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*Swami came down to Bhajans and began to talk*

**Swami:** Good evening guys.

Students: Good evening Swami.

**Swami to Gustav:** Mohana Krishna.

*Everyone sings this bhajan for Swami.*

**Swami:** Good. You will give the fragrance in the last climax touches. Beginning is not a touches, middle is tasty, last ending is a final tasty. The landing you have to land it, again lift it, land it, you keep remember that. One day you're universal singer. Land it, again jump up, again land it. Give four, five maximum seven seconds, again lift it, land it. Whatever you beginning, the ending should be same words. Done. Done, that's it; it covers. Psychologically, whoever they

listen us, they catch the beginning and they catch the ending. You don't remember today what you had in your lunch, the curries. Do you remember? What?

Gustav: Yes, I had some special items.

**Swami:** What?

Gustav: (*inaudible*) ... and bread and cheese...

**Swami:** Okay, Swagatam Krishna. Go in the Krishna raga, purely raga.

*Everyone sings Swagatam Krishna to Swami.*

**Swami:** Made it. You made it. No doubt, you're a universal Sankirtan Acharya. Yes, in the world everybody has to follow you in the devotion songs. That rhythm make it trained your students, your family. Before you take off, give that rhythm to them, then it's a fruitful. No more Gustav – Sankirtan Acharya, Sankirtan Acharya. Subramaniam, where is pujari?

*Swami instructs priest Subramaniam to sing. He sings some songs and Swami gives him some advices on his singing.*

Swami: Since ten years he's with me. I trained him lot of techniques, this, this, this, this, go this way. I hate this song, but I *love* this song. I told it. Yes, I can go in the sankirtana but whenever my job is finished.

Constanze, she helped to me unbelievable, put a little fluid and actually I'm taking care of my soul level. Beautiful elephant giving a birth in South Africa forest, it's having unbelievable pains. It's my good friend and it's keep asking, begging me... and I took those pains under my cramps - unbelievable I faced it. I faced it. The legs, the cramps, ooh. Cyndria there, Carla there, Constanze - yes she tried

her maximum best fixing it and putting it the fluid, she's trying. The mother baby's is safe in the forest. True. It's a begging please, help, help, help, help me, help me, help me! The baby turned around in the stomach. I thought it, something wrong the karma to me, what, what, what, what? Okay, got it, I jumped there - the mother and the baby is happy and purely meditate and relief to them.

Why I'm saying this? The Guru Parmapara will all the time will be with you, no matter what. If you call from heart, I'm your slave. Yes. I'm your slave. The Guru Parampara is always your slaves. Use that love in a proper way. I'm happy to receive the suffering, criticism is a natural but, giving your love is immortal, the love, in sense, the surrenderity to the Guru Parampara. Try to practice that, you'll win it, you'll win it - no doubt. The guru energy will come any form, and he'll take care of you whatever circumstances you are, you need a help.

In the *Gajendra Moksha*, in the *Bhagavatam*, it's a kind of semi student. The elephant is taking a shower in a river. Crocodile is caught the elephant leg. Crocodile is super strong whenever it is in the water. If it came out, a dog can kill it. If it came out, outside from the water, a dog easily can kill it. If it is in the water, excuse me, it's a super strong, even elephant cannot do. It caught the elephant leg, twelve days it is a non-stop trying to lift it. No chance. Then finally, it is begging Lord Krishna.

Krishna is getting a massage from his wife Maha Lakshmi. Finally, the elephant is going to fall off, the water, it's between the crocodile and the elephant, you can read in the *Bhagavad Gita* and *Bhagavatam*, it is there. Then Krishna, all of sudden after twelve days later, finally it's falling off. He heard it, immediately he jumped from his cot and he ran there. He forgot his crown. He forgot his Sudarshana - everything, just he forgot everything. His wife is thinking, "Where you going? Wait, wait." "I need to take care of some very important work, I'll be back." Everything he forgot and he ran, and he's watching the elephant, and he need his Sudarshana chakra. He forgot his crown, at least to use that as a kind of weapon. Of course, he pulled it from the Dwarka, from his house, Dwarka Nagara, again just he removed that Sudarshana Chakra, killed that crocodile. That Sudarshana entered and cutted the crocodile, the elephant came out. The elephant did only one thing. Took the water and he made a shower to the Lord Krishna, and just he took a fresh shower, "Ahh good, you're happy right?"

It means *sarvantaryami* antaryami ayami sarva antaryami, yes. You might think, how it possible?

When I entered first time in America, I landed in Minneapolis state, the Minneapolis International Airport, late midnight. I have a good friend there. It's late midnight. The immigration people they caught me. They caught in a sense, this Indian boy, "Why is he going in America? They opened all my bags; they took all my papers and my photos. They say it, "Where are you going? Who invited you?" At the time, I don't know that much good English. I tried my maximum best, what, what? No, no. They made me to wait three, four, five hours. I lost my connection flight; I need to go to Sioux Falls. I lost it, the flight.

Finally, the immigration people got satisfied. "Go." Where I can go? The flight is lost, I'm alone myself, I'm in the airport, it's late midnight, I didn't know the climate will be that cold there. Super snow cold, like freezing - from this hot place to all of sudden in the snow, oooo. I'm sitting there, what can I do? I have \$350 in my pocket, only one credit card. I don't know which hotel to go, where to go. How to go? Even to arrange a taxi myself, I don't know if I'm going to be able to do it. Then I thought, "Okay, the whole night I'll stay in the airport and morning flight I'll take it. I'm sleeping in the airport, I putted my bags there and I'm sleeping.

Then one old man, he came, "You need a hotel? I'll take you." I asked, "How much cost?" "\$500." In my pocket only \$350, "No, I'm happy to stay here. Then the airport police people came, "Everybody Has to get out." "Go out!" "If I go out, super freezing. Where can I go, only \$350 I have it?" That man, "Don't worry, I'll drop you. I'll take care of you." And he given his jacket to me and simply I just believed in him. I don't know he's police, he's a robber, who is he? Just as a skinny character twelve years back, "Okay, oh my God, right, let's go."

Then he dropped in the one hotel, Radisson something hotel. He said, "Don't take any money from him. By morning he's taking this flight to Sioux Falls." I didn't tell him I'm going to Sioux Falls, but he told it, he's going to Sioux Falls. That old man and his little beard, height and fatty and... then I removed his jacket and I give to him. He said, "It's okay, keep it, keep it. Still I have a jacket in my cabinet." Then morning the hotel people called my room, "The taxi's ready for you to your flight, please come." Then I asked the reception people, "Who is that guy?" "We don't know. He paid. He paid." "Is there evidence

that he paid?" "He paid." And I have that credit card number and everything, his receipt. Still I have it. I'm going to put that in the book. That is a Citibank, Chicago. Where is Chicago? Where is Minneapolis? Where is South Dakota, and Sioux falls? There is no connections... his name is Wilson. Last name I do not know, it's something but, very charming guy, old guy. Then I entered in my flight. I thought it would be pretty good, it's a small flight, only fourteen people sitting, fourteen people. Small airport, I thought, "Oh my God, this is the plane? Ok." This is the first time seeing that type of small plane... Landed and my friend looked at me, "I thought you we're coming last night, why?" "It's a big story and I didn't sleep."

I keep thinking, "I grow up...is my neighbor, my classmate is Venkatalakshmi, she's a good friend to me. She invited, she said, "Go to Los Angeles, give a talk and come back." "No, I don't want to go to Los Angeles, it's a scary country. I will go back to India thank you. Send me to India, I'll go." "Go to Los Angeles." Los Angeles? Then I'm taking the map. Where is the Los Angeles, how to go? How many hours the flight? How many flights I need to change? And she bought the ticket. Anyhow, after the inspiration, yes, I flew to Los Angeles. In Los Angeles I went Southwest Central - that White Eagle house. People is keep coming for healings, I think she also came (Monika T). I given you a red necklace, something.

Monika T: Yes.

**Swami:** You remember?

Monika T: Yes, I remember.

**Swami:** It's the late night with the motorcycles, the gang, the black people they came, "Are you Swami from India?" Late night I'm in front of fire pit and few people is sitting. Everybody's a little scary. I don't know they're criminals, gang, what is that? They have the guns and they're smoking, they're holding their weapons. I said, "Yeah." "You came from India?" "Yes." "Ok, take care, do good works." No words, "Ok." Then the White Eagle and other people, everybody is scared, it's late early morning 2a.m. I thought that immediately it better I jump out but anyhow I maintained twenty days there. Keep

giving interviews, interviews, interviews, interviews, healings, healings, healings, healings... And Anya and Jonathan, they came. I don't know what Anya talking, "I'm the student of the TM." I don't know what is mean by TM. Transcendental Meditation. What is that concept Maharishi Yogi? Am I boring you guys?

Students: No!

**Swami:** What is his message? Nobody cannot hear? Ok. "And it's for the levitation. It's the levitation." "What do you mean by the levitation?" "It means in the air they can jump off." Then I told it to Anya, "Give somebody \$100, they'll lift you, and they'll drop you - that is the levitation, that's enough Anya. What do you wasted your time?" "No Swami, we need to jump up." "You need to jump up? You're mental imbalance. You're totally psychologically mental imbalance having levitation." Meditation is good but levitation is a psychological imbalance. Okay, you teach me how to be levitate too please. Of course, at the time Nancy, she also came; she received a rudraksha? Do you remember?

Nancy: Ah, yes.

**Swami:** What?

Nancy: Yes, you manifested it.

**Swami:** I'd given a rudraksha. She came in the Los Angeles, Southwest Central place. She came with the beautiful pant and coat, and like a very dignified officer. Oooh, okay, I will see, okay. It's a beautiful work, experience. Why I'm saying this? I'm not criticizing on Americans, the experience of the psychology and the belief system of the humanity. How depth they are, unnecessarily going and wasting of the time - that is my concept here. Don't do that.

Time is the valuable. You can loose one million, one billion dollars, but you cannot loose one years' time. Every minute is a gold coin. Time is the gold. Whoever saved your time in the proper implementation, in the perfect clarity direction - you are successful,

otherwise, waste of your life. Time is the gold. Today is the talk of the day. Have a nice time, and let the Bhagavan get harati. I'll see you guys in a few days later. That is I hope, pretty good - lot of works I have to take care. I'm trying my maximum best to reach the destiny, my mission. And you do your mission too. Don't waste the time.

Take care, have a nice time. Good luck.

End of Talk