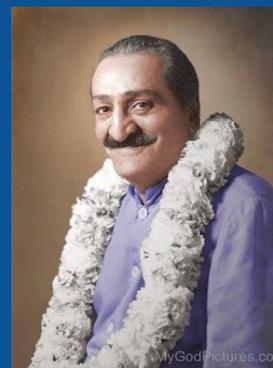


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- Contact Circle of Friends directors at ambcirclefriends@gmail.com.
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COMMUNITY NOTICES

Is anyone going to Trader Joe's?

If so, we'll pay for your gas if you'd bring us a few things. Please text 843 999 4899. Thanks!

~ Submitted by Cindy Lowe

For Sale

Entertainment Center. Great shape. Glass door. shelves. Oldie but goodie. \$75 OBO. Call Phyliss at 843-272-3071.

~ Submitted by Phyliss Fillmore

THIS WEEK AT THE CIRCLE CENTER

Circle Center offerings have only increased since going virtual. Information about Circle-sponsored online events can be found in the [Circle Calendar](#). Please consult it regularly to keep up with late breaking online events.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Mimi Hay Design



I am making pleated cotton face masks
With assorted designer fabrics including
A poly filter as a third layer.

Take a look and be safe! 🧐

Mimihaydesign.com/masks

Or call #843 283 3634

~ Submitted by Mimi Hay

Online Music Lessons

Keight Brown is teaching music lessons

A loving Jai Meher Baba to one and all!

"A stone may be worshiped with flowers or it may be smeared with refuse, but it remains unaffected. Remember, the real yogi is he whom nothing of the world can touch; he remains unconcerned and unaffected in all surroundings and circumstances." ~ Meher Baba

Greetings to all, from Myrtle Beach, Baba's Home in the West! The Circle Center is slowly opening up our physical space to very small groups by request, as well as starting up drop-in hours on Sundays from 3-5pm. On those days, our volunteers will wear masks and handle sanitation. Everyone else is encouraged but not required to follow suit.

We will continue the virtual meetings indefinitely, as long as individual hosts are available to continue. The calendar is the most up-to-date and complete record of any meetings, and virtual meetings are indicated by the word "Zoom" in the title. All details of events and any needed login info is available here:

www.ambcircleoffriends.com/calendar.html. Absolutely everyone from anywhere is welcome at our meetings. Below is a summary of the ongoing virtual meetings.

- Arti (prayers and live sharing from the heart)

*We host prayers recited to a recording of the Samadhi prayers, followed by sharing by attendees: music, poetry, readings, prayers in other languages... all love and creativity for Baba is celebrated! Meherabad time 7-8 am and pm, which translates to 930-1030am/pm EDT. Absolutely everyone is warmly welcome.

online ~ socially safe, easy and fun. She is also teaching lessons outside on her porch and patio, weather permitting. Piano and guitar. Lessons for Baba lovers half price. Keight has given music lessons for over 20 years. For more info and testimonies visit www.voicethemusic.com

~ or call Keight @ 843-503-8772.

~ Submitted by Keight Brown

Local Delivery Solutions

Keight Brown is available for curbside pickup groceries or picking up take out meals to go, or just running errands for you. Socially safe service without contact. Stay home - stay safe. ~

843-503-8772. NMB and MB. [Website](#)

~ Submitted by Keight Brown

Circle Center Videos

Check out ever-new videos of Circle Center events at [Robin Vogel's YouTube Channel](#).

~ Submitted by Chris Ott, Editor

Poetry

Trust

Inspired by Bhau Kalchuri's love for Meher Baba - by Merry

Trust is an experience of the heart.
It happens when I am confident.
It happens when I am beyond doubt,
When I know the truth of God is what I am.

Trust reminds me that God is in me . . .
That God resides in this lovely thing I call myself.
When I trust, I see God in everything . . .
And everyone reflects God back to me.

*An amazing community has built up around twice daily virtual Arti on Zoom! We have together designed some fundraising tshirts, the proceeds of which will be split between the Circle of Friends and the Meher Spiritual Center. Order yours here:

<https://www.customink.com/fundraising/meherbaba>

*If you are interested in training to become a virtual Samadhi attendant, please reply to this email or simply show up to one of the regularly scheduled trainings. It is an honor to host arti, it's fun, and full of Baba's love. Scheduled training times are Saturday 1045am EDT or Sunday 8pm EDT.

~Special One-time Events:

*Baba's Work in Us around Racial Unity: a conversation moderated by Hunter Flournoy in Asheville NC, Thursday June 18, 7-8.30pm EDT.

* A Celebration of the life of Jeff Tanguay, longtime lover of Avatar Meher Baba, June 20, 11.30am-1.30pm EDT. Hosted by David Silverman.

*Daniel Stone: A recorded presentation on A Gift from Master to Man, Meher Baba and Obedience, followed by a live Q&A with Daniel. Saturday June 27, noon-1.30 EDT. Hosted by Jim Knutson, in Myrtle Beach, SC

*The Virtual Northeast Gathering, hosted on the Circle of Friends Zoom platform was a resounding success with well over 200 individual participants spread out over an entire day - two key events provided by the NEG were a talk by Peter Nordeen (recording here <https://youtu.be/FNvqjtyLxeA>) and Adrienne Shamszad in concert (recording here:

Trust shouts out to me that God never leaves me . . .
That God loves me always . . .
And that radiant peace is mine to behold!
Trust tells me that the illusions of life are just that
And that I need not take them seriously!
Trust asks me just to notice illusory pain and then let it go.
Trust reminds me that I am an accurate reflection of love,
God Stuff, joy, peace, happiness.
I am a jewel beyond Time.
Trust reminds me that God is in every experience,
Whether I choose to view it as painful
Or as a glorious and wonderful learning experience.
The only thing that ever wavers is me – not God.
God is patient with me
And when I trust, I am patient with myself.
In this moment, I KNOW GOD!
I want to be good for God!
I want to trust because trust is a reflection
Of the knowingness of God.
God is constant.
God is all that is real.
God is immediate, loving, ever and always.
God is.
There is nothing to forgive, no one to judge, nothing to do
except love and trust
And trust yet more
Until even the idea of trusting is replaced
By the brilliant light of love
That burns and yearns in every heart.
I feel this experience in my heart because I trust.
I have no doubt that God is in me or that God is real.
This Radiance of Love embraces and

<https://youtu.be/YzjMJ1stlGQ>)

~Concerts:

*Jim Meyer in Concert! Live on Zoom, Tuesday June 23, 11am-1pm.

*A weekly Bhajan series, LIVE from India! Every week, a different musical family or guest will perform Baba bhajans for us (details of this week's guest will be on the calendar). Thursdays 11am-noon EDT. Organized by Prashant Dadar in Meherabad, MS, India.

~Reading and discussion groups:

*Check out weekly Effort and Grace with Jeff Wolverton in North Myrtle Beach, SC, live on Zoom Sundays 5-7pm EDT. Here is a link to the recording of last weekend's session, the 13th of the series, attended by over 60 people from all over the country: <https://youtu.be/Oqo93b6lm8c>

*Sharing Baba stories on Saturdays 3-5pm EDT continues to be popular – any Baba stories! Sharing is informal, reminiscent of conversation around the Refectory kitchen. Hosted by Betty Lowman in Oregon.

*Rich Blum in Myrtle Beach, SC continues his discussion groups every other Tuesday at 4-5pm EDT, organized by topic rather than focused on a specific book. See the calendar for more details. A recording of his latest: <https://youtu.be/Go-xC5Myc3Q>

*Baba through Norina, led by Scott Makeig in Asheville NC, will now meet Mondays 6-8pm EDT. Details about

humbles me.

All this love is really in me and I see it in you.

I am confident now that love is what I am.

I trust . . . I trust . . . like never before!

Bhau's Trust in Baba became an experience of my heart.

I trust!

I want to shout it from the rooftops!

~ Submitted by Mary Macdonald

HOUSING - RENT/OWN

House For Sale

3 Bed 2 Bath in Skimmer Bay, less than a mile to the Meher Center! It has been a great home for us for 9 years but time for us to return to upstate N.Y. Needs some minor repairs- built in 1983. \$170,000. or make an offer! Ken Neunzig email text or call (607) 287 8990 (843) 467 6571 or meherdust@yahoo.com.

~ Submitted by Ken Neunzig

House For Sale

Anyone wanna buy a wonderful home in North Myrtle Beach, SC? Mature landscaping in a very private backyard - hard to find around here! Half-acre lot feels like much more. 3Bed3Ba house with an outbuilding featuring another bed and full bath upstairs and huge workshop downstairs. Loads of excellent closet space. Recently updated kitchen and baths, low-maintenance brick ranch on a crawl space. Saltwater pool, easy golf-cart access to the beach about a mile away.

this week's reading is in the calendar.

*God Speaks reading group Mondays 11am-noon EDT hosted by Eugene Nowacki in NY.

*Mehera-Meher Reading Group meets on Thursdays at 2-3pm EDT, hosted by Tina Holmes in New York.

*Francis Brabazon's Stay with God, Fridays 11pm-midnight EDT, led by Max Reif in CA.

*Movie Nights Saturdays 7-8pm EDT: every week a different Baba-related video will be shown. Curated by Tina Holmes in NY.

-Poetry and Art

*Hafiz/Rumi hour Fridays 2-3pm, alternately hosted by Reza Abrahamzadeh in CA and Feresteh Azad in SC. A link to the last event: <https://youtu.be/i9zgbTmntmg>

*Poetry Series: Tracey Schmidt in Asheville, NC organizes weekly poetry nights, featuring a different Baba lover poet each week, every Wednesday 7-8pm. Last week's session: <https://youtu.be/HQ8UFv066IY>. Check the calendar for more details.

*Limited series of Art Appreciation classes with Joe DiSabatino in SC, who has taught this course for OLLI, every other Monday, 2-4pm. See calendar for more details.

-Health, Wellness, Meditation:

*Ongoing Inquiry Circle interweaving Meher Baba on the

https://www.zillow.com/homedetails/17-20-Cenith-Dr-North-Myrtle-Beach-SC-29582/11117991_zpid/?view=public

~ Submitted by Angela Lee Chen

Beautiful House for sale at Briarcliffe Acres! (Jerry's Old House)

11 South Gate Road which was home to Jerry and Shirla Edwards and had been blessed with many Baba events, gatherings and celebrations will come on the Market in mid July. This house has upto 3500+ heated square footage with 5 bedrooms and 3 1/2 baths. An oversized attached garage and a screened patio. The south border of the property is adjusted to Meher Center! A must see! Call Mehernoush for exclusive early showing now at 843-331-0769



~ Submitted by Mehernoush McPherson

Don McBride's House in Timber Ridge is For Sale

Adorable all brick home for a great price

Mind with The Work of Byron Katie, led by Anne Haug in Montana, Certified Facilitator, Wednesdays 3:30-5 EDT. Here is a link to the recording of last week's session <https://youtu.be/kVdRh90K9Nw>. All the previous sessions can be found on Robin Vogel's YouTube channel.

*Yoga classes, with our own Adrienne Shamszad in CA, continue on Wednesdays at noon-1pm EDT. We bet you didn't know that she is an awesome yoga teacher!

*Japa, Saturdays 2-3pm EDT led by Marilyn Seides in Myrtle Beach, SC.

*Light Meditation with Jackie Boyce in SC on Sundays, 2-3pm EDT has moved to Zoom.

*Feelings Check-in, hosted by Thia Griffin-Elliott in Boston, MA. Fridays 7-8pm EDT.

*Guided Sufi heart meditation, with a laser focus on Meher Baba, led by Joe DiSabatino in Myrtle Beach SC, every other Thursday 7-8pm EDT to start June 11.

*A weekly ACA meeting with Denny Moore in Myrtle Beach, SC on Saturdays 9:30-10:30am EDT, by teleconference. Details on the calendar.

~Fun

*Weekly Baba dance party, now meeting on Mondays 8-9pm EDT! Roxy in CA plays us her awesome international/disco playlist. So much fun, a great way to shake off the cobwebs! Come shake a tail feather with us.

*A Zoomulele Uke Jam led by Frank Eaton, III, in Myrtle

at Timber Ridge Village of North Myrtle Beach. A Must see before it goes on the market! This house has two bedrooms, two baths, a carolina room and a screened patio with a wood stove! Real oak wood flooring throughout and an oversized one car attached garage. Heating and AC system is less than a year old. This house is well built and well maintained and has new appliances and fixtures! The community has the lowest HOA in the area and it is a golf cart ride away from the beach! Please call Mehernoush at 843-331-0769 for private viewing.



~ Submitted by Mehernoush McPherson

Apartment Needed

My name is Elizabeth Stohr. I'm looking for a place to rent for me and my dog and

Beach, SC meets every other Friday 4-6pm EDT, details in the calendar. All instruments welcome!

*Acting/Improv classes Mondays 4:30-5:30 pm EDT, taught by Tina Holmes in NY, an actor who has done years of improv in a murder mystery company and appeared in 4 Broadway shows. Improv helps you to be in the moment and think on your feet, which is useful in many life situations.

Join us online at the virtual Circle Center - we can be together in this pandemic, holding onto Baba's damaan with both hands. The Circle's schedule is busier than ever, with hosts from all over the country, and meetings that run the gamut.

Absolutely everyone from anywhere is welcome to attend. If you do not have access to a computer, you can even call in with a phone. Check the calendar very frequently, as we add events almost daily:

<https://www.ambcircleoffriends.com/calendar.html>

PS we have list of tech savvy people who are happy to help you get online. Reply to this and we will get you tech help.

~ Submitted by Angela Lee Chen, Circle of Friends President

STAY INFORMED

You can learn what's going on at THE CIRCLE CENTER here on The Circle News, and at our [Calendar](#). Our events are often also featured on our Facebook page at www.facebook.com/circlecenterMB. Our events are very rarely on Mall pages.

cat. It can't be more than \$400 a month since I'm on a fixed income. My phone number is 254-350-8220. I'm looking to leave Texas in September. Thank you.

~ Submitted by Elizabeth Stohr

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~ Submitted by Mehernoush McPherson

Rental

Four miles north of Baba Center, few blocks from beach, quiet, spacious, one bedroom. contact Donna Stewart, 843.902.5230





~ Submitted by Donna Stewart

Baba House in Oregon For Sale

We are selling our home in Scotts Mills Oregon, hoping to find a Baba Lover who will love it as much as we have. It was the home of the Northwest Sahavas for about 20 years, until 2013, when sahavas moved closer to Portland. The Portland Baba group is active, fun-loving and welcoming. For Baba lovers, we're asking \$469,000 for our 2,400 sq. ft. 4-bedroom, 2-bath home, with 2 barns on 3 gently sloping acres. Bhauji has been here, he named our home Baba House. Meheru and the twins Sohrab and Rustom were also visitors, as well as many sahavas guests over the years. Scotts Mills is about an hour south of Portland, and 1/2 hour east of Salem, so

commuting to work is reasonable. Photos and more details about the house are at this Redfin link:

<https://www.redfin.com/OR/Scotts-Mills/135-8th-St-97375/home/26389761>

Bonus: we are a 10-min walk from a beautiful county park with a big creek and waterfall, a daily highlight for us and our dog. For more details, and perhaps a video tour, call us at (503) 507-0274.

~ Submitted by Betty Lowman

SERVICES

Experienced Pet Care

My name is Bradley and I am looking for work as a dog walker and or pet sitter. I have worked with all kinds of animals and even spent a summer volunteering at a wildlife rehabilitation center. I have also volunteered at the Humane Society and worked at a dog kennel. Rates negotiable. The best way to reach me is by email at bradleyjco@gmail.com or by text at 301-910-1563.

~ Submitted by Bradley Cohen

Bach Flower Remedies

Heidi Becker-Share, MSW, ACSW, LSW, QCSW, BFRP(certified)
40+ years experience. Bach Flower Treatment naturally /gently removes negative emotions and thoughts which interfere with living a balanced, happy life. Confidential, Baba focused phone consultations to restore emotional well-being, mind-body health, and spiritual fitness in all life arenas.

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~ Submitted by Heidi Becker-Share

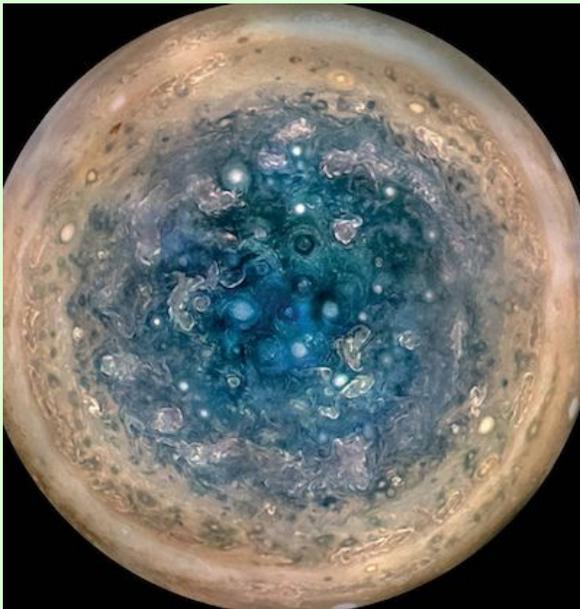
Massage

Massage makes everything better . Deep Tissue, Craniosacral and Reiki.

Emily Meyer 8434678988

~ Submitted by Emily Meyer

Birth Charts



Jupiter, courtesy NASA

I think of the birth chart as a sort of map of the sanskaras we were born with. It doesn't tell the future, rather it shows the talents and potentials we brought over from our previous lives. It also points out the areas we need to work on to attain poise, balance and harmony.

Understanding a birth chart requires a joint effort, a willingness to share your experiences and insights. You can write me at ekaterinaflynn@gmail.com. You can see the kind of work I do [here](#)

~ Submitted by K. E. Flynn

Dr. Brad Mandell, Chiropractor

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~ Submitted by Brad Mendell

Computer or Cell Phone Problems?

Laura & Tommaso's son Uli, who is 15 years old, has a knack for computers and cell phones. He's helped many in the community already with technical issues. \$10 an hour and has his own transportation. Call or text 843-655-1988.

~ Submitted by Laura Smith

Home Help

Lin Sonner still available for part time work, home help of various kinds.

linsonner@gmail.com

~ Submitted by Lin Sonner

Acupuncture and Chinese Medicine

Angel Acupuncture 607 Briarwood Drive, Suite 4 behind Sheriar Books.

Walkins possible, but appointments are recommended. Call 843.655.4629 or email angelaleechen@gmail.com. Ask for the Baba lover discount! For more info, visit Angelacupuncture.com.

~ Submitted by Dr Angela Lee Chen

Piano Lessons

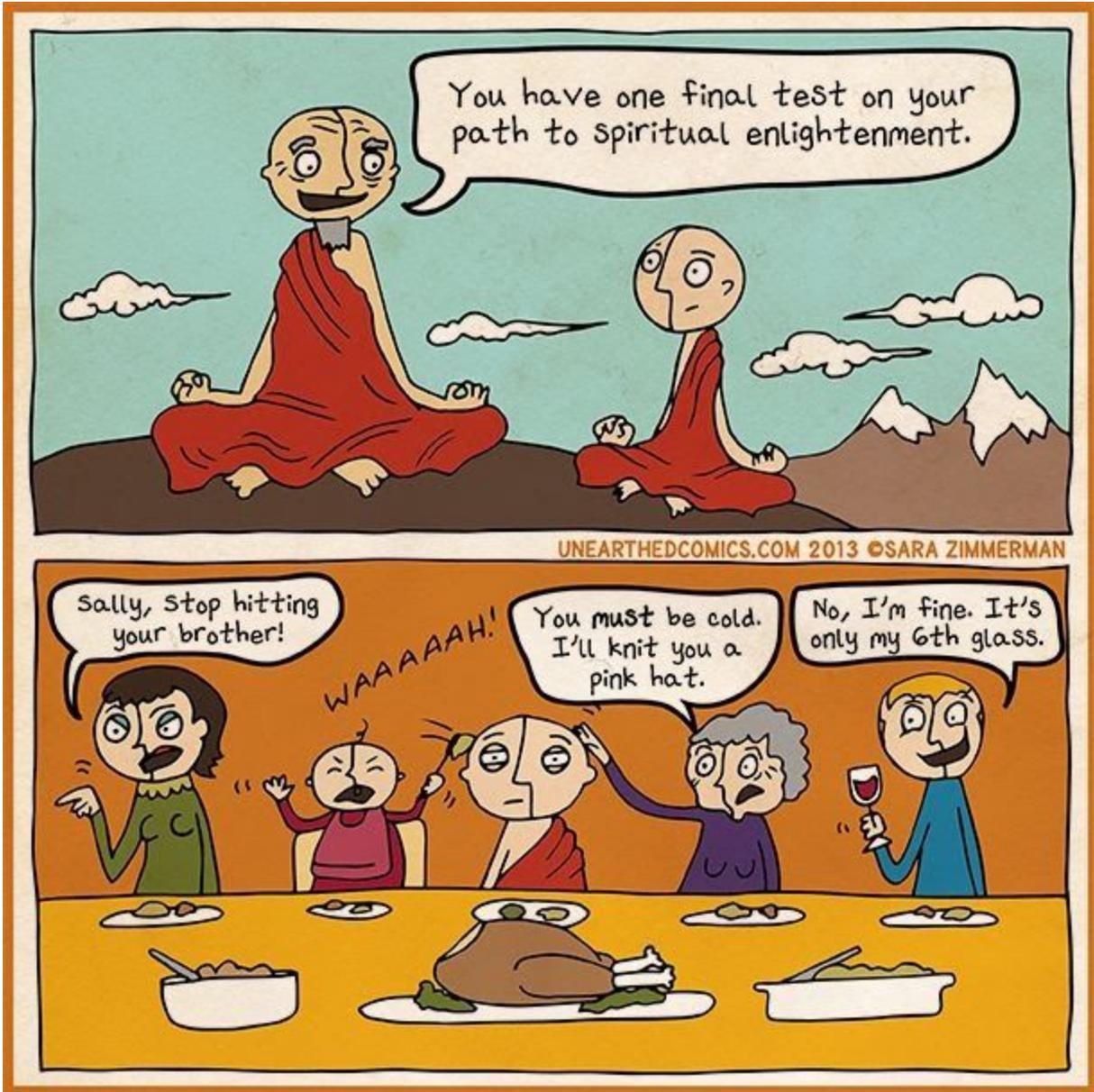
Piano lessons in N. Myrtle beach. 30 years experience, all levels, reasonable fee. Call Radhabai 843-281-0814

~ Submitted by Betsy Tomasso

Experienced Caregiver Available

Social worker, former assisted living manager and caregiver extraordinaire will take care of you or your dog at very reasonable rates. Contact: Cynthia Wolterding cwolterding@gmail.com 612 849-0599

~ Submitted by Dennis Wolterding



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