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THE DIVINE LIGHT

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“I am the **LIGHT of the **World**.”**

CHOOSE TO REJOICE!

REFLECTION *Of the* WORD

About midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns to God, and the prisoners were listening to them. Suddenly there was an earthquake, so violent that the foundations of the prison were shaken; and immediately all the doors were opened and everyone's chains were unfastened. (Acts 16:25-26)

Your joy as a Christian should not depend on your circumstances. Joy comes from God, and therefore it cannot be affected by what is outside of you. Don't be fooled into letting the actions of others determine your joy. True joy comes from knowing that God Himself lives within you and has fellowship with you, regardless of your environment. Real joy lies in the knowledge that holy God has completely forgiven you of every sin, and even now, He has a home prepared in heaven where you can

spend eternity with Him (John 14:3). The circumstances of your life cannot change these truths!

Paul and Silas faced some of the most difficult circumstances imaginable. They were falsely accused, arrested, and imprisoned. They were beaten and shackled in the darkest, coldest section of the prison. But they refused to allow their horrific situation to dampen their joy! They did not blame God for allowing these things to happen to them. Instead, they praised Him for His goodness! In the darkness of the night, they prayed and they sang. God brought a miracle that released them from their chains, but perhaps the greater miracle was that His Holy Spirit could so fill them that even in their painful imprisonment they could overflow with joy!

Do not allow difficult events to cancel the joy of knowing you are a child of God. Choose to allow God's Spirit to fill you with His unquenchable joy, and your life will be a miracle to those who watch you face the trials that come.

O LADY OF THE HOLY ROSARY! INTERCEDE FOR US SINNERS!

The Holy Rosary of our Blessed Mother is a very profound and meaningful form of prayer. In it we have our salvation history in a nutshell. Therein we contemplate the central mysteries of Christian life: the redemption of mankind through the incarnation, words and deeds, passion, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ, God's son born of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Pope Paul VI says, "During the month of October, making a garland by praying the Rosary and presenting it to the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of Christ, is a praiseworthy custom among believers. Like our predecessors, I do heartily endorse this devotional practice. Moreover, I call upon the people of God to carry the Rosary of our Blessed Mother."

During this month, a special rosary was prayed in common every evening at Jeevan Dham. The rosary, as shown by God in visions, was interceded for a particular group of people or an objective, with the Word of God that appeared as the Bible was opened under inspiration (which deals with the goal of intercession and God's response to it). Everyday many people experienced physical healings (viz. headache, stomach ache, blessed with the gift of a child, or a job, or a house, of sight or hearing; healing of diseases like T.B., Leprosy, and other incurable diseases like Cancer, Tumour et al). By this we understand the power of praying the rosary with faith, the power of having recourse to the

A HUMBLE PRAYER OF A SAINT!

The Church celebrates the **All Saints Day** on the first day of November which is followed by the **All Souls Day** celebrated on November 2. Saints are men and women from all walks of life, people just like us, who remained faithful to God and trusted in His promises. Some of them led lives of extraordinary sanctity.

Most of them lived and died with no recognition from anyone but God whom they worshipped from the purity of their hearts. As Jesus, our Lord and Saviour, promises, "Blessed are the pure of heart, for they shall see God." and "Blessed are the meek,

for they shall inherit the earth"

(Matt. 5:5, 8)

Let us pray to the saints, the humble and faithful servants of Christ, with the **Litany of humility** as prayed by the humble **Mother Teresa**, called due to her humility the saint of the gutters:

Lord, have mercy on us.

Lord, have mercy on us.

Christ, have mercy on us.

Christ, have mercy on us.

Lord, have mercy on us.

Lord, have mercy on us.

Christ, hear us.

Christ, graciously hear us.

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Jesus says, "Very truly, I tell you, anyone who hears my word and believes him who sent me has eternal life..." (John 5:24)

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intercession of Mother Mary for all our needs, our problems and difficulties. Below is the list of the intercession made each day during the month of October 2006, and the corresponding Word obtained from the Bible.

DATE	DAY	ROSARY INTERCEDED FOR	WORD
1	Sun	Those in darkness and who do not know the one true almighty God.	Lk. 18:18-30
2	Mon	All the believers who have come here till now that they may remain faithful to the Lord.	1Cor. 2:1-10
3	Tue	Those who are very sick, bedridden, suffering from infectious diseases, the comatose.	Mk. 7:24-30
4	Wed	The orphans, the homeless, those who are living in streets and slums.	2Tim. 4:1-4
5	Thu	All the atheists and those who do not know about the Holy Spirit.	Rom. 3:1-20
6	Fri	Persons, families and countries that do not have peace and love, may they be reconciled.	Mk. 9:14-29
7	Sat	The departed souls and those living may prepare well to inherit eternal life.	1Cor. 15:1-23
8	Sun	All those suffering from Cancer, AIDS, tumour and other incurable diseases.	Acts 17:24-31
9	Mon	All those suffering from skin diseases like Leprosy, Eczema et al especially the youth.	Lk. 14:1-6
10	Tue	All the children, especially the teenagers that they may obtain the grace to lead a prayerful holy life in faith and love according to the Word of God.	Psalms 47
11	Wed	Those thousands living on the streets and slums.	1Cor. 3:1-9
12	Thur	Those who are suffering from Polio, crippled, physically handicapped, and bedridden.	Mk. 5:21-43
13	Fri	Those couples who have a lack of understanding, who lack peace and love in their married life, for those who are unfaithful to their spouses, and for all the broken families.	Mat. 19:1-11
14	Sat	All the orphans, widows, and the dejected and those institutions serving them.	2Tim. 4:1-5
15	Sun	Those who do not observe the Day of the Lord properly, lack devotion to the Holy Mass.	1 Cor. 11:23-34
16	Mon	Those who are unemployed and are unable to earn their living, for the closed factories.	Prov. 16:1-9
17	Tue	Those who support and promote abortion (a grave sin), for the maternity hospitals.	Mat. 6:25-34
18	Wed	Those farmers affected by natural catastrophe, who have nothing to survive on.	Job 38:25-41
19	Thur	The dumb, the deaf and the blind.	Mat. 15:29-31
20	Fri	All the political leaders, ministers, for the authorities, the Indian government, our nation.	Psalms 125
21	Sat	The doctors and nurses, to work honestly and serve with selfless love and humanity.	Dan. 12:1-4
22	Sun	Those teenagers and youth who are studying or working abroad, may they become true witnesses and staunch believers of Christ, protected from all evil and harm.	Ps. 78:1-8
23	Mon	Jeevan Dham - for the family and the volunteers.	Lk. 7:36-50
24	Tue	All the anointed and chosen ones, preachers and the clergy, the religious in the church.	Mk. 7:31-37
25	Wed	The drug addicts, alcoholics and those from related sickness.	Mat. 20:24-28
26	Thur	Those separated from the Church, false teachers and for the Christians who have departed from their true faith and are following false teachings and doctrines.	Rom. 3:9-20
27	Fri	The safety and unity of the church as one flock under the one true Shepherd, Jesus Christ.	Mat. 13:24-30
28	Sat	The aged, the helpless, the lonely and the dying.	Mat. 11:25-27
29	Sun	The soldiers working along the national border, that God may protect them from all harm.	Job 38:39-39:18
30	Mon	Those driving and who have met with accidents and are admitted in various Hospitals.	Prov. 1:20-33
31	Tue	The safety and well-being of Jeevan Dham and all those who come here, that they may follow God's Word and become true witnesses and staunch believers.	Jn. 6:59-71

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God, the Father of heaven	<i>have mercy on us.</i>	From the desire of being loved,	<i>deliver me, O Jesus</i>
God the Son, Redeemer of the world,	“ “	From the desire of being honoured,	“ “
God the Holy Spirit,	“ “	From the desire of being praised,	“ “
Holy Trinity, one God,	“ “	From the desire of being preferred,	“ “
Jesus, meek and humble of heart,		From the desire of being consulted,	“ “
make our hearts like yours.		From the desire of being approved,	“ “
From the desire of being esteemed,	<i>deliver me, O Jesus</i>		

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“In the day of prosperity, adversity is forgotten, and in the day of adversity, prosperity is not remembered. For it is easy for the Lord on the day of death to reward individuals according to their conduct. An hour's misery makes one forget past delights, and at the close of one's life one's deeds are revealed. Call no one happy before his death; by how he ends, a person becomes known.” (Sir. 11:25-28)

BIBLE QUIZ!

XXXI. THE FEAST OF TABERNACLES Chapters 7-9: THE GOSPEL OF JOHN

The following multiple-choice questions based on the Gospel of John (from **Chs.7-9**) have four options a), b), c) and d). Go through these chapters carefully. Find out the correct answers (one or more answers may be correct) and write them down along with the verses and the chapter numbers which verify their truth:

1. What all qualities of Satan did Jesus reveal in His discourse related to His origin and mission?

- a) Satan is a liar and father of lies
- b) He cannot accept the Word of God
- c) He is a murderer from the start
- d) There is no truth in him at all

2. Jesus, in His teaching, revealed about His Father, about the Holy Spirit and His relationship with them. Which of these facts about the Father did Jesus reveal?

- a) The teaching of Jesus came from the Father
- b) The Father sent Jesus and He is truthful
- c) The Father testifies on behalf of Jesus and is always with Him
- d) Those who seek honour for themselves come from God

3. In Chs. 7-9, what all claims did Jesus make of himself?

- a) I am the good shepherd
- b) I am the Truth which can set you free
- c) I am the light of the world
- d) I am the Son of God who came from heaven

4. How did Jesus compare himself with the unbelieving Jews?

- a) You are of this world, I am not.
- b) You judge by human standards but my judgement is true.
- c) You know neither me nor my Father, but I know Him and I do His will.
- d) You are from God, I am not.

5. Which of these statements did the Jews make against Jesus?

- a) "You are not yet fifty years old, and have you seen Abraham?"
- b) "Now we know that you have a demon."
- c) You are from your father the devil, and you choose to do your father's desires.
- d) "Where does this man intend to go that we will not find him?"

6. What all facts/arguments did the Jews give

to object to the divine origin of Jesus?

- a) He has never been a pupil of the rabbis, then how did he get educated?
- b) His reputed birth at Nazareth shows that He is not the Christ.
- c) Since the details of his childhood are known, how can He be the Messiah?
- d) The Messiah will not come openly in public, but He will come all of a sudden.

7. How did the healed blind beggar acknowledge Jesus as?

- a) a prophet
- b) a man who does the will of God
- c) a sinner
- d) the Son of Man

8. In these three chapters, how many times did the Jews wanted to arrest Jesus but could not?

- a) 3
- b) 6
- c) 5
- d) 1

Answers to Last month's Quiz

XXX. JESUS, THE MESSIAH AND THE BREAD OF LIFE

Chapters 4-6: THE GOSPEL OF JOHN

- 1. a, b, c (6:27, 32-33, 49, 50-51)
- 2. c (4:42, 6:25, 42, 69)
- 3. a (5:19, 24, 25; 6:26, 32, 47, 53)
- 4. a, c (6:38, 51, 54, 63)
- 5. b (4:8-9, 15, 19, 25-26, 29)
- 6. a, b, d (5:19-22, 25-26)
- 7. d (4:46-54; 5:1-15; 6:1-13)
- 8. b, c, d (5:32-33, 36, 39, 45-46)

Send Your Answers to:

JEEVANDHAM, H.No. 696/Sec-22, Faridabad-121005, Haryana.

Rules to be followed:

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

three consecutive quizzes.

1. Keep a copy of your answers to match with the correct answers given in the next edition.

Thanks for your participation in the Quiz!

LIVING WITNESSES OF GOD AT JEEVAN DHAM



**HE CARRIED AWAY ALL MY DISEASES!
TO HIM BE ALL GLORY AND PRAISE!**

Praise be to Jesus! Thanks be to Jesus!

I, **Vijay** (aged 24 years), was suffering from acute headache (migraine) and stomachache for the past 4 years. My problem started with a swelling in the stomach and the pain gradually went on increasing. Slowly, I felt the pain spreading to my whole body and my mind becoming upset with all the tension of my disease. The doctor diagnosed and found an ulcerous growth in my stomach.

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OLD TESTAMENT READING PLAN

12-MTH./52-WK. OT READING PLAN

WEEKS 44-48 (November-December 2006)

DATE	29-31/Nov.1-4	5-11	12-18	19-25	26-30/Dec.1-2
DAY	WEEK 44	WEEK 45	WEEK 46	WEEK 47	WEEK 48
SUN	Jer.9-11	Jer.30-31	Jer.50	Ez.6-8	Ez.27-29
MON	Jer.12-14	Jer.32-34	Jer.51-52	Ez.9-12	Ez.30-32
TUE	Jer.15-17	Jer.35-37	Lam.1-3	Ez.13-15	Ez.33-35
WED	Jer.18-20	Jer.38-40	Lam.4-5/Ba.1	Ez.16-17	Ez.36-37
THU	Jer.21-23	Jer.41-43	Bar.2-4	Ez.18-20	Ez.38-40
FRI	Jer.24-26	Jer.44-47	Ba.5-6/Ez.1	Ez.21-23	Ez.41-43
SAT	Jer.27-29	Jer.48-49	Ezekiel 2-5	Ez.24-26	Ez.44-46

"For the Lord himself, with the archangel's call and with the sound of God's trumpet, will descend from heaven, and the dead in Christ will rise first. Then we who are alive, who are left, will be caught up in the clouds together with them to meet the Lord in the air..." (1 Thess. 4:16-17)

Another disorder which crept up was my inability to lift up the left hand due to stiffness and pain. All this made my life miserable. My father took me to several hospitals in Bihar and in Faridabad and nowhere did I get any relief from the treatments. Even after spending over 40,000 rupees on various treatments, I could not recover from my illness.

Then one day, around two-and-a-half years ago, a gentleman living close by told me about the healing prayer service being held at Jeevan Dham. I came here and got little relief within the first day. Gradually, my pain started disappearing and with my trust in God, I started praying regularly to Jesus and left taking medicine. Through the grace and mercy of God I got rid of the pain in my stomach and in my head and body. I could even raise my left hand completely without any pain. My Lord took away all my illnesses and gave me a new life to praise and worship him.

ii) I was suffering from evil possession for the past 15 years due to which I used to have bad dreams, sleepless nights and sometimes epileptic fits too. I was afraid to sleep alone during the night. But after I

started attending the Sunday prayer service at Jeevan Dham regularly, I got freedom from evil possession and freedom from all fears. I praise and thank the Lord for all favours He has bestowed on me. **Vijay, Faridabad**

"He (Jesus) took our infirmities and bore our diseases."
(Matt. 8:16-17)

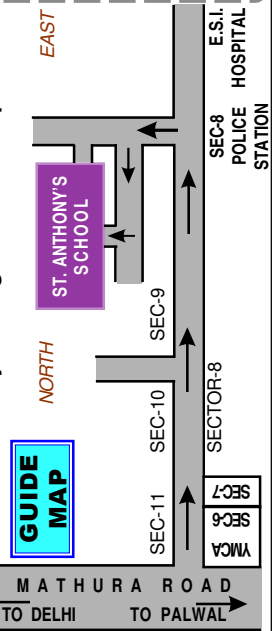


Unable to hear for over 5 years, they got the Gift of hearing through the power of the Word of God! Alleluia!

And when you turn to the right or when you turn to the left, your ears shall hear a word behind you, saying, "This is the way; walk in it." (Isaiah 30:21)

HOW TO REACH JEEVAN DHAM!

RESIDENCE : House No. 696, Sector-22, Faridabad
PRAYER VENUE: ST. ANTHONY'S SCHOOL, SEC-9, FBD.
TIMINGS: Sunday morning 9:30a.m. to 1:30p.m.



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** followed by the Holy Mass except on Saturdays. **24hr. Adoration** is going on everyday for over the past **3 YEARS**. You too can join us in prayer anytime.
HOLY MASS :
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!

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From the desire of being popular,	“	“
From the fear of being humiliated,	<i>deliver me, O Jesus</i>	
From the fear of being despised,	“	“
From the fear of suffering rebukes,	“	“
From the fear of being calumniated,	“	“
From the fear of being forgotten,	“	“
From the fear of being wronged,	“	“
From the fear of being ridiculed,	“	“
From the fear of being suspected,	“	“

That others may be loved more than I, *Jesus, grant me the grace to desire it;*
That others may be esteemed more than I, “ “ “
That in the opinion of the world, other may increase and I may decrease, “
That others may be chosen and I set aside, “ “ “
That others may be praised and I unnoticed, “ “ “
That others may be preferred to me in everything, “ “ “
That others may become holier than I, provided that I may become as holy as I should, “ “ “

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world, *spare us, O Lord*
Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world, *graciously hear us, O Lord*
Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world, *have mercy on us, O Lord.*

Let us pray: O Lord, Jesus Christ, who said: *"Ask and you shall receive, seek and you shall find, knock and it shall be opened unto you,"*

Grant we beseech You to us Your supplicants the gift of your most divine love that we may love You with our whole hearts and in all our words and works and never cease from praising You. O Lord, give us a perpetual fear as well as love of Your Holy name, for You never cease to govern those you founded upon the solidity of Your love. We pray to Jesus, Who lives and reigns world without end. Amen. ☉

"Those who fear the Lord will have a happy end; on the day of their death they will be BLESSED." (Sirach 1:13)

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