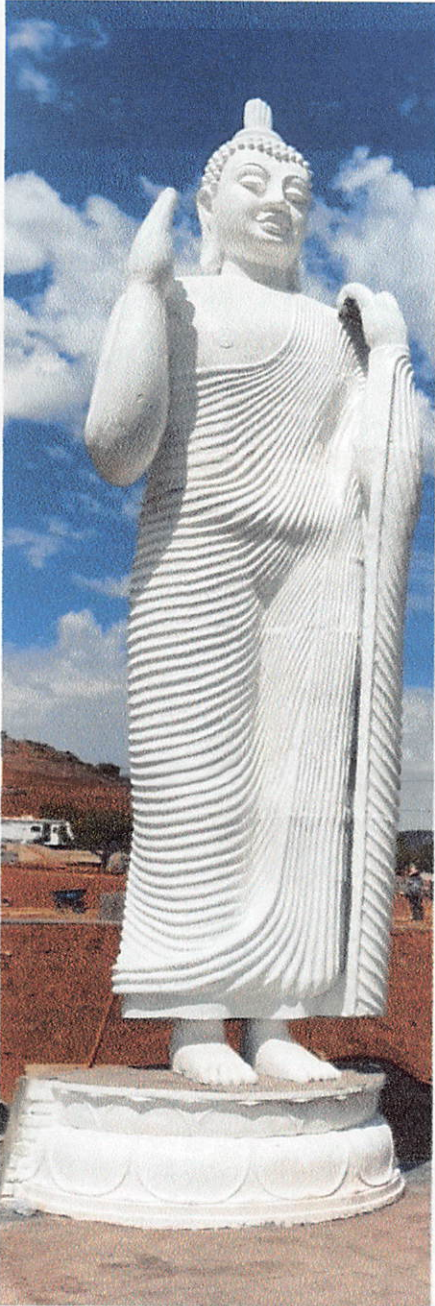


Jethawanaya Buddhist Meditation Center

3963 Sierra Hwy, Acton. CA 93510



Dear Friend,
Shanthy Nikethanaya Buddhist Center in West Hills, Los Angeles, is honored to have served the community for almost twelve years. With meditation, yoga, martial arts, and various cultural and religious activities, we have brought positive change and meaningful happiness to many lives!

And, the time has come for an exciting expansion. We're in the planning stages of a new Buddhist Temple and Meditation Center on a 2.5 acre parcel in Acton, California. Our vision is to create a center for yoga, meditation, martial arts, energy healing, and other practices that promote harmony on earth. As a non-biased organization, we welcome people of all faiths and demographics, just as we do at our West Hills Center.

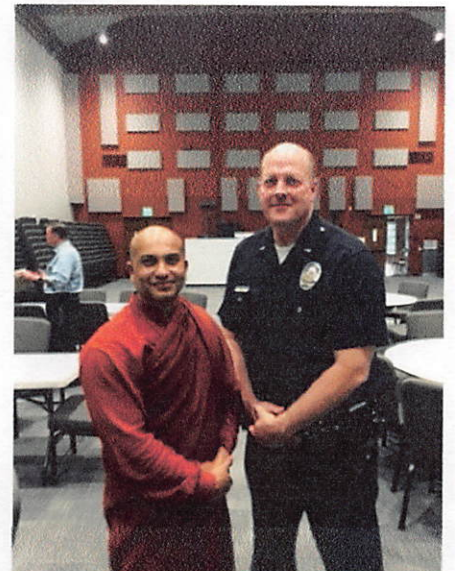
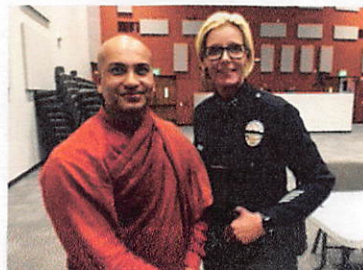
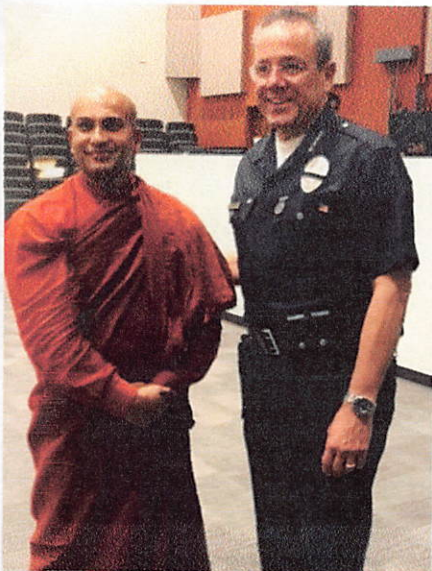
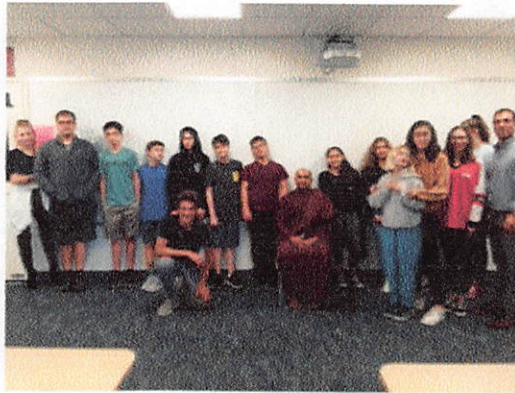
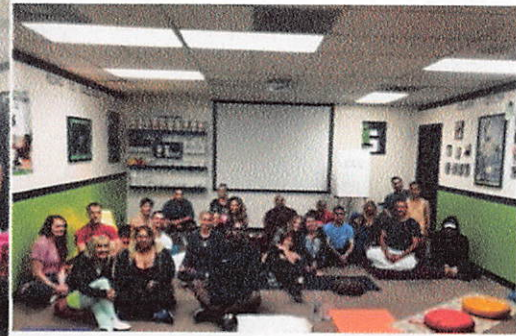
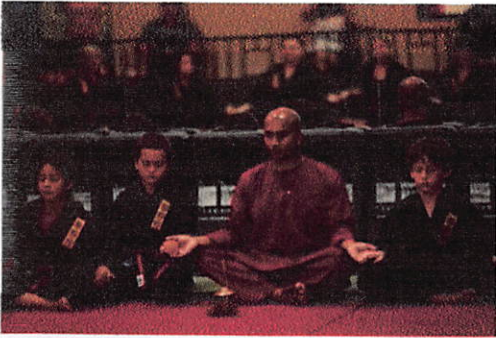
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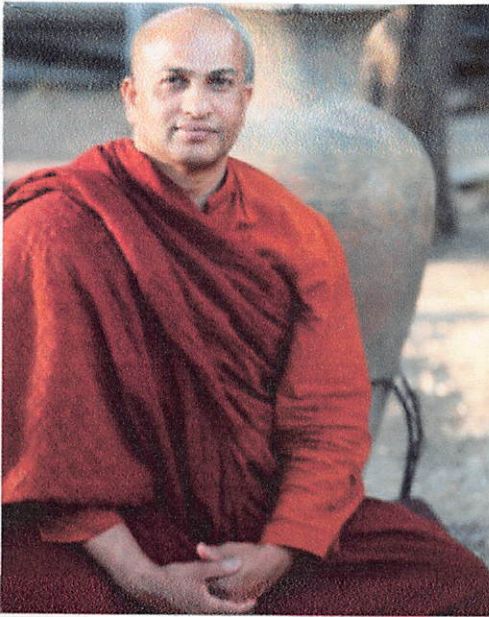
- Connect people with themselves, each other, and the environment
- Support a life-path of mindful awareness and compassion
- Offer an understanding of ancient Buddhist teachings
- Provide Yoga, Meditation and Martial Arts classes
- Center will be self-sufficient and eco-friendly

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Examples of Our Community Services





ABOUT

Venerable Master Shantha Sobhana

Venerable Master Shantha Sobhana is a Buddhist monk with 25 years of experience in meditation and healing techniques, who has also been practicing and teaching yoga for the past 20 years. He has international experience including China, Malaysia, United Kingdom, Europe, India and Sri Lanka. In addition, he is a 4rd Dan black belt in Goju Ryu Karate and 2nd Dan black belt in Aikido. Ven. Shantha Sobhana teaches yoga in combination with meditation and healing techniques. His classes provide cutting-edge instruction through a variety of entertaining and educational sessions that promote well-being, positive self-esteem and stress management.

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The Acton Town Council
Acton, California 93510
October 3, 2022

Grace and peace to you,

On behalf of the Board of Directors of Interfaith Solidarity Network (ISN), a consortium of 40 diverse faith communities in the San Fernando Valley, I am writing to offer our hearty recommendation for Venerable Shantha Sobhana and to support his proposal for the Jethawanaya Buddhist Temple and Meditation Center in Acton.

Ven. Shantha has been a member in good standing of the board for the past several years. He has been a faithful partner in the work of bridging differences among faiths and cultures here. Together we hosted educational forums and celebrations of each other's traditions of peace, compassion and service.

The Jethawanaya Buddhist Temple and Meditation Center will offer healing practices of yoga, meditation and martial arts for people's well-being, enhancing the town of Acton's quality of life as a peaceful community.

As a Buddhist monk, Ven. Shantha works very well with people of other faiths and religious leaders of all kinds. He is a unifying presence. As a leader in the Episcopal tradition of Christianity, I've experienced him as a soulful and selfless human being, grounded in love and joy - a solid citizen.

Please do not hesitate to call if you have any questions.

The Rev. Daniel Tamm
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