



Shri Meher Baba

DIARY

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of events transpiring in company with

SRI MEHER BABA

Commencing —

~~Copy~~

88, Knightsbridge,
London, W.

28th September 1931

My dear Dadachangi -

I returned for
Lancashire only this morning, and was able
to attend to correspondence only after 6.45 p.m.

My time is so taken up that it is
impossible for me to go to Russel Road. Will
Meher Baba come to 88, Knightsbridge?

If he will, please come, or telephone
(Sloane 4232) and make an appointment.

The Conference work takes up most
of my time; indeed you can say practically
the whole of it, but I must see Meher Baba,
if only to look at him, if he can take
the trouble to come here.

Yours Sincerely
(sd.) M. K. Gandhi

m.c.

F. H. Dadachangi
32, Russel Road
Kensington, W. 14 }

To Shri Meher Baba :

(32)

Dear Master

That you wish to have me come to you and that you love me is a joy to me. I cannot now come in the flesh, but my spirit turns toward the Sun that calls him toward the South. I send you the greeting of my spirit and my humble and reverent love. And I ask you to help me by all the power of your magnificent spirit, for I need you.

My dear S. -

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The day of days remains present through all. The beauty that ^{is Shri} Baba penetrates even the commonest things. I find myself still dumb. In contemplation, he appears as "the flaming Rose on the Tree of Life, and the flame is amber-gold."

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Dear and Beloved Sir,

You are nearing departure from our United States. I feel that I may join with the others who have been privileged to meet you - in saying - that America is blessed in having you. May you return soon or remain long in our midst!

We have been ten days flying Westward. Not one hour have you been absent from our hearts and Minds, and the picture graces the wall of each stopping place.

Bringing remembrance, love and gratitude

Ever faithfully

✓ (10)

Baba, I salute thee!

For ten days now we have been flying westward, and the journey which started in a dream of love and bliss has become a veritable Krukshebra with all the forces of the Soul and the personality gathering for the crisis.

About seven years ago, I became conscious of the Self, and after a desperate battle managed to sacrifice and renounce the then existing personality, thereby wiping out thro' love a condition of disharmony that must have existed for many lives.

Life seems to move in spirals and now on a much subtler plane I find no way before me except complete renunciation of the present personality. I am as one to whom earth has become intolerable, and tho' standing before the gateway of Heaven I still lack courage to plunge thro' the flames & fiery swords that bar the entrance.

Your touch has made me know that
I can no longer dwell in the Heresy of
Separateness. May it give me the
courage to plunge thro' the flames in the
world of Reality - to conscious perfect love.

In humble devotion

Please help me!

Meher Baba, the
through whom love flows
of gold -
With deep gratitude

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Meher Bābā, the Beloved,
through whom love flows like a river
of gold —
With deep gratitude from

Beloved Baba -

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Once more before you sail I want to tell you that I love you and long from the depths of my soul to enter into the heart of Love - illumined so that I may reflect henceforth only that Love.

You will go, but you will remain in my heart and may you soon return. The world needs you for the world is starving for Love.

You know what my heart's dream is and so I think of you always that I may one day radiate and be one with shining spiritual love - that universal love that will fulfill & illuminate all mankind.
In deepest gratitude

Dear Baba

The good lady and beautiful soul with whom I share all things on this plane, and I, bid you welcome to California, and to our home.

What we have, very moderate but truly comfortable, and endowed with the Spirit of a house in which only love has dwelt for these years of our occupancy, we place at your disposal, and we will adapt it to the uses of your mission, and see that you are cherished as one cherishes the Indwelling Spirit itself.

Our group, of earnest students, will gladly seek to serve you for the two weeks of your stay, not in serving a man of flesh and blood but in contributing to an inflow of peace and power in a world sadly torn for lack of a genuine activation.

We hope that you will bring a blessing to
our genuine efforts for the Great Ideal, and
that we will be able to carry on, upon the way
which we have chosen and to which we have
committed ourselves, with a spiritual power
and a physical potency which would not have
been possible but for your coming. And we
hope that it may be our privilege to hallow
your introduction to Southern California, so
that we may be of real and appreciable
spiritual aid to you in the beautiful task
and Mission which we feel to be yours.
We regard your coming as significant, and
for it we are preparing with devotion and
zealous anticipation.

In the shadow of the Spirit I greet you!

Beloved Baba -

I just want
that I know beyond the shadow
who you are - the living
You are in my heart
You are holding me in

I love yours

You were with me all

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Beloved Baba -

I just want you to know
that I know beyond the shadow of a doubt
who you are - the living Lord of Love -
You are in my heart and I know that
You are holding me in yours.

I am yours to command

You were with me all last Night

(2)

To Baba

Now that I have seen the flower
of Humanity I know what is the goal of life
and shall never again falter or linger on
the way. Whether we ^{come or} go in time or
space we know your great love encompasses
us and our thoughts and love will be with
you constantly from now on.

Yours in devotion

Beloved Baba ~

It made me unhappy to leave the House of Love and your presence. I have longed to be there in your ^{love illuminating} presence, but when the longing was greatest I have thought most deeply of you and have been helped and sustained.

I have been through another difficult testing which I am sure you know about. I thought of you and love flooded my being and all is well. Where we no longer want a thing it comes to us - what an inviolable law this - But I am so happy for my love is now free from attachment.

I want to help in your work and if you come to California I want to do all I can. After I help get M. home and I will be free and hope I may be able to help prepare the centre for your coming in the Spring. -----

For Baba

His love has stilled the restless Mind
and my heart has found its centre
in the heart of Love

Far and wide the body may roam

Yet my heart remains in Thee

My heart is centred in Thee.

Love floods through ~~to~~ all that live.

And yet I remain one with the Source
of Love.

Greetings to Ch. & A.

My love to M & to Thee

Awakener of Spiritual Love

deepest love and reverence

from

Karachi - August 23/

Arrive Karachi 9 A.M. - Nariman alone found on station, Apandian being late owing to some tramcar incident. - In 2 Victoria's to the old bungalow near the bridge. Asp. following.

After preliminary arrangements of our belongings, Nar. sent to Ghosh's place with information of P's arrival, and arrangement for meals, as Kuma sent a Note expressing inability for Mahan's illness. - No good signs in the beginning.

Mr. J. had also sent a Note with Apandian, enclosing a letter from the ^(Mr. Grand) Lloyd Triestino expressing their inability to book passage as required by us - by "Tivore" leaving Bombay 25th August. - a great disappointment after days of anxious awaiting, number of wires exchanged, and an Assurance given by the Grand office.

With these two disappointments (of meals, or Tivore) immediately on arrival, after a most tedious, tiresome & troublesome journey by rail for 3 days, & with Messrs. & Narim both "lass" (indisposed, tired, & weak) it was a

(Kr. 1 August 1931)

very difficult task for me to pull on, with B. always
found frequently in dejected & sad mood & my own health
too giving way. So - with a view to get temporary ~~British~~
help in my work, I kept Non. with us with B's permission
- calling him at night even to sleep with us.

Booked promptly Arrived with sumptuous
meals I instructed to call Pila alone first, & P. came
in the afternoon, had a ^{long} talk with B. & plans were
discussed for her future stay etc.

Our Beloved Master,

We thank you humbly and much for
your blessings conveyed to us through our
dear brother C.V.S.A. It was a great joy
for us! May we grow in love to you, the
Lord of the Universe!

We were overjoyed hearing that you
were coming to England.

Welcome here in Europe! May your
Blessings rest on all!

As a very little ^{sign of our} devotion, we are sending
to you a small album and a view of
our native town, which we humbly beg to accept.
Perhaps once in future you will also bless our
land with your presence here!

With feelings of joy and devotion
We remain, Your humble devotees

The meditation of the Yogi may be likened to the charging of an electric battery. All the authentic Yogis with which the West has had any acquaintance, such as the late Shri Ramakrishna and Swami Vivekananda, and NOW today the Burning Flame of Spirituality, MEHER BABA, whose ardour is making its presence felt even here in the West. All these have exhibited the same characteristic of a positive radiance which is sufficient of itself to influence others. Each has been surrounded by an intense magnetic field ^{like} that of an active radio coil, which tends automatically to induce similar vibrations in every other coil within its proximity. It is the secret of all true greatness, all leadership, whether along the path of Power, or of Love."

(14)

Dear J. & M.

..... The Meaning of Mystery in
Baba's House is inexpressible in words. I only hope
that what I have received will help me to be an
influence to others

Some time when you write to
Baba Kuddly tell him that my feelings while in
the Ashram were "where he has been,
there His presence ever is"

R. T.

25-7-32

Dear brother -

This is to thank the Master or you
for the kindness extended me on Saturday: and
I am still wondering if it was a dream.

Realizing there is not a word that
would be written by me that is not already
known by Him, ~~Why it will~~ why it will
simply be my wish and constant desire
to be worthy to be "Used" by that Highest
Wisdom of which my knowledge is far far
less than a child in its mother's arms.

With love for all -

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Dear M. —

Mrs. A. — is coming to Harmon tomorrow
afternoon — and I am coming with her. Would
it be possible for us to see ^{Meher} Babo during the late
afternoon? I would be wonderful to have another
contact before he leaves, and I would be so happy
to have another blessing. —

Do you remember showing me a tiny pin-
point of light, set in a ring, I believe, with a
picture of Meher Baba in it? I see it constantly
since I was with Him last Sunday; although
up to that time I had forgotten it. It was one of the
Wonderful Moments of my life when I felt His
Sympathy or Kindness, and I can never thank you
enough, dear M. —, for giving me the opportunity.

With love to you & J. & my profound
respects to Meher Baba —

B

Dear Mr. S. ...

I beg to thank you for your letter telling me of the visit of Shri Meher Baba to this country. I have also heard from Mr. Polak. I would count it a great privilege to meet this distinguished Indian and to know something of his work which Mr. Polak tells me has deeply impressed the great Meherina. But I do not know how I can get to Harmon. A day's trip or even a half^a day's trip out of the city is impossible under the press of routine work which I am now carrying. I am wondering if Shri Baba is not going to be in the city here at some time before he goes away. Will you advise me at once so that I may do my utmost to come in contact with this distinguished man?

My dear M.

Will you ask Meher Baba if it is
written in the stars for him and you and the others
to come here under our roof? I have long felt
the need to have a warm healing presence here.
We have an Auditorium seating 100 --- I could
place a large living room --- 2 other rooms,
--- an attic at your disposal ---

I feel the presence of you all here would
be the most benign thing that the School of
Ageless Wisdom can offer. ---

AFC

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Dear M -

We had a beautiful meeting last night.

.. The group consisted of ..

.. We all felt Baba's beautiful spirit and a wonderful feeling of love pervaded those gathered in Mrs. Case's beautiful living room. We are planning another gathering soon.

.. We all felt that a real start was made last night and great things will result. To have heard the various utterances last night would have warmed Baba's heart, — perhaps it did. We are all His children!

Dear M.

We received your letter tonight, and P. and I are so happy to learn that Shri Baba is coming West, and that we may entertain him. We will want him to meet the outstanding and really great souls in the work here, and then I will want to present him to my own student group, among whom I am sure he will see much inspiring light and sincerity. Definite plans will have to await his pleasure upon his arrival, and he may be sure that we will be able to make arrangements to change arrangements very quickly, so as to fit best into his desires.

Dear M.S.

I feel that Meher Baba knows my deep heart response to his most loving help. In this I feel you shared. My desire would have been to tap even more deeply those springs of wisdom, what was so generously bestowed is within as a quickening flame.

I appreciated so much his seeing me twice the day following the fore.

I was greatly interested in everything I heard you say. To me it was all life giving.

Later I am hoping to hear through M.S. the working out of all the wonderful plans.

Yours in the fellowship of love and service

El. Gd

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I have established your image
in my heart, dear and beloved Sir.

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Very dear and perfect teacher -
The image glows

The face is bathed in filtered
moonbeams

The eyes are holy, hushed and waiting
And my heart is heavy with unshed tears.

"It is very good of you to have sent me newspaper clipping regarding M. B. I do not see how I can write to him, as I have nothing to say to him, but I hope I shall meet him some time, either in India or in Europe. I hope you understand that it is not rudeness on my part not to correspond with him, but I really have nothing to say. After meeting, perhaps we can correspond with each other ————"

J. K.

Arya Vihara

Jai - cal. 18/3/32

Thank you very much for your letter. I should very much like to meet Meher Baba: from what you say he sounds nice, and I hope to have the pleasure of meeting him in America. If you see him, please give him my best greetings.

J.K.

The Camp

Amherst

Holland

1-10-31

હું હજુ છું કે આખું એ અમેરીકા અને
 બાકીની દુનિયા બાબા, ન કોઈ રસ્તાનું આત્મા
 છે, તેને અંતરની લાગણીથી પિછાનું!
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 રીતે પ્રદર્શિત કરવાનું શક્ય નથી.

May all America and the
 rest of the world feel the
 spirit which is here. It is
 the seed of the pure love and
 freedom. It is not possible to
 express adequately my deep
 appreciation and gratitude
 for the spiritual guidance I
 received by contact with Baba
 divinely illuminated soul.

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Spirit which is Baba. We are
in need of His pure love and real
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for the Spiritual guidance I
received by contact with Baba's
divinely illuminated soul.

G. W. D. P. 22, 33

Meherbaba - "Bremer" -

Hundreds here and in
California eagerly awaiting
your arrival
..... Love

6-10-96

Flowers may convey more than words
my intense appreciation of your goodness to me
these two and a half days, and my realization
of your love

Ever & ever Yours M

The flowers say for me "
" I love you ... and please forgive me
for being an encumbrance ... "

My heart is ^{with} You, beloved B.

Dear

You have been often in my thought since November 6th, when, through a series of incidents, which apparently began last Spring and which I deem nothing short of miraculous in their nature, Jean and I became the hosts for a month to Shri Sadguru Meher Baba, known throughout the East as a Perfect Master, and looked upon by many, both in the East and in the West, as the Avatar of the New dispensation.

From the moment that Shri Meher Baba set foot in this house at Harmon, which we are now conducting, under His direction, as the first of a series of five spiritual retreats which He intends to establish in this country, there flowed from Him continuously a love which can only be called divine, which spread through us and everyone He contacted like a beautiful contagion. We who lived with Him began to

understand, as we had never before, what the love feast must have been like. I was reminded, through the lines of the relationship which developed, between Krishna and various incidents in the which seemed remarked back ground.

A deep love known was kindled in our hearts than we had ever experienced. The limitations of the person melted out into Universal consciousness through thought and emotion and we struggled to eliminate fear without effort, over night. Through the circumstances of

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before, what the love feasts of the early Christians
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were reminded, through the incidents of our daily
lives, of the relationship between Jesus and His
disciples, between Krishna and the Gopis, and
of various incidents in the Mahabharata, all of
which seemed re-enacted against a Modern
background.

A deeper love than we had ever
known was kindled in our hearts. A greater
 bliss than we had ever experienced dissolved
the limitations of the personal self and led us
out into Universal consciousness. Habits of
thought and emotion and action which we had
struggled to eliminate for years, disappeared,
without effort, over night. We became aware,
through the circumstances arising in our daily

lives, of both our greatest strengths and our greatest weaknesses, and, in some strange way, we were given the power to use the strengths to overcome the weaknesses. And, in Shri Meher Baba Himself, we witnessed constantly the Manifestation of perfection in every department of life.

Here, again incarnate, we began to realize, was a being such as Jesus, such as Krishna, whose very presence overwhelmed the soul with a love which was beyond its comprehension and its grasp, and whose coming into the world at present was again, as it was in the time of Jesus and of Krishna, for the purpose of ushering in a new consciousness, and, through that consciousness, a new order of being.

You and I and many others
coming into the consciousness - be
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You and I and many others have been
growing into that consciousness - have been working
for the establishment of that New order of being, - for
a long time. Now the fruits of our common labors
are about to be realized. When Sri Mahar Baba
returns to this country in the Spring, and begins
to speak, breaking the silence which he has
maintained for seven years and beginning
his period of public manifestation, what we
experienced, on a small scale, will be
duplicated on a vast scale. A tremendous
spiritual impetus will be given to the whole of
humanity, and a world-wide Awakening
will take place.

I do not need to tell you what a privilege
we feel it to be, to be able, however humbly,
to participate in the task of paving the way for
these things to happen. It is, we have felt, what

we have been preparing for, consciously or unconsciously, all our lives.

I shall hope to be able to bring you in contact with Sri Yukteswar Baba when he returns this Spring.

With all good wishes

I am - Yours Sincerely
M. S.

My dear Sadguru

With Devine Love.

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Nov. 6 - 1936

My dear Sadguru

Your presence is fragrant
with Divine Love. The beauty and Magic of
it can heal all of Man's wounds and free
his Soul from bondage.

The Spontaneous embrace
brought Me very close to the Arms of the
Infinite, and the radiance in Your eyes was
like a benediction from the heavenly Father.

Life for me holds greater
consciousness of joy, a deeper understanding of
Love and high purpose for having spent a
few eternal Moments within the warmth of
Your Aura.

You are Making a troubled world
happier and Wiser — and I lay a
humble bouquet of my deep and everlasting
love in Your lap.

A.M.

N.Y. Oct. 1936. ✓

Shirley M.B.
Beloved Master

M.S.

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These dear ones who are sailing for today to be in the presence of Him who is humanly Divine and Divinely human, are taking with them My heart full of love and of longing to be with them.

This letter they will hand personally to you, Beloved Master, that the sense of separation may be more fully wiped out of My consciousness and that at the proper time, I may stand face to face with Him, in the flesh.

The contact has been made and in truth I know that there is neither time nor space, and that nothing can separate us from the love of God.

Humbly I come before Thee and I know that Thy Grace will fill My nothingness and Thy Unfolding love burn away all My inhibitions.

Hold me close to that Great Love, Beloved Master, and may my eyes never turn away from facing Him who through all eternity has been wooing me.

I am hoping to be kept in close communication with the dear ones, who are leaving here today, knowing that their Messages will fan up the flame in my heart and make me a light, however small, to help illumine the darkened Minds.

That Thy Grace may fall down over my upward vision and undo the laws of matter and of Mind is the sincere prayer of

M. C.

Expressions

" It's for the first time
one in the flesh that was
and felt the Divine
of help. — "

" It's to God and
recognized by an All
Authority like you

(Friend of Mr. Stokes)

" Good Lord — That's
follow his witness

Expressions

" It's for the first time in My life I met
one in the flesh that was like Jesus
and felt His Divine influence ... and Assured
of help. — "

" It's so good and Assuring to be
recognised by An All-Knowing
Authority like you — "

" Good Soul — That is why the Sun
follows him wherever he Moves " "

(Friend of M. Stearns)