

Father's Day Message

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This is Father's Day, I understand. All days are the same when you merge in God's Consciousness. But I understand it's Father's Day, and a little message to the fathers might be in order.

As I have said, we are all equal in God's Light, but we, as fathers, are different. Why? Because being born in this Drama of Life, we have a certain characteristic of God, which is different from the ladies. We have more of that Will, and Power of God, because we're made that way. But, if we exercise that too much, we are not complete.

God's Great Light and Consciousness is not all Will. An aspect of it is what? It's that Feeling – that Love. So, we, as fathers, have to modify our Great Strength and Power by the Love, which the other creation of God, woman, has. We have to balance it, so that we not only have that Strength and Power, but we also have that Sympathy, and that Understanding, which women have, which Divine Mother has.

In India, in the old days, I understood that the father, the husband, was considered the guru. Now, that's a wonderful example for us to try to follow. Let us make, let us, we fathers, make ourselves so that we will be considered the guru in the family. We can do it, by merging in the One Great Light of Christ. If we have that, everybody, including our families, will look up to us, and respect us.

And the greatest example to me, of one of the greatest fathers, is our own Lahiri Mahasaya, who was married, and had two children, but he lived, "in the world, but not of it." He performed his duty, as father of his household, but on one side he was with God all the time. He had found out that, that as a householder, as a father, he was born in an unequal state with his fellow man. But in the One Consciousness of God, they were all equal. So, we, as fathers, can remember that. We have that great example of Lahiri Mahasaya.

Be in the world. Don't run away from this Drama. Who's afraid of this Drama of Life? Who's afraid of life when God is with you? That should be the attitude of

fathers. We have a responsibility as the head of the household. But who is afraid to accept that responsibility when God is with us?

So the solution to the whole problem is, as Jesus said, “Seek first the kingdom of heaven, and His Righteousness” – seek first the Christ Consciousness within, the Great Light of God – “and all other things shall be added unto us.”