against the Central Administrative Council and Radhasoami Trust, Soami Bagh in November 2016. Sant Rajinder Singh Maharaj of Sawan Kirpal Ruhani Mission also visited Dayalbagh in February 2018 to promote this feeling of brotherhood among Radhasoami communities.

O Lord! Our community, numbering a couple of millions only is extremely small when compared to the total number of human beings on this earth who number over seven billion and the number of human beings is infinitesimally small when compared to the number of other living beings on this earth! And this our earth itself is only one of the



smallest units in our solar system and there are innumerable *Pinds* and *Brahmandas* in the present creation. And all these innumerable *Pinds* and *Brahmandas* taken together form only a part of the Nether Pole of the creation, which

may be compared to a cloudlet in the vast expanse of the firmament. And Merciful Radhasoami, Thou art the Creator and Lord of all this vast creation! And all this vast creation is within Thee! And when we think of ourselves as no more than a speck of dust and all our innumerable weaknesses, we lower our heads in shame at our insignificance and our shortcomings. Such, O Lord, is Thy Infinite Majesty and Grandeur and such our insignificance! And still Thy Grace and Mercy is unlimited and unbounded!

May this bicentennial year carry the Message of Huzur Radhasoami Dayal all over the Cosmic Universe and bring light and cheer to all living beings forever everywhere !!



Beas



Peepal Mandi



Sawan Kirpal Ruhani Mission

Integrated East-West Forum at The Science of Consciousness Conference TSC 2018 (April 2, 2018), Tucson, Arizona, USA

The invisible Hand of Grace and Mercy of Huzur Radhasoami Dayal was abundantly visible in 'Mission Radhasoami' and the TSC 2018 Integrated East-West Forum at Tucson on April 2 was an unprecedented success. A pre-event rehearsal was organized at the 'Quantum Jugaad' facility which was inaugurated by President DEI on March 21, 2018. Prof. A.K. Mukhopadhyay, AIIMS delivered the Plenary Talk and the Panel Discussion was moderated by Mr. Prem Prashant, President DEI.

The Integrated East-West Forum on April 2 was held in video-conferenced mode with DEI, Dayalbagh and Most Revered Chairman ACE partici-

pated from Central Satsang Hall, Dayalbagh. The Vision Talk was entitled "Complete Neuro-Theology as Ultimate Reality : Science of Consciousness". The Panel Discussion was entitled "Consciousness : Integrating Eastern and Western Perspectives" and was moderated by Prof. Stuart Hameroff at Arizona and Mr. Prem Prashant at DEI. Among the experts at the Forum were Prof. Stuart Hameroff, Prof. James Barrell, Prof. Rocco J Gennaro, Prof. Jack Tuszyński, Prof. Harald Atmans-



pacher, Prof. Paavo Pyllkanen, Prof. Subhash Kak, Prof. Anirban Bandyopadhyay, Mr. Prem Prashant, Prof. P. Sriramamurti and Dr. Vijai Kumar. The Order of Revered Chairman ACE on cooperation and harmony drawing on the "twin split" phenomenon of molecular biology was read out by President DEI in the Panel Discussion.

Third Indo-Canadian Research Colloquium (UW and DEI : Education and Research in Dialogue) March 29, 2018 at University of Waterloo

Indo-Canadian Research Colloquium (UW and DEI : Education and Research in Dialogue) was organized on March 29 at University of Waterloo in video-conferenced mode with DEI by TSC delegates on way to Tucson. The five-decade old DEI-Waterloo relationship is a model one, culminating in an MoU between the two Institutes in 2008, renewed in 2013 and further renewed in 2017. This joint colloquium elevated the flourishing relationship between our Institutes to even loftier horizons, in the words of Prof. Peter Roe in his address to the colloquium.

