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Senior Citizens' Camp: 11th Oct. 2014

**They are Uncared for, they are Unwanted at home -
the Senior citizens - *DMS* reaches out**



To commemorate the **International Day of Older Persons** falling on 1st Oct. every year the world-over, *DMS* held a medical camp for general medical check-up (including basic laboratory investigation and testing for sugar), counselling and providing Annadhaanam.

“Respected Sir, I am stunned by what You have said. Yes it is true she wants to marry this person very badly but he is not of the same caste. She says if she does not get to marry him, she will never marry anyone in her life. My parents being orthodox Brahmins refused. But she is adamant. We know she has been meeting the boy regularly which my parents had sternly forbidden.” None of this Jas was aware of.

Kumar continued “We wanted to go the police today but if it transpires she is safe and had only gone to meet this boy, our family name will get tarnished”.

Jas was getting the answer why Kumar did not want to go to the police.

“No need to go to the police. She is not in any danger. She will come back. But when she comes back get her married. She will be happy with him”.

A visibly relieved Kumar took leave of Guruji and thanked Jas profusely.

Kumar reached home and narrated to his parents what Guruji said.

Next day evening in the office Kumar came over to Jas’s table, relief writ large on his face. “Know what? My parents got a call from my sister. She is safe..”

“What did she say?” Jas was not expecting this quick a development. After all Guruji had said “three days..”

“She said she had gone to Tirupathi and got married to the person she loved”.

“Oh. What did your parents say? Did they express their indignation?”

“No. We had accepted what Guruji advised. My parents are now okay about her getting married to this person. They asked her to come home and said for them her happiness mattered most.”

The next day Kumar’s sister had returned home.

The same day in the evening Kumar accompanied by his mother came to Guruji’s house. She fell at His feet and wept. “We were at our wits’ end when our daughter disappeared. When Kumar conveyed Your message, we could not believe that such a great soul existed who could tell us our daughter’s whereabouts. We had broken down and were desperate. At the same time we did not want to go to the police. We decided to put all trust in You and heed Your advice. You have saved our family reputation”.

After the girl’s return the parents arranged for a reception at Chennai.

We do not have updates as such about Kumar or the family after 1991. Jas left for Mumbai in 1991 and lost touch with Kumar. Kumar proceeded to Australia for further studies. The last that she heard about the couple was that the sister and her husband were happily settled.

Guruji’s affection is so-encompassing it knows no barriers. Whether you are well-known to Him or just a stranger, He will go out-of-the-way to solve the problem. He was a soul who lived for others!

This time the blessings of Lord Venkateswara have been invoked for the New Year for all DMS members. The Laddu sent along with the Satsanga is from Tirupathi itself. Anand Kumar Reddy, Chennai (Life member) has sponsored this and we thank him heartily for the gesture.

For all DMS members we also are enclosing the New Year calendar (pocket size) with this issue of Satsanga. On one side you can see Guruji full length, including His feet, and on the rear side, you have the day calendar for 2015. It is convenient for carrying either in the pocket or in the wallet/purse. This calendar has been sponsored by S. Ramanathan, Mumbai (Life member). We thank him heartily for this gesture.

Holy sindur of Lord Hanuman at Sankat Vimochan temple at Varanasi comes as usual.

DMS wishes all its Members a wonderful 2015 filled with the grace of Guru Kamakshi Baba.

Mata Kamakshi

An interesting letter (email) has been received from a Catholic priest Fr. Pragasam S.J., who has been associated with DMS for several years. This letter is in response to the previous issue of Satsanga which carried the incident of a mother who came to Guruji at Chennai consulting for her child's health, and Guruji said "There is no danger to the life...". As it turned out this statement was not meant for the child but for her husband who at that precise moment was being way-laid in Poland by four miscreants. The family connected these two things at a later date.

From: Mariajoseph Pragasamsj <pragasamsj@gmail.com>

To: seva_dms@yahoo.co.in

Sent: Friday, 19 December 2014 9:29 AM

Subject: Dear Suresh,

Dear Suresh,

I was happy to receive the SATSANG pages via email. I read all the pages. I felt real inner joy while reading it. Kamakshi Baba is a Wonder Worker. A Performer of Miracles. When I read about his miracles today, my high school days came to my mind.

It was in 1958. I was in old Fourth form class. Now equivalent to 9th std. I was studying in Tindivanam. The high school was catholic. i.e. Roman Catholic School. From childhood I have my belief and mind-set of christian religion. I grew in it. So I carried it also with orthodox rigidity. Only in Christian religion miracles take place and in no other religion however great they be. This was my belief also till 'TILL THAT DAY OF MIND BOGGING AND ORTHOXY being shattered as a Roman Catholic of 9th standard boy. THAT DAY.....

That day my Tamil Pandit was teaching "Kamba Ramayanam ' The poetry was on the last encounter of Shri. Rama with Ravana. Shri. Rama kills Ravana. Shree Bhagwan Rama pierces with his HOLY ARROW the chest of Ravana. The Holy Arrow pierces through Ravana's breast and it goes up to Swarg, heaven. There the Gods and Goddesses welcome the Holy Arrow with flowers pouring on it.

The Tamil pandit was explaining it with unction and devotion. He was hindu by religion in a christian school. All the students were christians. We loudly laughed at it, thinking how can there be miracles at all in other religions. It is impossible we thought. Miracles can take place only in my religion.

When our Tamil Pandit heard the laughter his face changed. He retorted, " you all think that only in your religion miracles take place! "

God is One. He works miracles in all religions.

We were dumb-struck. Yes God works miracles in all religions. All his saints in any religion work miracles. That day was my day in Bodh Gaya. A day of enlightenment day. Yes God works miracles in all religions through His Saints for the spiritual and physical good of his devotees.

I believe Kamakshi Baba is Wonder Worker . His only wish is the spiritual good of his devotees. So I believe in him. I pray to him that he blesses all his devotees including me.

Dear Suresh I shared with you my boyhood Experience. My Tamil Pandit's words still ring in my years. Today I am a Jesuit priest. I am a changed person from that day. I request that you publish my letter in DMS Satsang.

If you send email of Satsang, people will miss the Swamiji's VIBHOOTI . Send regularly that to me by post.

Assuring my prayers for you and Satsang members. God.

Fr. Pragasam. S. J.

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End of email.

From the Doctor's Desk



A camp was held on 11th Oct. 2014 for senior citizens. Dr. Geetha Badrinath has been very concerned for them. From our experience at Village Alamadhi, *DMS* is aware they are very often uncared for, and in a few cases, unwanted at home. Medical care may be nonexistent as they are considered a liability by their children.

DMS would like to reach out to such persons and identify causes of their ill-health. We would like to counsel them for simple ways to take precautions particularly for persons suffering from diabetes.

This is the first time *DMS* is organising a camp which is dedicated to the senior citizens. 51 Senior Citizens attended the camp. They were checked, and

certain important medicines were dispensed. A general counselling session was held where one of the focus themes was control of diabetes. Annadhaanam was served.

Dr. Geetha Badrinath conducted the camp. Young Dr. G. Arun (MBBS) was the Guest Doctor. He is pursuing PG Diploma in Diabetology with MMC which is attached to General Hospital. *DMS* thanks Dr. G. Arun for his contribution to the camp.



Dr.G.Arun addressing the senior citizens on control of diabetes



Annadhaanam in progress