

Accomplishment of 2010 Four days Adhyatmic Seminar at Los Angeles, CA (May 28 – 31, 2010) And Announcement of 2011 Seminar at College Park, Maryland (May 27 – 30, 2011)

Four days Adhyatmic Shibir (May 28 - 31, 2010) on event of 121th Janma Jayanti of Gurudev Shri Kanji Swami was accomplished with grand success. Jain Swadhyay Mandir Songadh in USA, a Non-Profit Tax Exempt Religious Organization, arranged the event. Venue was Jain Center of S. California, Buena Park, CA. More than 200 Mumukshus from North America and Switzerland participated with great enthusiasm.

Four Days Adhyatmic Seminar at Los Angeles, CA was launched by JAINA President: Lataben Champsee. She specially flew from Toronto, Canada to perform this ceremony. We are indebted to her for such kind gesture.

Eminent Scholars: Rajendra Kamdar from Rajkot, India, Dr. Rameshbhai Parekh from Surat, India and other Scholars from USA conducted the four days Adhyatmic seminar. Main subjects of four days workshop were Pravachansar, "How to reach path of Moksha", Seventh Chapter of Mokh Marg Prakashak, Chhah Dhala and more subjects. Guest of Honor was Shri Pawan Kumarji Jain of Mangalayatan, India.

Besides whole-day busy workshop, Jinendra Pooja / Gurudev CD pravachan / Question Answer Sessions / Prayers & Vadhamana to Gurudev were included during the four days program.

Shri Anilbhai / Kalpanaben Shah of Pomona, CA sponsored the Event. This couple's devotion towards Dev Shasta Guru is exemplary. Kalpanaben is helping to publish our News Letter "Atma-Darshan" since many years. She also helps to email event information and publicity of the organization. This couple was instrumental to organize such event on West Coast for the first time.

USA Scholars Rajnibhai Gosalia, Nitinbhai Bhimani and Dr. Kiritbhai Gosalia did Swadhyay also for the benefit of participants.

All the participants were presented with a big bag containing about 20 pieces of DVDs / CDs / Books. Dr. Panna Varia from Wisconsin presented Moksh Marg Prakashak Book to each participant.

Also, sets of 16 pcs of DVD-MP3 containing more than 9000 pravachans of Gurudev were made available to participants at subsidized cost.

To view glimpses of this grand event, please click on the following Link. http://picasaweb.google.com/hasmukh33/Gurudev121stJanama Javanti#

This Organization is arranging four days seminar at different places in North America on occasion of Gurudev Janma Jayanti during Memorial long Week End every year. For more information visit our web site: WWW.ATMA-DARSHAN.ORG

ANNOUNCEMENT

Pujya Gurudev Shri Kanji Swami's 122nd Janma Jayanti and Four Days Adhyatmic Seminar at College Park, Maryland (From May 27 to 30, 2011).

With great pleasure, we are happy to announce that Jain Swadhyay Mandir Songadh in USA has organized Four days Adhyatmic Seminar while celebrating above Event during Memorial Long Week Ends From Friday 05-27-2011 to Monday 05-30-2011.

Event is sponsored by Talakbhai / Ranjanaben Shah of Rockville, MD. This couple has been participating all past Seminars every year. Their devotion towards Dev Shastra Guru is laudable. During this four days of Adhyatmic Seminar, we have planned Adhyatmic lecture series by invited Eminent Scholars, Pooja, Gurudev's CD tape Pravachans, "Janm Vadhamana" - celebration, Gyan Gosthi and Dev-Guru Bhakti.

Jain Swadhyay Mandir Songadh (JSMS) in USA

Warmly invites you all to participate this auspicious occasion. Please plan to attend and take advantage of this Grand celebration and Adhyatmic Swdhayay by the eminent Scholars. Venue of program is as under:

Quality Inn & Suites 7200 Baltimore Avenue, College Park, Maryland 20740 Phone: 301-276-1000 / Fax: 301-276-1111 Hotel web site: http://www.gualityinn.com/hotel-college park-maryland-MD021

Three Ways to Register *******

1. Lodging and Boarding both: (Includes 3 nights hotel and all the meals)

\$121.00 per person (\$242.00 for two persons) (Room: double occupancy) For One person only, we shall accommodate another person in a room.

If you do not want to share with anyone and want to stay alone in a room \$195.00 for single person in a Room.

Children age 14 and under staying in parent's room are totally free of charge.

<u>2. Lodging (All meals only - No Hotel)</u> <u>OR Local Participants</u> (Includes all meals from Friday evening to Monday afternoon)

If you have any friends or family nearby and wish stay at their home, but want to attend all the programs:

\$75.00 per Person - for all the meals, May 27 to May 30, 2011.

3. Lodging (Meals Per Day) Local Participants

If you want to attend just one or two select days: Saturday OR Sunday - \$25.00 Per Person Per Day Friday OR Monday - \$15.00 Per Day

Please note:

Registration with fee is required for people who ever needs lodging (meals) and boarding (hotel) & only meals for four days for local participants.

Accommodation for out of town guests

Please visit above web site of Hotel to know about amenities available in Hotel and also map / direction from Baltimore BWI Airport or National Airport, DCA.

If you need a ride from airport to Hotel and back to airport, please let us know your arrival and departure timings / flight information & dates in advance by email or telephone while submitting your Registration Form.

Reception at the Hotel (Friday May 27, 2011 between 3-00pm to 6-00pm in Hotel Lobby) Before this please make sure to mail in your attached registration form with check before the due date: March 20, 2011.

We have limited Rooms available with this offer of \$121.00 which includes lodging boarding for all the days event. As such First come First served will the criterion

Please try to make your airline reservation to two closet airports: Baltimore BWI or National Airport DCA

If you are driving from out of town, please try to arrive at the hotel during the reception time between 3.00 PM to 6.00 PM on 05/27/2011.

Lodging (Meals) All the programs are arranged in a spacious Hall of Hotel.

Friday night: Dinner, Saturday - Breakfast, Lunch, afternoon tea & Dinner Sunday - Breakfast, Lunch, afternoon tea & Dinner Monday – Brunch

All registered Guests will be provided with Wrist band and a name ID Badge. A detailed time table of the program will be published at a later date.

Please mail in your Registration Form with check in favor of: "Jain Swadhyay Mandir Songadh" before March 20, 2011 at following address:

Samir Shah 16218 Muirfield Dive Odessa, Florida 33556 Phone: 813-649-8979

Registration Form is attached with this News Letter. Please fill out completely and send with appropriate check as soon as possible at the above Address.

Membership for JSMS

Jain Swadhyay Mandir Songadh (JSMS) is USA based organization. JSMS is a non-profit tax exempt religious organization ID # 36-4068758.

Brief of introduction of JSMS is as Follows:

JSMS was started in a humble way by a Mumukshu as solo work during 1992 and it was formally registered as Non-Profit religious organization with Federal Government during 1996.

Gurudev Shri Kanji Swami was instrumental in starting a new revolution in the percept and practice of Jainism as envisaged by Bhagwan Mahavir and his predecessors.

Sole aim of this Mission (JSMS) is to pervade this Tatvagyan among desirous Mumukshus in North America.

Since last ten years, every year we organize four days Seminar while celebrating Gurudev Janma Jayanti at different places in North America (during Memorial week-ends). We invite eminent scholars from India and also local scholars to conduct the seminar.

Scholars are also invited to help celebrate Das Laxan Parva and conducting classes at various Jain Centers. JSMS provide all Adhyatmic literature, CDs of Gurudev Pravachans on all scriptures, Atmadharma monthly, Atma-darshan bimonthly, gift of books written by eminent scholars.

We shall consider our efforts aptly rewarded, if even a few people are encouraged from activity of this mission to direct their lives on the right path to achieve real happiness.

If you are still not a member of JSMS, we urge you to become a member by filling out the attached form and send in just \$101.00 for membership..

As a member, you will receive Atma Dharma, a monthly magazine (Gujarati or Hindi) published from Songadh, India, free of charge.

You will also receive Atma-Darshan (once every three months) news letter published (in English) and mailed in USA. This News Letter contains news about our all activities, upcoming events and information about Scholars' visit / program. Members are also occasionally gifted books written by eminent scholars from India.

Please visit JSMS official web site for detailed information about this Organization. www.atma-darshan.org

For JSMS Washington DC chapter Contact: Devang Kamdar. Email: <u>devang22@yahoo.com</u>

For further information, please contact: Samir Shah (813-649-8979), Devang Kamdar (301-421-1806).

Data Base for Brighter Future

Special Request to all: We are creating a vast data base of all the Mumukshu in North Amrerica and we need your help.

If you have any friends or family who has not received this email from JSMS, please feel free to forward to them. Also, with their consent, please inform us about their full name (including spouse), their address & phone # and their email address. We thank you for your support and cooperation.

For further information, please contact: email: JsmsUSA@gmail.com or hasmukh33@yahoo.com

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122nd Janm Jayanti of Gurudev Shri Kanji Swami / Four Days ADHYATMIC Seminar at College Park, Maryland May 27 – 30, 2011 **Registration Form**

| Name + Spouse name + Children names with age | Tel # Mobile | Tel # Home |
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Email address: _____ Spouse email: _____

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| Arrival | | | | Yes / No |
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| Departure | | | | Yes / No |
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Registration Fee – For 3 nights hotel & 4 days of meals/ breakfast:

1. For two persons in one room = $121.00 (1^{st} Person) + 121.00 (2^{nd} Person)$ 2. For only one person (not couple) in one room = \$195.00 Children under 14 years of age are free, if they stay in parent's room.

Registration Fee - For Only All Meals participants: \$70.00 person – for all 4 days of meals.

(Registration form must be filled out and appropriate fee must be sent by both type of registration.)

The Donation to cover expenses for visiting Scholar will be voluntary.

Please make check payable to: "Jain Swadhyay Mandir Songadh"

and mail to: Samir Shah, 16218 Muirfield Drive, Odessa, Florida 33556

(Phone: 813-649-8979)

Deadline for mailing Registration form & fees is March, 20th 2011.

Your timely action in mailing this form with the check will help us organize the programs in a better way.

I understand that coordinators of this seminar/event will not be responsible for any unforeseen incident/accident.

Signature:

Date: