

CHILDREN ARE THE REAL PROPHETS

Vasant

World is in for a big shock. This is just the beginning. Now people are aware but it is nearly too late. Much has been done in violation of natural law and now what is to come is what has already been sown.

There is much distress now everywhere. We must concentrate on all avenues of HEALING. Agnihotra, Yajnya, Hatha Yoga, meditation, then all types of healing, herbal healing above all. Let us not concentrate on the negative aspects. Even in a world such as this one we must look to the positive, how to heal rather than how sick it is.

We are nearing an age when much destruction will predominate our thoughts, all our actions and words. We must give ourselves to the task of spreading love throughout the planet. Let us not be short tempered. Let us not be thoughtless of the next person.

Now we must endure certain inconveniences which will be a direct result of disasters to come. If there is no water in an area, certainly if one of you lives in that area, you also will have no water. **STILL THINGS WILL BE MADE EASY FOR ALL OF YOU NOW**, who are practicing Agnihotra and Yajnyas.

MANTRA WORKS WITH GREAT POWER NOW. Mantra is as powerful inwardly as is Yajnya on atmosphere.

Situations everywhere are tense and unbearable but we must not allow these 'outer circumstances' to deter us from our goal which is happiness. **THE GOAL IS TO BE FULL OF LOVE IN OUR THOUGHTS, WORDS AND ACTIONS.** Let us not fall prey to temptation to judge others or to decide for them their own fate. Let us keep silent if we cannot do good deeds.

The children are blessed. They are to lead the world to its salvation. Children know and understand far more, far deeper than we realize. Let the voice of the children be heard. They are the real prophets.

HOMA THERAPY FARMING—AUSTRIA

Henndorf

Lu Weber

We want to report about the wonderful effects of Homa Therapy farming. In 1979 we started to practice Homa Therapy farming and immediately we could notice wonderful results.

We planted potatoes 3-4 weeks later than all other farmers in our area and nonetheless we had our harvest at the same time. The potatoes were beautiful and some were the size of a child's head.

We used only Agnihotra ash as fertilizer and also for spraying because we had no compost. The soil was mostly clay, very hard and full of quecke which is one of the most obstinate weeds. Farmers fight quecke with strong chemicals and yet cannot get them under control.

We noticed some interesting results. We had no Colorado beetles whereas our neighbors and others were troubled by many of them. All the farmers complained about the decay of crops even before harvest and also during storage. We found hardly any rotten potatoes this year on our farm. The taste of the potatoes was unique, incomparable. Also the cucumbers that normally need loose and well fertilized soil grew wonderfully in the absence of both.

We realized that Agnihotra vegetables were far superior in taste even compared to vegetables grown by biological dynamic methods.

In the beginning we had a big field plowed that was completely overgrown with weeds and also sown rye. We spread Agnihotra ash twice. First a neighbor thought everything was quecke and other weeds. Soon he came to know that he was wrong as the rye grew beautifully. The field was situated exactly behind the Yajnya Hut where we performed the first 24 hour Yajnya on 17th May, 1979 in Henndorf. After this Yajnya many other Yajnyas followed including a 108 hour Yajnya when the atmosphere was specially charged with love and nutrients.

In October 1979 I gave my mother some red beets which she stored and forgot about it. She remembered them again in March. She and our father were surprised that the beets were still as fresh as from the earth and their taste was unequalled. **SHE SAID ONE COULD TASTE THE PURITY OF VEGETABLES GROWN WITH HOMA FARMING.**

Also she was presented some beets by another person that were not grown with Homa farming. She kept them in the same room but after a short time they became soft and full of wrinkles and did not taste so good.

We also want to tell something very interesting in fact miraculous. **THE WATER FROM OUR WELL GOT PURIFIED BY PRACTICE OF AGNIHOTRA.** Before we moved into the house in August 1977, I knew the well water was unfit for human consumption as well as farming. At that time a friend with his wife and daughter was living there. When I visited them I noticed that they always used to store mineral water for drinking and when I asked them why they did not drink the well water they replied that it was muddy and neither smelled nor tasted good.

We experienced the wonderful purification by performance of Yajnya from the beginning. Today the well gives us clear water with no smell and this has surprised all visitors to the place.

It was stated in Homa Therapy Teachers' Training Class, "By practice of Yajnya the absorption of sun's rays by water resources on the planet improves." We know this is true by experience.

This year we will continue to practice Homa Therapy farming beginning with planting at new and full moon and doing 4 hour daily Yajnya. Homa Therapy farming is the answer to the situation created by chemical fertilizers and pesticides.

KEEPING DISCIPLINES SAVES TIME

New York

Ernest Collier

One trend of modern world has long been to save time wherever and whenever possible or feasible. Each individual is limited by time and most are inclined to make maximum use of daily hours. Whether this is always the case, the disciplines as given through Vasant provide the most efficient use of time for the individual's total development.

Practice of daily meditations after sunrise & sunset Agnihotra and also at fixed times—i.e. 10 A.M., 12 Noon, 3 P.M., 6 or 9 P.M. (depending on AGNIHOTRA timing)—elevatingly develop the individual far beyond due compensation for the expended effort. Chanting for 20 minutes the 5 A.M. morning Mantras which is followed by AGNIHOTRA starts the day in the best possible frame of mind. AGNIHOTRA and noon meditations are each one half hour long while the other meditations are fifteen minutes each. Thus two hours and thirty minutes are set aside daily in the effort towards Self Realization.

The question arises. Does spending so much time in meditation interfere with other

activity that is part of the normal day? It is interesting to note such is seldom if ever what happens in practice. In fact thru better organization of the daily schedule, the cliché about the busiest person finding the most available time for additional undertakings immediately comes to mind.

To illustrate, consider what happened in New York City, famous for its fast pace and hurried life style, after the time disciplines were started. Some AGNIHOTRIS for the past six months not only observed the above meditation timings but also performed a half-hour to one hour YAJNYA daily with the aim of extending this to a 4-hour daily YAJNYA besides the regular Full Moon and New Moon YAJNYAS. The disciplines themselves are responsible for much of the necessary time by helping determine what is important and what is not, separating the wheat from the chaff.

Moreover, it's noticed that periodic rest breaks during an ordinary day enable the body and mind to function more effectively. Observing the disciplines gives this opportunity, benefiting the individual without end. For example, when one simply sits down calmly to relax, especially before meditation, the vibrations given off at that moment—and therefore returned later—are of a more peaceful nature than those given off prior to the simple activity. Also, since the greater the input the greater the feedback and since pollution is at its extreme, many AGNIHOTRIS for the past few years have been doing a VYHRUTI HOMA whenever possible before all their meditations.

Furthermore, observing the disciplines causes greater self-discipline in the other areas of life as well. It may be easier to simply sit down at 3 o'clock than to refrain from eating, say, appetizing ice cream made with sugar. As the will is fortified by these simple and scientific practices, the individual can observe one's own progress towards Self-mastery.

Finally, since the regular performance of AGNIHOTRA alone sharpens the power of discrimination affording a higher degree of selectivity of daily chores, the further step of keeping the disciplines enables the practitioner in effect, who now gets much more meaningful work done, to actually save time in the run of a day.

SATSANG NEWS

Austria-Vienna

Edgar Wagner

In the first week of April Peter Jurkowsch arranged a meeting in Vienna where Vasant spoke on Homa Therapy. Although the meeting was arranged only with a

short notice many people turned up to listen to Vasant explain the process of healing the atmosphere that is Agnihotra.

He stressed that it was high time that mass measures be taken to heal the atmosphere and set up healing centers where people could experience the effect of Yajnya atmosphere directly without the necessity of long explanations. Several people took Agnihotra copper pyramids from me. I also gave to some supplies of Agnihotra materials and sunrise and sunrise time sheets.

Vasant was asked whether he could address a meeting for the United Nations Womens Guild in the near future. However his schedule was tightly packed and we could not accept the invitation.

Graz

Over one hundred people came to listen to Vasant's explanation on "Homa Therapy-Wholistic Healing for man and nature." Vasant said "The proof of the pudding lies in eating and when Agnihotra is based on a law of nature it is going to work irrespective of our opinions. However, blind belief is as foolish as blind disbelief."

This meeting was arranged by Mr. Herbert Fuchs an engineer in cooperation with Homa Therapy center in Graz.

Next day I drove Vasant to one Homa Therapy farm about 40 km south of Graz. Walter Schweiger and Karin have already experienced the benefits of Yajnya atmosphere and Agnihotra ash for farming. Walter has built a pyramid shaped Yajnya Shala (Fire Hut) on his farm where Agnihotra is performed regularly and also round the clock twenty four hour Yajnyas on several days.

When a cow or a goat delivers a young one on his farm he welcomes the newborn with Homa Fire which purifies the atmosphere. He tells the people how one can increase quality and quantity of crops with Agnihotra and Homa Therapy farming as explained in the farming bulletins published by Agnihotra University U.S.A.

Then we drove to Sternhof farm, Arnfels. Erika welcomed us and introduced Vasant to a gathering of twenty people to whom Homa Therapy was explained. One hour Yajnya (Homa) was done to heal the atmosphere. Among others, three kids participated. It was interesting to see how one eight year old boy who was suffering from bronchitis since many weeks was able to learn the Mantras quickly and joined in offering ghee to the Homa Fire. Erika said that several children in apparently healthy natural surroundings were suffering from respiratory illnesses.

Vasant said "It is easy to understand the connection between polluted atmosphere

and the increase in the incidence of physical and mental illnesses.” Starting of Healing Centres based on Homa Fire is the way out.

We handed out free literature on Homa Farming and returned to Graz.

West Germany

Maria Barta

“On May 17, we again had a big Yajnya of 100 hours. It was possible because many people came to help.”

Bristol, Vermont

Helen Turner

“While visiting a family a four year old boy did Agnihotra with me and now he keeps holding my hand and says “Let us go to the Fire.”

University family counsellors are now seeking information about Agnihotra and Yoga psychology.”

VEGETARIAN RESTAURANT WITH YAJNYA

Heal the Atmosphere Association, Baltimore

Charles Davis

We have started a vegetarian restaurant and a theatre. We call it “The Village of Shanti.” Presently we are operating 15-18 tables seven inches off the floor and use pillows instead of chairs. We have a continuous Yajnya going on during operating hours. We also have a band that will soon begin to play music to the Mantras. The response is good. Many have inquired about the Yajnya process.

We want to use Homa Therapy Farming to grow crops and thus introduce vegetables grown in Yajnya atmosphere in our cooking. We thank Master Shree for giving us this vehicle to do the work.

Some time back there was an article in a newspaper about the super bugs and the failure of Agricultural Department to find a solution to this problem. The article mentioned various techniques that were tried. I then had a talk with the head of the Department of Plantology at the U.S. Department of Agriculture Research Center in Maryland. I mentioned the various data gathered by scientists of different countries about the effect of vibrations on plants and also told him about the necessity of taking to Yajnya as stated in the Vedas. I can understand how it was difficult to believe “officially” in what I had said.

Recently there were articles in newspapers about terrible pollution problems in

China and also in West Germany. It was stated that in some cases people had to wear masks in China. The article also told of the difficulties for people to see five feet in front of them because of pollution.

More and more news appears in newspapers about the harmful effects of depletion of ozone layer on air travellers and others. Practice of Agnihotra on mass scale is the solution to bring back the lost harmony in the atmosphere.

EVERYWHERE IS HOME

Fran Rosen Sawyer

Take me to your heart of hearts
I am lost without your command
In a land where love is often bought
I need to feel your hand.

There is no earthly desire
that can overcome this need
for the Love of Shree
cannot be weighed
His Love is making me free.

free from anger, lust and greed
free from misery
I know no one could ever be
as full of Grace as He.

So, when the rising sun I greet
with mantra sweet and clear
the fire rises within my soul
and I know that Shree is near.

All through the day I listen
for a word, a touch, a tear
with mantra my mind is made empty
my thoughts resoundingly clear.

At sunset the fire is lit again
I feel His Presence strong
I know His Love is everywhere
and everywhere is Home.

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