

when will it happen?

I bow to all the seekers of truth.

There are, in these modern times, many seekers of truth.

It is a special category of people born in these modern times.

In every country a lot of people are born with this seeking. They are a special category, which sees beyond, tries to find something beyond what they can perceive through their sense organs.

The truth, as we see it, is through our sense organs. For example something we see as white, we call it “white,” something we feel cool, we call it “cool.” That means whatever we perceive through our sense organs and whatever is communicated to us through our central nervous system, we accept as the truth. And we should accept that only as truth and not something that is told to us, not something that we have read in books, not something that we can project in our mind.

That doesn't mean that I deny any one of the scriptures. That doesn't mean that I deny anything. But to begin with, let us start from scratch, as they call it, or on a clean slate. Let us see what is the truth.

To experience the truth

In every religion truth has been described. As I can see it, everybody does not see it. That is why there is blindness. That is why there are these blind alleys where you end up arguing things. So there must be something that is missing within us. We have not been able to really relate truth to our central nervous system.

Now, what is that missing within us? We should find out. In all humility, we should know that there must be something within us. We have been arguing about so many things. We have been talking about so many things, reading so many books, going into all kinds of funny experiences right from alcohol to other drugs and gurus and this and that, but still we have not felt anything on our central nervous system.

Secondly, we have no control over that truth. So what is the reason? Is something missing in the human awareness? Is it that we are lacking something in our human awareness? All the books, all the scriptures which are true scriptures have said one thing: to know the truth, you are to be born again.

If you take Patanjali, who wrote a very ancient book, it is not that Patanjali asked you to stand on your heads. That is wrong. That is just a wee bit of it. But what Patanjali has written is that you have to achieve the truth on your central nervous system meaning the experience of your spirit.

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To be born again

The English language has an advantage and a disadvantage. The spirit could be the *atma* or the spirit could be an alcohol or the spirit could be a dead body. It could be any circumstance, but it is not so. These are three separate things, absolutely opposite to each other. So the *atma*, the spirit, has to be found out.

It is said even by Mohammed-sahib. He said you are to become the *pir*. It is said by Zoroaster. It is said by Lao-Tse. It is also said by Zen. Buddha has said it. Mahavira has said it. Every one of them has said it that you have to be born again.

To be born again does not mean that you certify yourself, "I am born again." A self-certificate, you can call it. What is so special if you are born again? The human awareness at this level is just ready to be born again.

In Sanskrit, the word for a bird is *dwija*. It means "born again" and also for a Brahmin who is born again. But those who call themselves Brahmins are not Brahmins. They just call themselves Brahmins. Have they come to know the Brahma, the all-pervading power of God? Those who say that they are born again should feel the all-pervading power of God around them. If they cannot feel it, they are not born again. So all these self-certificates are a deception, a self-deception and a deception of others. It is just a money-making process.

The living process

The truth has to be achieved through your evolutionary process, which is a living process. Again we must understand the living process. Through just talking, mental projections, sitting down here, big talk about it or by giving you some courses or taking some money from you, you cannot get it. It is a state in a living growth. That proves that it is living.

That means the state of our awareness has to be higher than what it is. If our state cannot rise, then it is not of any use. Like the seed that becomes the roots, then the bark, the leaves, the flowers and then the fruit in the same way, a living religion must give you a different state and that religion is within us. Every one of us has it.

When we go against that living religion within us, we go into imbalances, but even today people can ask, "Why religion? Why should we have a balance? What is the need? Let's go into imbalances." I mean is that a logical question?

What is religion?

What is the religion? We come to that point. It is that a religion is a valency of human beings. Just like carbon has four valences, human beings have ten valences, which matter does not have. Animals have nine, while the human beings have ten valences. And when these ten valences go out of balance, then they go out of the quality of a human being.

But still, one can ask, why should we have these ten valences? Because in the evolutionary process you have to ascend and you can never be satisfied with yourself unless and until you have achieved it – especially the seekers.

That is why I say they are the special category – because in this special category, men of God will have to become prophets and they will have powers to make others prophets.

When is that going to happen? It has to happen today.

Pir: the spirit or atma

Awareness
has to be
higher than
what it is.

VALENCE: The number of possible bonds or qualities. For an atom, it is the number of bonds it can make with another atom. For a human, it is the number of qualities or laws of dharma.