



COSMIC ASTROLOGY SEMINAR

Swami Shankarananda Giri



March 1st to 10th 2018 - Kriya Yoga ashram -
Rishikesh



Dear all,

We would like to inform you that the next retreat with Swami Shankarananda Giri is going to take place on 1st to 10th March 2018 at Kriya Yoga Ashram, Rishikesh.

We are sure that the experience of taking part in this seminar will be again enriching, as Swamiji will be giving teachings on Cosmic Astrology, underlining the direct connections with Kriya Yoga practice and the sacred texts of the Vedic tradition. He will reveal the mysteries of tithis (the cycles of the Sun and Moon in the human body), give explanations about the calculation of the Hindu festivals and many other topics that will interest all of us.

The holy science of Cosmic Astrology (Brahmanda Jyotis in Sanskrit) was revived by Sri Yukteswarjee , after being long time lost due to the effects of *dvapara yuga*, when people engrossed themselves in *maya* and many lost the divine knowledge and awareness. From Sri Yukteswarjee it was later transmitted to Swami Narayan Giri (Prabhujee) who in turn handed it over to Swami Shankarananda Giri.

Due to his own experiences, deep knowledge of scriptures and highly spiritual advancement into Kriya Yoga, Swamiji enhanced even more the sacred Cosmic Astrology, developing many diagrams and formulas in order to give a better understanding to all spiritual seekers and to the general public at large.

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Registration are open from November till February 15th

Please register with your country coordinator or to shankara.kriya.infos@gmail.com if your are not linked to any group, or if you have a special query.

It is **mandatory** to provide **all the details of your flight, back and forth:**

- name ...
- e-mail ...
- arrival day, time and place ...
- departure day, time and place ...

Cost : 300 € from 1st to 10th March or 30 € per day for a shorter period.

This amount includes all accommodation in ashram and program. Any additional donation to ashram or to Swamiji is upon your appreciation. You will be accommodated in double rooms or larger triple rooms (*there are few single rooms reserved for special cases / additional cost is 50€ for the stay*). If you prefer to share a room with a particular individual, please let us know.

The cost of the seminar will be payable **right upon arrival** to the coordinators. You are requested to **prepare the money in advance**, in an envelope. You can pay in **euros, dollars or rupees**.

For 10 days seminar :

- **22000 INR / 300 € / 350 \$**

For additional stay before or after the seminar, the cost for accommodation per day is:

- **500 rupees / 7.00 € / 8.00 \$** (to be included in the envelope).

Kriya yoga initiation: 1st of March early morning

New participants can receive the First Kriya initiation during the seminar.

For the initiation ceremony one may provide: a donation, 5 fruits, 5 flowers, 1 packet of ghee, 1 packet of incense. You will find fruits in the small shops front of the ashram.

We can buy the flowers, ghee and incense for you for **300 INR**.

Donation for Initiation is **3000 INR / 42.00 € / 48 \$**

There will be only 1st Kriya initiation.

Atrology reading

You can book an appointment with Swamiji (\pm 20 minutes) or with Jean (\pm 45 minutes) to check your chart, receive mantra according to your planets and advices for your life and spiritual path. Please provide your **day, time** and **place** of birth.

Cost for chart reading is on donation, with minimum 3000 INR / 42.00 € / 48 \$

Travel details

The best way to reach Rishikesh is to fly from your country to Delhi and then take a domestic flight to Dehradun airport (30 km to the ashram). <https://www.cleartrip.com/offers/india/domestic-flights>

You can book a taxi to pick you up at Dehradun airport according to your arrival time. Cost is about 800 / 1000 Rs for a car, 3 or 4 seats and luggage. Call **Sahdev**, taxi driver in Rishikesh, on his Whats'App: **+91 963 489 1129** . Otherwise you will find at the airport many local taxis.

You can also book a taxi from Delhi airport to Rishikesh (6 to 8 hours drive) with Sahdev or try this link: <https://www.makemytrip.com/cabs>

Send your travel details as soon as you have your booking reference.

All participants are suggested to reach the ashram a day or two before the program starts, so they can have enough time to rest and accommodate.

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Note : do not contact Rishikesh ashram individually.

Daily schedule of the retreat

Morning

- 5.30 AM to 7.30 AM : morning *arati* + Swamiji's talk + guided meditation
- 8.00 AM : breakfast - silence to be maintained after *arati* till 9.00 AM and in the refectory
- 10.00 AM to 12.30 PM: teaching on osmic Astrology

Afternoon

- 3.00 PM to 5.30 PM : teaching on Cosmic Astrology
- 6.30 PM to 8.00 PM : evening *arati* + Swamiji's talk + guided meditation
- 8.00 PM : dinner - silence to be maintained after *arati* till 9.00 PM

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