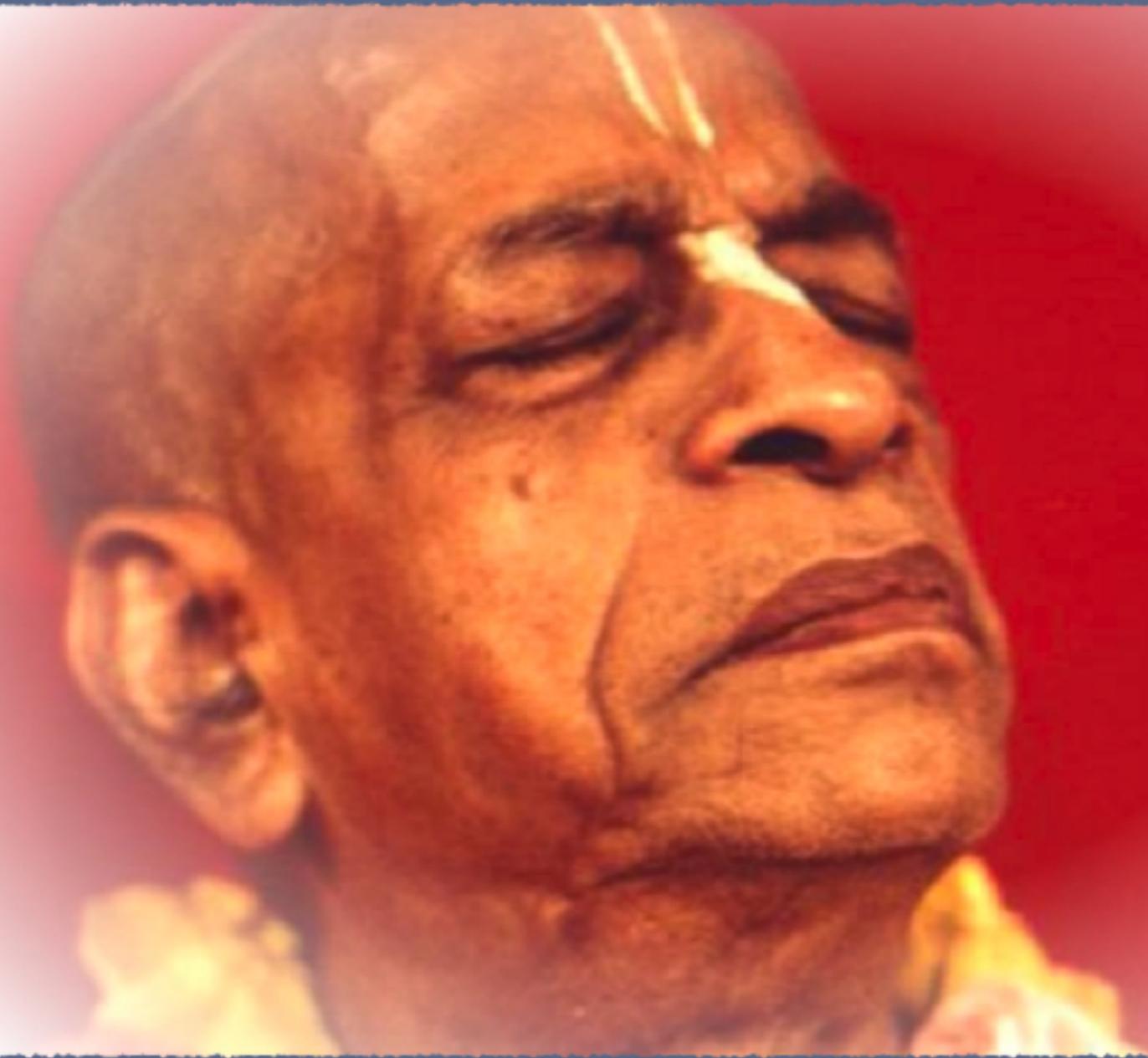




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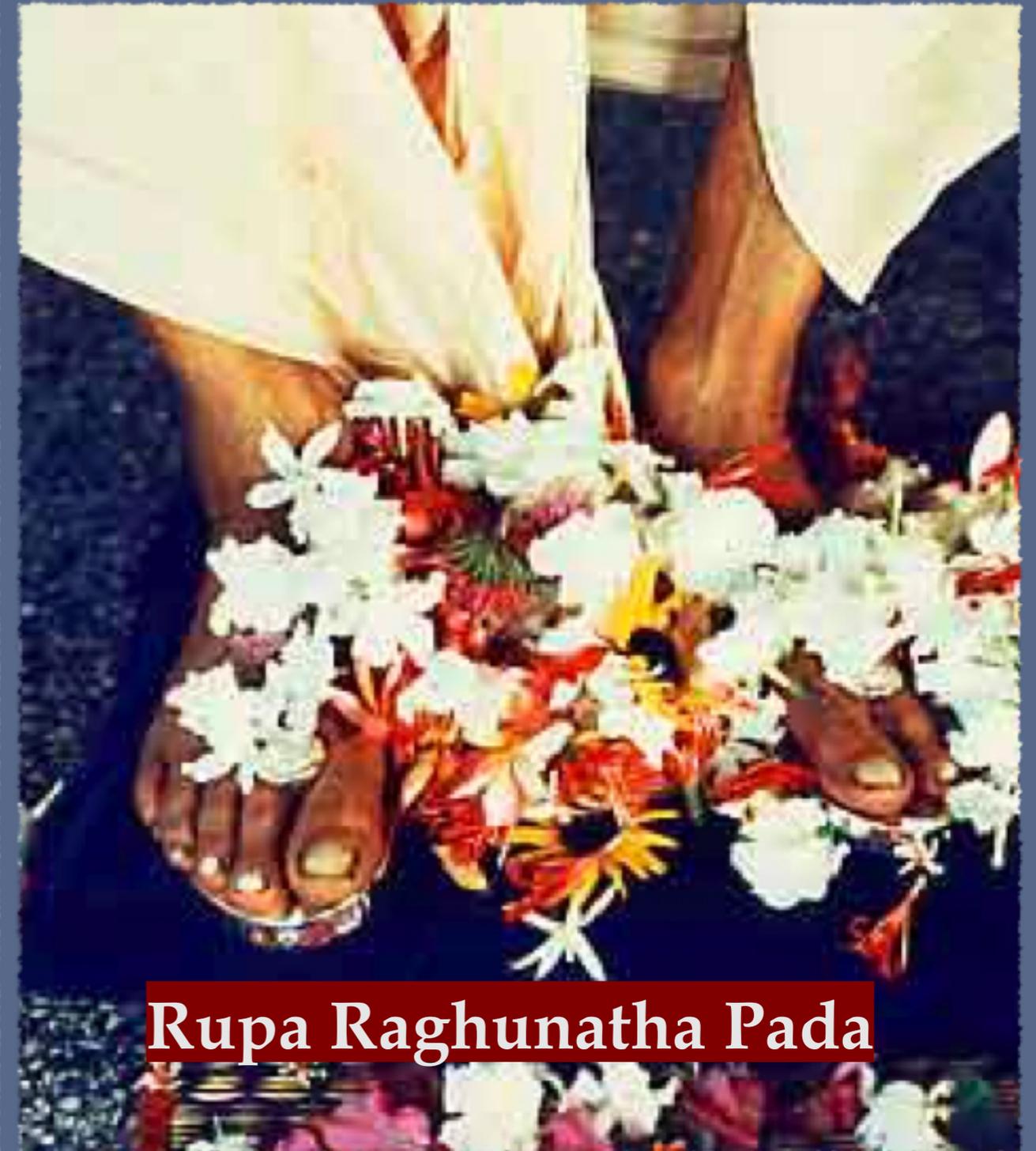
New Car
New Outfit
New Outfit
New Outfit

Happy with a new outfit until someone comes in with a better one, now we're discouraged, thinking, "I wish I looked like her."



Never Ending Cycle

Always be Somebody up
Ahead of Us



Rupa Raghunatha Pada

The ungodly think that all these things are accidental and due to the strength of one's personal ability. They do not sense any arrangement behind all the varieties of people, beauty and education. There are many ungodly people, and each is enemy to the others. This enmity becomes more and more deep—between persons, then between families, then between societies, and at last between nations. Therefore there is constant strife, war and enmity all over the world.

Gita 6/16



Only Person Competing With...



...is me. Going to be the best I can possibly be...

Best YOU may not be as successful as your neighbor, but that's OK

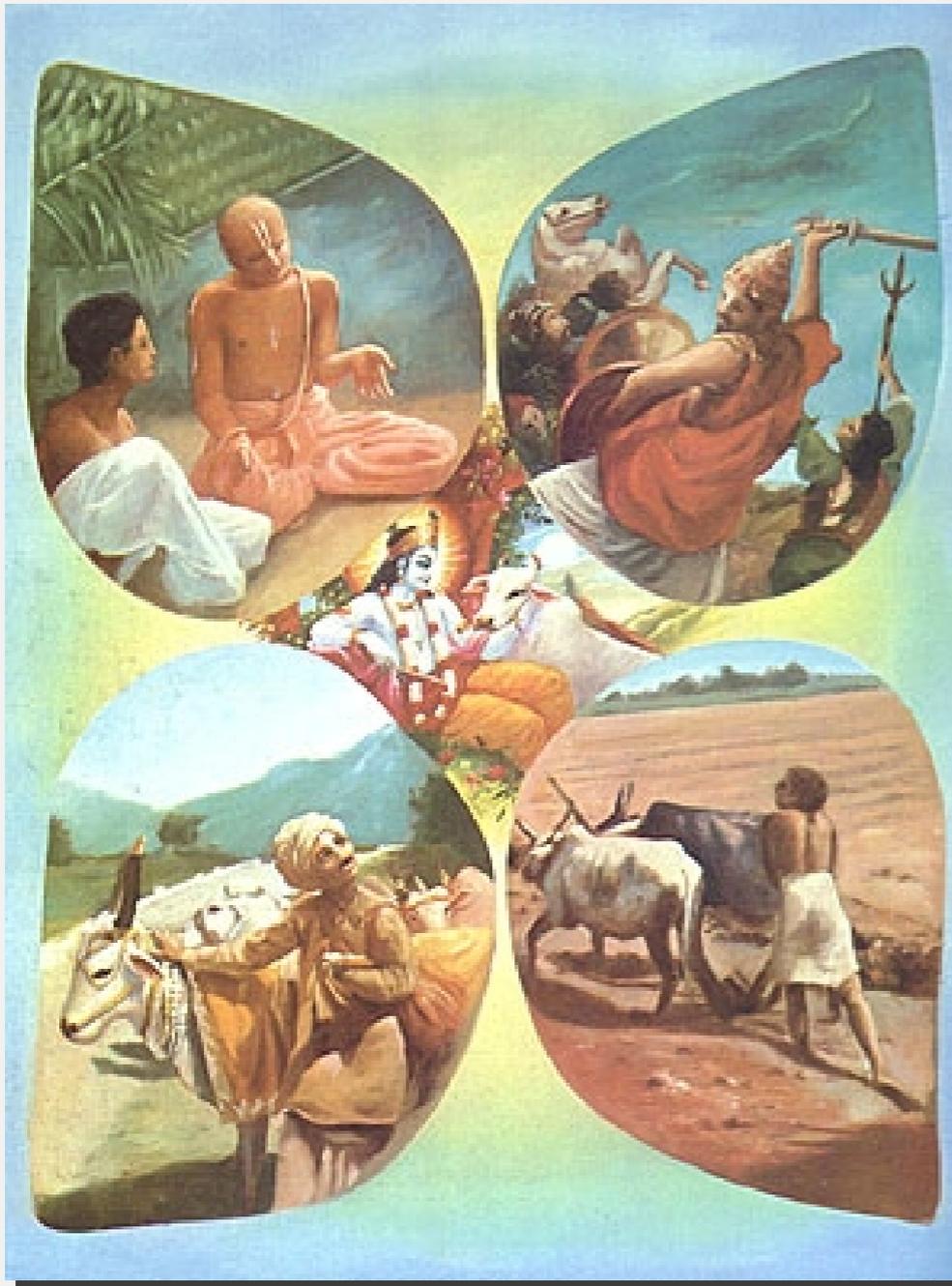
May not be best in World



OK with that, but going to be best I can be.

Devotee, father, husband.

Varna Ashram Dharma



- ❖ Catur varnam
maya srstam
- ❖ Parts of body not in
competition

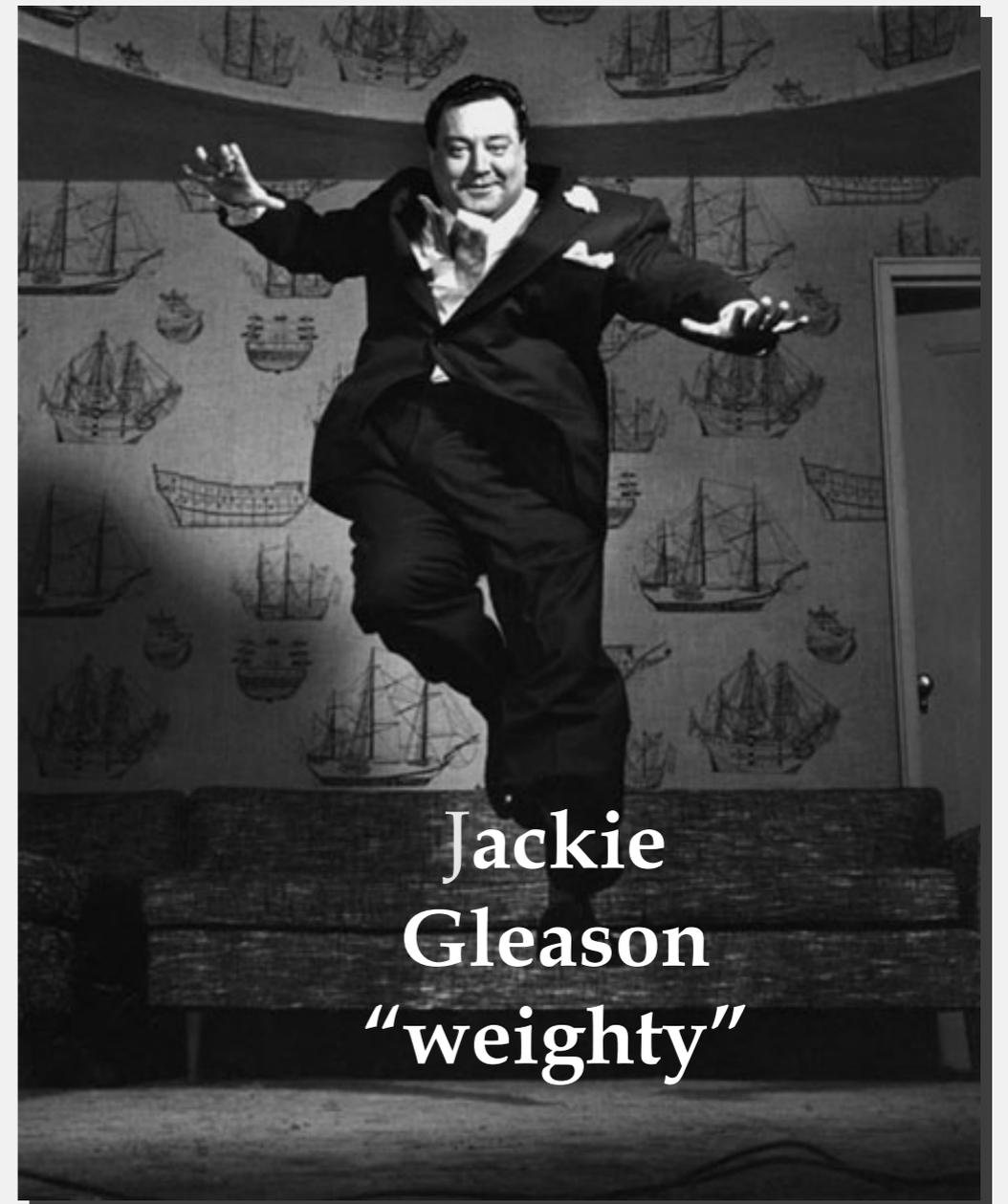
Take What God's Given You

..and make the most of it, wear it proudly.

Don't compete with someone who's not even in your race.

Your race made up of one person -
You.

Not going to be accountable for
somebody else's gifts



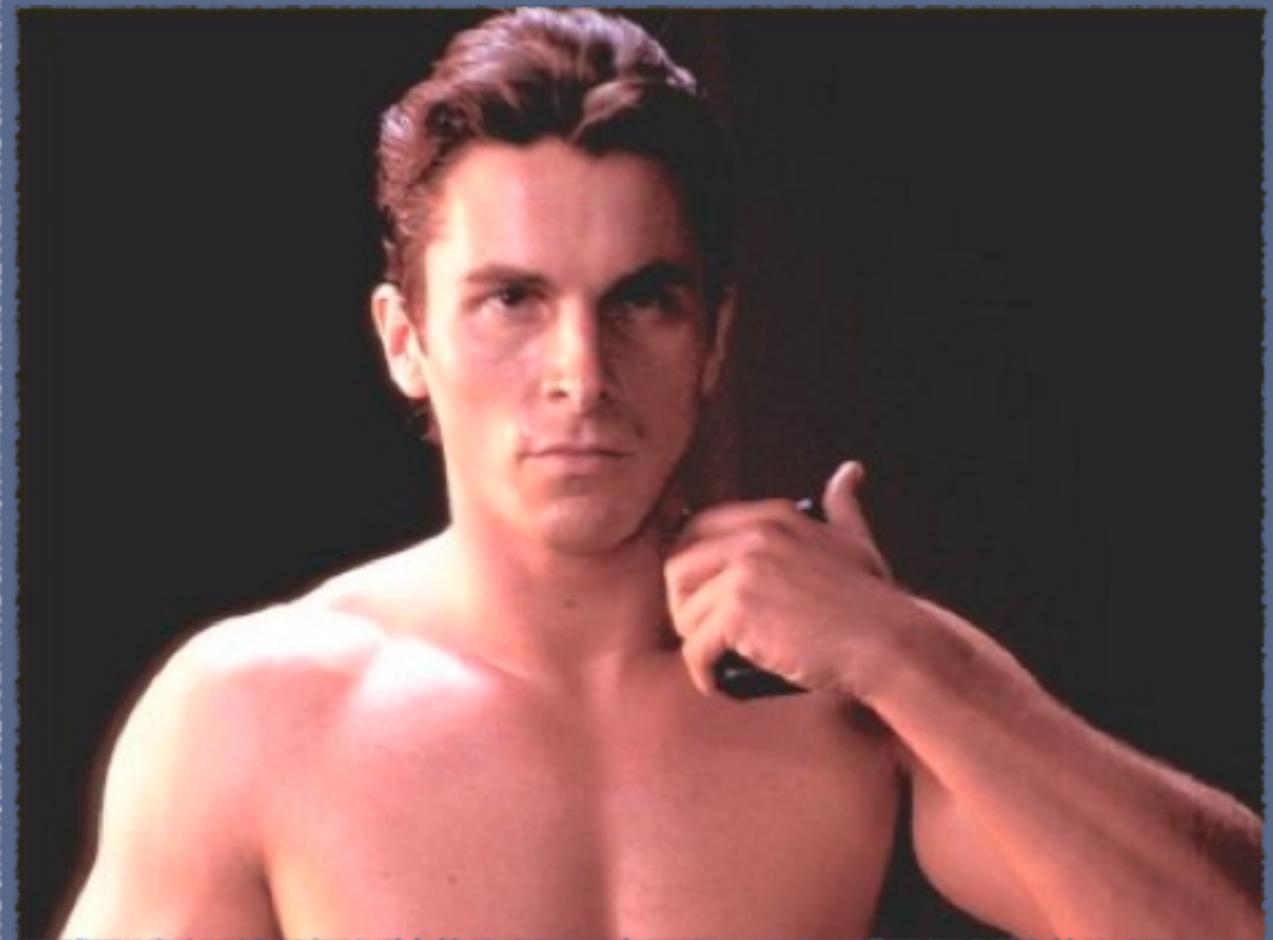
Jackie
Gleason
"weighty"

Indy race Car vs. SUV



Know who you are not...

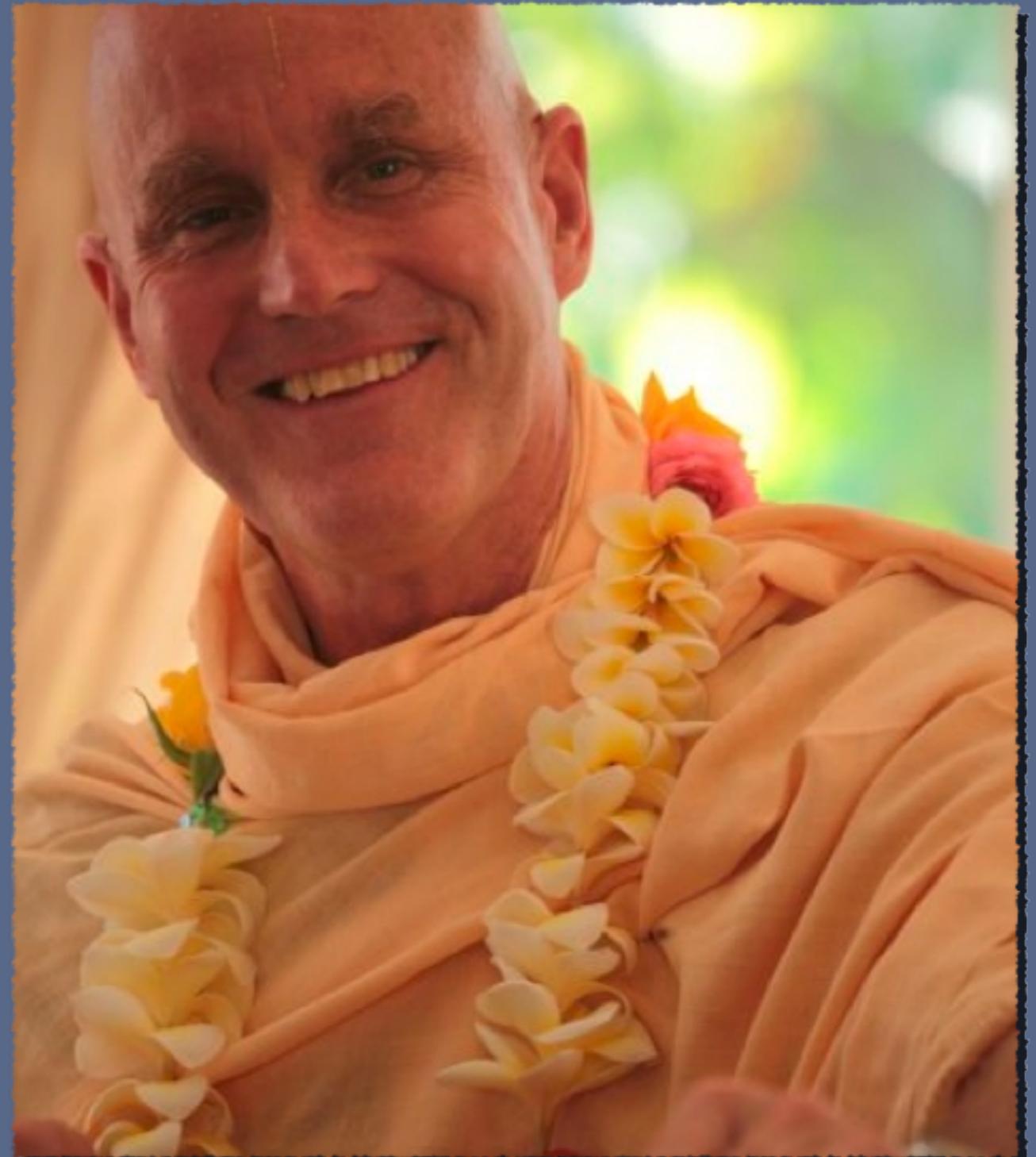
*don't be an SUV out on the
Indy track.*



Nothing to Prove

I'm not in the Indy race, in my
own race

not going to be frustrated or
jealous, thinking "I have to
get over there to the Indy
track."



Nobody can be a better you..

...than you. Quit wishing you were somebody else.

Billy, Joey, Cory, Frankie,

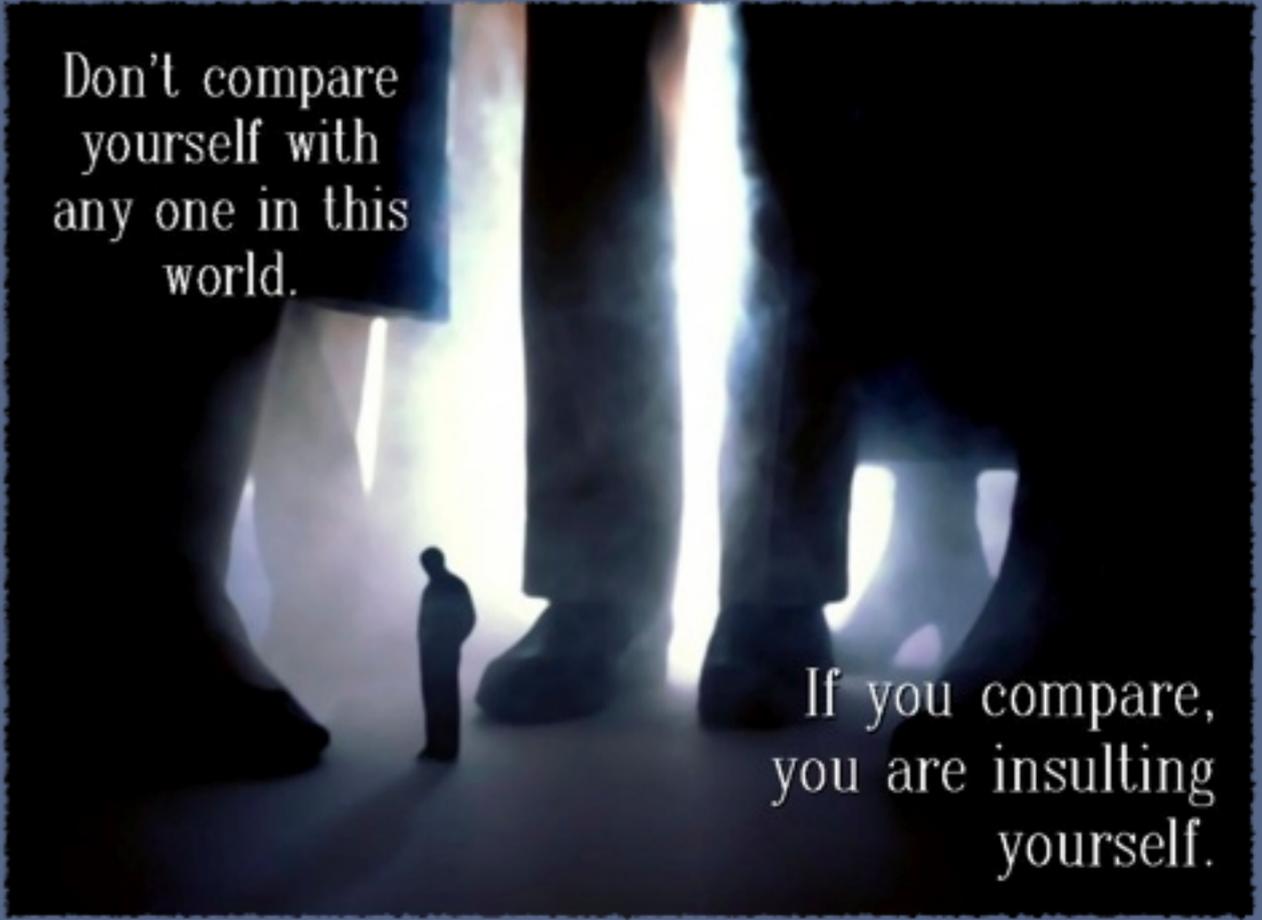
People you want to be like often want to be like you.



Lot of energy

physical & emotional to try to impress people all day long.

Keep up with your family member, keep up with neighbor, look better than friend



Don't compare yourself with any one in this world.

If you compare, you are insulting yourself.

**BE THE BEST
VERSION
OF
YOU!**

Louis IV



The Sun King,, The Grand
Monarch

Versailles, 35,000 artisans, 30 years

“I am the State.”

Died 1715 at 72 Years

Bishop Massilou, “Only God is
Great!”



1,000 level person

*vs. 10,000 level person
be 1,000 not 950 or 995.*

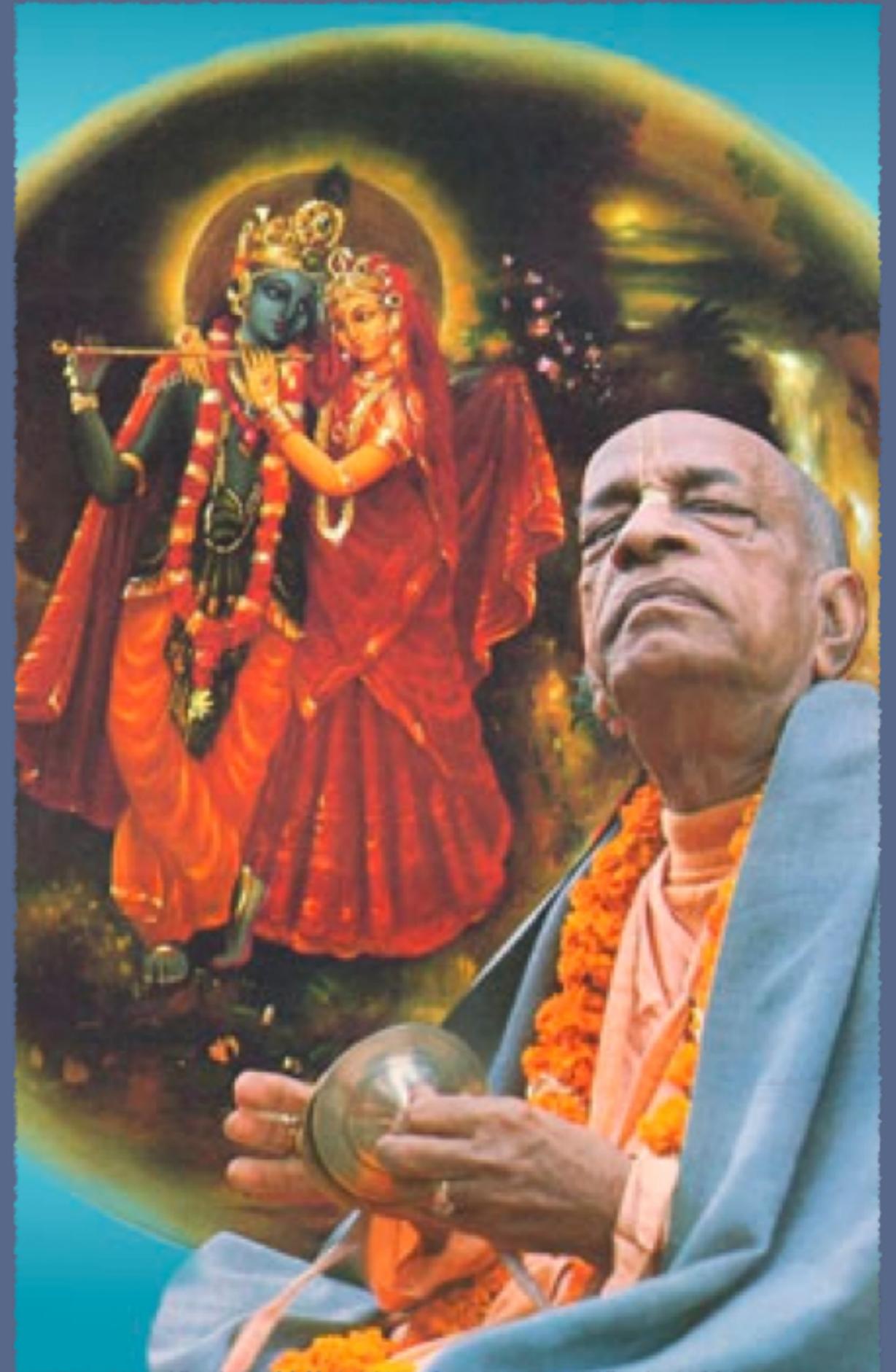


Greg Louganis



Linked at the Roots

Devotees of the Lord do not compete, are nonenvious and pure in heart. In the material world, everyone is envious of everyone else, and therefore there is competition. The transcendental devotees of the Lord are not only free from material envy, but are well-wishers to everyone, and they strive to establish a competitionless society with God in the center.





Child of God



**HARE KRISHNA HARE KRISHNA
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HARE RAMA HARE RAMA
RAMA RAMA HARE HARE**