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TO THE HONOURABLE PRESIDENT OF INDIA

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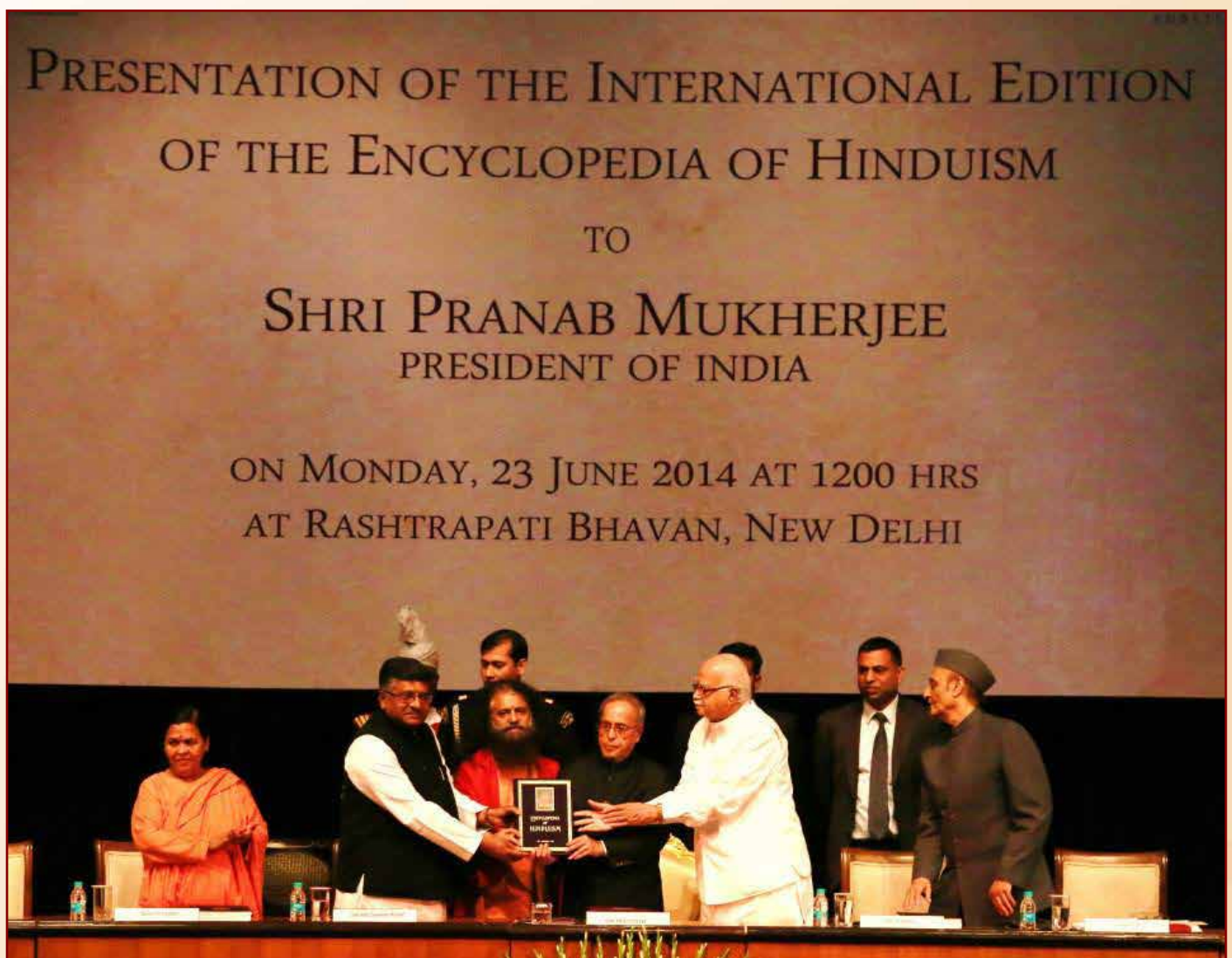



Parmarth Niketan

A HISTORIC MOMENT

Monday June 23 marked a historic moment in the cultural history of India: the official presentation of the international edition of the *Encyclopedia of Hinduism*. The *Encyclopedia of Hinduism* is a project of India Heritage Research Foundation, founded, guided and led by one of India's most revered spiritual leaders, Pujya Swami Chidanand Saraswatiji, President of Parmarth Niketan, Rishikesh. It is a colossal product of more than 1,000 esteemed scholars from around the world.

The presentation of the gorgeous, 7,000 entry, eleven-volume compendium of the depth and breadth of the Indian spiritual and cultural tradition to the **Honourable President Shri Pranab Mukherjee** took place in the main auditorium at Rastrapati Bhavan (President House).



The event was graced also by the presence of the following revered spiritual leaders and dignitaries:

- **Pujya Swami Chidanand Saraswatiji**, President of Parmarth Niketan Ashram, Chairman of India Heritage Research Foundation and Founder of the Encyclopedia of Hinduism project
- **Shri L.K. Advaniji**, MP and Senior Leader of BJP
- **Shri Ravi Shankar Prasadji**, Minister of Law & Justice, Communications & Technology, Government of India
- **Sadhvi Uma Bhartiji**, Minister of Water Resources and River Development, Government of India
- **Dr. Karan Singhji**, Chairman, Auroville Foundation
- **Shri Giani Gurubachan Singhji**, Chief Jathedar, Akal Takat [Golden Temple]
- **Maulanna Dr. Kalbe Sadiq Sahib**, Vice President, Muslim Personal Law Board
- **Shri Rameshbhai Ozaji (Bhaishri)**, Renowned Kathakar
- **Most Reverend Anil José Tomas Couto**, Archbishop of Delhi
- **Dr. Acharya Lokesh Muniji**, Ahimsa Vishwa Bharati
- **Dr. R.K. Pachauriji**, Nobel Laureate and Chairman of IPCC
- **Sadhvi Bhagawati Saraswatiji**, Managing Editor, Encyclopedia of Hinduism



The national anthem at the beginning and end of the event was sung gloriously by Sonu Nigam. Additionally Bollywood celebrities Kailash Kher, Vivek Oberoi and Suresh Oberoi as well as many other eminent dignitaries graced the event with their presence.

The honourable President congratulated Pujya Swamiji for undertaking and completing such a mammoth project. He said, "Hindu religious philosophy identifies Dharma, Artha, Kama, and Moksh, as the foremost objectives of a human being. Striking a balance in human behaviour in working towards these objectives has been prescribed as a key aim of human existence."

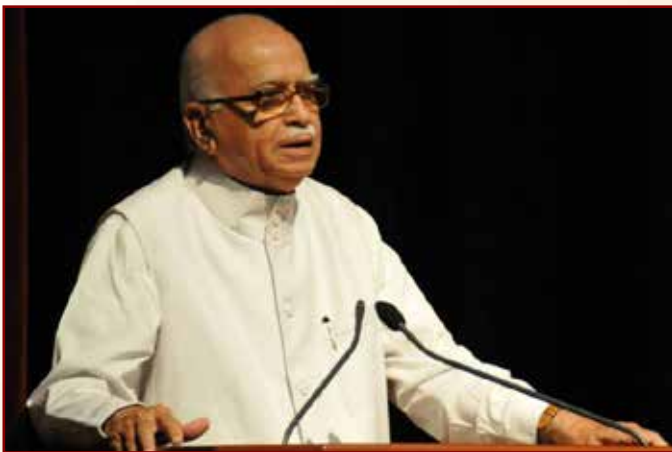


Shri Pranab Mukherjeeji, President of India

Quoting, Dr. Sarvapalli Radhakrishnan, he said “Hinduism is not just a faith. It is the union of reason and intuition that cannot be defined but is only to be experienced.”

The President further stated that the basic tenet of Hinduism is happiness, health and enlightenment for everyone and suffering, pain and agony for none. He quoted Mahatma Gandhi and said “If I were asked to define the Hindu creed, I should simply say: Search after truth through non-violent means. A man may not believe in God and still call himself a Hindu. Hinduism is a relentless pursuit after truth... Hinduism is the religion of truth. Truth is God. Denial of God we have known. Denial of truth we have not known.”

Other quotations from the historic event include:



Shri L.K. Advaniji



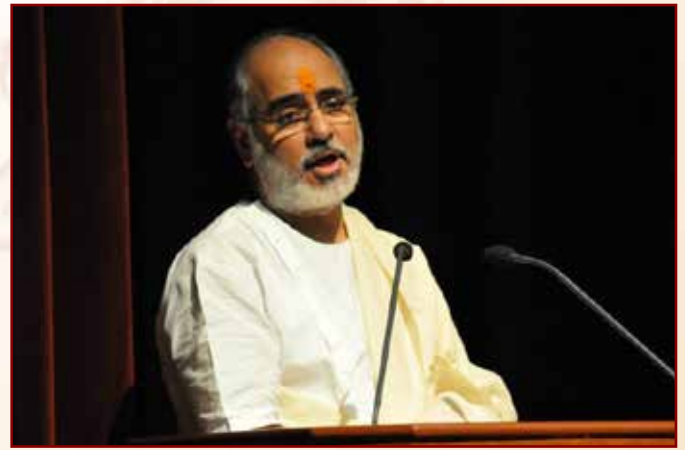
Shri Ravi Shankar Prasadji

Shri L.K. Advaniji said “This Encyclopedia is a huge undertaking and monumental task, and especially to have it presented to a great leader like our Honourable President is testimony to the historic mile-stone of this achievement. The reason that India has been able to sustain itself as a successful democracy for so many years with such a large population is the core Hindu values of living in unity and peace amongst the diversity. This beautiful function is only half complete because the other half has to be done in Rishikesh, at Parmarth Niketan Ashram with the sacred Ganga Aarti ceremony which Pujya Swamiji leads each evening! That is such a pure experience of the purity and divinity of our Hindu tradition.”

Shri Ravi Shankar Prasadji said: “Tenets of Hinduism are faith and dedication. The Encyclopedia is a testament to the faith and dedication of over 1000 scholars coming together from all over the world, under the leadership of Pujya Swami Chidanand Saraswatiji and Sadhvi Bhagawati Saraswatiji.”



Sadhvi Uma Bhartiji



Pujya Shri Rameshbhai Ozaji (Bhaishri)

Sadhvi Uma Bhartiji said “I am so proud to be here and I am so proud to be a Hindu. Hinduism teaches us how to live in harmony and oneness with each other. That is why Hindus are such great neighbors and India is such a great neighboring country.”

Pujya Shri Rameshbhai Ozaji said: “A temple of bricks can be completed in 4-5 years but this Temple of Knowledge took 25 years! Pujya Swamiji is a Maha Kalpana Purush; he had a vision, took a pledge and fulfilled that pledge. The fruit of that sankalp is this Encyclopedia.”

Pujya Swami Chidanand Saraswatiji, founder/chairman of India Heritage Research Foundation and of the Encyclopedia of Hinduism project explains: “The wisdom, truths, teachings and insights of Indian and Hindu culture are not limited to or applicable to only



Acharya Lokesh Muniji

Hindus or Indians. Rather they belong to the world and can deeply benefit the world. It is, therefore, our aim that the richness of this ancient yet timeless culture and heritage should be made available to the entire world, in a way that is authentic, academic, comprehensive and illuminating. However, of course, the teachings,

Pujya Swamiji addressing the audience



truths, tenets and insights of Sanatan Dharma took birth in India. Therefore, to have the religious leaders of India present the Encyclopedia to the Honourable President is a beautiful and most-fitting symbol of the 'Unity in Diversity' which is our Mother India."

Sadhvi Bhagawati Saraswatiji, Managing Editor of the Encyclopedia explains: "This is a great moment in history. The depth and breadth of the world's oldest living culture, civilization, philosophy and theology has finally, for the first time, been encapsulated in encyclopedic form. This launch is such a great symbol of the diversity of India, in which for thousands of years all the major faiths of the world including Hinduism, Islam, Christianity, Sikhism, Jainism, Buddhism and Jainism have co-existed peacefully and harmoniously together."



**Sadhvi Bhagawati
Saraswatiji**

Acharya Lokesh Muniji said: "The Encyclopedia is a much needed bridge between science and spirituality."

Also, Pujya Swami Chidanand Saraswatiji presented the Hon'ble President with a sacred rudraksh tree sapling and a shawl woven with love by the women left widowed, homeless and hopeless by the tragic floods last year in the Kedarnath valley now where under Pujya Swamiji's leadership, Ganga Action Parivar is sponsoring the opening of 3 centers providing vocational skills to over 500 women.

Pujya Swamiji presenting Shri Pranab Mukherjeeji with a sacred rudraksh tree sapling





Maulana Dr. Kalbe Sadiq Sahib



Chief Jathedar, Shri Giani Gurubachan Singhji



Archbishop Father Cuoto



Dr. Karan Singhji



Dr. R.K. Pachauriji

All of the speakers, politicians Shri L.K. Advaniji, Shri Ravi Shankar Prasadji, Sadhvi Uma Bhartiji and Dr. Karan Singhji, the religious leaders, Shri Chief Jathedar Giani Gurubachan Singhji, Maulanna Dr. Kalbe Sadiq Sahib, Pujya Shri Rameshbhai Ozaji, Archbishop Father Cuoto, Acharya Lokesh Muniji and Nobel Laureate Dr. R.K. Pachauriji all deeply appreciated the great vision of Pujya Swami Chidanand Saraswatiji for conceiving of the project and His great Shakti and tapasya for carrying it through to fruition. All speakers emphasized the crucial and universal nature of Hinduism and the great benefit that this wisdom provides to the whole world.



The Encyclopedia has been nearly twenty-five years in the making and it is the first time in history that the depth and breadth of India's great spiritual culture is made available in authentic, academic and scholastic form. It is truly a compendium of thousands of years of history, science, art, architecture, polity, religion, philosophy and culture. Further, the Encyclopedia is not limited to Hinduism as a religion, but rather provides thorough treatment of all of India's indigenous faiths, including Sikhism, Jainism and Buddhism, as well as coverage of the role of the Abrahamic faiths (Islam, Christianity and Judaism) in the culture, civilization, and history of India.



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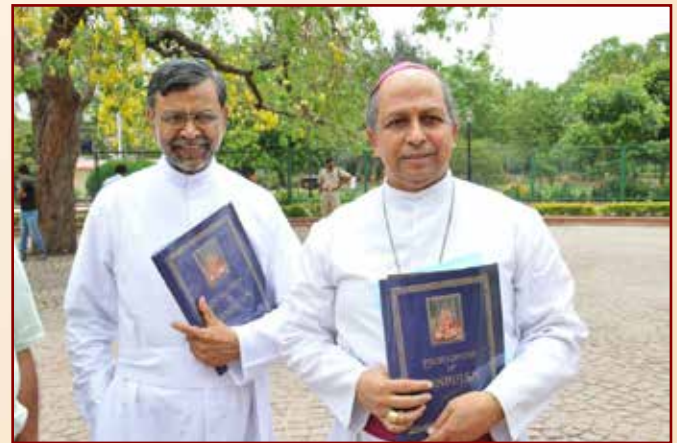
Pujya Swamiji presents a shawl to the Hon'ble President of India woven by the Himalayan women left devastated by last year's floods



Pujya Swamiji with Shri L.K. Advaniji former Governor of Uttar Pradesh Shri B.L. Joshi, and Dr. Vinod Tare



Maulana Dr. Kalbe Sadiq Sahib and Archbishop Father Cuoto hold up the Encyclopedia of Hinduism



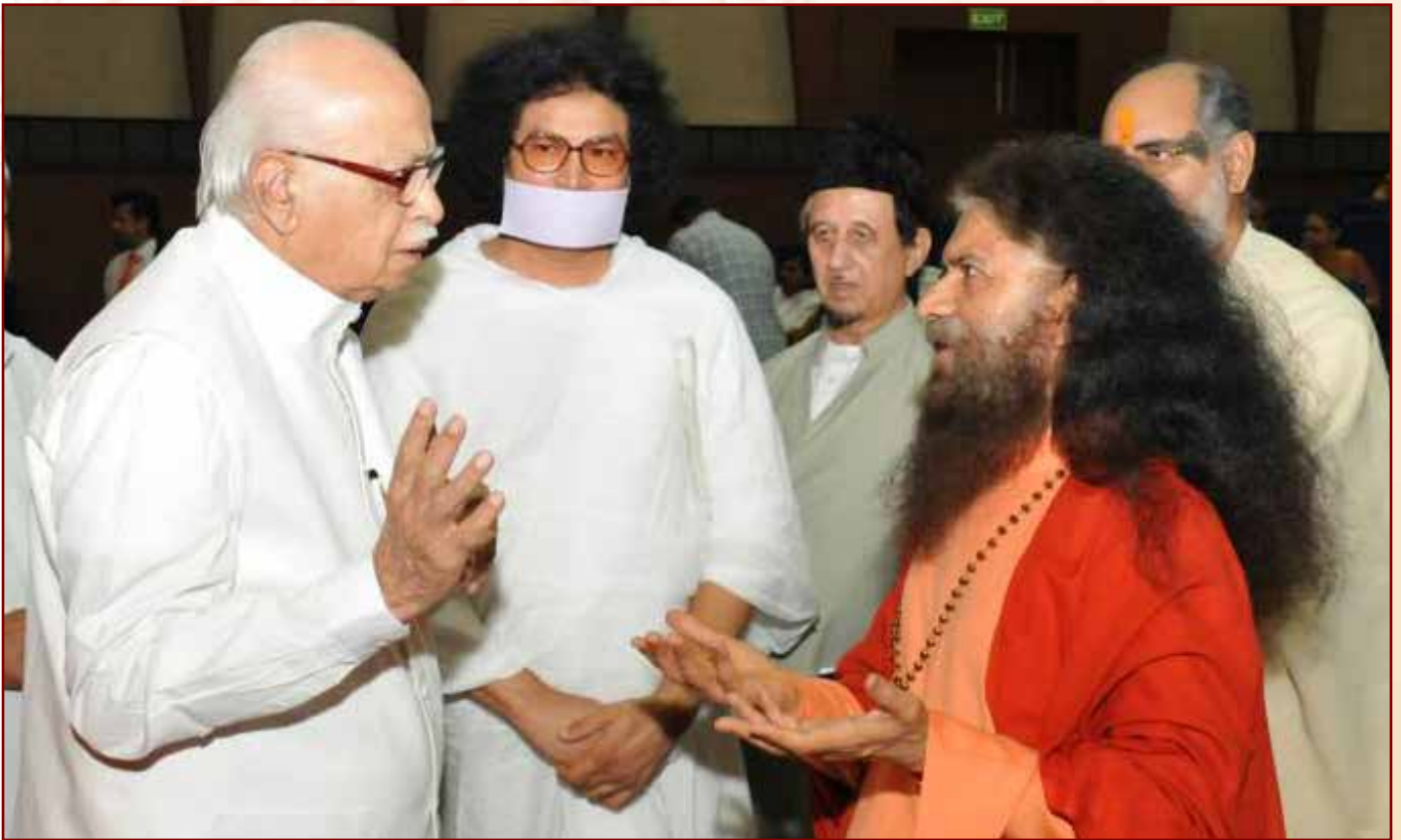
Archbishop Father Cuoto and Father Dominic Emmauel and arrive for the presentation ceremony

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President of India

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Pujya Swamiji with Shri L.K. Advani, Maulana Dr. Kalbe Sadiqi, Pujya Rameshbhai Ozaji and Acharya Lokesh Muniji converse about the encyclopedia being a great boon for all



Distinguished guests rise for the National Anthem, sung by Sonu Nigam



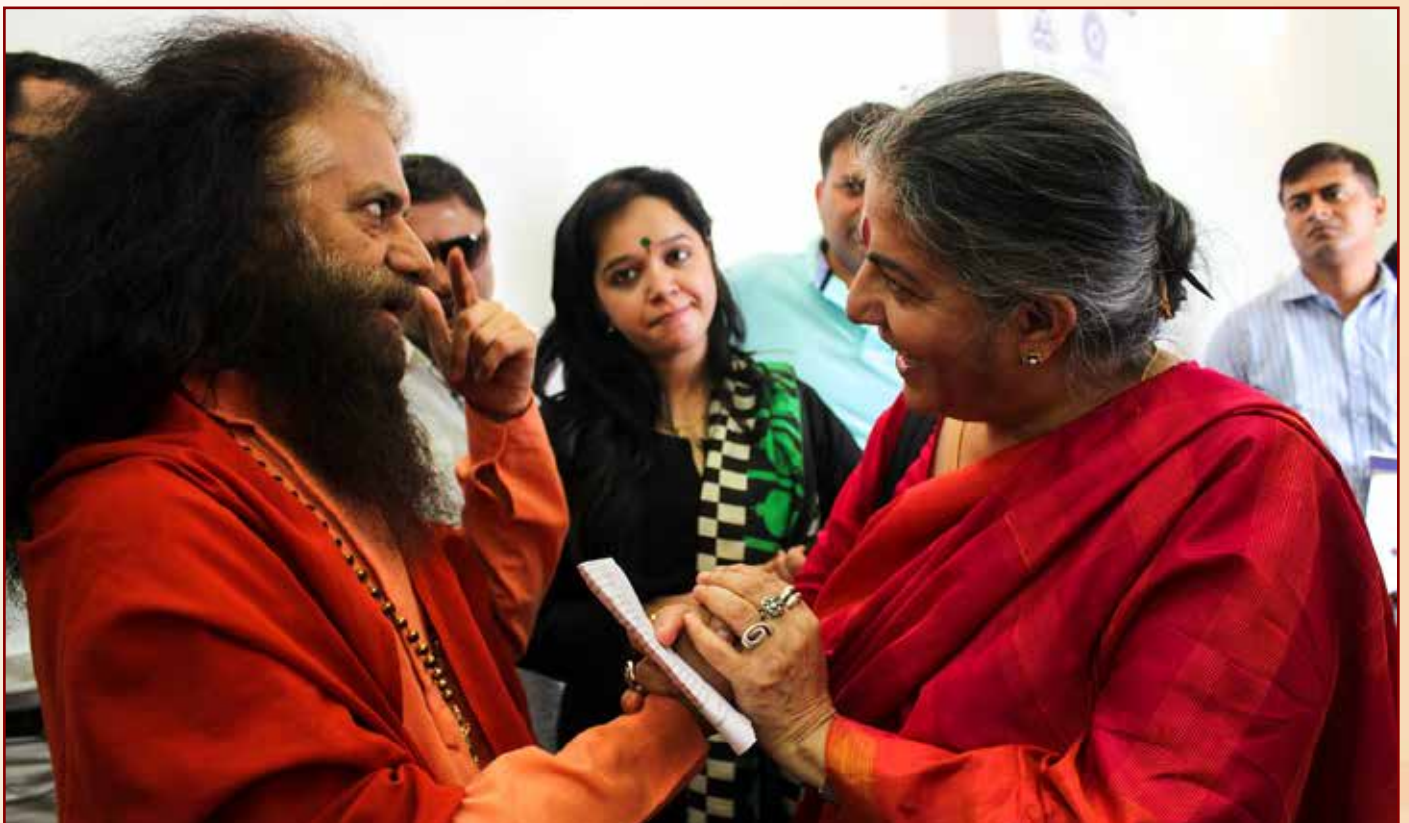
Pujya Swamiji introduces Dr. R.K. Pachauriji to Pujya Rameshchai Ozaji and lauds his tenacious dedication to prevent and abate climate change, while bringing the world together for environmental preservation



Pujya Swamiji, Chief Jathedar Shri Giani Gurubachan Singhji and Shri Ravi Shankar Prasadji admiring the interfaith and august gathering



Pujya Swamiji with Senior Director FICCI, Shri Nirankar Saxena, DRDO Representative, Dr. S Radhakrishnan, Member of the NDMA (Retd), Brig BK Khanna, Shri Rakesh Sood and others commend and congratulate Pujya Swamiji's divine vision and leadership for the Encyclopedia



Pujya Swamiji with Dr. Vandana Shiva, Director of Navdanya and renowned environmentalist and activist



Sonu Nigam, Kailash Kher, Pujya Swamiji, Vivek Oberoi and Shri Vaibhavant Uphaday, Chairman of India Center



Pujya Swamiji and Deputy Military Secretary to the President of India, Capt. Sharad Sharma



Pujya Swamiji with Nobel Laureate Dr. R.K. Pachauriji and Shri Sudheendra Kulkarni



Pujya Swamiji speaks to Pujya Bhaishriji alongside Imam Luqman Tarapuri Sahib, Chief Imam of Gujrat



Ven. Lama Lobzang, President of the Asoka Mission, and Pujya Swamiji



Dr. R.K. Pachauriji, Pujya Swamiji, Acharya Lokesh Muniji, Pujya Vivek Muniji, Ms. Arushi Nishank and other eminent dignitaries arrive at the historic event

GRATITUDE

It was a vision realized to host the very special receiving ceremony of the International Edition of the Encyclopedia of Hinduism, conceived, inspired and guided by Pujya Swamiji, and a project of India Heritage Research Foundation, in its birthplace - the sacred soil of India. This special event was made possible through the great dedication, commitment, generosity, and selflessness of innumerable people and organizations. We would like to extend our deepest gratitude to the following for being invaluable, essential assets to the 'Receiving Ceremony' at the Rashtrapati Bhawan (Presidential Palace):

We are ever so grateful to the entire team of the His Excellency the Hon'ble President of India for making this special event possible, especially:

- Smt. Omita Paul, Secretary to the President, for ensuring the program ran smoothly.
- Shri Rajneesh, IAS and Private Secretary to President whose great dedication and devotion to ensuring the universal message of unity and harmony reaches throughout the nation and the world has been vital for the success of the event.
- Group Captain Shri Sharad Sharma, Deputy Military Secretary to President and Shri Abhinav, ADC to President, for their meticulous dedication and assistance to ensure the programme ran smoothly and flawlessly.
- Shri Venu Rajamony, Press Secretary to President, whose great interest and support allowed the message of this event to reach out through the various avenues of medias to touch and inspire all.
- As well as all other administrative officers who dedicated their services from security to planning to ensure that the event was a grande success.

To Shri Sonu Nigam for flying in especially to sing the National Anthem and adding his beautiful and glorious voice to begin and conclude the programme in its motherland.

Special thanks to Ms. Meera Narshima and Dr. Rachna Bimal for her selfless dedication and graceful anchoring that was the very glue holding the programme together.

Special thanks also to all of the international media - print media and broadcast media - for covering this launch and this project so extensively with such

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The encyclopedia was launched in India by His Holiness the Dalai Lama and the international edition was launched in the US by the University of South Carolina, Columbia.

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Quoting former President Sarvapalli Radhakrishnan, Mukherjee said Hinduism is not just a faith, but a union of reason and intuition that cannot be defined, but is only to be experienced.

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Senior BJP leader and MP, L.E. Advani, Law Minister, Ravi Shankar Prasad, Water Resources Minister, Uma Bharti, Aurville Foundation Chairman, Dr Karan Singh, Swami Chidanand Saraswati and Director General, TERI, R.K. Pachauri attended the function at the auditorium of Rashtrapati Bhavan.

The Encyclopedia, a compendium of thousands of years of history, science, art, architecture, polity, religion, philosophy and culture, took 25 years to complete and is not limited to Hinduism as a religion, but provides an inclusive treatment of India's spiritual culture, including coverage of Sikhism, Jainism and Buddhism traditions, the IHRF said.

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नई दिल्ली, मंगलवार 24 जून, 2014

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Speaking on the occasion, Mukherjee complimented Swami Chidanand Saraswatiiji of the Parmarth Niketan for undertaking the "massive effort" of bringing out the encyclopaedia.

Swami Saraswatiiji is the founder chairman of [India](#) Heritage Research Foundation.

The president said that [Hindu religious](#) philosophy identified 'dharma', 'artha', 'kama' and 'moksh' as the foremost objectives of a human being, a Rashtrapati Bhavan communique said.

Quoting former president and noted philosopher S.Radhakrishnan, Mukherjee said Hinduism was not just a faith, but the union of reason and intuition that cannot be defined but is only to be experienced.

He said the basic tenet of Hinduism was happiness, health and enlightenment for everyone and suffering, pain and agony for none.

The president quoted Mahatma Gandhi to say: "If I were asked to define the Hindu creed, I should simply say: Search after truth through non-violent means. A man may not believe in God and still call himself a Hindu."

"Hinduism is a relentless pursuit after truth... Hinduism is the religion of truth. Truth is God. Denial of God we have known. Denial of truth we have not known."

Among the dignitaries present on the occasion were BJP leaders L.K. Advani, ministers Ravi Shankar Prasad and Uma Bharti, Karan Singh, chairman of Auroville Foundation, Swami Saraswatiiji and R.K. Pachauri, head of TERI.

Among the [religious leaders](#) present on the occasion were Acharya Lokesh Muni, Fr Anil Jose Tomas Couto, the Archbishop of Delhi, Maulana Kalbe Sadiq, the vice president of the Muslim Personal Law Board, Giani Gurubachan Singh, the chief Jathedar of [Akali Takht](#), and Sadhvi Bhagawati Saraswati.

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राष्ट्रपति प्रणव मुखर्जी ने हिन्दुत्व पर विश्वकोष की प्रति की ग्रहण

नई दिल्ली (शुक्र)। राष्ट्रपति प्रणव मुखर्जी ने राष्ट्रपति भवन प्रेक्षगृह में सोमवार को आयोजित एक कार्यक्रम के दौरान हिन्दुत्व पर विश्वकोष की एक प्रति ग्रहण की। राष्ट्रपति ने इस अवसर पर परमार्थ निकेतन के स्वामी चिदानन्द सरस्वतीजी को बधाई दी कि उन्होंने हिन्दुत्व पर विश्वकोष तैयार करने का भगीरथ प्रयास किया। स्वामी चिदानन्द सरस्वतीजी भारत धरोहर अनुसंधान प्रतिष्ठान के संस्थापक अध्यक्ष हैं। राष्ट्रपति ने कहा कि हिंदू धर्म का दर्शन धर्म, अर्थ, काम और मोक्ष पर टिका है जो कि मानव मात्र का प्रमुख उद्देश्य है।

उन्होंने कहा कि जीव के अस्तित्व का मुख्य ध्येय इन उद्देश्यों के जरिए मानव व्यवहार में एक सतुलन स्थापना बताई गई है। डा. सर्वपल्ली राधाकृष्णन का उल्लेख करते हुए उन्होंने कहा कि हिन्दुत्व सिर्फ एक विश्वास नहीं है, यह विवेक बुद्धि और अर्न्तज्ञान का



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हिन्दुत्व सत्य का धर्म है। सत्य ही भगवान है। इस कार्यक्रम के दौरान लाल कृष्ण आडवाणी, केन्द्रीय विधि एवं न्याय तथा संघार एवं तकनीक मंत्री रवि शंकर प्रसाद, केन्द्रीय जल संसाधन, नदी विकास एवं गंगा पुनरुद्धार मंत्री सुशीला उमा भारती, अयोध्या फरवोशन के अध्यक्ष डॉ. कर्ण सिंह, स्वामी चिदानन्द सरस्वतीजी और टेरी के महानिदेशक डा. आर के पंचोरी भी उपस्थित थे। धार्मिक प्रतिनिधियों में डा. आचार्य लोकेश मुनि, दिल्ली के आर्क बिशप फादर अन्जिल जोस थॉमस कार्दो, मुस्लिम पर्सनल लॉ बोर्ड के उपाध्यक्ष मौलाना डा. कबूल खालिक साहिब, स्वर्ण मंदिर में अकाल तख्त के मुख्य जलेश्वर ज्ञानी गुरबचन सिंह और राजकी भाग्यती सरस्वती इस कार्यक्रम में उपस्थित थी।

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Among the dignitaries present on the occasion were BJP leaders L. K. Advani, ministers Ravi Shankar Prasad and Uma Bharti, Karan Singh, chairman of Auroville Foundation, Swami Saraswati and R. K. Pachauri, head of TERI.

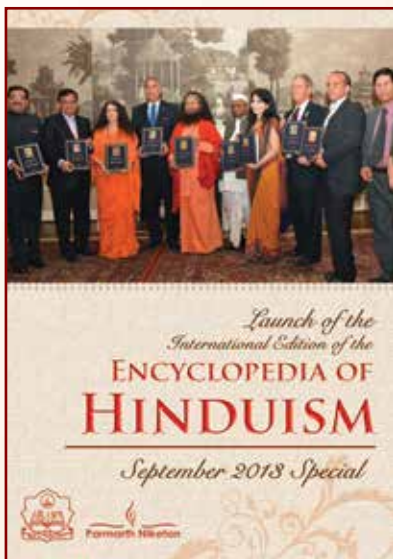
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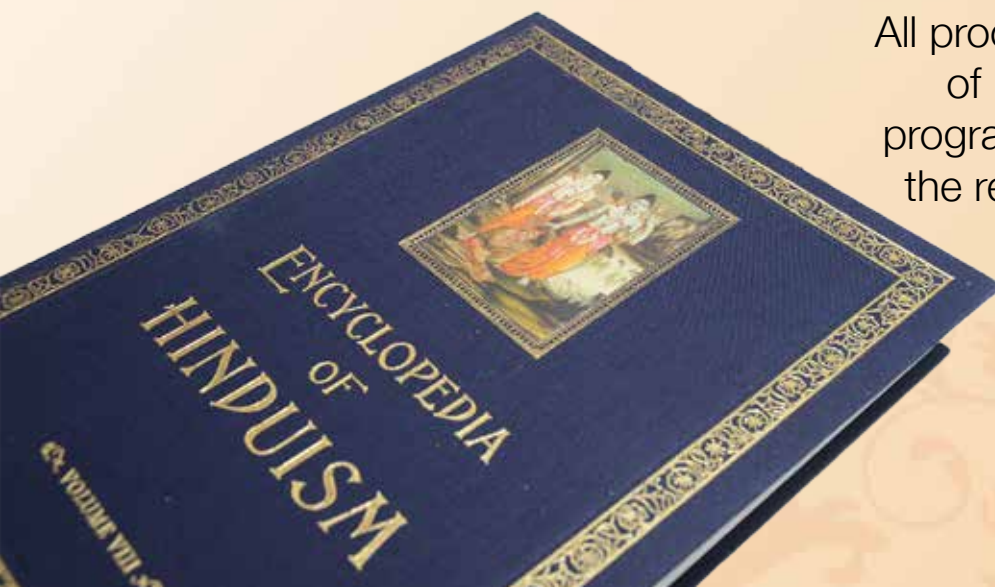


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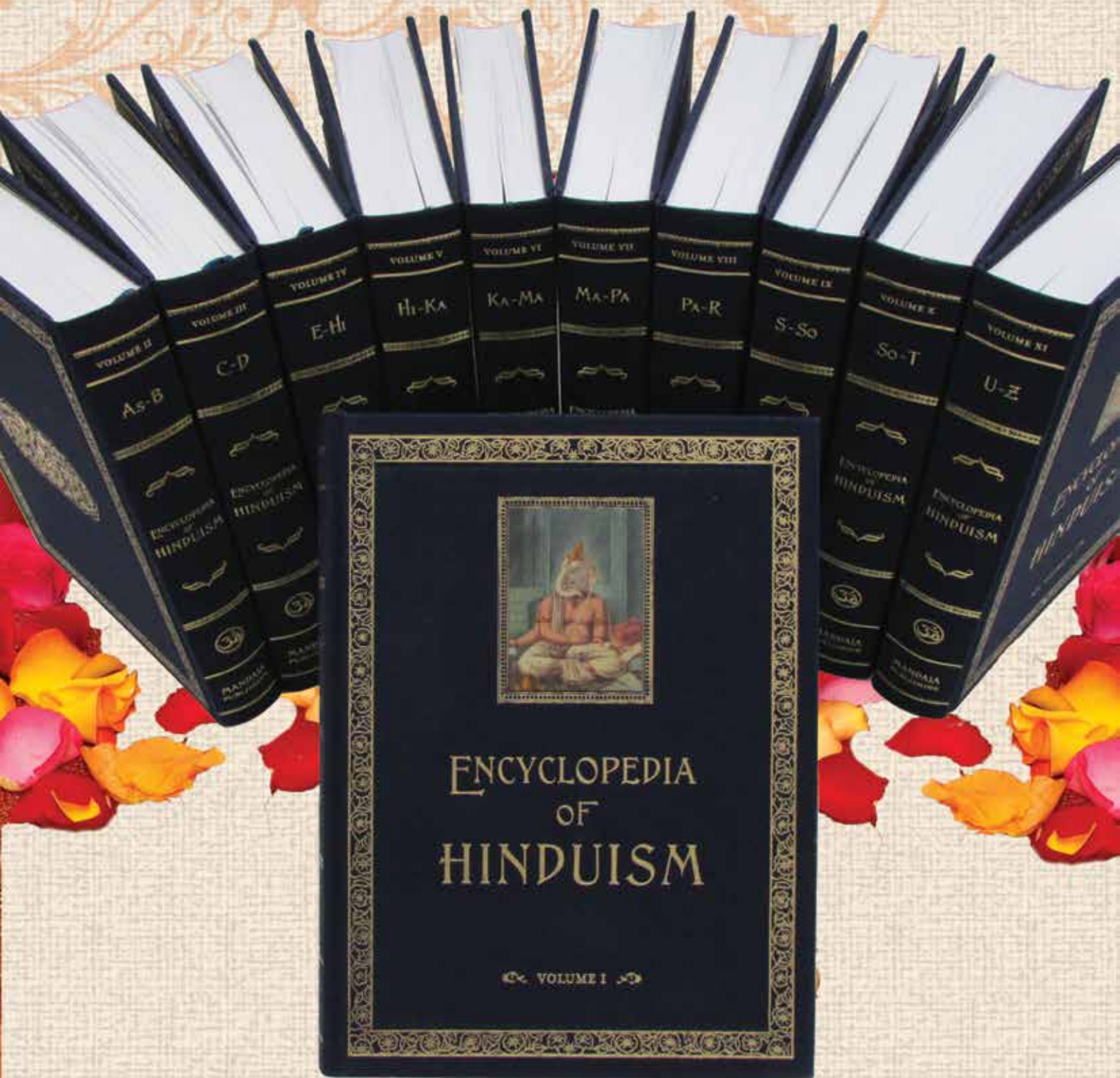


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