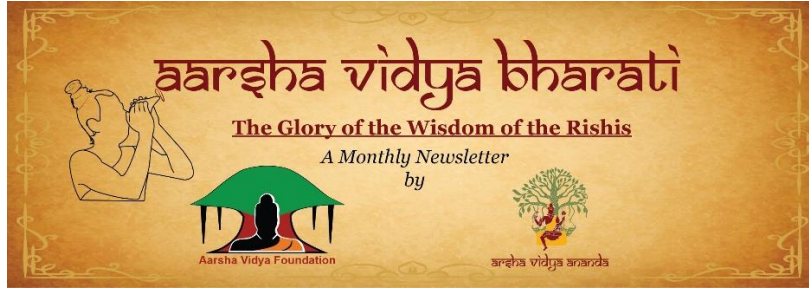

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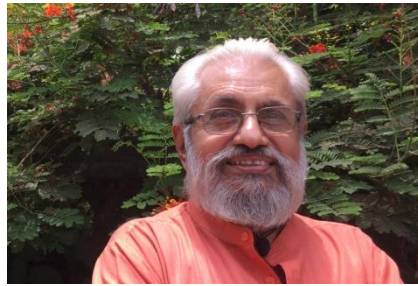
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Guiding Light by Swami Brahmavidananda

Column in the Free Press Journal Newspaper



Bhagavan Krishna - Success or Failure ?

I came across a video recently that said Krishna's mission was to spiritualise politics in which he failed miserably. That prompted me to write this article. Bhagavan Krishna is an avatara. His job is not to spiritualise politics. The Bhagavad Gita clearly states that the Avatara incarnates when problems of adharma and unrighteousness rise. Therefore, Bhagavan takes a special form to destroy adharma and re-establish dharma, which Krishna did very well. Read the full column [HERE](#).

An idea behind Hindu religious festivals

Questions I often hear are — Why do Hindus have so many festivals? How come the Hindu religion is always celebrating something or the other? Like right now, we are celebrating Ganesh Chaturthi. We had Janmashtami a few weeks ago. Navaratri and Deepavali is coming up. Read the full column [HERE](#).

Why do bad things happen to good people?

If one is a good person and has not hurt anybody, done all the right things in life, why should something bad happen to them? This is a question that troubles a lot of people. Read the full column [HERE](#).

The illusion of control

Wherever I go and whomever I speak with, this is heard – There is so much negativity and polarity in the world. How unfortunate the events are! While it is true that the world is going through a difficult situation with the pandemic and current situation in Afghanistan, why does it affect us so much? Although we can blame the media, especially social media for all the negative news, the answer is simple. We too are responsible for the negativity. Read the full column [HERE](#).

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