

BE LENIENT

The life of human being is much more precious and therefore significant than those of other beings on the earth. One who does not happen to come across its precise value, fails to realize its importance. But he who works it, can properly value it. Life is worth-living. One, who is able to know the secrets of life, never allows himself to be dominated by pessimistic feelings. He is never defeated by such thoughts in life. He seldom feels dejected under all odds.

Man has narrowed down distance by inventing airplanes. He invented means to swim by ships like fish. He also invented, for his recreation etc. Radio, T.V., Tape recorder etc. he also invented so many other things such as Gas, Grinder, and so on. For communication he invented Type writer, Telephone, telex and other things. He made tremendous research. To accelerate his speed in his work he made research in the field of electricity, atomic reactors and solar power system etc.

In spite of all these achievements where is peace in life? As a matter of fact, the above enumerated discoveries or inventions or both have miserably failed to provide real peace in life. Peace can only be had through spiritual life. Now I shall concentrate on vitamin 'L' i.e. Leniency.

This vitamin is also very necessary in life in order to achieve success. Harsh words are the main reason of many quarrels. Bitter words generate acrimony in life. Good and sweet words bring about harmony amongst the people. They unite one and all. It has been rightly said that one angry moment often does what we repent for years; it works the wrongs which we can never set right by sorrows or tears.

Once two friends were going across a jungle and they felt thirst. One of them advanced further in search of water and he happened to see a cottage. He went over there and seeing an old lady there uttered, "Mother I am thirsty." Instantly the old lady quenched his thirst by offering him a glass of water. Another friend went over there and asked the old woman for water in some unsophisticated words and consequently the lady got annoyed and did not give water.

Just see the difference, words used politely yielded desired result, and words used impolitely, generated furor.

We are intelligent enough to understand the importance of politeness and its importance in life. May we be endowed with all the virtues in life including politeness. And thereby may you enhance your prestige through attaining spiritual height.