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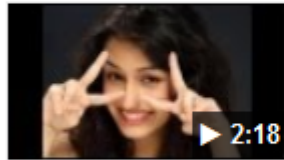
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[Hindu](#) - A goddess of faith. Wife of Dharma. Mother of Kama, some say.

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Śrāddha

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

Śrāddha or **Shraaddha** (Sanskrit: श्राद्ध) is a Sanskrit word which literally means anything or any act that is performed with all sincerity and faith (Śraddhā). In the Hindu religion, it is the ritual that one performs to pay homage to one's 'ancestors' (Sanskrit: Pitṛs), especially to one's dead parents. Conceptually, it is a way for people to express heartfelt gratitude and thanks towards their parents and ancestors, for having helped them to be what they are and praying for their peace. It also can be thought of as a "day of remembrance." It is performed for both the father and mother separately, on the days they became deceased. It is performed on the death anniversary or collectively during the Pitru Paksha or *Shraaddha* paksha (Fortnight of ancestors), right before *Sharad Navaratri* in autumn.^{[1][2][3]}

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Rituals

In practice, the karta (person who performs the shraaddha) invites Brahmanaas (individuals who are considered to be very noble, worthy, knowledgeable, etc.) that day, imagines they are his/her parent, performs a homa, serves them with sumptuous food, and treats them with all hospitality and finally serves “pinda pradaana”. (pinda—balls made of rice, given as offerings to the Pitṛs). The Karta then gives "dakshina" (fees) to the brahmanaas. (There are various other actions done to show respect to the Brahmanaas, like washing their feet etc. during the course of shraaddha). Cows are also considered ancestors in Hinduism and during Śrāddha the practice of offering food or pinda to cows is still in vogue.^[4]

Since this is one of the most important and noble “Saṃskāras” (rituals meant to cleanse the mind and soul) that the Hindu sages have envisaged, it is imperative that the performer of the ritual understands what he or she is doing. Only then will the true intent of the ritual be fulfilled and the performer of the ritual feel completely gratified. Else, the ritual becomes just a mechanical exercise for one's part.

The Shraaddha period



A mass Pinda Pradaana is being done at the Jagannath Ghat, Kolkata, at end of the Pitru Paksha.

In Hindu *amanta* calendar (ending with *amavasya*), second half of the month *Bhadrapada* is called Pitru Paksha: *Pitripaksha* or *Shraddha paksha* and its *amavasya* (new moon) is called *sarvapitri amavasya*. This part is considered inauspicious in *muhurtshashtra* (electional astrology). At this time (generally September) crops in India and Nepal are ready and the produce is offered as a mark of respect and gratitude (by way of pinda) first to the ancestors be they parents or forefathers before other festivals like *Navaratri* begin.

Many people visits Hindu pilgrimage site to perform, *Shraaddha* ceremonies, like Haridwar, Nashik, Gaya etc. Haridwar is also known for its Hindu genealogy registers.

See also

- Antyesti
- Brahmin
- Ezhavathy
- Sandhyavandhanam
- Śrāddha (Buddhadharma)
- Vedic priesthood

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- Online Course for Basic Vedic Mantras,Shraaddha & Tharpana rituals for Brahmins (<http://swadharmam.blogspot.in>) Online Vedic Courses to learn from Home
- Sraddha** in www.britannica.com (<http://www.britannica.com/EBchecked/topic/561839/sraddha>)

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Śraddhā

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Śraddhā (श्रद्धा, shraddhaa) is a Sanskrit term loosely translated as "faith", which is important in Hindu, Jain, and Buddhist literature and teachings. Śraddhā is also a girl's name in India and among adherents of the spiritual traditions which use the term; without diacritical marks, it is usually written as **Shraddha** or **Sraddha**.

Śraddhā is a broad concept which has no direct English relative or equivalent. In addition to faith, it can also be associated with trust, confidence, and loyalty.^[1] The teacher Ammachi describes it as the "constant alertness arising from Love", and when choosing a single word to translate it into English, has used "awareness".^[2] Other writers have also described the concept with emphasis on the intersection of faith and mindfulness, and it has been translated in this vein with words such as "diligence".^[3]

Sri Aurobindo describes Śraddhā as "the soul's belief in the Divine's existence, wisdom, power, love and grace."^[4]

See also

- Shraddha

Notes

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