



Om Namo Bhagavate Vasudevaya

AKHANDA VISHNU SAHASRANAMA THIRD ANNUAL GLOBAL SATSANG

USA

*Temples, Organizations, Community Centers, and Individual Families
Participate in the*

SRI VISHNU SAHASRANAMA (VSN) PARAYANA
for Viswa Shanti and Kalyanam

**On Saturday, October 9, 2010, Starts at
0930 AM EST, 0830 AM Central, 0730 AM Mountain,
0630 AM Pacific, and 0330 AM Alaska/Hawaii**

VSN Parayana:

VSN format for the Global VSN Satsang on Oct 9, 2010, across US is as follows:

**VSN Purva Peethika ---- Once (Start: 0930 AM EST)
VSN Stotram ---- Five Times
VSN Uttara Peethika ---- Once**

This is followed by the Sri Lakshmi Asttotharam, and other activities (archana, naivedyam, harati, etc.) of the temple, organization, or community center.

AVS Goal for 2010:

On October 9, 2010, Saturday, our goal is to chant Two Million VSN in one Satsang, at the same time, across different countries of the world. For this we need your help to reach to at least 400,000 devotees across India, US and Canada, Europe, South America, Africa, Asia, and Australia.

At the request of devotees from India, Australia, and Japan, the Global Satsang starts one hour early corresponding to 0930 AM EST in USA on Saturday, October 9, 2010. Please see the following Table for corresponding times in other countries of the world.

Please see next page for details of the AVS Organization.

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**AKHANDA VISHNU SAHASRANAMA (AVS) ORGANIZATION
(October 9, 2010, Third Annual Global Satsang
Corresponding to 0930 AM EST in USA/Canada)**

❖ **Global VSS Chanting**

Meditation, Japa, and Stotra are the three paths of devotion. Of these three paths, Stotra is simpler, open to all, and can be chanted any time without any accompanying rituals. As a result Stotra has become a popular devotional technique. Out of all the shasranama stotras, the Vishnu Sahasranama Stotra (VSS) is popular and commonly chanted in all houses, communities, organizations, and temples across India, US, Canada, UK, and other countries of the world with sizeable Indian population.

❖ **AVS Organization**

The AVS organization is started in 2008 to channel the global VSS chanting across different countries in the world, once a year on a Saturday, into one satsang at the same time. This coordinated effort would help to intensify the vibrations and energy of VSS in promoting the peace, harmony, and welfare of the world we live in. The annual satsang is set for the first Saturday of the Navaratri festival which corresponds to the Brahmotsavam of Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanam, AP, India. See next page for the summary of last year's Global Satsang.

This year the Global Satsang is on October 9, 2010, the first Saturday of the Navaratri festival. Each year we will add and formalize the participation of different countries in this global effort. *With the blessings of Lord Venkateswara and increased participation in India and different countries of the world, we plan to chant one Crore VSS globally in one satsang at the same time in the near future.*

❖ **AVS 2009 Global Vishnu Sahasranama (VSN) Satsang Summary**

Goal: Coordinate the Global VSN Satsang to chant 100,008 VSNs at the same time (corresponding to 1030 AM EST, USA) in different parts of the world.

The same time Global VSN Satsang was held on Saturday, Sept. 19, 2009. Nearly 150,000 devotees, from 14 different countries in the world, chanted more than 700,000 VSNs in this year's annual Global VSN Satsang. The countries participated in this Satsang include:

Australia, Canada, Emirates, England, India, Japan, Kenya,
Sultanate of Oman, Singapore, Syria, Taiwan, USA, Zambia

More than 1600 devotees across six different times zones from USA and Canada participated in chanting a total of more than four thousand VSNs in 51 different places (including 26 temples in 20 States) in USA, and 27 places (including 7 temples in 6 Provinces) in Canada. At the same time in India (8PM IST) more than 140,000 devotees participated in chanting seven hundred and seven thousand VSNs in 921 places (including 508 temples and ashrams in 15 States). Like wise more than 900 devotees from 11 other countries (in 14 places including 7 temples) chanted nearly 4300 VSNs.

Global VSS Satsang Local Timings on Saturday, Oct 9, 2010

Corresponding to 0930 AM EST in US and Canada

Place	Local Time	Place	Local Time
US/Canada:		Asia:	
EST	0930 AM	India	0700 PM
Central	0830 AM	Nepal	0700 PM
Mountain	0730 AM	Sri Lanka	0700 PM
Pacific	0630 AM		
Alaska	0330 AM	Bangladesh	0830 PM
Hawaii	0330 AM	Thailand	0830 PM
Canada:		Singapore	0930 PM
NB, NS, and PEI	1030 AM	Malaysia	0930 PM
Newfoundland	1100 AM	Hong Kong	0930 PM
		Philippines	0930 PM
Europe:		Taiwan	0930 PM
UK	0230 PM		
Spain to Sweden	0330 PM	South Korea	1030 PM
Finland	0430 PM	Japan	1030 PM
Russia	0530 PM		
Gulf:		Australia:	
Riyadh	0430 PM	Perth	0930 PM
Syria	0430 PM	Adelaide	1100 PM
Dubai	0530 PM	Brisbane	1130 PM
Oman	0530 PM	Canberra	1130 PM
		Melbourne	1130 PM
Africa:		Sydney	1130 PM
Ghana	0130 PM		
Nigeria	0230 PM	New Zealand:	
Egypt	0330 PM	Auckland	0130 AM (Sunday)
Libya	0330 PM		
South Africa	0330 PM		
Zambia	0330 PM	Central America:	Corresponding to 0930 AM EST in USA
Zimbabwe	0330 PM	Caribbean:	Corresponding to 0930 AM EST in USA
Kenya	0430 PM	South America:	Corresponding to 0930 AM EST in USA
Uganda	0430 PM		