

KANNENPIRAAN THE BIRTH OF KRISHNA PERUMAAN

God has a perpetual design in creating this universe ,this earth and life in this world and HE\SHE is continuously wheeling the chakram to eliminate evil when it becomes cruel in impeding human development towards happiness on the surface of this world. When the innerworld of humanity is threatened ,God incarnates as per his promise to Bhoomadevi as the Earth Mother is called. At the dawn of time ,Lord Visnu married Mother Earth to embody souls for implementation of the law of karma,the principle of uplifting God's design for creating life in various forms.

When evil was so strong to threaten the happiness of human life in the person of the usurper King Kamsen who overthrew his own father and after imprisoning the latter, took the rule of the kingdom and was inflicting tortures to his people by his arrogance and ill-gotten powers. This happened approximately some 5290 years ago, i.e 3280 years before the birth of Christ which marks the dates of the present two millenia. The Lord spent 125 years in this world and left on his tiptoes and ascended heaven 5100 years ago MARKING THE END OF DWAPARAYUGAM and THE BEGINNING OF KALIYUGAM. The Tamil year 5114 had its origin started from that period How can any one venture to say that Lord Krishna is not the God of the tamilians . There is a deep misconception in the minds of the people but considering Lord Krishna 's words in the Bagavatgita when he disclosed his real nature to Arjuna in his swaroopam telling that he was skanda ,the general and son of lord shiva who leads souls on their victorious ways to salvation to merge with lord shiva.

It is worth mentioning that Lord Shiva descended on earth to pay visit to Lord Krishna when the latter was born. Lord Krishna wearing the peacock feather reminds us the soul which repents like Surapadman is always in the mind of God and God will always drive this soul to moksham .Those devotees who believe in Lord krishna take him to be the god of kaliyugam { kaliyugadeivam} and those who believe in lord murugan take him to be the god of kaliyugam {kaliyugadeivam} .considering the permanence of time both Lord Murugan and Lord krishna are of the same SPIRITUAL nature and identity. LORD VISHNU took birth in the womb of Devaki through inspiration. It was a spiritual birth. Lord Murugan took birth from the bosom of Lord SHIVA through his third eye. Spiritual birth too. Both Lord Murugan and Lord Krishna had the mission to teach human beings to be wise enough to live in the world with the vision to reintegrate the kingdom of God.

Natural calamities and human cruelties had destroyed many scriptures from the Karthikeyan school of thought and fortunately the Vedas and the Puranas still exist to mark the ongoing relationship of God with Man. The Bagavatgita and BAGAVATAM and Mahabaratham and Ramayanam had not suffered in their glorious effect as they have been preserved by the people of North India. South Indian civilisation is present in all these epics but the ego of kings and political leaders have divided the people in the South and created hate and envy among them. Had the people of the South along with people of Maharastra and Bengal ,joined in their same and common family stock

,the dravidian civilisation as depicted by the once presence of GENIUS like BODHIDHARMAM,would have made India the leading country of the world.

MAN IS A DIVISIBLE CREATURE and God has been split by human activities built on ego and greed.Mauritius is a country where civilisation and related religions do mix and it is our virtue to see the same and only God through our varied cultures.There is only ONE SUN WHICH SHINES THE SURFACE OF THE ONLY ONE MOON FOR THE SAKE OF HUMANITY ,that is for the human mind. We must get reunited cutting the links with faked and greedy teachers around us. Our GOD IS LOVE AMBE SIVAM. Understanding Indian Culture calls for our focus that India is a multi-lingual and multi-religious and multi-cultural country having been ruled by multiple civilisations through hundreds of dynasties .Its amazing to witness such harmony in diversity.Lord Shiva and Lord Vishnu and with their Saktis have really visited this holy land various times in history.

Lord Krishna took birth at midnight on the ashtami or the 8th day of krishnapaksha or dark fortnight in the month of AVANI ,this year falls on the 8th of September 2012. This date will be observed in Tamil Nadu and in Kerala where the dravidian culture is fully upheld.But Tamil Nadu being of Cosmopolitan culture ,Madras now Chennai was once the main city of international business under the British rule for all India and the national Indian culture is legitimately being manifested at the State Administration.Krishna is a most popular national and Hindu favourite deity and the Bagavat Gita has legal admission in Courts of Justice along with the Thirukkural in the country of Tamil Nadu .Past cultural influences of Islam and Christianity have retained their stronghold in Tamil Nadu and Kerala and which explains their presence in the Tamil cultural forums still nowadays although the state government proclaims its secularity by giving equal opportunities to all its residents.

This year 2012 Krishnajanmastami was celebrated on the 10th August with fasting on the 9th in the states of Maharastra,Andra Pradesh,Gujrat,Karnataka, and Northern states and West Bengal. The Tamil nadu government has blessed the celebration of Krihnajanmastami on that date out of establishment processing. But according to tamil and malayali panjangams Krishna pirandanaal will be celebrated in all kovils on the 8th of September. Actually there is always a change ranging for even a period of one month in Krishna janmastami celebration dates.In India,2013 celebration will be 28th August and in 2014 the celebration will be on 17th August Therefore Krishnajanmastami has no fixed date celebration in most of the states of India yet the celebration date is fixed in Tamil Nadu and Kerala. So there is no need to argue with some doubt on the celebration dates. All depends on the presence of star Rohini in the Astami at that period of time.

Mostly important is the need for celebrating this birthday of Lord Krishna . What Lord Krishna has brought for the happiness of humanity ?

1. Lord Krishna has accomplished the main object of his incarnation on this earth by having punished literally changed their fruits of karma of wicked people and

helped the virtuous for example KAMSEN,NARAKASOORENKALIA ,the serpent and so on.However a lot of wicked people were punished for good.

2. The DHARMAM of each individual was fixed by him on a permanent basis and he came to redeem them,for example the trees he hit with the mortar attached to him by his mother.Read BAGAVATAM to find out the many examples.All this shows that Lord Krishna has made proper arrangements for the protection and guidance of the world.Mahabharatam and Bagavatgita are the two books emanating from Lord Krishna to uphold virtue for proper living and moksha attainment.
3. This incarnation of God is typical in combining in his personality the five aspects of creation,preservation , destruction,concealment and illusion as derived from Lord Shiva Himself to demonstrate to the world the oneness of God.
4. The child Krishna ,BALAKRISHNEN,reminds us of the child BALAMURUGAN and the child BALAGANAPATHY and the childish freaks and escapades of all of them as sung by all devotees on the surface of the earth. Hearing songs on these divine children would send listeners to ecstatic domains in the dhyanam world.
5. Lord Krishna is embodiment of love to keep people around in sublime happiness.
6. He chose to be the charioteer of Arjuna meaning he is the driver of our life on the way to salvation.
7. He left the world with the Bagavatgita to instruct humanity on the right courses of good dharmam.
8. His conduct of military operations reminds us of the nature of Lord Murugan represented by him at the end of Dwaparayugam and the continuity of Lord Murugan's assistance to humanity in the Kaliyugam.
9. His relations with Father,mother and friends ,animals and nature for human beings to follow.
10. Lord Krishna is the only ultimate Yogi who called himself God so that human beings believe in all shaktis' relationships {gopis} around HIM.

The next following episode on Lord Krishna will be the article on the celebration of GOVINDEN in the next issue of the e-journal Pathirikai.

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