



Class-8

Chapter-7 (Ideal Biographies)

Notes

Date:07/11/2020

Lesson-15 and 16 (Ma Anandamoyee):

Identity of Ma Anandamoyee:

Ma Anandamoyee was born on 30 April, 1896 at Kheora village in Brahmanbaria. His father was Bipinbihari Bhattacharya and mother was Moksada Sundari. The original name of Ma Anandamoyee was Nirmala. Her husband was Ramanimohon Chakravarty. After their marriage, Nirmala gave her husband the name Bholanath.

Death of Ma Anandamoyee:

Ma Anandamoyee died on 27 August, 1982. Her burial took place at Konkuj Ashram on the Gangage in Haridwar.

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Short Questions from Lesson-15 and 16:

- 1) When and where was Ma Anandamoyee born?
- 2) Who were Ma Anandamoyee's parents?
- 3) Where was Bipinbihari Bhattacharya's ancestral home?
- 4) What was the original name of Ma Anandamoyee?
- 5) Where did Nirmala's schooling start?
- 6) When was Nirmala married off?
- 7) Who was Nirmala's husband? From where was he?
- 8) Who was Bholanath? Who gave her husband the name Bholanath?
- 9) What did Nirmala's husband do?
- 10) When did Nirmala go to her husband's work station Bajitpur?
- 11) When did Nirmala become restless in the love for Krishna?
- 12) Where was chanting being held?
- 13) What was held at the house of Bhudevchandra Bose? Explain.
- 14) When did a higher divine feeling come in Nirmala? Explain.
- 15) When did Bholanath come to Shahbagh area in Dhaka as the superintendent of the gardens of the then Nawab?
- 16) Where was Anandamoyee's Ashram founded?
- 17) Which one is Anandamoyee's original Ashram?
- 18) When did Ma Anandamoyee go to Dehra Dun with her husband?
- 19) With whom did Ma Anandamoyee have meeting?
- 20) What was the centre of Indian culture, the meditation site of thousands of sages?
- 21) How many Ashrams were established by Ma Anandamoyee?
- 22) When did Ma Anandamoyee die?
- 23) Where did Ma Anandamoyee's burial take place?
- 24) What is a great contribution of Ma Anandamoyee?

Broad Question from Lesson-15 and 16:

- 1) Write about the contribution of Ma Anandamoyee in the practice of religion and culture.
- 2) What lesson or teaching can we get from Ma Anandamoyee? Explain.

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