Parama Pujya Sri Swamiji's Upadesha, KSHT, 3/8/2022, Women's day

Happy women's day to all.

Matrudevo bhava.

(Sri Swamiji asks Bhajan group to sing the bhajans "Amma memu nee chetilo bommalamma" and "Jaya Lakshmi talli".)

It's Jaya Lakshmi Mata's birth centenary year. It will be celebrated from May 6th to May 6th next year. From May 26th Appaji's 80th birthday will be celebrated.

"Jayalakshmi talli" is a very nice bhajan with a beautiful, powerful meaning.

I am very very happy. You must always be ready to sing. A violin, keyboard, tabla, or mridangam should be ready with the bhajan group. If 10 people are ready to lead, others can join. Don't keep your instruments at home. Keep your instruments here, when no other programs are going on, keep singing bhajans.

Your mother is the Goddess right in front of you in person. If you have a mother who is spiritually inclined, there's no comparison. You must raise kids carefully from childhood. We must not quarrel in front of them or use words that are not conducive. If you raise them well, they will be useful for your family, community, and the world.

Raising children well is a great responsibility. We can say Jayalakshmi Mata is first in carrying out this. Keeping the household work aside, raising kids well was her penance. Not just her children, but she looked after other children in the village. She taught Kannada, Telugu lessons to them. When a beggar showed up at the door, she used to give not just the food but the container also. One thing I learned from my mother is to stay active until I am very tired.

One thing she taught like a mantra Rama Nama is that laziness shouldn't creep into you. That's why I can't stay idle for even one second. I keep myself busy by performing some research, or some physical seva.

Other teachings of Jayalakshmi Mata are

2. Maintain good health.

3. See me in all women.

4. Don't give away secrets of previous births or next.

5. Make sure your teachings are useful to all.

I bless you that all of you get a mother like her.

Motherhood and motherly instincts may come to you all.

You must turn children to a good, Dharmic path before age nine. After that they won't listen to you. by the age of 11, they must be raised on an affectionate path. You must not feel that they may be hurt and hesitate to put them on the right path. If they get hurt when they grow, it's even more dangerous. You must follow the Indian way of raising kids.

If we follow other paths, it may lead to other issues like lack of affection or too much lust and greed. It works for other people, but not us.

You don't have to criticize or praise other people's systems, but we must practice our Dharma.

Goddess Rajarajeswari incarnate Jayalakshmi Mata taught me this.

100-year celebration will be done. 100 poor people will be donated clothes. Establish a music organization in the mother's name. If you meditate on mother Jayalakshmi, her immense energy will help you. You will flourish in any field like music or education.

In Amma's abode in Jayalakshmipuram, so many improvements are being done and annadana (free food distribution) is being done. The local government gave 10 acres of land to be added to the ashram.

There is a small canal to bring water.

it is a peaceful ashram. No one thought it would be developed so quickly and beautifully. Visit Jayalakshmipuram on your next visit.

Also, visit Mekedatu, there may be a dam built there submerging the valley.

Do some service in the name of mother Goddess. Cottages for visitors are being built.

A stone mantapa (altar) is being built for tatagaru (Narahari Teertha Swami). Anyone may sponsor this also.

Since today is Mother's Day, we are remembering mother.

May JayalakshmiMata bless us with energy, may She bless our children. May She remove our sorrows and difficulties, May we have a steadfast mind and giving nature.

Raise your children well.

Jayagurudatta.