



# Patriots Speak

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Dear Enlightened Readers,

Jai Mata Di! Durga Puja has started and we offer our respectful 'Pronam' to Maa Durga!

- India launched Mangalayaan—all on its own and has become the only country to have achieved this feat in the first attempt and at the least cost. All kudos to the dedicated team of scientists of ISRO, who have made us, nay, the entire nation, proud of them;
- US has managed global coalition against ISIS;
- Iran and Syria bury hatchet over ISIS;
- ISIS beheads a French man;
- The Chinese President spent Five days in India;
- Britain managed to keep Scotland together;
- Power-sharing saved Afghanistan;
- New Zealand Prime Minister wins a record third term;
- Hamas and Fatah reach pact over Gaza;
- Indian Supreme Court cancels 214 coal allocations;
- September 22—the Police Reforms Day in India duly observed;
- World population to hit 11 billion in 2100.
- The Indian Prime Minister has formally launched the "Make In India" scheme, inviting all to come and join this programme in India;



Thanking you & with regards,

Yours sincerely,  
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## Geopolitical:

**As Caliphates Compete, Radical Islam Will Eventually Weaken:** Stratfor analysis reveals that rise of the Islamic State will inspire other jihadist groups and the competition among them will undermine the jihadist movement. The rise of the Islamic State will inspire other jihadist groups to claim their own caliphates and emirates. In the long run, the extremism of these contrived dominions and the competition among them will undermine the jihadist movement. However, before that happens, the world will witness much upheaval. <http://www.security-risks.com/security-issues-south-asia/terrorism/as-caliphates-compete-radical-islam-will-eventually-weaken-3461.html>

**Finally, Scotch Tape Holds Britain Together:** With 55 percent in favour of staying together, Great Britain survived the referendum held on September 18. The result matters whatever be the means, especially in politics. The question has been raised: how long the "scotch tape" will hold? [\(All Press, September 20, 2014\)](#)

**Bhutan-India Development Cooperation:** The third round of Bhutan-India Development Cooperation Talks or the Plan Talks for the 11th Five Year Plan of Bhutan was held in Thimphu. The Plan Talks are a regular feature of Bhutan-India Development Cooperation. India is the oldest and a privileged development partner of Bhutan in its socio-economic development ever since the first Five Year Plan in 1961. India's commitment of Nu. 45 billion for the 11<sup>th</sup> Five Year Plan excluding the Nu. 5 billion for the Economic Stimulus Plan, constitutes about 67% of the total external assistance Bhutan will be receiving during the Plan.. <http://www.security-risks.com/security-trends-south-asia/other-security-trends/bhutan-india-development-cooperation-3458.html>

**Afghanistan: Power Deal: Ghani as President, Abdul Chief Executive:** The agreement ends months of post-poll stalemate. This was agreed upon on September 21, 2014. [\(The Times of India, September 22, 2014\)](#)

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### National Defence:

**Indian Air Force - IAF Celebrates Commemoration of 50 Years as Part of 1965 Indo-Pak War:** This ceremony was part of the yearlong celebration marking the 50 years of 1965 India-Pakistan war which would culminate on 22 September 2015. <http://www.security-risks.com/security-trends-south-asia/india-defence/iaf-celbrates-commemoration-of-50-years-as-part-of-1965-indo-pak-war-3523.html>

### National Security:

**Naxalism- Modi prepared to crush Maoists:** The prime minister is backing up his campaign rhetoric that the Maoists need to be stopped for India to move forward. Home Minister Rajnath Singh is visiting states affected by Maoist violence this week to assess the preparedness of security forces fighting the rebels – the latest sign that battling left wing extremism is a top priority for the new government. Shortly after Narendra Modi became prime minister in May, Maoist-affected regions were classified "most dangerous zones," and the Naxal Wing of the Ministry of Home Affairs was re-labelled 'Left Wing Extremism Division'. <http://www.security-risks.com/security-trends-south-asia/naxalism/modi-prepared-to-crush-maoists-3535.html>

**Al Qaeda-like groups on prowl:** Intelligence Bureau: The Intelligence Bureau has warned "groups and elements supportive of extremist ideology similar to Al Qaeda" are trying to "increase communal tension" in states like J&K, Maharashtra, Gujarat, Rajasthan, Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, Karnataka, Kerala and Delhi. The intelligence report has reiterated that Al Qaeda chief Ayman-al-Zawahari, who launched a new branch for Indian sub-continent, also intends to target commercial centres, tourist destinations, religious places, aviation sector, railways infrastructure and BJP offices in various states including West Bengal and Assam. The report has been dispatched to all state police agencies. <http://www.asianage.com/india/al-qaeda-groups-prowl-intelligence-bureau-867>

**Border Security Force - Security is first & foremost requirement for development: Union Home Minister:** Border Security Force has always played a vital role in safeguarding borders and its performance has been outstanding and excellent. <http://www.security-risks.com/security-trends-south-asia/india-terrorism/security-is-first-foremost-requirement-for-development-union-home-minister-3524.html>

**Global Jihadis Vow Revenge For Batla:** A terror group-Ansar-ul-Tawhid Fi Bilad Ai Hind (AuT) tweeted on September 19, 2014 "Batla House-in-shah-allah. We will revenge" on the 9th year of the incident. This is for the time any terror group has allied to this incident. [\(The Times of India, September 20, 2014\)](http://www.thetimesofindia.com/2014/09/20/global-jihadis-vow-revenge-for-batla/)

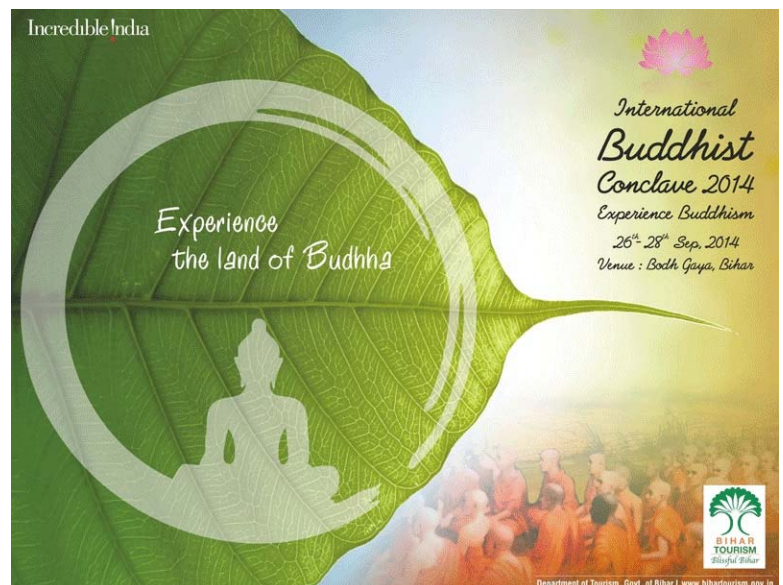
### General:

**Mandolin Falls Silent At 45 With Shrinivas Dies:** Uppalapu Shrinivas-popularly known as "Mandolin Shrinivas" was a musical prodigy and an illustrious a classical Karnataka musician, who had made mandolin popular in the country died on September 20.

[\(All Press, September 21, 2014\)](http://www.allpress.com/2014/09/21/mandolin-falls-silent-at-45-with-shrinivas-dies/)

**World Population to Hit 11 billion In 2100 From 7 billion Today:** This path breaking analysis was released on September 18, 2014, at the University of Washington. [\(Guardian News Service, HT, September 20, 2014\)](http://www.guardiannews.com/world/2014/09/18/world-population-11-billion-2100-7-billion-today/)

**Modi's Appeal—"Make in India" Formally launched:** "I want to appeal to people the world over: come, Make in India, manufacture in India. Sell in any country of the world, but manufacture here. We have the skill, talent, discipline and determination. We want to give the world an opportunity". [\(All Press, September 25, 2014\)](http://www.allpress.com/2014/09/25/modi-s-appeal-make-in-india-formally-launched/)

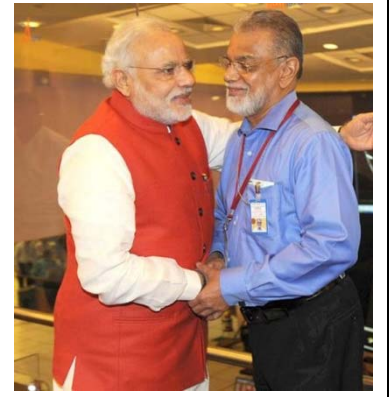


**International Buddhist Conclave At Bodh Gaya (September 26-28, 2014):** This is being organised by the District Administration, Gaya, Bihar. [\(Press Insertions by Department of Tourism, Govt of Bihar\)](http://www.bihartourism.gov.in/)

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**Magalyan – Mangal Ho - MOM's blessings!** From a country that was not allowed to make even common salt just few decades back, India made history by putting Mars mission satellite in orbit successfully in very first attempt. Please see the video enclosed, you can see the delight in scientists and others involved in the mission which also besides the success of mission, is a happy thing to see. Please note that India accomplished this with a cost of \$70 million v/s \$700 million in western countries. The ISRO project 'Mars Orbiter Mission' is referred as MOM, hence it's blessings were referred by Modi in his address to Nation! Surprisingly even the Chinese have accepted Indian success calling it a victory of mankind at large

Best wishes, Congratulations for all people involved in India's space research organization.



Narendra Modi, PM congratulates ISRO Chairman, Dr. K Radhakrishnan after successful Insertion of Mangalyan.

[Mangalyaan shows that Indian technology has come of age, says NASA scientist](#)

[News 360: ISRO orbiter Mangalyaan sends Mars pictures](#)

### Cultural:

**VHP steps up campaign against 'love jihad':** Ahead of the festive season, the VHP has intensified its campaign against 'love jihad' in Gujarat, circulating two audio tapes in Vadodara and writing to the police chief of Narmada district asking him to prohibit Muslims from entering the garba grounds during the Navratri celebrations. In a related move in Narmada district, the VHP has written a letter to the SP, seeking support in "ensuring that Hindu girls celebrating Navratri do not fall prey to love jihad". It has asked the police to prohibit Muslims "from entering the garba grounds or watching the celebrations in the periphery". The VHP letter demanded installation of additional CCTV cameras and "increased patrolling by the Anti-Romeo squad of the Narmada police to especially check hotels" and take action on those trying to "spread love jihad".

<http://indianexpress.com/article/india/india-others/vhp-steps-up-campaign-against-love-jihad/>

### Religious:

**Symposium on the Protection of Hindu Temples on September 20 in Nellore, AP:** Dr. Ghazal Srinivas, Brand Ambassador for Global Hindu Heritage Foundation and Save Temples has organized a timely and appropriate Symposium on the Protection of Hindu Temples and demanded that the government should repeal the Endowment Act and handover the management of the Temples to Acharya Sabha. He mentioned that government has no moral or ethical reason to take over these Temples lands that were donated by our forefathers to make sure that the Temples are maintained and the Priests are properly paid and all the festivals are done as per our scriptures.

<http://www.deccanchronicle.com/140921/nation-current-affairs/article/hand-over-temples-seers>

### पितरों के लिए श्राद्ध कर्म क्यों जरूरी?

अपने पितरों को श्रद्धापूर्वक तर्पण और श्राद्ध देने का पर्व और समय काल "पितृ पक्ष" कहलाता है। यह अधिन माह में किया जाता है। इस वर्ष पितृ पक्ष 08 सितंबर से 24 सितंबर 2014 तक रहेगा। पितृ यानि हमारे मृत पूर्वजों का तर्पण करवाना हिन्दू धर्म की एक बहुत प्राचीन प्रथा व पर्व है। हिन्दू धर्म में श्राद्ध पक्ष के सोलह दिन निर्धारित किए गए हैं ताकि आप



अपने पूर्वजों को याद करें और उनका तर्पण करवा कर उन्हें शांति और तृप्ति प्रदान करें, जिससे आपको उनका आशीर्वाद और सहयोग मिले। जिस माता, पिता, दादा, दादी, प्रपितामह, मातामही एवं अन्य बुजुर्गों के लाड, प्यार, श्रम से कमाएँ धन एवं इज्जत के सहारे आप सुखपूर्वक रहते हैं, तो आज जब उनका शरीर पांच तत्व में विलीन हो गया है तो आपका यह परम कर्तव्य बनता है कि अपने पितरों के लिए कम से कम और कुछ नहीं कर सकते तो तर्पण तो कर दें।

॥श्रद्धया दीयते यस्मात् तच्छादम्॥

भावार्थ : श्राद्ध से श्रेष्ठ संतान, आयु, आरोग्य, अतुल ऐश्वर्य और इच्छित वस्तुओं की प्राप्ति होती है।

पितरों के लिए श्राद्ध से किए गए मुक्ति कर्म को श्राद्ध कहते हैं तथा तृप्त करने की क्रिया और देवताओं, ऋषियों या पितरों को तंडुल या तिल मिश्रित जल अर्पित करने की क्रिया को तर्पण कहते हैं। तर्पण करना ही पिंडदान करना है। श्राद्ध पक्ष का माहात्म्य उत्तर व उत्तर-पूर्व भारत में ज्यादा है। तमिलनाडु में आदि अमावसाई, केरल में करिकडा वावुबली और महाराष्ट्र में इसे पितृ पंधरवडा नाम से जानते हैं।

### दुर्गा पूजा:

दुर्गापूजा हिन्दुओं का महत्वपूर्ण त्योहार है। दुर्गापूजा माँ दुर्गा की पूजा है। यह आश्वीण महिने के दूसरे पखवारे में होती है। आश्वीण महिने के दुसरे पखवारे के पहले दिन यह पूजा प्रारंभ होती है और नवमें दिन {नवरात्रा} यह पुजा समपन्न होती है। दुर्गा पूजा का पर्व भारतीय सांस्कृतिक पर्वों में सबसे ज्यादा लोकप्रिय है। लगभग दशहरा, दीवाली और होली की तरह इसमें उत्सव धार्मिकता का पुट आज सबसे ज्यादा है।

दुर्गा पूजन सामग्री-(वृहद् पूजन के लिए)

पंचमेवा, पंच मिठाई, रूई, कलावा, रोली, सिंदूर, १ नारियल, अक्षत, लाल वस्त्र, फूल, 5 सुपारी, लौंग, पान के पत्ते 5, घी, चौकी, कलश, आम का पल्लव, समिधा, कमल गट्टे, पंचामृत (दूध, दही, घी, शहद, शर्करा) की थाली. कुशा, रक्त चंदन, श्रीखंड चंदन, जौ, तिल, सुवर्ण प्रतिमा 2, आभूषण व शृंगार का सामान, फूल माला |

### शुद्धि एवं आचमन

आसनी पर गणपति एवं दुर्गा माता की मूर्ति के सम्मुख बैठ जाएं (बिना आसन, चलते-फिरते, पैर फैलाकर पूजन करना निषेध है) इसके बाद अपने आपको तथा आसन को इस मंत्र से शुद्धि करें -

"ॐ अपवित्र : पवित्रोवा सर्वावस्थां गतोऽपिवा। यः स्मरेत् पुण्डरीकाक्षं स बाह्याभ्यन्तरः शुचिः॥"

इन मंत्रों से अपने ऊपर तथा आसन पर 3-3 बार कुशा या पुष्पादि से छींटें लगायें फिर आचमन करें -

ॐ केशवाय नमः ॐ नारायणाय नमः, ॐ माधवाय नमः, ॐ गोविन्दाय नमः।

फिर हाथ धोएं, पुनः आसन शुद्धि मंत्र बोलें :-

ॐ पृथ्वी त्वयाधृता लोका देवि त्यवं विष्णुनाधृता। त्वं च धारयमां देवि पवित्रं कुरु चासनम्॥

इसके पश्चात अनामिका उंगली से अपने मत्थे पर चंदन लगाते हुए यह मंत्र बोलें-

चन्दनस्य महत्पुण्यम् पवित्रं पापनाशनम्, आपदां हरते नित्यम् लक्ष्मी तिष्ठतु सर्वदा।



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