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**“Knowing God is to know yourself and knowing yourself is knowing God”
....SHREE SHREE Anandamayee MAA**

Anandaswarupeshu / Anandaswarupini,

JAI MAA!

May SHREE SHREE MAA’s divine blessings be showered on all of us, as we formally announce the year-long celebrations of SHREE SHREE MAA’s 125th Maha Abhirbhav Mahotsav starting from 2nd May, 2020 till 30th May, 2021.

Although SHREE SHREE MAA is omnipresent in our lives at all times, this gives us an opportunity to celebrate HER Manifestation (Abhirbhav) in this world, 125 years ago in the remote hamlet of Kheora, Comilla, now in Bangladesh.

With SHREE SHREE MAA’s “kheyal and “ahetuk kripa “, it is our ardent desire to embrace all devotees of SHREE SHREE MAA in this year-long celebrations of SHREE SHREE MAA’s traditions, HER ‘Vani’ and HER ‘ parampara’, to imbibe and reinforce within all devotees, HER prescribed way of life. However, due to sudden and unprecedented onset of the Corona virus pandemic and restrictions imposed by the Government on travel, we were compelled to revisit our proposed programs for the 125th Abirbhav Celebrations. The revised program as situation permits will be made known to you.

SHREE MAA in HER physical manifestation, uttered the last few words for HER children,

“Remain wherever you are...” (in contemplation and seek within yourself the inherent Divine). MA has also exhorted in other times “...if you love this Sharir (Body), give (commit) 15 minutes of your time; even if you do not love this Sharir, This Body is seeking “bhiksha” of 15 minutes’ time in a day, as per your choice. This time, once given to God, remains unaltered and irrevocable, irrespective of your disposition for the chosen period of time.”

It is more relevant today, at this most critical juncture, to remember and practice SHREE SHREE MAA’s divine exhortation in our daily lives.

As a preparatory program, hundreds of devotees all over the world have been participating in Akhand Maha Japa Yagna since 1st of April, and, will continue till the concluding program and even thereafter to create a continuous chain of bondage amongst SHREE SHREE MAA’s devotees in their togetherness to pray to the lotus feet of SHREE SHREE MAA.

ON HER LOTUS FEET

Swapan Ganguli

General Secretary

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