

## The Specialties, Duties and Gifts are Blessings from the Bestower of Fortune.

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The Specialties, duties and gifts assigned to you as well as attainments you accumulate as a student or teacher are gifts from the Bestower of Fortunes. This includes the spiritual directions of knowledge and yoga you receive to make intense effort for self transformation. When you have this deep understanding then you can make faster transformation of spiritual growth and be treaded in the Rudra Mala. It takes maturity and humility to always have the awareness of who is giving this inspiration for transformation. If on the other hand you begin to have feelings that you came with these specialties and skills and you are better than those who initiated and nurtured you and that you should be given opportunities and positions ahead of them, then that is the moment of body consciousness where humility changes into the ego of arrogance and everything is lost in the waiting arms of maya.

The “ego of arrogance is when there is that overwhelming feeling of superiority over others or the need to be recognized for name, fame or appreciation. There is a conceited attitude that whatever successes are achieved, it is because no one else has that capability, but you. An attitude of “I” begins to assume undue prominence in words and actions that transcends into self-conceit. You begin to walk around with the attitude of indispensability. When this overestimation of your capabilities is brought to bear on the self, there is a craving of vanity and self-praise as well as an equal craving for admiration and adulation from others.

Specialties and duties are gifts from the Bestower. If you think otherwise, you would still possess these gifts, but your intellect would become locked and your tongue choked and would not be able to use these gifts to the benefits of spiritual growth for yourself or others. You then begin to do disservice. As Baba would say that you came here amazed, inculcated this knowledge and made many equal to yourself, then maya got hold of you and then ran away. This happens to even Mahavir children as no one is indispensable. This type of behavior really is called the ego of arrogance as opposed the ego of humility

### Gifts and Blessings from the Bestower of Fortunes.

In AM 03.03.19 Baba especially gave the **gift of courage** quote “**Never let go of taking one step of courage and then Baba will take a thousand steps of giving help. Baba is bound to help.** Baba said the blessing will only work when you revise the blessing at amrit vela everyday”. In return Baba asked for a gift quote “**To definitely do and demonstrate to the Father the direction He wants you to follow: this is the gift you have to give.**”. The directions Baba gave is that you should transform your iron-aged nature to the golden aged natural nature of the deities. Baba gave one month to achieve this transformation.

Baba then asked that you use the Shiv mantra that he defined in blessings of SM 28.03.2019 quote “**However, from time to time, you forget the awareness of being a master and your mind takes control, and this is why the Father’s mantra is “Manmanabhav”.** When you remain “Manmanabhav”, you will not be influenced by anything wasteful and you will experience all treasures to belong to you.” Baba used this Shiv mantra to see everyone in their complete and perfect form. Baba specifically said not to use the Magic Choo mantra used in the path of devotion, but to use the Shiv mantra. In blessings of 27.03.2019, Baba reminded the children of his magic mantra of Mera Baba quote “**However, some say this word “Baba” from their hearts whereas some say it from their brains with knowledge. Those who say it from their hearts receive instant attainment in their hearts in the form of happiness and power.** Those who simply use their heads receive happiness at the time of speaking, but it does not last all the time”.

### Shiv mantra Transforms the body consciousness of “I” and “Mine”.

The ‘Shiv mantra’ is also used to transform the body consciousness of “I” and “Mine”. When “I” is used by the children, it is used in the remembrance that “I am a peaceful soul (Om Shanti) and ShivBaba is my Father (Mera Baba). This remembrance transforms the “I” and “My” to the awareness of soulconsciousnes and reminds you who is the One giving you the directions and inspiration. It is a gentle reminder as to who has bestowed these specialties, duties and gifts that you have now attained. You have to remain egoless rather than be too clever. **The specialties, duties and gifts are given to you by the Father, Karavanhar (AM 03.03.2019).**

### Masters of Self-Sovereign and the Inheritance

May you be a self-sovereign with the awareness of being a child and a master and make all the treasures yours. At this time, you children are not just children, but you are the children who are the masters: one is a master who is a self-sovereign and the other is a master of the Father's inheritance. Since you are self-sovereigns you have all your physical senses under your order. However, from time to time, you forget the awareness of being a master and your mind takes control **and this is why the Father's mantra is "Manmanabhav". SM 28.03.19.**

Every day at amrit vela, the blessing that every child receives from BapDada in different forms is: '**Remain happy, remain prosperous**'. Everyone receives a blessing every day. BapDada gives everyone the same blessing, simultaneously every day, but what is the difference? Why do you become numberwise? The Bestower is One and the gift He gives is the same. He doesn't give a little to some and more to others. He gives generously, but how is the difference created? AM 18.03.19

When you receive a blessing from the Satguru, you must have the awareness that I am a child of the Father and transform that blessing into an attainment, a treasure or a fortune. You must allow the seed of the blessing to become fruitful by transforming that blessing from good wishes into a treasure by becoming the embodiment of that blessing. It is only then you can use that blessing at the right time of need and enjoy the fruit of that blessing. A blessing is simply pure, loving good wishes through words or sakaash but you must transform those good wishes into a fortune, otherwise blessings remain as joyful words to the ear.

### Reasons and Solutions

Baba has given the directions that when there are obstacles and difficulties in your path, do not look for the reasons or excuses, but look for solutions to clear the obstacles. This is because you have been given the title of world transformers and that is your duty. The key to success is determination. The word reason does not enter in determination. There is just a solution and you have been given this direction to make it firm.

This year, BapDada wants to make you bid farewell to the word 'reasons. Let there be solutions and finish reasons. Let problems finish and become an embodiment of solutions. Whether the reason is the self, your companions, the gathering or the circumstances, the words 'reasons' and 'problems' should be transformed into 'solutions'. Become those who uplift others. Whether you yourself become a 'reason' or someone else is a 'reason', become one who uplifts others, be a merciful soul, be one who has good wishes and pure feelings and give cooperation and receive love (AM 31.12.18).

Therefore, transform this word "reason" and always adopt the word "solution". You must find a solution to the reason for the problems of all the souls of the world and as soon as you find a solution, you have to take them to the land of liberation because all of you are the bestowers of liberation. So, since you are the ones who will give liberation to others, you will find a solution to all your reasons because only then will you be able to give liberation (AM 02.02 19).

### Accumulate the Power of Silence and Elevated Action

Accumulate the power of silence and elevated actions in the bank at the confluence age and with the Shiv Mantra transform the consciousness of "I". This is why you are repeatedly given the signal of the closeness of time. The time for making effort for the self is very short. Therefore, check your account of accumulation. You are given three methods for accumulating in your account of accumulation. **1. To accumulate the treasure of your reward through your own efforts, to accumulate the treasure of attainments. 2. To remain always content and to make everyone content, because by doing this you accumulate in your account of charity. And this account of charity is the basis of the reward for many births. 3. To remain constantly tireless and altruistic and to serve with a big heart.** Whomever you serve in this way, you automatically receive blessings from that one. These are the three methods - effort of the self, charity and blessings. So, check this for when you suddenly have a test paper (AM 03.03.19).

### Giving Sakaash to Peaceless Souls

Together with that, according to the present time, give sakaash (the current of power) with your powers to the souls of the world who are becoming peaceless and unhappy in order to liberate them from their peacelessness and sorrow. The physical sun is able to dispel darkness and bring light with its sakaash and is able to transform many things with the power of its rays. In the same way, you master suns of knowledge, with the rays of peace and happiness that you have received, must liberate others from their sorrow and peacelessness with your sakaash. By serving through your mind and with a powerful attitude, transform the atmosphere (AM 02.04.19).

In AM 8.7.2018 Baba gives the ordinance quote “**Now, according to the time, start the service of giving a current of power.** The time is such that you now have to perform the task of giving a current of power and *vibrations* that create an atmosphere through your mind everywhere. There is now a need for this type of service because the times to come are going to be very delicate. This is why you must now become angels and tour around everywhere with your flying stage. Through your angelic form, enable others to experience whatever they want, whether it is peace, happiness or contentment.

### **Become Ever-ready and a Detached Observer**

In order to reach your destination, simply remain seated on the seat of detached observer. The side scenes will then become entertainment. You have to become ever-ready in the event of uncertainties. Even if you are not ever-ready, become ever-ready by tonight because time is waiting for you. BapDada is waiting to open the gates to liberation. The advance party is invoking you. You are master almighty authorities. Have the determined thought: "I have to do this. I must not do that." you have to be ever ready and come onto the field: this is the final paper which will be given to you at the right time in a practical way. If you pass in this paper, the other things are not a big thing. If you pass in this paper it means you will have an avyakt stage. If you go beyond the consciousness of the body, the other things are not a big thing (AM 02.04.2019).

### **Take Power and Blessings before any Task for Success**

Before you begin any task, have special remembrance and then begin that task and success will definitely be with you. This was the same blessings of Feb 20, 2013 “**Always, whenever you are to carry out a task, before carrying out that task, first of all, take a special blessing from God for the success of that task. Be blessed by God and then carry out that task and success will become your birthright. Do not do this after carrying out the task. If you first take the blessing and then carry out the task, success will then be with you** (AM 02.04.2019”.

### **The Most Auspicious Confluence Age**

The most invaluable elevated treasure is the time of the most auspicious confluence age because it is only at this time that you can create the reward for the whole cycle. In terms of the value of the attainments and the reward of this short age, the value of one second is equal to one year. This time is so invaluable. It is of this time that it is sung: "If not now, then never", because it is at this time that the Godly part is fixed. It is only at this time that souls who have been separated for a long time have a right to the attainment of a meeting with God, God's love, Godly knowledge and God's treasures. Throughout the whole cycle you are deity souls, great souls, but at this time you are God's divine family. Compared to the elevated fortune of this time, in no other age can you attain such fortune. In AM 03.03.19, It is the only time that the bank is open for you to accumulate the power of silence and elevated actions. The bank does not exist in any other birth, time or age. Whatever you think now will remain the form of thoughts, whereas after some time, when your limit of time come close, the thought will be transformed into repentance (AM 02.04.19)

### **Realisation and Transformation**

**Baba homework from 17.02.2019: You have been given the homework of what needs to be done this season. “Realise the self”. Only realise yourself, not others, and become real gold because BapDada believes that those who say "My Baba" will go back with the Father. Baba explains AM 02.11.87 that the basis of self-transformation is realisation with an honest heart”.**

### **Three types of Realisation required for Transformation.**

The first transformation: **I am a soul and the Father is mine.** In this, realisation is compulsory.

**1. The realisation of your own weaknesses.**

**2. The realisation of the situation, the desires and feelings in the mind of the one who becomes the instrument (for that situation), the weakness of a person or of that one's stage from being under an external influence.**

So, self transformation cannot take place without the power of realisation. **Realisation from the heart enables you to receive blessings from the Comforter of Hearts, whereas realisation with cleverness will make you and others happy for a short time.**

**3. The third type of realisation is that your mind accepts that something is not right, your conscience also tells you that that is not right, but, in order to prove yourself externally to be a powerful spiritual warrior, or, because of not wanting to**

make your name look weak or any less in the family, **you continue to kill your conscience. To kill your conscience in this way is also a sin. Just as committing suicide is a great sin, so too, this also accumulates in the account of sin.**

### **Touching and Catching Powers**

**It is important that the mind and intellect remains pristinely clean and clear as it is essential for you to catch the Father's signals, directions and shrimat so that nothing else is mixed with His touching.** If the line is not clear, the dictates of the mind becomes mixed with Godly signals and directions. Then, because everything is mixed at the moment of need, the soul suffers loss. So, the clearer the mind and intellect, the more you will be able to catch, decipher and discern the divine directions. The touching will become very clean and clear such that you will know which particular soul to serve or what direction to follow.

### **The Bell of "Suddenly" is now becoming Intense**

You have also made very good plans, but now, according to the time, it is the season for "suddenly". You must have seen and heard how so many Brahmins departed suddenly. The bell of "suddenly" is now becoming intense. According to that, now, this year, to what extent have you become an embodiment of experience in all four subjects? You need to have good marks in all four subjects. If you have less than pass mark in even one subject, how can you become a bead of the rosary that has passed with honours and a garland around BapDada's neck? Those who are defeated in any way cannot become a garland around the Father's neck. ...Test papers are to come suddenly because you have to take test papers every now and again before the final test paper (AM 18.03.19)

**The connection lasts until the final paper.** The teacher is not always with you for the revision course. So even now, the teacher is just looking after you from a distance. Now he sits up above and watches you very carefully to see who is doing the revision course and with how much effort, and to what extent you have zeal and enthusiasm. AM 26.06.69.

**The Final Promise must be Firm.** BapDada has seen everyone's *file*. For the *majority*, the *file* was full of *paper* on which promises were written. At the *time* of making a promise, you make it with your heart, you even think about it, but up to now, it has been seen that **the *file* is continuing to become bigger, and it has not become *final*.** For a firm promise, it has been said: Even if you have to die, you will not break your promise. You have all made many very good promises. You have made them in your mind and also written them down. Will you increase your *file*, or will you make the promise *final*? What will you do? ...This year, will you make the *file* that is getting bigger with BapDada *final*? Or, will you *add* another paper this year too? What will you do? **Will you make it *final*?** Those who feel that even if you have to bow down, if you have to change, even if you have to tolerate or listen to other things, that you have to change. AM 18.01.19.

### **Drill of Power of Silence**

In one second, become an embodiment of the power of silence. Concentrate the mind and intellect with controlling power and come to soul's world to remember the Father and the inheritance. Take a second now and then and practice this to accumulate for the entire cycle. AM 03.03.2019

### **Become a Conqueror of Attachment**

Knowing the importance of time pay attention to the deep philosophy of karma, become a conqueror of attachment and ever-ready. AM 02.04.19.

**The last and final paper of all Brahmins is this small test paper of becoming a "conqueror of attachment and an embodiment of remembrance".** You don't have to make effort to remember it. In the same way, according to the time now, the soul conscious stage of every Brahmin child should be natural. Some children do have this stage. They don't have to think about it, they are embodiments of remembrance. **You now definitely have to become constantly and naturally an embodiment of remembrance.** 17.03.03. The final paper is being announced in advance. **You should be free from any bondage at every moment. You should be free from any bondage even when it comes to the bondage of service.** As soon as it is announced, you have to be ever ready and come onto the field: this is the final paper which will be given to you at the right time in a practical way. If you pass in this paper, the

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