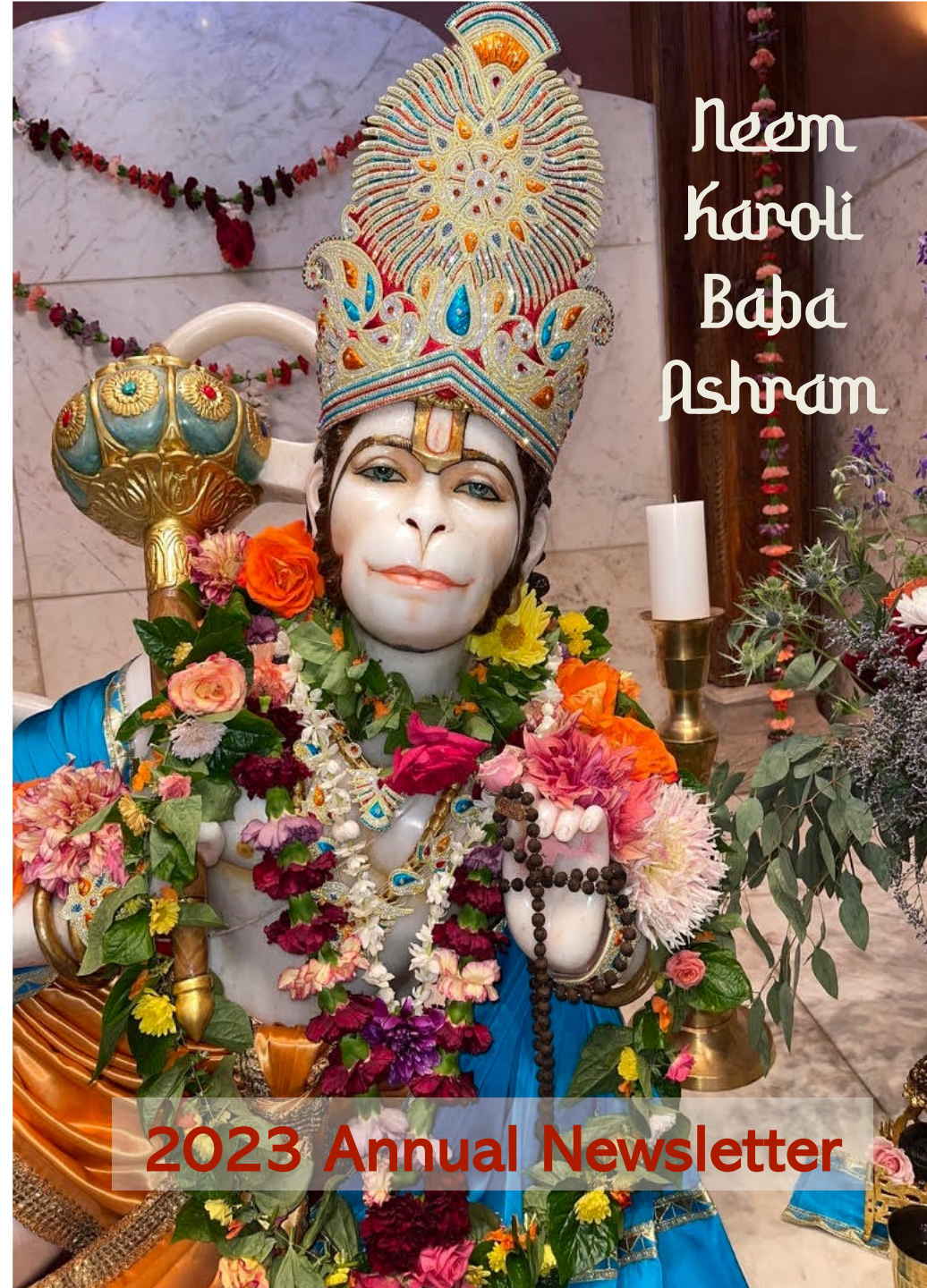


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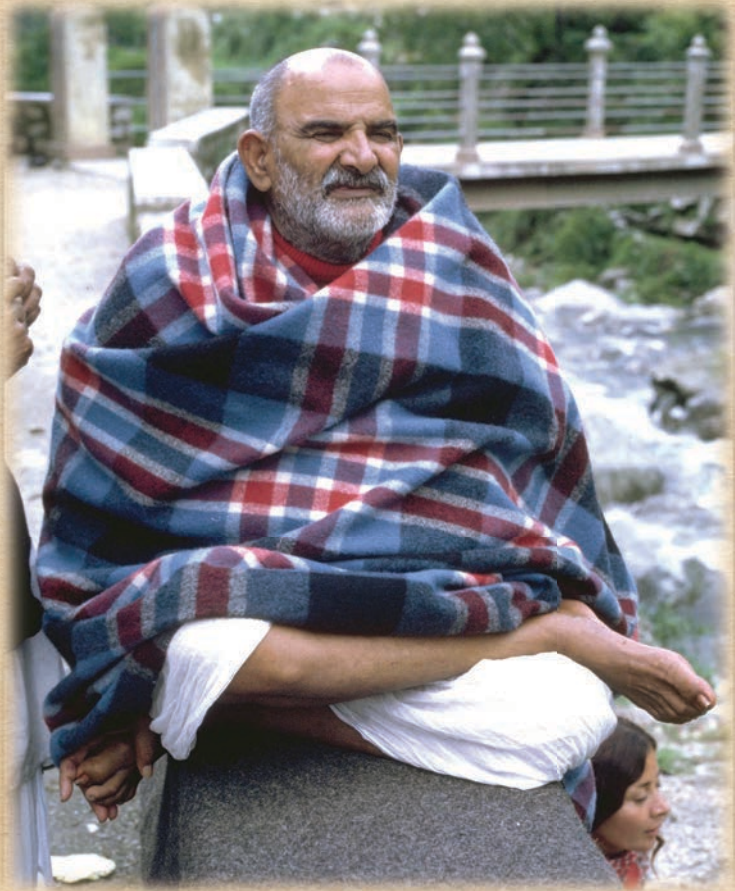
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Go on reciting Ram and one day the true call for Ram will come out and you will be redeemed.

~ Maharaj-ji

Ashram Update

Dear Satsang, Ram Ram!

It has been a very eventful year at Sri Neem Karoli Baba's Ashram and Hanuman Mandir! In April of 2022 the ashram had its first open festival since the Covid pandemic began. By His Grace, we all felt the joy of having so many devotees once again sharing in puja, chanting, and prasad— all in celebration of Hanuman-ji's birthday! It was like a grand family reunion, with so much love and appreciation expressed to celebrate together once again!



Guru Purnima was an especially moving celebration of our beloved Guru Maharaj-ji: hundreds of devotees came from across the country to chant, pray, and partake of prasad! Another family-like reunion for satsang, the celebration gave us time to catch up with each other, renew our love for one another, and collectively express our devotion to Baba.

The day after Guru Purnima, a memorial celebration of our beloved



Guru-bhais Ram Dass and KK Sah was held. Satsang, both in attendance and via Zoom, shared heart-felt, meaningful stories about their times with both KK and Ram Dass, evoking laughter and tears of love. The memorial service continued with a procession to the Memorial Grove where fruit trees were planted for each; a puja to place Ram Dass's ashes in the ground next to his tree was conducted with aarti, Hanuman Chalisa, and chanting the Maha Mrityunjaya Mantra.



The highlight of Maharajji's Mahasamadhi Bhandara in September was the performance of the Ramlila by the children on Sunday afternoon. After the two-year forced hiatus, it was pure joy to see all the children having such a good time re-enacting the age-old drama! The satsang joined in cheering on the beloved heroes, booing the evil demons while enjoying it all with much laughter and so much love.



Navaratri, the last festival of the ashram's yearly calendar, was a deeply felt expression of love for the Divine Mother, and we were all grateful and overjoyed to complete a yearlong cycle of worship as a community.



Many of the ashram's projects came to completion during 2022, and many more were started. The ashram finally has a new steel storage building which is large enough to house all the ashram's tools, festival supplies, and other items necessary for the ashram's on-going operations. The memorial orchard in the back of the ashram now has beautiful pathways and benches; the trees have all been properly mulched and cared for; and a gleaming nearly 6' brass statue of Hanuman has been installed as a beautiful focal point.



Sri Siddhi Ma's memorial garden around the farm's pond is beginning to take shape: we are installing pathways, planting trees, and constructing a waterfall fountain. When completed, the garden and shrine will be a loving tribute to our Beloved Mataji, a devotion-filled place for devotees to gather and contemplate in a peaceful, beautiful setting.

By His Grace, after being mostly closed in 2020 and 2021, during 2022 the ashram reopened on the weekends and for some weekdays. It is





so fulfilling to host devotees for prayer, darshan and Chalisas again, and to feed those who come on the weekends, which have become very full, with upwards of 200, or even 300, visitors coming each day! Sharing in their joy of coming to the ashram and

receiving prasad lunch has been a meaningful experience for the caretakers and sevaks.

The ashram has been fortunate to welcome four devotees to its full-time staff in the last year. Adding them to the existing staff means that the ashram can prepare to be open more often in the coming

months to serve Maharaj-ji's devotees with joy and love. The current staff consists of Chad Budkoski, Manager; Joe Kastelic, Kitchen Manager; Ganesh das Patton, Puja Dukan Manager; Tara Danon Office Manager; and Dylan Hanneman, Farm Manager. The four new members of Baba's team are Max Delaney, VirKaur Khalsa, Mathew Meci, Anahata Klutinoty and Ky Huber.

The ashram staff and board of directors look forward to welcoming all of Maharaj-ji's and Hanuman-ji's devotees back to the ashram during this coming year.

By His Grace, may it be a healthy and joy filled year.

In His Service,
Hanuman das



Sri Siddhi Ma ~ The Story of Neem Karoli Baba's Spiritual Legacy

by Jaya Prasad



Journey into the hidden world of Sri Siddhi Ma and her closest companions in this intimate writing by Jaya Prasada. Published by Penguin Random House India in 2022, this 256-page narrative by Prasada unveils the details of her life with Sri Siddhi Ma, Chhoti Ma (Sri Jivanti Mataji), and the circle of Mas that served Maharaj-ji for so many years in Kainchi, Vrindavan, and Rishikesh Ashrams. The story is enhanced with photographs of Ma from her earliest years until her final resting place in Kainchi Ashram. Through careful

reading of the book, the reader may gradually come to understand the special relationship which develops between guru and devotee and to even taste the nectar of that blessed flowering. The following excerpted story from the book illustrates the power of such a relationship.

“In the forest we saw from a distance a man lying under a tree. Wrapped in a length of tattered tarp, he had almost blended into the floor of the forest. As we neared him, he roused himself and asked a person who was passing by for a cigarette. When given one, he took two drags of it and gave it back. Someone called out to us that there was a mad man under a tree, and that we should be careful. Ma shook her head and whispered, 'yeh pagal nahi hain.' (He is not mad).

As we drew close, we saw the figure lying still again, amidst the heaps of twigs and leaves. Quietly, Ma sat down beside him. I stood by in silence. She kept looking up at the sky. Slowly, the figure moved and sat up facing Ma. He had no clothing on his body and had covered himself with the rag. Ma spoke to him in a very soft voice, and he seemed to be answering her. Their conversation lasted a minute or two.

I had with me two apples for Ma. Taking these from me, Ma placed them gently in front of him. I was also carrying with me some singals, a donut-like preparation made in the Kumaon. Ma took a handful of these and placed them on a leaf nearby. After a moment, she picked one or two and giving them to me, said, 'Yeh yaha n ka prasad hai. Isko yaheen khaa le.' (This is prasad from this place. Eat it here right now.)

The man covered himself with his rag and lay down again. But this time his feet were not covered. Ma offered pranaam, and then said to me 'Charnon ki photo le le'. (Take a photo of his feet.)

Those were the days of analog cameras and printing photos took time. When I received the prints nearly a month later, the man's feet were identical to those of Baba Maharaj."

Jai Sri Siddhi Ma ki Jai!

~ Sri Siddhi Ma: The Story of Neem Karoli Baba's Spiritual Legacy is available from the Puja Dukan at the ashram or online.~



Brilliant Disguise The Samadhi of K.C. Tewari

A must-see film available at ramdass.org, Love Serve Remember Foundation
"This film is the story of a man who represents the intrinsic potential in all human beings to live in direct contact with the Divine Presence. K.C. chose to live within the humble disguise of a husband and schoolteacher. The brilliance is K.C.'s ability at a moment's notice to go beyond himself into sublime states of consciousness."



*Remembering
Beloveds*



Remembering Ravi Prasad Khanna



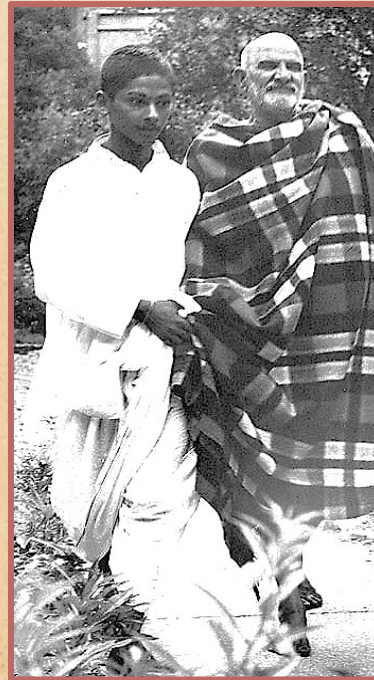
Ravi Prasad Khanna passed away peacefully on September 24, 2022, at Brigham and Women's Hospital in Boston while surrounded by family. Ravi is survived by his wife Shirley and his former wife Lisa; five children, Anjali, Shyam, Asha, Quinn, and Priya; six grandchildren; and his sisters Alka, Shobha, and Pratima.

He was born in 1953 in Lucknow, India, to Sukdev Prasad and Savitri Devi Khanna and raised in Benaras, where he attended Sherwood College. He worked briefly at a restaurant in Sarnath before leaving home to travel around India and Nepal. In 1972, he became a translator for Neem Karoli Baba, Maharajji, who had blessed him years before,

when he was still in his mother's womb. Maharajji's instructions to "love everyone and feed everyone" would chart the course for Ravi's life.

Ravi was not only a good translator for Maharajji. He became his personal assistant. Maharajji called Ravi his son. He traveled with him. Ravi lived at the ashram. He was on Maharajji's last journey with him.

Ravi's first visit to the United States was in 1974. He stayed with satsang for the first summer of Naropa University, where Ram Dass was teaching the Bhagavad Gita. In 1977, at the age of 23, he moved to the United States, settling down first in Cambridge, Massachusetts. There he was the shipping manager at Illuminations, Inc, a successful design and gift company founded by Maharajji devotees Mirabai and Krishna Bush, where he was known by of coworkers as "the best manager ever," and he married Mirabai's



niece, Lisa Wilson. They moved to Ann Arbor, Michigan, when Ravi became the outreach coordinator at the Seva Foundation, also founded by Maharaj-ji devotees, including Larry and Girija Brilliant and Ram Dass. Seva worked to eradicate blindness in India and Nepal. Later, at Oxfam America in Boston, he was the information coordinator for famine relief in Africa. While at Oxfam, he organized a campaign to deliver agricultural supplies to Nicaragua during the US embargo that followed the revolution there. He then settled in Amherst,

Massachusetts in 1989, where he worked for the Peace Development Fund, before moving to the Boston-area in the 2010s, where he met and married Shirley Dorai.

Ravi worked, consulted, and served on boards of many other progressive organizations, including Haymarket People's Fund, 1world communication, Grassroots International, PHENOM, Resist, and Solidare. He founded a news and opinion website foregrounding the perspectives of activists in the Global South. He also produced documentaries on child labor in India, the war on drugs in Colombia, and the water wars in Bolivia.

Ravi left a mark on nearly everyone he met. He is remembered as a loving husband and brother, proud father and grandfather, committed activist, and an exceptional cook who loved to feed people, including the hundreds who came to Bandara in Western

Massachusetts every year. His son Shyam is a social justice activist and journalist, and his daughter Asha works as a physician's assistant, serving in health care. Ravi was generous, perhaps to a fault, and rarely passed judgment on others. He traveled widely and remained curious about the world.

There are perhaps no more fitting words of tribute to Ravi than his own. He described his life as --
"the story of my many lifetimes of adventures, experiences, moments of pure joy. There is a mischievous little boy, always getting into trouble, being punished, getting into trouble again. It seemed everything I thought was fun was trouble. A scared young boy, living on the streets in India, mistreated and abused, angry and mistrusting of the world. A young man on a spiritual journey saved by a spiritual teacher, Maharajji, who had blessed me in my mother's womb before I was born. He taught me to trust and love again and to serve.

"Moving to the U.S., it didn't take long to realize I had moved into the belly of the beast rapidly devouring life on earth. I had a new purpose – an educator, an organizer, an activist, a traveler, a storyteller, a documentary maker. I feel like I have lived several lifetimes in my 68 years....

"I am now an elder in my family. The oldest, after the passing of my parents and two older siblings. I am a

husband, a father, a nana (maternal grandfather), a mama (maternal uncle), chacha (paternal uncle). The elder of a big family here in the U.S., and in India.”

Describing his life’s work, Ravi added:

“There is no heaven; this is it, We need to make this a heaven for everyone.

Service is the highest form of spirituality. Above all else, this is what I believe my work on this world to be. It is something I check myself against regularly. If I become uncertain about what I am doing or planning to do, I ask myself, will this contribute to making a heaven for everyone? It is a way to keep myself accountable.”

Ravi’s legacy will live in our hearts and in the work that was so dear to him – service in order to make this world a heaven for everyone.

Excerpt from Ravi in *Love Everyone* by Parvati Markus

After Maharajji passed away, it was in the papers all over India, and my name was mentioned because I was the one with him. My family hadn’t known where I was, because I hadn’t kept in touch with them. They came to get me in Vrindavan, so I went home for a little while.

My father grew up in Lucknow, and I was born there. My mother told me that my father was good friends with the Malhotras in Lucknow, who built the

Lucknow temple. Malhotra was the main family that Maharajji used to stay with there. My family wasn’t particularly into Maharajji. My father would go to see him at the Malhotras’ only when he needed some help.

Apparently, Maharajji showed up at our house one day, for the first, and only time, and said, “Feed me.” People came to visit him, and then he left. At that time my mother was pregnant with me. Innocent, he had gone to my parents’ home and “reserved” me: “This one is mine.” My parents had no connection with Maharajji after that one visit.



Remembering Prema Michau

Nov. 14, 1968 – Dec. 7, 2022



Beloved Prema loved being with animals. Unfortunately, she sustained an injury from a bull she was taking care of and died from sepsis from the wound.

Deep condolences to her bereaved parents Judy and Don Michau, her sisters Lori and Celia, her brother-in-law Dipak, and niece Kavita.

We are grateful for Prema (the perfect name from Sri Siddhi Ma). We will miss her presence and remember her beauty, friendship, devotion and sadhana, helpfulness, service to plants, animals and humans, and her impeccable seva for Sri Siddhi Ma and Neem Karoli Baba Maharaj.

Many of us were lucky to know her as a friend and guru sister; others might have just had a moment with her as she facilitated darshan in Kainchi or other Ma Maharajji abodes or delivered prasad or a passing smile.

Together we learned the Hanuman Chalisa, played mridanga, tried to figure out Kainchi prasad recipes, and most importantly believed deeply in the power of prayer. She was integral to the printing of transliterations of temple prayers we depend on for our practice. She stands out as a rare being who knew what a person needed before they knew, and then provided for that need without waiting to be asked. But perhaps most of all she's remembered for the boundless love and protection she showered on the endless animals that were discarded, injured and hungry.

She did so much for so many, selflessly, and this world was a better, kinder place with her in it. She will be deeply missed. We send her out of this incarnation with flowers, prayers, and a vegan ice cream cone.

With love, Nina Rao and Lalita Taylor



Remembering Ganga Marlene Roeder Passed Away April 23, 2022

It's impossible to share memories about Ganga without including her lifelong partner of more than 65 years, Yamuna (Jo Ann Baughan), who passed on just weeks before Ganga with Ganga by her side. They were inseparable, the "River Sisters" as friends lovingly called them. Sri Siddhi Ma had given them the names of Ganga (Marlene) and Yamuna (Jo Anne,) telling them like the rivers they would flow together for eternity.

The River Sisters met at University in Chicago; both took careers focused on social welfare and justice reform. Living in teepees, off grid mountain cabins, Himalayan temples, in Marin county or Ft Bragg, the River Sisters lived a life well-loved. They were each groundbreaking women. Yamuna spent part of the 1950s in the US military and was based in Europe. Ganga worked as an assistant to a highly respected Harvard professor and leading legal figure in the Watergate trial.

Shortly after hearing Ram Dass talk in the mid-seventies, their lives would change totally: leaving jobs and moving, they would spend the next 25 years as his assistants, supporting his work and continuing to operate the Ram Dass Tape Library. After his stroke, Ram Dass moved to Maui in

the early 2000s and the river sisters moved to India where they spent many years with Sri Siddhi Ma and visited ancient sites.

I feel blessed having such friends who I saw as true Gopi's, Pure Lovers of God! Full of life, love, joy, laughter and elegance! I will miss them for eternity but have no doubt we will meet again and again!



Remembering from Ganga's Sister

I had the good karma to be Marlene's younger sister. She was my guide and mentor all our lives.

Marlene lived her life as she wanted and when she awoke to her higher self, she walked her Spiritual Path with unparalleled intelligence and exemplary service, touching

touching thousands of lives through her work with Ram Dass and the Ram Dass Tape Library. She called Sri Siddhi Ma her Mother and Guru and she, along with her lifelong companion JoAnne, received their spiritual names from Ma: Ganga and Yamuna, the River Sisters. They were also given a precious promise from Ma that they would be with her in their next lifetime. What a high, beautiful soul whose last words were, "I love you too." I miss her. ~ Carolyn Behnke (Kausalya)

Ganga's Great Niece Remembers

I've grappled with how to approach a brief summary of my great-aunt, such a multi-faceted being who enriched so many lives, including my own. Marlene was a vibrant and complex person, and I'm blessed to have a file cabinet of precious memories of her and Auntie Jo.

Marlene fulfilled her life of service in every way imaginable. If I had to pick something that I admire most about Marlene, it would be her passion to serve the disadvantaged. In her incredible repertoire of roles, she shed light on unjust practices in the mental health realm, served the ACLU to reduce socio-economic disparities, and of course, served a large community of satsang to better understand and receive the teachings of Ram Dass.

I'll close with our eternal connection: stemming from Mount Kalinda, the Yamuna river meets its twin, Ganga, and they flow beside each other into the sunset.

A Friend of Forty Years Remembers Ganga Ma

Our friendship spanned more than forty years and grew closer with time. We talked several times a week and our conversations were always caring, deep and meaningful. Her spiritual consciousness and perceptions always up-leveled everything. We shared our inmost secrets.

Ganga Ma was devoted! She was devoted to her partner, Yamuna, JoAnne Baughan, to Siddhi Ma, Maharaj-ji, Hanuman, Ram Dass, and to her family and friends. Her laugh was like sunshine on a cloudy day. Ganga Ma was a gift to this world. I miss her every day.



Remembering Robert Rogers



Bob was just a great guy. Most of what people say about him is, “Yeah, Bob never said much, but he always left a little piece of candy on your desk to sweeten your day.” He knew I didn’t want candy and sugar, so I always got little packages of seaweed! He had a huge stash of candy, which he distributed regularly. One day he told me where to get the really good marmalade oranges so I could make bitter orange marmalade, which he knew I loved. And I did. I made a bunch of it and brought it to work to share with my co-workers.

He was just full of love. Quiet peaceful love. Another time, he said, in response to my ranting about some issue, “Hey, it’s supposed to be Paradise on Earth.” Something shifted inside of me when he said that. And he brought the Ram Dass book to work one day, just to show me. We talked about prayer and meditation sometimes too. He told me I could go to the Ashram in Taos, just to renew or kindle my spirit. He left too soon.



Treasurer's Report

As we enter 2023, we are pleased to report that, overall, the Neem Karoli Baba Ashram is on solid financial ground. Donations were strong in 2022, and as always, we are grateful for your donations of both time and money.

Because of short-term needs, however, expenses were higher in 2022 than donations, which created a net loss for the ashram in 2022. Expenses increased because we added back staff after the pandemic, and we also raised staff salaries to the New Mexico minimum-wage level. As a result, 2022 staff costs were 97% higher over 2021 staff costs.

Additional notable expenses included the combination of the Guru Purnima festival with the commemorative celebration of the lives of Ram Dass and K. K. Sah, and the internment of Ram Dass's ashes.

For further explanation of this report, please contact chrisjaneczko@nkbashram.org.

Respectfully submitted,
Chris Janeczko
Treasurer
Board of Directors
January 4, 2023

2022 Profit and Loss

NEEM KAROLI BABA ASHRAM AND HANUMAN TEMPLE

PROFIT AND LOSS STATEMENT

JANUARY 1, 2022 - DECEMBER 31, 2022

INCOME:		
AUCTION	\$9,470	
DONATIONS	577,540	
FESTIVALS	7,307	
HOUSE RENT	6,340	
MISCELLANEOUS	567	
PUJAN DUKAN	171,641	
	TOTAL INCOME	\$772,865
EXPENSES:		
AGRICULTURE	30,396	
AUTOMOBILE	1,535	
BOARD	3,827	
CHARITABLE CONTRIB.	27,051	
EQUIPMENT	4,111	
FESTIVALS	39,858	
FUNDRAISING	728	
GROCERIES	51,321	
HOUSE- BADRI, MAINT.	3,238	
INSURANCE	13,648	
MISCELLANEOUS	1,219	
NEWSLETTER	14,897	
OFFICE	8,558	
PROFESSIONAL FEES	7,907	
PROJECTS	171,615	
PUJA DUKAN	115,790	
REPAIRS & MAINT.	39,607	
SERVICE CHARGES	4,806	
STAFF	178,584	
SUPPLIES	32,026	
TEMPLE	5,049	
TOOLS	1,031	
UTILITIES	31,406	
	TOTAL EXPENSES	788,208
	NET PROFIT/(LOSS)	(\$15,343)

Wish List



For devotees who wish to contribute for specific projects and items, please see the following list. You can also visit the ashram website on the *Giving* page to see a more comprehensive list which is updated over time.

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421 Geronimo Lane Staff House

- ▣ Bathroom Expansion-\$110
- ▣ Insulate Bathroom-\$600
- ▣ Bathtub and Enclosure-\$900
- ▣ Plumbing and Installation-\$800
- ▣ Mudroom Addition-\$1400
- ▣ New Studio Door/Threshold-\$1000
- ▣ Remove Partition Wall, Install Dry Wall, Insulate, Paint- \$2800

415 La Lomita Lane Staff House

- ▣ Replace Roof on Carport - \$7000

Sri Siddhi Ma Memorial Garden

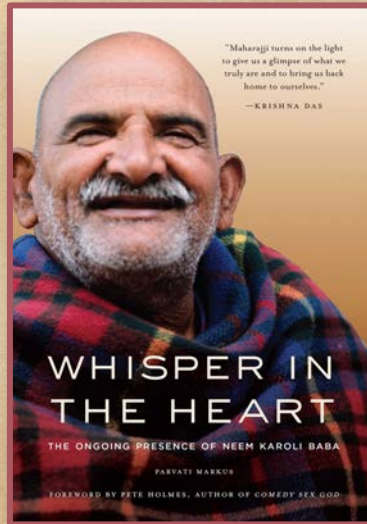
- ▣ Perennial Flowering Shrubs 50 @ \$50 = \$2500
- ▣ Trees 20 @ \$250 = \$5000
- ▣ Landscape Material and Soil Amendments-\$5000
- ▣ Perennial Plants and Bulbs-\$4000
- ▣ Landscape Labor-\$5000

Donations for partial funding to the projects will be applied toward the designated project.

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Whisper in the Heart ~ The Ongoing Presence of Neem Karoli Baba

by Parvati Markus



Some words about the book:

~ For many of us who didn't have the good fortune of being with Maharajji in the physical body, it is the stories that bring us his presence and love. We are always thirsty for the devotees' memories and

stories of him, and this book is yet another well of grace to quench our hearts.

~Trevor Hall

~ Years ago, after hearing me complain about not having the sort of karma that allows you to meet a being like Maharajji in person, Krishna Das put his hand on my shoulder and said, "The Longing is the grace." This book will fill you up with that kind of grace. Stories of the Maharajji are somehow more important than just stories. They reach through time and allow you to taste of the sweetness that drew so many people to India just to spend a few moments at his feet.

~ Duncan Russell

An excerpt from the book:

Dr. Ronald A. Alexander

In 1972 I was researching *kundalini* (the dormant force of spiritual energy) yoga and mindfulness meditation with the Veterans Hospital in Topeka, Kansas, and the Menninger Clinic. Dr. Green, who was doing meditation and biofeedback research, told me to look up Dan Goleman* at Harvard University. After spending an afternoon at his lab, I invited Dan to speak at the University of Massachusetts on the Tibetan "wheel of birth and death" and on meditation. Dan stayed at the farmhouse I was renting and twice each day we practiced mindfulness for forty-five minutes. He put up several

wonderful pictures of Maharajji. My heart felt a craving to meet Neem Karoli Baba, as Dan shared so many stories of Ram Dass and that first group of Westerners who found Maharajji. I said, "I must go meet him!" But at that time, I had very little money, so I had to wait.

In 1973 I co-sponsored a conference at Amherst College and invited Ram Dass, along with other speakers in the field of consciousness studies. I was thrilled to hear Ram Dass share his personal story of meeting Maharajji. Sometime later, I asked Ram Dass how I could meet Maharajji. He said that Maharajji had left his body, but you could

meet him through your heart. I was devastated that I could not meet Maharajji in person.

Over the next 17 years, I meditated on Maharajji's photo daily. In July of 1989, I was deep in sleep when I was awakened by hearing Maharajji's voice, in English not Hindi, saying, "Wake up! You must awaken." The clock read 3:20 a.m. I could see the stars through the skylight. I looked at the foot of my bed and there was a miniature-sized Maharajji in the etheric tones of deep purple and blue. I was aghast! I thought I was dreaming, then he said, "Look again at the clock. It's 3:22. You are awake and not dreaming."

I started to tell him how disappointed I was that I didn't meet him when Ram Dass, Danny Goleman, and Krishna Das all got to be with him in India. He started to yell, "WAKE UP, WAKE UP! It's now time to be with me. You must stay awake now and serve everyone. I haven't gone anywhere. I left that physical form and returned to the source. Keep your heart open, especially during difficult times, and deepen into the love."

That September I attended the ten-day meditation retreat in France with Ram Dass called the "Advanced Course." When I had one-on-one time with Ram Dass, I asked him why Maharajji showed up in the etheric and not in the physical. Ram Dass laughed and said, "You guys who receive him in

the etheric must have a greater faith than we did, as we needed to experience him in the body." I felt special for a moment, then Ram Dass immediately added, "Now don't let that get to your ego. How you meet Maharajji does not matter. Just keep opening and practice 'nobody' meditation."

*Dan Goleman (named Jagganath Das by Maharajji) is an author and science journalist who wrote the book *Emotional Intelligence* (among others) and has twice been nominated for a Pulitzer Prize.



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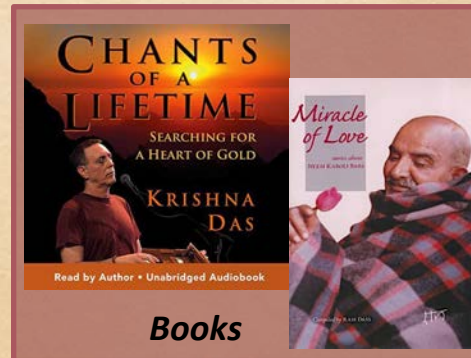
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Sri Neem Karoli Baba Ashram and
Hanuman Mandir
2023 Festival Dates



Hanuman Jayanthi –

Friday, March 31 - Saturday, April 1

Guru Purnima - Sunday, July 2 - Monday, July 3

Mahasamadhi Bhandara –

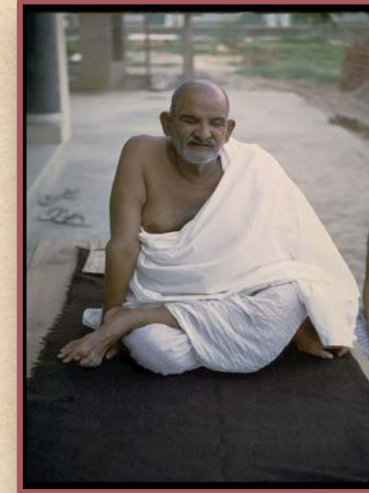
Friday, September 22 - Sunday, September 24

Navaratri - Sunday, October 15 - Tuesday, October 24

Navaratri is a 9-night celebration and Kumari Puja is observed on the 10th night

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Celebrate the 50th Anniversary of
Sri Neem Karoli Baba Maharaj-ji's
Mahasamadhi



The year 2023 marks the 50th anniversary of Sri Neem Karoli Baba Maharaj-ji's Mahasamadhi.

Join us in a celebration

***Friday, September 22 through
Sunday, September 24***

There will be pujas, fire ceremony,
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