



Maharaja Agrasen



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महाराजा अग्रसेन

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Maharaja Agrasen

- He was born 5185 years ago around the time of Mahabharat. That was the last leg of Dwapar Yuga and beginning of Kaliyuga.
- He was the eldest son of Suryavamshi King Ballabh of Pratapnagar.
- He started the tradition of giving “Ek Rupiya Ek Eent” to anyone coming to settle in his kingdom. This created equal opportunities for people with various economic background to start a new life.



Maharaja Agrasen

- He married Naagkanya Madhavi who was very beautiful. Indra, who wanted to marry Madhavi, stopped rain in Agroha. Maharaja Agrasen and Indra fought for several years. Brahma Ji intervened and stopped the fight.
- This long fight deteriorated the economic condition of Agroha.
- Maharaja Agrasen went to deep jungle and worshiped Mahalaxmi.



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- Mahalaxmi was very pleased with Maharaja Agrasen
- She blessed Maharaja Agrasen that Agravanshi will always lead in the society and that his kingdom will never face any economic difficulties.
- Maharaja Agrasen returned back to Agroha and established and worshiped Mahalaxmi as the KULDEVI of Agroha.



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- Maharaja Agrasen conducted Ashwamedh Yagna. As part of this, he conducted 18 yagnas, one for each of his 18 sons.
- Each of the 17 yagnas were concluded with the sacrifice of a horse as part of the vedic tradition.
- During the 18th yagna, the horse started crying as he became aware of his approaching death.
- This melted Maharaja Agrasen's heart and he decided not to sacrifice the horse.



Who are Agrawals?

- The word Agrawal means Descendants of Maharaja Agrasen.
- Maharaja Agrasen established the 18 Gotras after the names of Gurus who performed the 18 Yagnas.
- He divided his kingdom among his 18 children.



Our 18 Gotras

Garg, Goyal, Goyan, Bansal, Kansal, Singhal,
Mangal, Jindal, Tingal, Airan, Dharan,
Madhukul, Bindal, Mittal, Tayal, Bhandal,
Nagal, Kuchhal

गर्ग, गोयल, गोयन, बंसल, कंसल,
सिंहल, मंगल, जिंदल, तिंगल, ऐरण, धारण,
मधुकुल, बिंदल, मित्तल, तायल, भन्दल,
नागल, कुच्छल



Agroha

- Agroha is located 20 Kilometers North West of Hisar (Haryana) in India.
- The excavation of the ancient Agroha city started in the year 1888-89.
- It is considered the most sacred pilgrimage for the Agrawals. We all should plan on visiting Agroha and help with its development efforts.
- He established the “Agroha” kingdom on the basis of socialism, humanity and non-violence.



Maharaja Agrasen Ji Ki Aarti

जय श्री अग्र हरे, स्वामी जय श्री अग्र हरे ।
कोटि-कोटि नत-मस्तक, सादर नमन करे ॥ जय श्री.....

आश्विन शुक्ला एकम, नृप वल्लभ जाये ।
अग्रवंश संस्थापक, नागवंश ब्याहे ॥ जय श्री.....

केसरिया ध्वज फहरे, छत्र चंवर धारे ।
झांझ, नफीरी, नौबत बाजत तब द्वारे ॥ जय श्री.....

अग्रोहा राजधानी, इन्द्र शरण आये ।
गोत्र अट्टारह अनुपम, चारण गुण गाये ॥ जय श्री.....

सत्य, अहिंसा पालक, न्याय, नीति, समता ।
ईंट रुपये की रीति, प्रकट करे ममता ॥ जय श्री.....

ब्रह्मा, विष्णु, शंकर, वर सिंहनी दीन्हा ।
कुल देवी महामाया, वैश्य कर्म कीन्हा ॥ जय श्री.....

अग्रसेन जी की आरती, जो कोई नर गाये ।
कहत त्रिलोक विनय से सुख सम्पत्ति पाये ॥ जय श्री.....



AGRAWAL DHWAJ (Flag)



अखिल भारतीय अग्रवाल-सम्मेलन द्वारा प्रमाणित
“अग्रवाल-ध्वज”

अखिल भारतीय अग्रवाल-सम्मेलन द्वारा प्रमाणित इस ध्वज का विवरण इस प्रकार है:-सूर्य की 18 किरणों 18 गोत्रों की सूचक हैं। रूपया और ईट महाराजा अग्रसेन के समाजवाद के प्रतीक हैं। ध्वज का रंग केसरिया है। सूर्य, रूपया तथा ईट का रंग सिलवर है। ध्वज की चौड़ाई 18 इंच व लम्बाई 27 इंच है तथा अंग्रेजी के अक्षर 'बी' (B) के समान कटाव 9 इंच में है। नेफे का भाग 27 इंच के अतिरिक्त है। इसी अनुपात से बड़ा या छोटा ध्वज बनाया जा सकता है।



DHWAJ GAAN (Song)

अग्रवाल ध्वज-गान

झण्डा लहर-लहर लहराये ।
अग्रवंश की कीर्ति सुनाये ॥

केसरिया रंग बहुत सुहाये,
त्याग-भाव का पाठ पढाये ।
सहानुभूति व प्रेम, त्याग को,
हम सब जीवन में अपनाये ।

अड्डारह किरणों का गोला,
गोत्रों की बोली है बोला ।
राज व्यवस्था को बतलाकर,
अग्रसेन की याद दिलाये ।

एक रूपया संग ईट जड़ी है,
इसमें समता बहुत बड़ी है ।
समाजवाद की यही कड़ी है,
अग्रोहा की याद दिलाये ।

ऊपर नीचे कूल बने हैं,
मिले बीच अनुकूल घने हैं ।
ऊँच-नीच का भेद मिटाकर,
समता हम जीवन में लायें ।

झण्डा लहर-लहर लहराये ।
अग्रवंश की कीर्ति सुनाये ॥



Agrawals with President of India





Maharaj Agrasen Ship

- Government of India purchased a ship for 350 Crore Rupees from South Korea. It was named Maharaja Agrasen.
- Members of Agrawal Samaj went to South Korea to take the delivery of the ship.
- The ship has a capacity of 140,000 Metric Tons and it is used to bring oil from gulf.





MAHARAJA AGRASEN STAMP



AGROHA MANDIR



MANDIR ENTRANCE



MAHARAJA AGRASEN



SHRI HANUMAN JI

