



LOS ANGELES KRIYA YOGA INITIATION PROGRAM

Kriya Yoga is a **scientific, powerful, non-sectarian** meditation technique designed to **accelerate self-realization** without requiring painful austerities. Rooted in an unbroken, authentic lineage of enlightened masters, it is a practical path for modern laypeople of **any religious background to deepen their connection to God**. Consistent practice yields universal benefits, including profound calmness, peace, joy, and compassion.

DATES & EVENT SCHEDULE

Thursday and Friday, July 16 and 17, 2026

7:00 - 8:15 pm: Public Talk/Q&A. Recommended to attend one or both, in-person or online. Scan QR code for details. Topic: "Kriya Yoga: The Path to Inner Peace"

Saturday, July 18, 2026

08:30 am – 09:00 am: Registration
09:00 am – 12:00 pm: Kriya Yoga Initiation
12:00 pm – 02:00 pm: Lunch, Seva, Rest
02:00 pm – 04:00 pm: Technique Class
04:15 pm – 05:30 pm: Guided Meditation

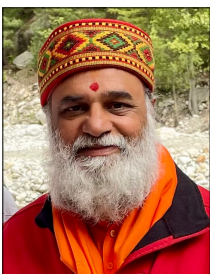
Sunday, July 19, 2026

08:30 am – 10:30 am: Technique Review
10:45 am – 12:00 pm: Guided Meditation
12:00 pm – 01:00 pm: Lunch, Seva
01:30 pm – 02:30 pm: Q&A Session
03:00 pm – 04:00 pm: Guided Meditation

PLEASE NOTE:

- **Initiates must attend entire Saturday and Sunday workshop to master the technique.**

TEACHERS



Swami Atmavidyananda Giri is a senior monk in the lineage of Paramahansa Hariharananda and Paramahansa Prajnanananda, and current Vice President of Kriya Yoga Institute, who has been tirelessly teaching Kriya Yoga to sincere seekers since 2004.



Yogacharya Richard Peterson was initiated into Kriya Yoga by Paramahansa Hariharananda in 1979 and has been authorized to teach Kriya Yoga since May 2007. He is a devoted Kriyavan who has guided countless individuals in North America on the path of Kriya.

LOCATION

The July 16 and 17 Public Talks will take place at two different locations. Scan QR code below for full details.

Kriya Initiation weekend:

Rockpointe Clubhouse

22300 Devonshire Street
Chatsworth, CA, 91311

REGISTRATION PROCESS

- **Deadline:** Register no later than **July 17, 2026**
- **To Register:** Scan the QR code below or visit <https://kriya.org/event-details/8844/en>



WHAT TO BRING ON SATURDAY

Seekers offer to God fruits, flowers, and a financial offering symbolizing the fruits of our actions, our 5 senses, and the causal/astral/gross body, respectively.

- **5 flowers:** Same kind or different, your choice
- **A long-stemmed red rose** in addition to above
- **5 fruits:** Same kind or different, your choice
- **\$200 per person | \$100 per student**
 - Payment methods: Cash, Check, or Zelle. Can pay at the location.
 - Check: Payable to "Kriya Yoga Institute"
 - If paying by Zelle or Check, please bring a physical \$1 bill for the offering ceremony
 - As a volunteer-run non-profit, all offerings directly support Kriya Yoga events, including venue rentals, food, supplies, and teacher travel
- **Yoga mat and cushion**, as some practices are done on the floor