

“I had a great drive...”

Bhai Sahib Dayal Singh ji

In 1970, at the age of fifteen, I began taking classes from Siri Singh Sahib Harbhajan Singh Yogi. In the yoga classes, he recommended that we not cut our hair or beards for scientific reasons.

He suggested we read a book called “The Sacred Writings of the Sikhs” (a translation of selected parts of Guru Granth Sahib). He instructed us to recite Ik Ong Kar Sat Nam Siri Waheguru.

He also had us recite certain lines of Gurbaanee such as Jis Neech Ko Ko-ay Na Jaan-ai... Guru Raam Daas Raakho Sarna-ee... Gobinday Mukanday Udaaray Apaaray... as well as the Mool Mantra. He enjoined us to attend the once-a-month service at the Sikh Study Circle and he suggested we learn Gurmukhee.

In the house of Siri Singh Sahib Ji, I began studying Gurmukhee. I had a great drive and in two days I could fully read. At that point, I began to read Guru Granth Sahib with corresponding translation. Gurbaanee became the focal part of my life....

Testimonial

Siri Singh Sahib Bhai Sahib Harbhajan Singh Khalsa Panth Rattan Yogiji

I put in about forty and some hard years to become Bhai Sahib. He came to me at fifteen. He left us when he was twenty-one or twenty-two and he is a hero, a spiritual hero, immortal. It took him five to six years to become immortal. And he is legendary in obedience, in acknowledging the knowledge, in learning, in experience, in dedication. He is a man who walked in and walked through but left such a deep mark.

Some of you are old, some of you are more knowledgeable, some of you are more experienced, some of you are more rich and anything. But whenever the name of Bhai Sahib Dayal Singh comes, you all have nothing but reverence. Have you noticed this? Have you also studied it, how he earned it and how fast?

Don't misunderstand me that Western hemisphere and the Sikh history will not become as it is the Sikh history of today. He didn't do anything. He didn't sit in a burning fire and didn't

get burnt. He didn't jump into the ocean and didn't drown. He didn't fly. He didn't walk on water. He never even went on a cross. He never got nailed. He never put hot sand on his body. He did nothing. But He left such a deep mark in you of him and of his spirituality, that all of you whether you like it or not, have to have reverence for him.

Why? He dived deep in himself and he reached to his spirit and he conquered his own soul. He was an undisputed spiritual leader. Undisputed.