

# Atlanta Center of Self-Realization Fellowship

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"Everything else can wait, but our search for God cannot wait." - Paramahansa Yogananda

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## Brother Keshavananda and Brahmachari Abrao To Visit the Atlanta Center

### Public Outreach and Talks Highlight Visit

Brother Keshavananda from Pasadena Temple and Brahmachari Abrao from Mother Center are scheduled to visit the Atlanta Center from September 13th thru 16th. On Saturday afternoon September 15th, from 2 to 5 PM, Brother Keshavananda will host a public outreach talk, film, and opportunity to receive basic techniques of meditation for those who sign up for the SRF lessons. All are welcome to attend.

The monastics will also conduct a meditation service and talk on Thursday and Friday evenings, and the Sunday meditation and inspirational services. There will also be an Indian lunch buffet after the Sunday service followed by a special closing program. See the complete updated schedule and times on our web site at [www.srfatlanta.org](http://www.srfatlanta.org).

## Brother Satyananda Conducts Second Kriya Initiation Held At the Atlanta Center

### April 19th - 22nd Monastic Visit

The Atlanta Center welcomed Brother Satyananda from Phoenix Temple and Brahmachari Cormack from Mother Center for a four day monastic visit. This visit included the second Kriya Initiation Ceremony held in the Atlanta Center sanctuary on Saturday evening, April 21st which Brother Satyananda conducted. Brahmachari Cormack conducted a Techniques Review Class earlier that morning.

The monastics also conducted a Friday evening meditation-opening class-social, and a Sunday inspirational service and meditation. An Indian lunch buffet was held after the Sunday service, and Brother Satyananda lead the closing program after lunch. The weekend events were well attended with over 160 devotees and guests attending the Sunday inspirational talk and lunch.

## Atlanta Elections for 2007

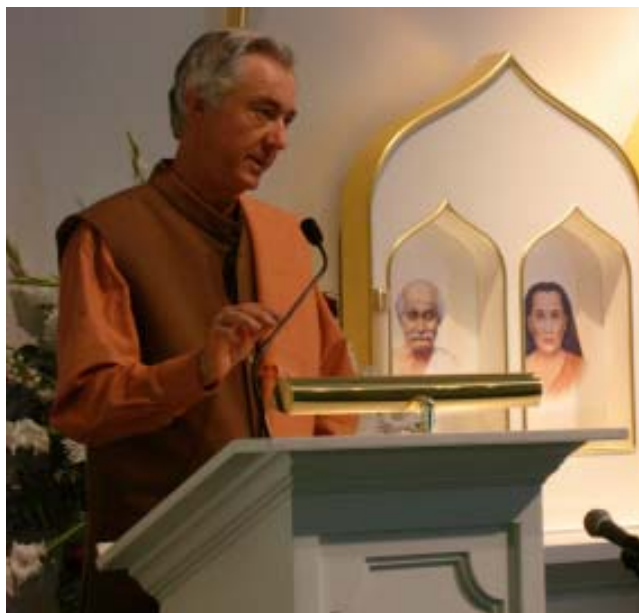
### Five New Members Elected

### To Managing Council

The Atlanta Center of SRF held elections for positions on the Managing Council, Sunday School Teachers, and Service Readers. Center Department at Mother Center approved those elected by the Atlanta Center members. The following members will be serving for the next year:

Virginia Bundy	Coordinator (new)
Jane Randall	Secretary
Rehka Patel	Treasurer (new)
Ivelise Berrios	Communications (new)
Soren Ryland	Facilities (new)
Sam Dalhou	Fellowship (new)

*New terms began on May 4, 2007.*



Brother Satyananda at the Atlanta Center Sanctuary

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*Regular Services, Commemorative Services, and Socials*

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## 2007 Schedule of Meetings

Every Sunday	Meditation Service Reading Service Sunday School and Youth Group	10:00 - 10:45 a.m. 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Every Thursday	Inspiration Service and Prayer Service	8:00 - 9:15 p.m.
First Friday Each Month	Three Hour Meditation	7:30 - 10:30 p.m.
Every Second Saturday	Kirtan Meditation Service	4:00 - 6:00 p.m.
Third Saturday Each Month	Three Hour Meditation	7:30 - 10:30 p.m.
Every Monday	SRF Lessons Study Group <i>Second Coming of Christ</i> Study Group or Bhagavad Gita Study Group	7:30 - 8:25 p.m. 8:30 - 9:30 p.m.
Second and Fourth Sundays	<i>Second Coming of Christ</i> Study Group	12:30 - 1:30 p.m.

## Special Meditations and Services 2007

Wednesday, July 25th	Babaji Commemoration Day	7:30 - 9:30 p.m.
Tuesday, September 4th	Janmashtami (Krishna)	7:30 - 9:30 p.m.
Wednesday, September 26th	Lahiri Mahasaya's Mahasamadhi	7:30 - 9:30 p.m.
Sunday, September 30th	Lahiri Mahasaya's Birthday	7:30 - 9:30 p.m.
Saturday, December 15th	All-Day Christmas Meditation	9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Monday, December 31st	New Year's Meditation	11:30 p.m. - 12:30 a.m.
Saturday, January 5th	Yoganandaji's Birthday	7:30 - 9:30 p.m.
Saturday, January 12th	Paramahansa Yogananda Commemorative Meditation	10:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Friday, March 7th	Yoganandaji's Mahasamadhi	7:30 - 9:30 p.m.
Sunday, March 9th	Sri Yukteswar's Mahasamadhi	7:30 - 9:30 p.m.
Friday, March 21st	Good Friday Meditation	7:30 - 9:30 p.m.
Saturday, May 10th	Sri Yukteswar's Birthday	7:30 - 9:30 p.m.

## Socials, Special Programs, and Business Meetings 2007

Every Sunday	Refreshments After The Sunday Service	
Sunday, August 19th	Atlanta Center Business Meeting	12:15 - 1:30 p.m.
Saturday, September 15th	Public Outreach Program	2:00 - 5:00 p.m.

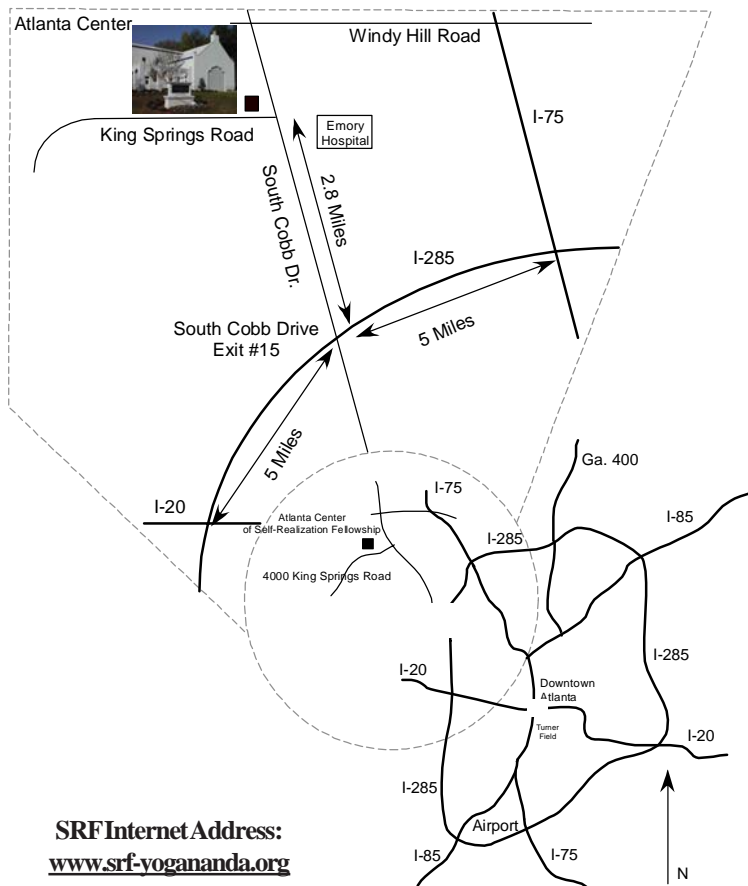
## SRF World Convocation 2007

August 5th - August 11th      Westin Bonaventure Hotel, Los Angeles, California

### July thru October 2007 Schedule of Reading Services

*Patriotism That Will Endure*  
*The Science of Kriya Yoga*  
*Whence Comes Happiness?*  
*Laws of Love and Truth*  
*What Is the Soul?*  
*Devotion that Touches God*  
*Surmounting Life's Troubles*  
*Proof of the Existence of God*  
*Health Through Union with Cosmic Life*  
*Man's Greatest Duty: to Remember God*  
*What Is Salvation?*  
*Life A Cosmic Motion Picture*  
*Hastening Human Evolution*  
*Finding God in Family Life*  
*The Most Tempting Temptation*  
*Practical Methods for Spiritual Growth*  
*Reincarnation*  
*Cultivate Your Desire for God*

*July 1st*  
*July 8th*  
*July 15th*  
*July 22nd*  
*July 29th*  
*August 5th*  
*August 12th*  
*August 19th*  
*August 26th*  
*September 2nd*  
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*September 16th*  
*September 23rd*  
*September 30th*  
*October 7th*  
*October 14th*  
*October 21st*  
*October 28th*



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*Join Us September 13th-16th 2007!!!*  
**Brothers Keshavananda and Vishwananda Visit!**  
**Public Outreach on Saturday, September 15th!**

REMEMBER:

*"No devotee should be satisfied until he has sufficiently developed his intuition - by impartial introspection and deep meditation, as in Kriya Yoga - to experience the communion of soul and Spirit."*

*(Paramahansa Yogananda, from God Talks with Arjuna: The Bhagavad-Gita, Chapter XVIII:74)*

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***Join Our Atlanta Center Activities!***

***Sunday School for Children 4-10***  
***Youth Group for 11 and up***  
***Young Adult Group***  
***Kirtan Group***  
***SRF Lessons Study Group***  
***Gita / Second Coming Of Christ Study Group***  
***Center Support Groups for Grounds, Flowers, Center Building***  
***Service as Greeters and Ushers***