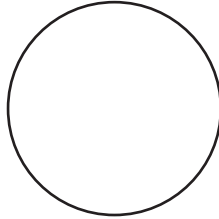


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## Publisher's Note

In this volume in the Series Sathya Sai Speaks there are 22 priceless discourses of *Bhagawan* delivered during the year 2007.

*Mamaivamsho jivaloke jivabhuta sanathana* - The eternal *Atma* in all living beings is part of My Being. *Bhagawan* recalled these words of Lord Krishna in Bhagavad Gita in the very first discourse of the year. He repeated this quite often during the year, even reminding us of it in His last discourse of the year, thereby emphasizing the importance of this Divine revelation. He exhorted that students should not forget this truth. *Bhagawan* said that this is true not only of human beings, but even birds, animals and other creatures are part of the Divine.

Every one should develop the confidence that God is within him. The same *Atma* is present in everyone. Chant the name of God incessantly. Not only should this, you should also help others who are in trouble. Be courteous to the poor and help them. Whatever work you do, consider it as the work of God.

One with compassion is a true human being. All are divine. Therefore, we should help everybody considering him as divine. One who understands this truth will achieve great success in life. When somebody is in trouble or injured on the road, we should try to remove his or her suffering, whatever urgent work we may have. Then God fills us with energy.

First and foremost we should love our parents and then

other people. We should love all. Develop love. Share it with all. When you exchange love and spend your lives happily, evil qualities like hatred, jealousy, ego etc., cannot come anywhere near. Draw every one close to you with love; then you will attain proximity of God. When we expand our love, we can give happiness to the whole world.

People should have faith in religion, for they teach great ideals to be followed. No one should observe any difference based on religion. There is only one religion, the religion of love.

Human values are not visible to naked eye. They emerge from our own heart. Peace is not something to be obtained from the world out side. It has to flow from inside. Where there is peace, there will be love. If you strengthen love there will be no scope for hatred at all. If you develop a feeling of oneness, how can there be a feeling of hatred between you and the other man?

A true seeker can find innumerable such divine exhortations through out the pages of this book. The Book Trust is happy to bring out this volume with the hope that every reader puts into practice at least a few of these Divine exhortations in daily life, so as to become worthy of being a follower of *Bhagawan's* directions and thereby contribute towards making our world a peaceful place to live.

With salutations at *Bhagawan's* lotus feet.

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