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YOU ARE INVITED TO ATTEND ANY OF THE FOLLOWING **ECKANKAR** ACTIVITIES IN ALABAMA. For more information about a particular event, you may write one of the Eckankar Satsangs shown on the outside cover page.

ECK Light and Sound Services

The ECK Light and Sound Service is made up of three spiritual parts. It begins with a short, uplifting reading from the works of Eckankar. The group next sings HU, a love song to God, and shares in an open discussion of some aspect of the ECK teachings.

Huntsville

Huntsville Eckankar Center 900 Wellman Avenue, NE #3 Also available online via Zoom (see p. 3 for link info)

Date: April 7 Time: 11:00 AM

The Call of Soul

"An openhearted truth seeker realizes that something inside is nudging him from the nest of his old beliefs. He rightly senses that the answers he is looking for do assuredly exist. This inner force pushing him toward that end is an urge beyond his conscious command.

This compulsion is the call of Soul."

—Harold Klemp, *Those Wonderful ECK Masters*, p. 241

Date: May 5 Time: 11:00 AM

Soul's Mission Is Simple

"You are Soul. Special. One of a kind. So love yourself, love God, and love others. That's what your stay in this place is to help you learn. So look around and say thank you for all the blessings. Be grateful. Make sure this is a fruitful life...."

—Harold Klemp, *The Call of Soul*, p. 94

Date: June 2 Time: 11:00 AM

True Prayer

"If we shut our eyes in contemplation, listen, and wait for God to speak to us, we begin to see how listening is true prayer, prayer of the highest sort. Mostly, true prayer is listening to God.

It is a whole different approach. Through spiritual exercises and this contemplative effort, we learn to listen to the Voice of God. The Voice of God is the Holy Spirit, which we call the ECK."

—Harold Klemp, The Call of Soul, p. 25

Those Wonderful ECK Masters by Harold Klemp

An ECK Book Discussion

Would you like to have personal experience with spiritual masters that people all over the world—since the beginning of time—have looked to for guidance, protection, and divine love?

The ECK Masters are Co-workers with God who can help you make the most of every decision you will ever face, meet your daily challenges on higher ground, and experience the boundlessness of God's love.

Join us as we study one chapter per month in our study of *Those Wonderful ECK Masters*!

See page 2 for additional details on this discussion.

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Those Wonderful ECK Masters

Book Discussion (continued)

Date: Saturday, April 27 Time: 1:30 PM Topic: Chapter 2 – "Abbot of the Katsupari

Monastery"

Date: Saturday, May 25 Time: 1:30 PM Topic: Chapter 3 – "Chinese Sage of Wisdom"

Date: Saturday, June 22 Time: 1:30 PM Topic: Chapter 4 – "A Woman ECK Master"

Where: <u>Huntsville Eckankar Center</u>

900 Wellman Avenue, NE #3

Also available online via Zoom — see information about getting the Zoom link from

one of our Meetup sites (p. 3).

ECK Introductory Discussions

Huntsville Eckankar Center 900 Wellman Avenue, NE #3 Saturdays before 1st Sunday

Finding answers to your life's questions

Each month enjoy discussions exploring:

- Why am I here?
- What have I to learn?
- How can I talk to God and hear IT's answer?
- Finding divine guidance
- Dreams as messages and experiences
- Spiritual Guides that can help you—The ECK Masters

Date: Saturday, April 6 Time: 1:30 PM

Date: Saturday, May 4 Time: 1:30 PM

Date: Saturday, June 1 Time: 1:30 PM

ECK Introductory Discussions

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Note: See ECK Wisdom Book article next page. You do not have to have the books to participate.

> South Huntsville Public Library 7901-L Bailey Cove Road Huntsville, AL 35802

ECK Wisdom on Relationships

Date: Saturday, April 27 Time: 10:30 AM

ECK Wisdom on Dreams

Date: Saturday, May 25 Time: 10:30 AM

ECK Wisdom on Karma and Reincarnation
Date: Saturday, June 22 Time: 10:30 AM

Homewood Public Library Birmingham Area

Date: Sunday, April 21 Time: 2:30 PM Topic: ECKANKAR—Ancient Wisdom for Today

Date: Sunday, May 19 Time: 2:30 PM Topic: ECK Wisdom on Karma and Reincarnation

Date: Sunday, June 16 Time 2:30 PM

Topic: ECK Wisdom on Solving Problems



Eckankar Introductory Discussion and Book Room Open Hours

Huntsville ECKANKAR Center

Open House: 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM Introductory Discussion: 1:30 PM to 2:30 PM Tea and Talk: 2:30 PM to 3:00 PM

Saturdays—April 6, May 4, & June 1

Feel free to check out books and CDs from our library

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ECK Wisdom Book Series

Award-winning author, teacher, and spiritual guide Sri Harold Klemp helps seekers reach their full potential.

He is the Mahanta, the Living ECK Master and spiritual leader of Eckankar, the Path of Spiritual Freedom. He is the latest in a long line of spiritual Adepts who have served throughout history in every culture of the world.

Sri Harold teaches creative spiritual practices that enable anyone to achieve life mastery and gain inner peace and contentment. His messages are relevant to today's spiritual needs and resonate with every generation.

The ECK Wisdom series of small booklets by Sri Harold Klemp explores key topics of spiritual interest with stories and spiritual exercises to try.

The ECK Wisdom books are available at online bookstores like Amazon and Barnes & Noble. See the next column for information about books on free eReaders. The eReader version of each Wisdom Book is available for 99 cents. The print version of each is available for \$3.00.

Alabama ECK Meetup Groups

You may visit any of our Meetup groups for Eckankar in Alabama to obtain the Zoom links for online public events. The web addresses for the three groups are shown below:

meetup.com/Auburn-Opelika-Spiritual-Experiences-Group meetup.com/Birmingham-Spiritual-Experiences-Group meetup.com/Huntsville-Spiritual-Experiences-Group

The Sound of Soul Events

HU is a sacred sound and ancient mantra. It is an ancient name for God that has been sung for thousands of years in many lands for spiritual unfoldment.

You're invited to experience chanting HU, contemplative time, and spiritual conversation with others of like heart.

Experience some of the many benefits of HU:

- Inner peace and calm
- Divine love
- Expanded awareness
- Spiritual self-discovery and growth
- Healing of the heart

Auburn-Opelika, Birmingham, Huntsville

Location: Online Zoom event—see information about

getting the Zoom link from one of our Meetup sites (bottom of left column).

Dates: 2nd Sundays:

April 14, May 12, June 9

Time: 1:30 PM

ECKANKAR Books on Free eReaders

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