



Class-3 (Hindu Religion)

Lecture Sheet of Chapter-6, Section-2 (Truthfulness)

Lecture Sheet -2

Date: 08/10/2020

Story of Prahlada and Hiranyakashipu:

Prahlada was attacked by the soldiers according to the king's order. But he did not die. He was thrown in the fire. But the fire was blown out itself. He was tied to a heavy stone and thrown into the river. But the stone floated up. He was thrown under the elephant's feet, but the elephant picked him up on to its back. He was pushed into the snakes' house. Instead of biting him, the snakes started to dance exposing their hooded skin. He was fed poisoned food. Still Prahlada did not die.

Then after one day Hiranyakashipu called Prahlada sitting on his throne, livid with rage. Reciting the name of Vishnu, Prahlada went to his father. Overcome by anger, Hiranyakashipu roared, "I will kill you with my own hands. Who dare save you?"

Prahlada said, "Vishnu Himself will save me. He prevails everywhere, father. Even in this crystal-pillar."

Then giving a roar, Hiranyakashipu broke the crystal-pillar into pieces. Out of it came a fierce figure, whose name is Nrisimha. His face was that of a lion and his body was like that of a human. Coming out of the pillar He kept Hiranyakashipu on His thighs and killed him. With folded hands, Prahlada was extolling the human-lion Vishnu.

Moral lesson of the story of Prahlada and Hiranyakashipu:

- i) One should speak the truth at any situation.
- ii) One should never fear to speak the truth.
- iii) The truth tellers are never afraid of death. They may encounter many dangers but must overcome all of them in the long run.
- iv) We should be truthful in life.

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- a) Prahalada was a ____ of Vishnu.
- b) The truthful persons don't think about ____.
- c) The honest persons never ____ even at the cost of their life
- d) God cannot be _____ of anyone.
- e) Prahalada said, “ ____ will save me”.

2. Answer the following short questions:

- a) What is truthfulness?
- b) Why was Hiranyakashipu displeased with Prahalada?
- c) What did the elephant do when Prahalada was thrown under its feet?
- d) What would we be by following Prahalada's way of life?
- e) In which form of incarnation did Vishnu kill Hiranyakashipu?

Solution of Hindu Religion Worksheet of Class-3**Chapter-6, Section-2 (Truthfulness)****Solution sheet-2****Date: 08/10/2020****1. Fill in the blanks with appropriate words:**

- a) Prahalada was a ____ of Vishnu. (**devotee**)
- b) The truthful persons don't think about ____ . (**themselves**)
- c) The honest persons never ____ even at the cost of their life. (**tell a lie**)
- d) God cannot be _____ of anyone. (**enemy**)
- e) Prahalada said, “ ____ will save me”. (**Vishnu**)

2. Answer of short questions:

- a) Truthfulness is always speaking the truth.
- b) Hiranyakashipu was displeased with Prahalada, because Prahalada was a true devotee of Vishnu. On the other hand, Hiranyakashipu was the rival of god Vishnu.
- c) The elephant picked him up on to its back, when Prahalada was thrown under its feet.
- d) By following Prahalada's way of life, we would be truthful.
- e) In form of Nrisimha incarnation, Vishnu killed Hiranyakashipu.