

Vedic commentary 3 messages

Rangan Ramakrishnan <valmiki1977@gmail.com> To: bengaluru@rkmm.org Sat, Jan 9, 2021 at 2:30 PM

Namaskara Swamiji

With this, I submit my commentary of Rig Veda to you. It is going to get published on January 27th. We need your blessing words for this. I approach you for a vital reason. I wish Vivekananda-sambandha for this text because the spiritual interpretation of the Veda is Swamiji's last wish. This is a commentary based on spirituality found in the Rig Veda.

A humble request: I request you to mention in your blessing words, two last wishes of Swami Vivekananda: 1. Swamiji's wish of discovering the spiritual import of Vedic Mantras. 2. Swamiji's wish of opening a Vedic college. With this I have attached the words about Swamiji's last two wishes.

Later I shall come and have your Darshan in person. I beg pardon for not doing that now.

Sincerely

Rangan

Swami Vivekananda then remarked, 'Whatever may be the commentator's interpretation of the word Sushumna, the seed or the basis of what the Tantras, in the later ages, speak of as the Sushumna nerve-channel in the body, is contained here, in this Vedic Mantra. You, my disciples, should try to discover the true import of these Mantras and make original reflections and commentaries of the Shastras.' Mahidhara had interpreted the word as another name of Chandra, the Moon God, but Swamiji had felt that the word actually refers to the canal through which the Kundalini moves.

4 pm: Drank a cup of warm milk and went for evening walk with Swami Premananda. Swamiji and Swami Premananda walked almost 2 miles. Vivekananda had a lengthy conversation with Premananda that evening. They visited the Belur Bazar where he mentioned to him about opening of a Vedic College in the monastery. When asked by his gurubhai what good study of Vedas would do he replied "It will kill superstitions." Following is the account of his cremation on 5th Jul 1902 at Belur Math by Chandrasekhar Chattopadhyaya (translated from Bengali by Swami Chetatmananda).

http://all-about-sanskrit.blogspot.com/2018/07/the-last-moments-of-swami-vivekananda.html

Bengaluru Ramakrishna Math <bengaluru@rkmm.org> To: Rangan Ramakrishnan <valmiki1977@gmail.com> Mon, Jan 11, 2021 at 12:12 PM

Dear Dr.Rangan

Namaskar.

I received your letter along with the copy of the books. I really appreciate your wonderful work on Rigveda Samhita.

You are requesting for blessing words. It's too short a time to go through the work & write a few words regarding it. At present my health will not permit me to do so.

I hope you understand and excuse me!

With Best Wishes

Yours in the Lord

Swami Harshananda

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Mon, Jan 11, 2021 at 11:48 PM

To: Bengaluru Ramakrishna Math <bengaluru@rkmm.org>

Namaskara Swamiji Hope that I am not disturbing you. Is it possible for you to give your blessing words taking your own time? Though the book release is on 27th, this book will be launched in internet too. There I can add your blessing words at any time. Please reply. sincerely Rangan

After this mail exchange, on Jan 12th, the auspicious birth day of his Parama Guru Swami Vivekananda, Shri Harshananda Swamiji, the president of Ramakrishna Mutt, Bengaluru departed to the lotus feet of the Lord, at the age of 90. He is the disciple of Swami Virajananda who is the direct disciple of Swami Vivekananda.