



A Divine Session with
His Holiness **MORARI BAPU**
Renowned Exponent of the
Ram Charit Manas

TRUE MEANING AND UNDERSTANDING OF
RAM RAJYA IN TODAY'S CONTEXT

You are cordially invited on
Sunday, 04 October, 2015, 5.00 P.M.
at
Nazrul Mancha



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About **SHRI MORARI BAPU**

A renowned exponent of the Ram Charit Manas reciting Ram Kathas for over fifty five years throughout the world, the ethos of Katha of Holy Saint Morari Bapu is universal peace and spreading the message of **Truth, Love and Compassion**. Born on the day of Shivratri in 1947 in the village of Talgajarda, close to Mahuva in Bhavnagar district of Gujarat, Bapu had memorised the entire Ram Charit Manas, by the age of twelve and had begun reciting and singing the Ram Katha at the age of fourteen.

The remarkable journey of reciting the Ramayana, which began in the presence of three village folk, has now taken Bapu to all corners of the world. For over 760 Ram Kathas and 19 Krishna Kathas (Gopi Geet) held to date, Bapu has traversed almost every part of India and the World at large, drawing millions of Shrotas and avid followers.

As well as doing Ram Kathas, Bapu has devoted much of his energy in bringing together communities, religions, sects and castes in advocating peace and harmony both in India and globally. For two decades now, Bapu is the chief guest at the annual Yaad-e-Hussain programme held by the Muslim community in Mahuva. He also organises marriage ceremonies for Hindu and Muslim girls who are unable to pay for their wedding and participates in Kathas and other functions that are held by Dalits and Devi Pujaks.

At times of calamity in India and abroad, be it the Gujarat or Uttarakhand earthquake or Bihar or Assam floods or nuclear leak in Fukushima, Japan, Bapu has contributed generously to provide aid wherever possible. In his hometown of Talgajarda, Bapu organises several literary and cultural programmes, honouring litterateurs, musicians, dancers, dramatists and actors among others. A conference on World Religions, Dialogue and Harmony, was held in 2009, inaugurated by the honourable Dalai Lama. Religious leaders of Buddhism, Jainism, Sikhism, Islam, Christianity as well as Hinduism spoke about the fundamental principles of their orders and advocated continuous dialogue for establishing inter-faith harmony.

While the focal point is the scripture itself, Bapu draws upon examples from other religions and invites people from all faiths to attend the discourses.