

Part III: Wide-Ranging Questions on Vedic Astrology, raised by the Vedic Astrologer, Sri Sambasiva Ramanananda (Sri Balaji Balasubramaniam).

Q1. Sri Sambasiva Ramanananda poses the question to Sri Sankara Bhagavadpada: ‘How have people of other religions and faiths approached your astrological work; in spite of your Vedic Astrology belonging only to a certain Vedic civilizational matrix and that too, when this matrix is so ancient?’

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Q2: ‘In which areas of Life, do people normally seek Astrological guidance?’

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Q3: ‘There are always people who feel, they do not need Astrological consultations, they seem to depend on their own ‘Light’. How do we view this category of people and how do we understand them?’ (Sri Sambasiva Ramanananda). Sri Kannan Subramanian and Dr. Prema Shanker are seen to make pertinent observations.

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Q4: Sri Ramanananda asks: ‘We see that some people are too dependent on Vedic Astrologers, run to them for the smallest of difficulties in life, so are enslaved to the Astrologers. How are we to understand this condition and how do we improve this situation?’ Dr. Prema Shanker and Sri Kannan Subramanian are seen to make contextual observations.

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Q5: Sri Sambasiva Ramanananda asks the question: ‘How are we to create a new culture in which Vedic Astrologers become accountable? And how are we to remedy this situation?’ Sri Sankara Bhagavadpada stresses on the importance of intense participation in the consultation. Sri Chandrasekar Kannan asks Qs.

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Q6: Dr. Prema Shanker and Sri Chandrasekar Kannan go back to the earlier Q of how to consult a Vedic Astrologer. Sri Sankara Bhagavadpada, says, 'Life Readings' are not so significant. Patient-Physician analogy.

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Q7: Sri Chandrasekar Kannan asks, 'How long must one wait to see the fruits of Remedial Measures?' Humility before and after a consultation. Dr. Prema Shanker asks other Qs. Importance of 'motiveless action'.

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Q8: Sri Sambasiva Ramanananda asks the Q: 'Do women or men consult you more?' Women's suffering all over the world.

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Q9: Sri Sambasiva Ramanananda raises the question, as to whether, it is women, or men, who emerge as the greater learners and more serious seekers-as seen in Vedic Astrologer's consultations?

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Q10: Sri Ramanananda asks Sri Sankara Bhagavadpada, whether people do consult him in secrecy-that is without the knowledge of family members and their religious leaders? In this context, the importance of protecting privacy is stressed.

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Q11.Sri Sambasiva Ramanananda, asks Sri Sankara Bhagavadpada whether spiritual people have consulted him and enquired about the nature of their questions and concerns?

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Q12.Sri Sambasiva Ramanananda enquires with Sri Sankara, whether the weekly and fortnightly predictions given out periodically by Vedic Astrologers have much value?

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