

## **Guru Dev Legacy Trust**

### **Newsletter from the Chairman July, 2016**

As promised last month, here is an update on our Trust's progress:

#### **Wire Recordings of Guru Dev**

Restoration continues and I am glad to announce that additional recordings are being put up on gurudevenlightens.com

Guru Dev's poignant discourses and beautiful voice have been preserved, and now restored. The Trust expresses our deep appreciation for the donation of a generous benefactor in New Zealand. Your gift has now propagated Truth worldwide.

#### **Guru Dev Discourses**

The Trust continues to share recent translations of *Shri Shankaracharya Vachanamrit* this month. We are still ahead of our publication schedule, with the posting of "Be Attentive" (Final Time). You can look forward to newly translated discourses in future months. There are a team of translators, editors and proofreaders working to complete a book of Guru Dev's translated talks.

[http://www.gurudevenlightens.com/Final\\_Time.html](http://www.gurudevenlightens.com/Final_Time.html)

Guru Dev gave a great many discourses, some short and some long. His secretary, Brahmachari Mahesh was tasked with collecting transcripts of his master's talks. These transcripts formed the basis of the ashram's publications, notably the ashram newsletter, 'Shri Shankaracharya Upadesha'. So, these newsletters, published in Hindi, form a record of Guru Dev's teachings and as such should be preserved and digitized for posterity, else they will most likely disintegrate and decompose, wherever they are. It is the duty of those who offer gratitude to Guru Dev for the teaching he bestowed, to preserve these teachings for future generations.

#### **Wonderful News from India**

Swami Brahmananda Saraswati legacy has been preserved by generations of families in India, who are bringing that to out very soon. Recorded interviews with living disciples of Guru Dev, newly gathered photographs, letters, and manuscripts being brought out. We will share progress as Math and Government approvals are received by those in India.

#### **Nectar of Vedanta**

Trust publication of Vedanta through the teaching of Swami Brahmananda Saraswati and his disciples, Maharishi Mahesh Yogi and Swami Brahmananda Saraswati is progressing nicely. For those seeking the common thread and the great wisdom offered, it will be well worth the wait.

## **Readings, Viewings, and Listenings**

The Trust has begun to create a complete bibliography of all available Guru Dev teachings, translated in English or only available in Hindi currently. This should prove useful as our Archives grow. Works and recordings in Hindi and their translations will be included.

If there are any photos of Guru Dev out there that you can share, please do. We'll share them gladly. Enjoy Guru Purnima!

With warm regards,

Dan Friedman  
Chairman