

## LIFE... T20... A GAME



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### FROM THE DESK OF CHAIRMAN

In the period of Cricket T20 fever, An Honest attempt is made to compare life to Game of T - 20 Cricket, FRIENDS has almighty created life for entertainment, like any game, as we humans have created for our entertainment. Life is a game of skills talent striving endurance with honesty, Similar to sports, we all strive, and the best one wins the game, but at the end of the day it is Game! Game!

Assuming Life span of 80 years, In 20:20 game of life. Even if life does not change exactly every 20 years, but it does roughly move in these phases. The first 20 years of our life are determined by and large with our karma of our past birth due to which we are born in particular form, country religion race or family. These factors affect us to the age of 20, which is in our childhood and adolescence.

The progress we make in the next 20 years from age 20 to 40, our youth and adulthood, are determined by our karmas of the first 20 years, particularly our parents guidance, or lack of it, education or lack of it, our cultural education in the family or lack it, The society where we are grown up etc., at the same time, the effects of karma of our last birth fade out and lessen their effects on us the result of those karma we have already enjoyed or suffered in the first 20 years of our life.

Similarly, the next 20 years, approximately from age 40 to 60 years of our adulthood and midlife, get affected by the karma of the past 20 years of our life; at the same time we gradually stop suffering or enjoying the benefits from our karma of our first 20 years of life. Be it developed in intellectual capacity, the friends we choose, the society we live in, our social activities, practicing and following religious philosophy, the books we read, the knowledge we gather, living cheerful and disciplined living, The wisdom developed from knowledge and learning from mistakes made in the past.

In the next 20 years from age 60 to 80 we are relatively free from the baggage of our first 60 years as we are freed from family and work responsibilities; we can overcome or enjoy our own karma of our past 20 years in our last days due to understanding and wisdom gained with age.

In this phase we have all the opportunity and very little reason not to redeem our lives. If we have done good, we enjoy the fruits; if we have collected bad karma knowingly or unknowingly due to anger greed, vices, revenge or over indulgences of our senses, we suffer. Many people however sleepwalk through life without understanding life or learning from mistakes. But those who wake up even late redeem their lives.

In the game of life we may have neither won nor lost, However in life generally we get extra time to score and win the lost ground,. The quality of the next life would depend on how we have played the game of life. The years after age 60 can be used effectively to win in a short time by redeeming ourselves from our sins by good acts.

We can not only improve our last days but also sow seeds for a better next birth. And if we play the game well we need not come back to play more games as we can retire as winners and achieve moksha

**!!!! TREAT OTHER THE WAY YOU WANT TO BE TREATED !!!!!**

**!!!! REMEMBER THE SOUL IS ON JOURNEY !!!!!**

*Thank you all..... Always in Gratitude*

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