

Meditation Symposium

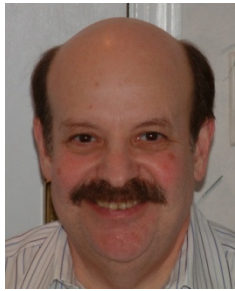
Meditation a doorway to eternal peace

The Hindu Temple of Minnesota and Science of Spirituality invite you to a Meditation Symposium on the occasion of the inauguration of the Sant Rajinder Singh Ji Maharaj Meditation Room at the Temple. This room is jointly sponsored by the Hindu Temple and Science of Spirituality in order to increase the understanding about the practice of meditation and its significance in spiritual growth

SPEAKER'S PANEL:

Michael Ribet (Keynote Speaker)

Science of Spirituality



Michael has studied mysticism and meditation with 3 great spiritual Masters of India. His current teacher is Sant Rajinder Singh Ji, the current head of the Science of Spirituality. Grateful for the on-going influence of these spiritual luminaries, he credits their guidance as the key to his on-going inner growth.

For the last several years, Michael has been conducting spiritual talks and workshops all over the world. He believes in the great potential of every human being. He sees meditation as a way to unlock our inner greatness and become peaceful, loving and fearless.

Michael works as an investment banker. He has an MBA from the University of San Francisco. He and his wife, Babita live in the Chicago area.

Siva Kanchibhotla (Guest Speaker)

Art of Living, Minnesota



Siva Kanchibhotla is a warm, humorous, and inspiring speaker and a leader in the field of personal development. He is the Program Director for Minnesota chapter of the US-Art of Living Foundation, a global non-profit educational and humanitarian organization. As a certified instructor with the Foundation, he conducts personal development workshops for both youth and adults, aimed at stress management and enhancing well-being. During his 10 year involvement with Art of Living, he has been involved in organizing many educational and

service activities in several states across the country including Minnesota, Wisconsin and Texas.

He, through the Art of Living Foundation has helped to improve the lives of 1000's of youths and adults. He has spoken at numerous venues about Art of Living including United Way and Unity Church in Houston, Target and Best Buy Corporation head-offices in Minneapolis, Northland Bioneers Conference,

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Minneapolis – 2008, Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Dept of Health to name a few.

Whether it's a school, corporation or any other gathering, his dynamic and energetic personality makes him a warm, engaging and youthful speaker. Siva has worked extensively with diverse communities including Native Indian community in Minnesota.

He holds a B.S. in Mechanical Engineering and a MBA. He is currently working as a Senior Engineer at Fairview Health Services.

Jim Horwath (Guest Speaker)

Maharishi Invincibility Center / Transcendental Meditation program



Graduate of St. John's University BA in English Literature and Philosophy, Jim has been practicing Transcendental Meditation since 1976. For several years he has been in the Import business, distributing goods from Thailand and other Asian countries. He became an instructor in TM in 2009 and presently the Director of the Twin Cities TM Program.

Dr. Shashi Sane (Host Speaker)

Hindu Temple of Minnesota



Dr. Shashikant M. Sane, M.D. Chairman & Medical Director of Radiology Department for 25 years. He has been a founding member of the Society of Chairs of Radiology at the Children's Hospitals in North America and served as its President from 1996 to 1998. He also served as the Chairman & Medical

Director of Radiology of the Gillette Children's Specialty Care in St. Paul for twenty years till his retirement in 2007.

He & his wife Kumud have been two of the 6 founders of the first Hindu Temple in Minnesota in 1978. He has served in several leadership capacities over the years for The Hindu Society of Minnesota and many of them several times over. Most recently he served as the Chairman of the Hindu Temple Construction Committee in charge of the creation of the new magnificent temple in Maple Grove.

In addition to be a formally trained Hindu Priest and a Hindu Scholar, he has been conducting with the help from his wife Kumud regular Annual Hindu Youth Camps over the past 27 years. He has been teaching Hindu Scriptures in the U.S.A. for 42 years and in the twin cities for the past 37 years. Under his leadership Hindu American Temple School was started this year with 105 students enrolled in the

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school. He has spoken on varieties of topics pertaining to Hinduism at several college campuses and the universities around the country. He has been actively involved in the interfaith dialogue locally and nationally over the past fifteen years.

He and Kumud have two children; Smita (John) and Shekhar (Laura) and four grand children. Both of their children are Physicians and are practicing Interventional Radiology in Milwaukee.

Hindu Temple of Minnesota: Provides place of worship and sponsor religious, spiritual, charitable, educational, social and cultural activities for the benefit of the Hindu community in Minnesota.

Science of Spirituality: A non-profit multi-faith organization dedicated to love unity and peace through meditation under the direction of H.H. Sant Rajinder Singh Ji Maharaj.

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