

APOLOGY: My MP3 recorder stopped working on 17 Dec 2009 and so there were no recordings for three days, but I will re-record them in February, during my vacation, and post them.

2009-12-14_34_64kbps+20db.mp3. Class no. 34 given on 14 Dec 2009.

2.56. Muni and rishi: synonyms. Creative speculation is not glorious. Threefold miseries. Tat te 'nukampam.

2.58. The test of a mature spiritualist. Senses are serpents. Scriptural regulations are needed to come to this point of mature spirituality. "Be yourself" is tamasic ideology.

2.59. Still, the restrictions aren't enough. We need to be transcendently situated.

2009-12-15_35_64kbps+20db.mp3. Class no. 35 given on 15 Dec 2009.

Material from other commentaries.

2009-12-16_36.mp3. Class no. 36 given on 16 Dec 2009.

2.60. Without Krishna consciousness, even the learned fall. Therefore Krishna consciousness is essential for sense control. The important verse by Yamuna is quoted again in Chapter 5 commentary. With Krishna consciousness, automatically material enjoyment becomes distasteful.

2.61. Without Krishna consciousness, no possibility of sustainable sense control. Ambarisha Maharaja.

2.62. One who is not Krishna conscious is subjected to material desires while contemplating the sense objects. Shrila Prabhupada is solution-centered. "Artificial repression."

Class no. 37 given on 17 Dec 2009.

2.63. Phalgu-vairagya. Fall of the liberation-seeking impersonalist. "Not having support in devotional service."

Material from other commentaries.

Class no. 38 given on 18 Dec 2009.

2.64. The sensual plane.

2.66. Peace, as in 5.29. Generic statements and specific statements.

2.67. All the senses must be engaged.

2.68. Suitable candidate for liberation.

2.69. "Night" and "day".

Class no. 39 given on 19 Dec 2009.

2.70. The demands of the body for sense gratification. This verse is about the sadhaka. Peace. "So-called" material bondage. Liberation.

Material from other commentaries.