

Dadi Ratan Mohini – Four Days In Los Angeles

Day 1:

Just after lunch time in Los Angeles on Saturday afternoon we drove to the airport to welcome Dadi Ratan Mohini. As I drove by the curb of Delta Airlines, I saw a number of souls wearing white clothes eagerly waiting for Dadi's arrival as well.... When Dadi appeared at the elevator door with her bright smile full of love, everyone gathered closer to her to happily welcome her and Sister Pravina to the Land of Angels. Upon arrival at the center, many more souls were there to welcome Dadi with lots of love and joy.

On Saturday evening, the sky was clear and the wind was mild – perfect weather for the garden inspired gathering at Nina Vaswani's residence. The outdoor program was attended by 50 Sindhis. Brother Ram Pal opened the program with a beautiful Hindi song – one of his original compositions. Dadi spoke about the gathering of happiness; she said this is a world of happiness and sorrow, a drama and a play of determines our happiness and we should remain happy all the time. We must understand the value of human life. She said we must give happiness to others and take happiness, we also need to keep a pure attitude so that everyone will experience that happiness. It is important to do things with a lot of togetherness in this gathering of happiness. After receiving toli and blessings from Dadi, everyone enjoyed a light dinner.

Day 2:

Brahmins gathered together at Hollenbeck Palms on Sunday morning at 7:00 for a special class with Dadi Ratan Mohini. Dadi gave a powerful class on inner transformation. Dadi said Baba has made each one of us a master, Baba has given us the highest knowledge and made us so elevated. Dadi told us to always remember the word ALWAYS. She said we will always be successful because God's power is always there; remember our original self and become one. Later in the morning, 35 people residing at Hollenbeck Palms joined the Brahmins in listening to Dadi's class. The guests lined up first to receive drishti, toli and blessings from Dadi. It seemed that their hearts melted as they looked into Dadi's eyes while receiving their gifts.

On Sunday afternoon, Dadi visited the Seal Beach Center before heading to a nearby Center for Spiritual Living for a public program. She radiantly spoke to more than 120 souls on the topic Love, Peace and Happiness: A spiritual equation. She asked people to really think about what they wanted, and to give the same love and peace we want to others ... for we all want love and peace. As what we give will come back to us, we will then be happy. Dadi gave toli and blessings to each one after the program. One soul who was new to the BKs said, "She seemed to look through me and see me, the soul."

Day 3:

On Monday morning, there was a class for BKs at the Los Angeles center. Dadi pulled everyone so close that no one wanted to leave the center after the class. As class evolved into a chitchat, Dadi gave a deep explanation of "Who is God" and "Who am I the soul". Going back to these core lessons of our Brahmin life with Dadi Ratan Mohini, one of the original souls with Brahma Baba during the beginning period of the yagya, opened our understanding and strengthened our knowledge of God and the soul. A family breakfast with Dadi followed. In the afternoon, Dadi met with the youth group in a circular gathering at the Los Angeles center. Their experience was of being empowered. Monday evening, Dadi went to the Silver Lake Center for another BK program. Dr Joe and Sister Liz welcomed Dadi with a beautiful bouquet of flowers. Dadi was delighted when Dr Joe mentioned that Baba's flag had been flying in the backyard of the center for 13 years, visible to the whole neighborhood of Silver Lake . The evening was spent in happiness and laughter amongst beautiful sharing and family feelings.

Day 4:

On Tuesday morning, Dadi read Hindi murli in Los Angeles center, translated in English. Dadi took leave from everyone after that. We sent Dadi off with happy hearts in the mid morning.