

DIVYA JYOTI

THE DIVINE LIGHT

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"I am the LIGHT of the World."

NEWSLETTER

-THANKSGIVING-

EDITORIAL

"Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. (Lk. 17:15-16)

Thankfulness is foundational to the Christian life. Thankfulness is a conscious response that comes from looking beyond our blessings to their source. As Christians, we have been forgiven, saved from death, and adopted as God's children. There could be no better reason for a grateful heart!

Lepers in Jesus' day were social outcasts. Their highly contagious condition ostracized them from those they loved. When ten lepers encountered Jesus, they desperately implored Him to show them mercy. Jesus sent them to the priest. As they obeyed, they were healed! Imagine what restrained joy must have filled them as they ran back home again!

One of the lepers, a Samaritan, stopped and ran back to thank Jesus. Samaritans were normally shunned by the Jews, but Jesus had healed him! Jesus asked him, "Where are the others?" Ten lepers had been healed. Ten lepers were revelling in their newfound health. But only one considered the Source of that blessing and stopped to thank and worship the One who had given him back his life.

We, too, have been healed and made whole by the Saviour. We are free to enjoy the abundant life the Saviour has graciously given us. Could we, like the nine lepers, rush off so quickly to glory in our blessings without stopping to thank our Redeemer? God looks for our thanks. Our worship, prayers, service, and daily life ought to be sustained with thanksgiving to God. **(Phil. 4:6)** As Jesus said the prayer of thanks to His Father before asking for anything, let us thank God for every grace and gift that we have obtained, especially during the last year through His mercy and love, before keeping our needs before Him.

OVER 10,000 GATHER TO CELEBRATE CHRISTMAS AT JEEVAN DHAM

A massive crowd gathered at St. Anthony's School Ground, Sec-9, Faridabad on December 25, 2005 to celebrate with joy the birth of their Saviour. After the

proclamation of the Word, the melodious Christmas Carols sung by the choir washed over the ground, and the people were distributed packets of halwa-poori

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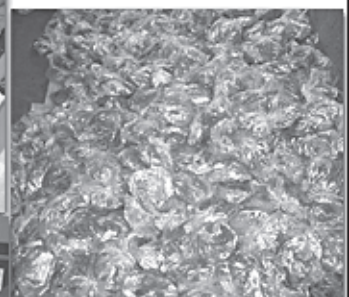


THE GLEAMING CHRISTMAS STAR



PACKING (POORI-HALWA) ON THE GO...

2005 CHRISTMAS CELEBRATIONS AT JEEVAN DHAM



A BIG HEAP OF POORI-HALWA PACKETS



TAKING OUT THE DELICIOUS HALWA...



JEEVAN DHAM - ALL SET FOR CHRISTMAS



TREE 2005



THE CHRISTMAS CHOIR (on the left) AND THE SANTA WISHING ALL A JOYOUS CHRISTMAS!

Jesus says, "...whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all." (Mark 10:44)

COUNTLESS INCREDIBLE MIRACLES OF THE LIVING GOD AT JEEVAN DHAM

Jesus says, "I am the **WAY**, and the **TRUTH**, and the **LIFE**. No one comes to the Father except through me." (John 14:6)

MAJOR HEALINGS AND BLESSINGS:

- ❖ Deadly diseases like Cancer, Brain Haemorrhage, Tumour, T.B., Dengue et al healed
- ❖ Skin diseases like Eczema, Leprosy, Leucoderma (White spots), Allergies etc. cured
- ❖ The dumb, deaf and blind by birth gifted with the power of speech, hearing and sight
- ❖ The childless couples gifted with a child through the Word and grace of God
- ❖ Freedom obtained from addictions to alcohol, cigarettes, drugs et al
- ❖ The lame, the crippled and the bedridden walk without any support
- ❖ Eunuchs turn in to a girl/boy through the power of the Word of God
- ❖ Freedom obtained from possession by evil spirits
- ❖ Believers receive the gifts of the Holy Spirit
- ❖ The dead raised back to life miraculously
- ❖ Mentally handicapped healed, depression eliminated
- ❖ The unemployed get a good job, financial problems solved
- ❖ Family problems and quarrels end, love and peace restored
- ❖ The illiterate gifted with the wisdom to read and write

Jesus says, "For mortals it is impossible, but for God all things are possible." (Matthew 19:26)

SUNDAY PRAYER HEALINGS; Group photos indicate testimonials given on the same Sunday

They left their walking sticks!

They got the power to hear despite their broken ear-drums

The blind got the gift of sight!

Dead boy raised back to LIFE!

They all got freedom from addiction to alcohol & smoking

The Precious Blood of our Lord fell on the congregation! (photo above taken on 28 August, below on 4 Sept. 2005- Sundays)

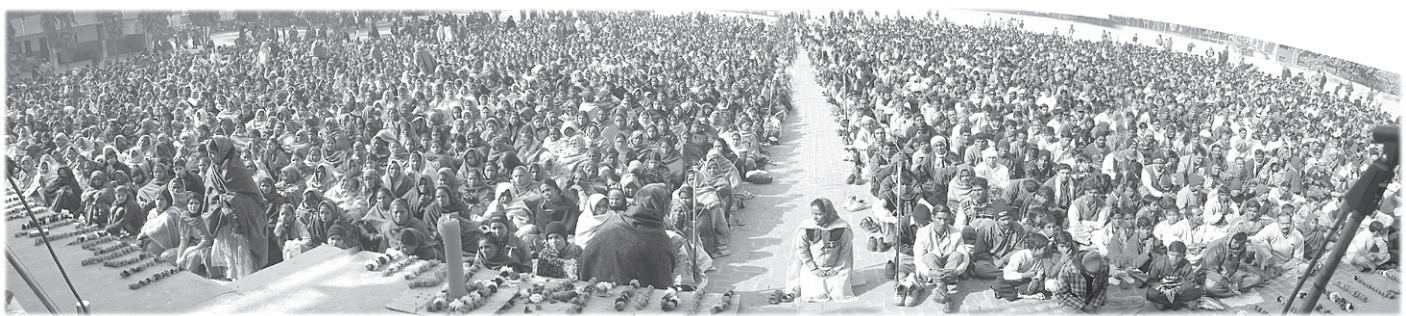
They all got the gift of a child from God!

24 & 9(above): written in the blood of our Lord!

Above Eunuchs turned into girls through God's Word!

Crippled by Polio...now stands up!

Gifted with wisdom, these illiterate men can now read and write!



The picture shows the crowd (exceeding 10,000) gathered to celebrate Christmas on Sunday December 25, 2005

Prayer venue : St. Anthony's School ground, Sec-9, Faridabad. Every Sunday from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

BIBLE QUIZ!

XXI. JOURNEYS OUTSIDE GALILEE Chapters 8-10

You have to fill-up the blanks in the following verses after finding them in the Gospel of Mark, (taken from Chs. 8-10) dealing with the Galilean ministry of Jesus:

- i) 'Keep your eyes open; look out for the yeast of the _____ and the yeast of _____.'
- ii) "Many who are first will be _____, and the _____, first."
- iii) "Why do the scribes say that _____ must come first."
- iv) "_____ and his disciples left for the villages round _____."
- v) "I can see _____; they look like _____ as they walk around."
- vi) "Can you drink the _____ that I shall drink, or be baptised with the _____ with which I shall be _____."
- vii) "Get behind me, Satan! You are thinking not as _____ thinks, but as _____ beings do."

Answers to Last month's Quiz

XX. THE DIVINE SIDE OF JESUS

- i. 1:22 - a) in (C); ii. 1:27 - a) in (C);
- iii. 2:12 - a) in (C); iv. 4:41 - b) in (D);
- v. 5:15 - b) in (C); vi. 5:42 - a) in (C);
- vii. 6:2 - a) in (C); viii. 6:51 - a) in (D);
- ix. 7:37 - a) in (C); x. 9:6 - b) in (D);
- xi. 9:15 - a) in (C); xii. 9:32 - b) in (D);
- xiii. 10:24 - a) in (D); xiv. 10:26 - a) in (D);
- xv. 11:18 - b) in (C)

Send Your Answers to:

**JEEVAN DHAM, H.No. 696/
Sec-22, Faridabad-121005,
Haryana.**

Rules to be followed:

- ❶ Answers may be sent by post or e-mail latest by the end of the month. Answers received after that will not be considered.
- ❷ You should clearly specify your name and postal address. Mention the quiz number and title too.
- ❸ Prizes will be awarded to the winners of three consecutive quizzes.

Thanks for your participation in the Quiz!

OVER 10,000 GATHER TO CELEBRATE...

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as they remained seated singing and clapping to the beats of the carols. The arrival of Santa Claus brought a wave of excitement among them, as he danced on the stage much to their delight. Through God's grace, everything went on peacefully even though there were very few volunteers and not a single policeman to maintain discipline in

the crowd of 10,000. For all these graces and blessings, we thank and praise God. We also thank all those who helped us to carry out this programme peacefully, especially the sisters of St. Anthony's convent, the halwai and his workers and the other lay faithful, besides all our volunteers who were involved in cooking, packing, organizing and distributing the halwa-poori to all. PRAISE THE LORD!

NEW BIBLE READING PLANS FOR 2006

The Holy Bible, the Divine Word of God, the Book of Faith and Revelation, should be read regularly everyday to nourish our Spirit, to strengthen our faith, hope and love, and to guide us at every moment of our life. Last year we had presented you with the **365-Day Bible Reading Plan**- covering the whole Bible, with plans corresponding to each month of the year. We believe that, although it was little stretched out, it had benefitted the readers who stuck to the schedule and read the whole Bible within the year. This year we

would like to introduce two new plans, viz., the **26-Week (6-month) NT reading Plan** and the **52-Week (1 Year) OT reading Plan**, which would help you to read the OT and the NT daily (OT in the morning and NT in the evening or vice versa). Hence, starting from this month, we will be providing you with both the reading plans every month. Set apart some time to read the passage everyday (early morning/evening/late night) and try your best to stick to the schedule. You'll definitely get incredible results.

GOD BLESS YOU!

6-MTH./26-WK. NT READING PLAN WEEKS 1 - 5 (January - February 2006)

DATE	Jan.1 - 7	8 - 14	15 - 21	22 - 28	29 - 31/Feb.1-4
DAY	WEEK 1	WEEK 2	WEEK 3	WEEK 4	WEEK 5
SUN	Matthew 1	Matthew 8	Matthew 15	Matthew 22	Mark 1
MON	Matthew 2	Matthew 9	Matthew 16	Matthew 23	Mark 2
TUE	Matthew 3	Matthew 10	Matthew 17	Matthew 24	Mark 3
WED	Matthew 4	Matthew 11	Matthew 18	Matthew 25	Mark 4
THU	Matthew 5	Matthew 12	Matthew 19	Matthew 26	Mark 5
FRI	Matthew 6	Matthew 13	Matthew 20	Matthew 27	Mark 6
SAT	Matthew 7	Matthew 14	Matthew 21	Matthew 28	Mark 7

12-MTH./52-WK. OT READING PLAN WEEKS 1 - 5 (January - February 2006)

DATE	Jan.1 - 7	8 - 14	15 - 21	22 - 28	29 - 31/Feb.1-4
DAY	WEEK 1	WEEK 2	WEEK 3	WEEK 4	WEEK 5
SUN	Gen. 1-3	Gen. 22-24	Gen. 43-45	Exod. 13-15	Exod. 34-36
MON	Gen. 4-6	Gen. 25-27	Gen. 46-48	Exod. 16-18	Exod. 37-39
TUE	Gen. 7-9	Gen. 28-30	Gen. 49-50	Exod. 19-21	Ex.40/Lev.1-2
WED	Gen. 10-12	Gen. 31-33	Exod. 1-3	Exod. 22-24	Lev.3-5
THU	Gen. 13-15	Gen. 34-36	Exod. 4-6	Exod. 25-27	Lev. 6-8
FRI	Gen. 16-18	Gen. 37-39	Exod. 7-9	Exod. 28-30	Lev. 9-11
SAT	Gen. 19-21	Gen. 40-42	Exod. 10-12	Exod. 31-33	Lev. 12-14

"Do not look on his appearance or on the height of his stature, because I have rejected him; for the Lord does not see as mortals see; they look on the outward appearance, but the Lord looks on the heart." (1 Samuel 16:7)



THROUGH THE POWER OF HIS WORD, GOD FREED THEM ALL FROM LONG-TERM STOMACHACHE ! STOMACH PROBLEMS & TUMOURS GET CURED!

**'LIVING WITNESSES'
OF GOD AT
JEEVAN DHAM**

A LETTER IN THE PETITION BOX

I came to know of Jeevan Dham from one of my friends at Faridabad. I am a convent-educated Hindu girl presently teaching in a private School. My job as a teacher here, the first one, has given me a lot of tensions and I have to work here under extreme pressure. Quite often it led to frustrations in life and many times I felt like quitting this job.

Meanwhile, my friend advised me to have faith in Lord Jesus and told me to read the prayer book of Jeevan Dham (*Naya Jeevan*) everyday. Believing his words, I thought of reading a prayer from the book. To my utter surprise, it gave me an unexpected relief from all my tensions. For the past 3 months, I am reading this prayer book everyday to get peace of mind, joy and consolation. My tensions disappear at once whenever I call the holy name of Jesus, pray to Him and read this prayer book. I have total faith in Jesus now and I firmly believe that with His help and grace all my problems can be solved. I took my father, who is suffering from joint pains (arthritis), to Jeevan Dham where he got blessings from God and the assurance that he will get relief from his body pain. Later, he experienced healing and now never complains of any sort of pain. At present, he is worried about my brother's and my marriage. He wishes to come again for the prayer service. Thank you Lord Jesus for everything you have given me. -- PB, Delhi

**ASTMATIC FOR 20 YEARS...
NOW HEALED BY GOD'S WORD!**

Praise be to Jesus! Thanks be to Jesus!

I had breathing problem by birth. When taken to the doctor, he discovered that my lungs are weak and diagnosed my disease as asthma. I got the homeopathic treatment for about 10 years at Kolkata. But the relief was only transient, and the problem shot up again within a few hours of medicine intake. Later, I took allopathic treatment from our family doctor. He had prohibited me from taking cold food, fruits, cold drinks et al and to avoid swimming and other similar activities which could be hazardous to my health. He had warned me that if I wanted to stay alive, I have to take medicine all through my life everyday. I had to always keep the tablets in my pocket wherever I went. I felt it very difficult to travel in a jam-packed bus or on a bike because either way I felt almost exhausted and short of breath. I had to wear monkey caps and warm jackets even in mild cold weather. I had spent over 30 thousand rupees over the last two decades. Yet, no treatment was effective on me and I had left all hopes of getting cured from this dreadful disease.

Two months ago my neighbour told me about the healing prayer service held at Jeevan Dham and I started coming here regularly. The first Sunday

**A PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR 2006 to
all the readers of DIVYA-JYOTI!
With prayers and love,
from the EDITOR and all at
JEEVAN DHAM. GOD BLESS YOU!**

itself I felt relief in my problem. Within a few days, I could breathe easily. With total faith in God, I left taking medicine. In this winter season, I tried eating ice creams, fruits et al, travelled on the bike (without wearing a monkey cap) and in the bus, and nothing seemed to disturb my breathing. Praise the Lord! During the past 6 weeks, I have never felt any difficulty in breathing anywhere. This is definitely a great miracle that God has done in my life. A million thanks to Him, my God and Healer!

Raja Nag (age- 20 years), New Delhi
"Bless the Lord, O my soul, and do not forget all his benefits— who forgives all your iniquity, who heals all your diseases, who redeems your life from the pit, who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy, who satisfies you with good as long as you live so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's." (Psalms 103:2)

JEEVAN DHAM ON WEB

Visit us at our new site:
www.jeevandham.org
E-mail us your petitions to:
justcallanthony@yahoo.com

IMPORTANT TIMINGS

DAILY MORNING PRAYER :

On Weekdays from **9:30a.m. to 11:30p.m.** 24hr Adoration is going on everyday for over the past 2 YEARS. You too can join us in prayer anytime.

HOLY MASS :

On Fridays morning 10:30 a.m.
On Sundays evening 6:30 p.m.

**Are you ... worried & burdened?
Are you ... depressed?
Are you ... sick or weak?
Do you ... feel the absence of
peace & love in your life?
Are you ... grappling with a lot
of problems in your life?**

Then visit this place chosen by God & see for yourselves all the incredible miracles happening here. This place is 'JEEVAN DHAM'. Believe in God and attend the prayer session held every Sunday at St. Anthony's School (ground), Sec-9, Faridabad from morning 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. organized with the grace of Almighty God by 'Jeevan Dham' - H.no.696/ Sec-22, Faridabad. Obtain invaluable graces & heavenly blessings & witness the miraculous healings performed by Him.

WELCOME TO JEEVAN DHAM!