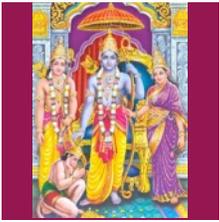


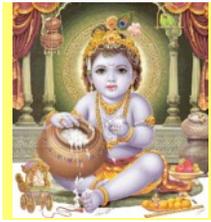
Sita Ram



Ganesh



Krishna



Durga



Shiva



## God is in Your Genes!

*Sadhguru speaks about the science behind the system of gotras and kulas that were established in Indian culture, which show a deep understanding of genetics.*

*Indian culture is incredibly complex and may resemble a chaos of mind-boggling proportions. But beneath this seeming chaos is a scientific foundation that is thousands of years old. The series "Why We Do What We Do", will look at the basis behind the various elements of Indian culture, and explain how even the minutest detail was geared towards a human being's immediate and ultimate wellbeing.*



**Questioner:** What is the significance of giving one's name, nakshatra and gotram while doing the abhishekam at Linga Bhairavi?

**Sadhguru:** These things were very significant and relevant when deities were created in a certain way. Indian culture was created with an understanding of the phenomenal complexity of life, but today this has become one big hotchpotch because invasions in the last 1800 years have seriously disturbed the instruments and institutions which transmitted this from generation to generation. Otherwise, this is a very sophisticated science.

At one time, every temple that was set up was a live temple. It was alive, not a doll that you go and worship. A live force was created of different calibers, categories, and qualities. People did not go to every temple. There were some temples which were for general wellbeing, where everybody went. But for specific purposes, people went only to their Kuladaivam (clan deity). This was a fabulous understanding of genetics and how it functions.

Today, scientists can dig up one little bone of someone who died a hundred years ago, take it to the laboratory, check that DNA and compare it with your DNA and say, "This was your grandfather." You can do this even for someone who died ten thousand years ago. Science gives you this access. Similarly, for thousands of years, people maintained the genetic track in their own way – never mixing it up or doing anything which will disturb the track – so that their progeny come out well. Not only that, you can create a certain energy which travels through the track. Everybody in your kula (clan) need not go to the temple. You go and do the process and everyone benefits because everyone in that kula is connected. Right now, medical science is also heading in this direction. They can find something that works for your DNA, and all the people who have that type of DNA will benefit.

This was understood and genetic lines were maintained so strictly and an energy source was established for that particular DNA and genetic trend. When someone goes to the temple, they are not telling some God up there about their kula. They are just registering, "This is me, I belong to this line, this is my gotra, this is my nakshatra, this is my kula." They are saying, "This is my DNA, do something for me." It is the most scientific way of handling it. It is a wonderful understanding of life.

Source: Isha Blog

## Activities in Lafayette

SHSK Sunday School - Contact Dinesh Deoras: 337-296-6576

Purna Vidya - Vedic Heritage Teaching Program for Children - Contact Pallavi Pal: 337-988-3928

Telugu Language Class - Mana Badi - Contact Kiranmai Bandaru: 270-320-5906

Tamil Language Class - Valluvar Thamizh Palli - Contact Senthil Thavamani: 337-296-1340

Bharatanatyam - Classical Indian Dance - Contact Suchandra Hazra: 512-644-9948

Tennis League - Contact Pranav Sharma: 337-255-0468

Volleyball League - Contact Prasanth Buchireddy: 662-491-3111

Acadiana Badminton Club - Contact Praveen Choudry: 414-491-1720

Acadiana Indian Association - Contact Prabhakar Vemavarapu: 337-212-6277

Lafayette Gujarati Samaj - Contact Nimesh Patel: 337-515-4177

Dear All,

As we are moving towards our temple construction process, we need your support to spread the word to your friends and family for temple fundraising. To facilitate the fundraising we have created a gofundme link <https://www.gofundme.com/shskfundme>, we request each one of you to be an active voice in raising funds for our dream temple project. You can share the gofundme link through your Facebook, WhatsApp and email to your friends and family.

We hope with your collective effort we would be able to reach our target before end of this year.

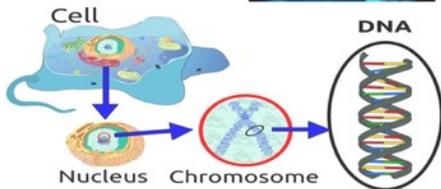
Thank you for your continued support and blessings.

Sincerely,  
SHSK Board

### DNA

• **Location:** in the nucleus, on the chromosomes

• **Function:** carries the codes for protein synthesis; carries genetic information



## September 2017 Dates

Based on Lafayette, Louisiana, US Time

03 Sunday	Onam
19 Tuesday	Sarva Pitru Amavasya
20 Wednesday	Navratri Begins
28 Thursday	Saraswati Puja, Durga Ashtami
30 Saturday	Dussehra, Vijaydashami

For more details please refer

[DrikPanchang.com](http://DrikPanchang.com)