

July 26<sup>th</sup>

To whom it may concern,

My name is Ma Zena, formerly I have worked as a translator, a hotel/restaurant manager and a Janitor.

I have been a disciple of Bhagwan Shree Rajneesh for 4 years; and his presence in my life has transformed me.

What used to be 'work'; a 'way to make a living'; has turned into worship, and a way of life.

At first his Teachings came to me through his words. Later, after he went into silence even stronger, through his very Silence.

Being around him, living His Vision, is my religion.

Life here in Rajneeshpuram would not be anything close to the amazing place it is with Bhagwan here. This inspiration makes seemingly impossible tasks a joy & an adventure.

Just because of this grace are we worshipping gracefully together (just now I am thinking of the beautifully organized 2<sup>d</sup> Annual World Celebration in the presence; that made it possible for 15,000 pilgrims to be here with him)

In all the years of extensive farming experience I have never seen a farming community, or farm, combine all the facets of farming life together (chickens, dairy cows, beef cattle, horses, orchard farming vegetables, flowers, trees, shrubs, hothouses) in the way it is happening here - to feed the community, develop the land and make Raigeshwar into the beautiful oasis it is now. Working together, not competing, putting skills together with a positive energy that comes out in sheer love of life, love for our land and respect & love for Our Master & each other. Never have I seen results in such a short time.

All this incredible outpour of energy is all because He inspires it, because of His Being Here.

I have never known such a feeling of well-being in my life, I have never enjoyed working as much as I do here. My life has never been as full as it is now.

And being around them, or sitting in silence with them in Satsang and Darshan, just having them here, is my greatest joy & inspiration.

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