Spiritual Power Essential for Peace: - Justice G.S. Singhvi

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Justice G. S. Singhvi, Judge, Supreme Court of India said that developing spiritual powers in self was essential to fight and finish negative forces of fear, jealously, hatred and violence, and for restoring peace, progress, harmony and happiness in society.

Justice Singhvi said this while inaugurating a two-day **Oasis of Peace Festival** organized by Prajapita BrahmaKumaris Ishwariya VishwaVidhyalaya at Japanese Park Grounds, Rohini here today.

He said that prophets and saints like Buddha, Kabir, Mahatma Gandhi and institution like the United Nations stood for creation and continuation of the culture of peace, love and cooperation against the present culture of intolerance, terrorism and tension. This could be attained, if such positive values were inculcated by people through the practice of spiritual knowledge and divine meditation, he stressed.

Rajyogini Dadi Janki, the Chief of BrahmaKumaris blessing the function with her words of wisdom urged the <u>august</u> gathering of thousands of gentry to make best use of their valuable time and thoughts for individual and world welfare.

She said that Godly powers acquired through spirituality could not only ensure peace, stability and protection of the self from problems and dangers, but also could help in building better life and society in the world.

Mr. Santosh Bagrodia, Union Minister of State for Coal as Guest Speaker said that with the permission of Election Commission, he was attending this grand spiritual assembly for getting peace and divine blessings from Chief Dadis of BrahmaKumaris institution.

He said that by developing inner powers and virtues in self and others through self realization and meditation on God, peace and stability could be established in society.

Rajyogini Dadi Hridya Mohini, Additional Chief of Brahma Kumaris in her blessing said that tension & stress among people today were more due to fear, anxiety and expectations which could be contained through the power of silence, attention and meditation, she conducted silent meditation for a few minutes to the audience whom she urged to give up harmful habits and to adopt healthy ones.

A few dignitaries and religious leaders like Delhi's social welfare minister, Mr. Mangat Ram Singhal, Delhi Chief Secretary, Mr. Rakesh Mehta, Jews Head Priest Mr. E.I. Malekar felicitated Dadi jis on the stage. Rajyogini B.K. Mohini from Mount Abu, Conducted mass meditation for the gathering while Rajyogi B.K. Brijmohan, Chief Spokesman of the Brahma Kumaris delivered the welcome address.

Soul elevating cultural programme were in the evening live talk show was held in which **sister B.K. Shivani & Ms. Kanupriya**interviewed the panelists from India and abroad. Subsequently 108 Rajyogni Sisters gave practical demonstration for Rajyoga meditation to the gathering present on the occasion.