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Every time we publish our New Bulletin with a unique approach towards serving the community at large, since the need varies from person to person, locality to locality, in this drastically changing world.

The Beneficiaries have volumes to speak about the good work of YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad that carrying out over the decades now. We beseech every member to keep extending your generosity for the good work that YMCA is involved in. Let us together with patience and one goal build a better community.

The name of the magazine “**TRIUMPH**” is replaced with a new name “**SUCCOUR**” - **The Helping Hand**. Therefore the magazine is called with a new name **SUCCOUR** hereafter. We request our readers/viewers not to get confused by the change of name. It will remain the official name forever. We regret the inconvenience caused to our readers with the change of name. The authorities found the new name **SUCCOUR** more appropriate and elegant over the earlier name and hoping to add more millage than before. We believe you do cherish with us on selecting the new name.

The editors of this magazine are mostly eye witnessed the events/activities/programmes, word of mouth and some extracts; therefore nothing is biased/judged.



E. Jayaker Daniel

President, YMCA of Greater Hyderabad.
CEO, Praja Manipusa Magazine
CEO, YMCA Mutually Aided Co-Op Thrift And Credit Society Ltd.
Vice President, Telangana Basketball Association
Vice President, The Hyderabad District Basketball Association

PRESIDENT DESK

Indeed I once again take delight for the office in which God ordained me to function. I am profoundly grateful to the Lord God for bestowing unfathomable privileges and indescribable mercies upon me and my work. In these unprecedented times, every step of challenge not knowing the outcome but hoping to fetch something good for the survival is what the lifestyle has become now. Only the Word of God remains the only hope and source of survival like always.

Death is as inevitable as uncertain; those days of relaxed lifestyles exists no more now, but beyond competitiveness/affordability. Nevertheless dependency on God never lets us hopelessness/down. I am always encouraged and strengthen especially by one scripture i.e. "I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me" - Phil 4:13. Therefore I encourage the readers to hold on to the same faith what I carry to accomplish the tasks beyond my ability. I also beseech each one of you to uphold YMCA's in your daily prayers that it may progress and sustain in these uncertain times.

Special Thanks to:

Shri. **K. Chandra Shekar Rao** Garu, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Telangana.

Shri. **Stevenson**, MLA

Shri. **D. Rajeshwar Rao**, MLC

Shri. **Stephen Ravendra**, Commissioner of Police, Cyberabad.

Smt. **Kanthi Wesley**, Managing Director, Telangana State Christian Minority Finance Corporation.

Dr. **Rolland Williams**, Former National President, Present Chairman, SEIROY.

For your timely support and cooperation to YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad.

WORLD WEEK OF PRAYER

(held from 7th to 13th November, 2021)

Day -1



Mr. D. Robert Surya Prakash, Former President, YMCA of Greater Hyderabad guest speaker on Day-1

World Week of Prayer was initiated way back in the 18th century by the YMCA to sustain and overcome the powers of Social, Political and Economical influences of the society, since then it was observed together by the YMCA/YWCA for the whole week in the month of November. (To live in peace & harmony) since prayer is the foundation of every achievement and success which can prevent the youth from drifting away from the right path.

In a letter to the London YMCA in 1856, F.R. Starr of Philadelphia suggested:

“the appointment of a week to be simultaneously observed by the Young Men’s Christian Associations throughout the world for Prayer for the conversion of the world, and for young men especially”. In 1867 at the Vth World Conference in Paris, the American delegation made the proposal to consecrate Sunday 2nd November and every evening of the week following that day for special prayer for all associations throughout the world. But it was only in 1875 at the VIIth World Conference in Hamburg that the second Sunday of

November was fixed as the beginning of the “Week of Prayer”. In 1891, the “Week of Prayer” was included in the Constitution of the World Alliance of YMCAs. In 1901 the YWCA and the YMCA agreed “on the adoption of the same subjects for the annual Week of Prayer”. In 1904 a joint call to prayer was issued by the World YWCA and the World Alliance of YMCAs, and the joint Week of Prayer has continued since that time. Beginning with 1927, messages of the President of the World YWCA and the President of the World Alliance of YMCAs were included in the call to prayer. In 1931 the name of the Week was expanded to “The Week of Prayer and World Fellowship”. Since 1948, the booklets for the Week of Prayer have been presented with pictures, daily messages and appropriate Bible texts and prayers. Since 1942, the World YWCA and the World Alliance of YMCAs have published jointly a booklet each year for the Week of Prayer.

YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad observed World Week of Prayer and World Fellowship from 7th to 13th November 2021 at different places; each day has its own importance as it goes/accommodates by its theme.

Day -2



Mr. Eber Jayapaul, Board Member, Guest Speaker on Day-2

Day -3



Rev. Dr. Dhanraj Kota, Guest Speaker on Day-3

WORLD WEEK OF PRAYER



Bro. Azad Testimony on Day -3



Day -3



Day -4



Day -3



Rev. Pavan at Canaan, (FPW) at Ghatkesar on Day-4



Day -4



Rev. Pavan at Canaan, (FPW) at Ghatkesar on 5



Day -5 at Canaan at Ghatkesar

As Part of **200th BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS of Sir GEORGE WILLIAMS**

Thanksgiving Celebration



(Left to Right) Guests of Honour Shri B. Shankar Luke, Ex-Vice Chairman, TSMC, Shri Elvis Stephenson MLA, Shri. D. Rajeshwar Rao MLC, Shri E. Jayakar Daniel, President YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad

“Thanksgiving” An evening of gratitude is celebrated with all the full and life members of YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad remembering God’s goodness and favor upon YMCA. It remained an annual feature of YMCA for past many years. Sis. Shraddha, renowned servant of God, Founder of Jesus Alone Ministries was the speaker of the occasion. Shri. Lion Dr. Y. Kiron, CEO & Managing Director, Suchrindia Infratech Private Limited & Honorary Consul-Republic of Bulgaria was the Chief Guest of the occasion wherein he donated

gifts worth of Rs.20,000/- to the vulnerable people. The event was widely covered by Print and Electronic Media. The celebration was witnessed by around 400 guests/invitees.

Guests of Honour Shri. Elvis Stephenson MLA, Shri. D. Rajeshwar Rao MLC, Shri. Shankar Luke Ex-Vice Chairman, TSMC, Board of Directors and many guests witnessed the occasion inspirational message delivered by Sis. Shraddha which followed by the fellowship dinner/love feast.



▲ Sis. Shraddha, Mr. E. Jayakar Daniel, Shri Lion Dr. Y. Kiron on the dias

▼ Shri Lion Dr. Y. Kiron giving cheques to the physically challenged persons



Thanksgiving Celebration

Guests of Honour:

Shri D. Rajeshwar Rao, MLC

Shri Elvis Stephenson, MLA

Compliments of the Season from:

E. JAYAKAR DANIEL, President
Board of Directors & Secretaries of Greater Hyderabad



Sis. Shraddha delivering God's Word



President Mr. E. Jayakar Daniel addressing the gathering

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Thanksgiving Celebration

Speaker: **Shraddha** (Evangelist) Jesus Alone Ministries
 Date: 11th December 2021 at 6:00 pm, YMCA, Secunderabad

Chief Guest: **Shri Lion Dr Y. Kiro**
 CEO and Managing Director
 Suchrindia Infratech Private Limited
 Honorary Consul-Republic of Bulgaria

Guests of Honour: **Shri D. Rajeshwar Rao, MLC** | **Shri Elvis Stephenson, MLA** | **Shri B. Shanka** (Ex Vice - Chairman)

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 Board of Directors & Secretaries, YMCA of Greater Hyderabad

...that they all may be one" John 17:21

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Sis. Shraddha delivering God's Word



Sis. Shraddha, President, Board of Directors and Secretaries, YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad





Choreography by St. Andrews School Girls, Maktha, Begumpet



▲ Performance by Gangula Sunil & Team | Girls from Ebenezer Society Maktha, Begumpet doing Choro and Singing ▼



BEST SOCIAL SERVICE AWARD

Mr. **E. Jayaker Daniel**, President, YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad
had been awarded as the Best Social Service of the year by
Shri. K. Chandra Sekhar Rao Garu, Honorable Chief Minister
of Telangana State on the occasion of Telangana Christmas Celebration





*Mr. E. Jayakar Daniel, President, YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad
honouring Pastor Kurian, Founder, Christian Revival Center*



Secretaries, honouring Pastor Kurian



Honouring

Pastor Kurian a renowned servant of God, Christian Revival Center, Kazipet, Warangal Visited to Secundrabad YMCA wherein we had the privilege to have a fellowship with him in one of our daily devotions on 5th August 2021.

Honouring



Rev. Dhanraj, Regional Secretary

Secretaries had a great opportunity to interact and learn the new things from their Senior Colleague Rev. Dhanraj, Regional Secretary on his visit to Hyderabad YMCA on 13th November



Mr. George Abraham, Principal, Nandanam YMCA College of Physical Education had visited YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad on his personal work where he had witnessed many good things about YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad. He shared his professional on and off field experiences (the challenges, the trials and temptations).

Honouring



Mr. Ajith Reddy, CEO Contonment Board, Mr. Shabbir Ali, Mr. Akbar and Mr. Victor Amal Raj, the former India Football Captains were felicitated by Mr. E. Jayakar Daniel, President, YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad remembering their valuable contributions in the game of football towards the great Nation India. The legends are great icons and inspiration to the younger generation. Their hard work, struggle and dedication are highly regarded and to be followed.

YMCA-SOUTH EAST INDIA REGIONAL CONFERENCE (SEIROY)-2021



▼ Miss Betsy Williams, Rev. S.Dhanraj, Mr. E. Jayakar Daniel, Dr. Rolland Williams ▼





*(From left to right) Dr. Rajaratnam, President, YMCA, Kurnool,
 Mr. Kolamuri Prabhakar, President, YMCA Rajahmundry,
 Dr. Rolland Williams - Former National President, Present Chairman SEIROY,
 Mr. E. Jayakar Daniel, President, YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad, Mr. S. Williams, Vice Chairman, SEIROY,
 Mr. Peter, President, YMCA Vizag, Dr. S. Sampath Kumar, Asst. General Secretary, YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad,
 Mr. S. Dhana Raj, Regional Secretary, SEIROY*

200th BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION OF SIR GEORGE WILLIAMS



Mr. R. Jayasurya, Board Member, Prof. Rev. Reynold Wesley and Secretaries at LAHARI Old Age Home, Ghatkesar, Hyd



Distributing Fruits



Cake Cutting by Mr. R. Jayasurya and Secretaries



Distributing Food and Fruits



Distributing Food and Fruits

PROGRAMME FOR PHYSICALLY CHALLENGED

SPACE FOR EVERYONE

YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad has organized a programme for physically challenged/specially abled people on 3rd December 2021 at 7.30 am at YMCA, Secunderabad.

50 physically challenged men and women exhibited their inherent talents during this occasion. "CELEBRATION OF BLESSING ON WHEELS" was the name of the occasion for disabled persons observed on International Day of Persons with Disabilities.

The activity was sponsored by Rotary Club of

Secunderabad Icons, Hyderabad Hub Telangana, YMCA Secunderabad and Engage Disability. Mrs. Subhashini, Coordinator, Mrs. Indira Sampath, Coordinator, Dr. V. Raja Shekar, Organizing Member I/c and Mr. Murthy, Organizing I/c took forward the activity at YMCA Secunderabad. The above mentioned sponsors donated few wheel chairs and food, whereas YMCA has sponsored drinking mugs and provided free space to organize the event. It was a tremendous activity to encourage and strengthen the specially abled.





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at YMCA Secunderabad



▼ Dignitaries





Dr. Indira Sampath addressing



Cake Cutting by Dignitaries



NEW INSTALLATIONS



NEW ELEVATOR

A new elevator was erected to accommodate all the tenants of YMCA by spending an amount of Rs.10,00, 000/- (Rupees ten lakhs only). This has solved the problem of many years of inconvenience.

NEW PANEL BOARD

The new electric panel board which has the control of over 250 electric systems from one unit was installed at cellar. It upgradation is totally modernized on par with corporate system. This will certainly benefit in cost cutting.

CONSTRUCTION OF NEW CONFERENCE HALL

Keeping in view of the urgent need in this changing scenario the Board of Directors and Secretaries had come up with an idea of constructing a conference hall where it can serve the mounting need of the society. The air conditioned conference hall is accommodated with at least 50 chairs and a round table with projector and LED facilities etc. was made ready on 26th January 2022. It is due for the official inauguration.

REPUBLIC DAY CELEBRATION

YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad celebrated the 73rd Republic Day at YMCA Secunderabad. Shri. Rajeev Sagar, Vice President, Telangana Jagruthi was the Chief Guest and Shri. Solomon Raju, Guest of Honor expressed

their Patriotic greetings and brought many forgotten precious things into remembrance.



Chief Guest:

Shri M. Rajeev Sagar

Vice President, Telangana Jagruthi

Guest of Honour

Shri M.S. Solomon

Correspondent, Hannah Hill & Leader



Mr. Solomon Raj, Mr. E. Jayakar Daniel, Mr. Mede Rajeev Sagar and Mr. Shyam Kodamala,



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Dignitaries on the Dias



Shri. Mede Rajeev Sagar addressing the gathering



Shri Slomon Raj addressing the gathering



▲ Board of Director with Chief Guest and Guest of Honour ▼ Shri mede Rajeev Sagar, Chief Guest addressing the gathering



▼ Grand Finale organized by Mr. Vignesh Dance Academy and YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad ▼



1st National Kung Fu & Karate all Styles Martial Arts Championship

1st National Kung Fu & Karate all styles Martial Arts Championship held on 14th November at YMCA Secunderabad.

20 teams have participated. With a prize money of Rs.10,000/- as First Prize. Students from A.P., Telangana, Karnataka have participated. Prizes given

by Guests Mr. K.K. Raja, Chairman, Latha Raja Foundation, DICCI National President : Narra Ravi Kumar, Sri. Sidoojo Sir, Convenor of Officers Forum/ Help desk. Niskin Monk's Kung-fu universe Shaolin Tai-chi academy head Mr. Babu Rao was the Chief Organiser of the Tournament.



President YMCAs of Geater Hyderabad, Chairman-Latha Raj Foundation and Secerteraries



Dignitaries on the Dias at YMCA Secunderabad



Dance Competition

YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad organized Street Dance Competition on 16th October 2021 for the benefit of those dancers who are ignored for their insufficient resources but are rich in talent. Though the weather conditions were not so conducive, we had a great response among the dance lovers. Mr. Shekar the dance master and a Central Government employee was the Chief Coordinator for this successful event wherein 85 teams from across the country have been

participated. Many renowned Choreographers from Movie industry and couple of celebrities has witnessed the event.

*Another Dance Competition organized on 20th November 2021 by YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad under the guidance of Mr. Vignesh, Dance Instructor of YMCA. This event bagged a greater response and accolades from dance lovers across the twin Cities.



▲ Renowned Choreographers with Secretaries, YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad ▼





INTER CHURCH BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT



United Christmas Celebration (UCC) under the Chairmanship of Mr. M.Suvarna Rao and YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad organized Inter Church Basketball Tournament for Men of under 21 age. 35 teams have participated in this two day tournament. Many eminent Sports personalities witnessed the competition held on 6th to 8th December 2021 at YMCA Secunderabad and took part in prize distribution function on the final day.





Honoring Dr. Dayanand:
 CSI Institute of Technology on the occasion of introducing new courses and making them available to the aspirants, Mr. E. Jayakar Daniel, President, YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad Rev. Dr. T. Bhaskar, General Secretary, AICC Prof. Dr. B. Vimal Sukumar, Treasurer, SYNOD felicitated Dr. Dayanand, Director for bringing up such a remarkable initiation.

Retirement of Mr. T. S. Kiran Kumar

One of the Senior Secretaries of YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad who served the organization for almost 35 years in different capacities from the beginning of his career in the early 90's. Mr. T. S. Kiran Kumar the General Secretary of YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad after serving the organization as General Secretary for almost six years had retired from the services after attaining his superannuation (60 years of age) on 31st October 2021. He was highly honored with a farewell party on his departure.



Mr. T. S. Kiran Kumar
General Secretary, YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad

Chief Minister Christmas Clothes Distribution

It is a custom of YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad and the vision as well to serve and uplift the marginalized downtrodden and poor people of the society, therefore it acts as a channel between the donor and the end user. We are grateful to the Government of Telangana and Telangana State Christian Minority Finance Corporation for recognizing the valuable services of YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad that are carried out for the welfare of the society over 100 years now and enabling us with the needed resources as and when we required, one among them was clothes to the

needy for every Christmas Season to distribute to the listed out eight destitute homes at Hyderabad during the Christmas Season.

Wood Cutting was Restrained

Illegal wood cutting has been averted by group of Secretaries at Aushapur, Ghatkesar. Unauthorized former Secretaries entering illegally into the YMCA premises and found cutting the wood that was grown for years now and merchandised for just the half amount of its actual market price. Since then it was been more carefully monitored and safeguarded.

“Y.M.C.A” BY “VILLAGE PEOPLE”



Prof. S. F. Chandrashekar
*Board of Director,
YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad*

“YMCA” is not a new word, and no one in the world can claim ignorance of it. The word ‘YMCA’ has been a part of the vocabulary of nearly every young person in the world for more than a century. If you believe in God’s word, you’re probably aware that the YMCA was founded by Sir George Williams to be a place where people could come together to pray and learn about the things of this world and the world to come. In the title of this message, “village people” means what? Some of us who were born before the 1980s may have guessed this one already. People born after the 1980s, who see this message, will likely search for it on their smartphones because they are restless. Yes, that is correct. When it comes to disco, Village People are known for their hits like ‘YMCA,’ which was one of the most popular songs of the late 1970s. Some of you have probably already listened to it on YouTube. Some are still exploring or book-marking the song for playing later.

This message isn’t just to reintroduce the song to all of you, but to analyse the song’s meaning in detail. When I was a teenager, this song was frequently played on the English service of All India Radio’s ‘Yuvvavani’ English service. I would tune in to the radio every night around 6 or 7 p.m., hoping that the song would be played again. For the past 25 years, I hadn’t seen the artists until YouTube was flooded with their videos. Spectacular artists

showcasing the rich diversity of American life. In my next article, I’ll explain why this song is so special, and then I’ll explain what the song is all about. Victor Willis and Henri Belolo wrote this song. The YMCA that inspired the song was the McBurney YMCA on West 23rd Street in New York City between 7th and 8th avenues (in 2002, it moved to 14th Street). That was the YMCA Jacques Morali saw, which gave him the idea.

The song is still played at sporting events in the United States and Europe, and people join in the dance to spell out the song’s title with arm movements. “Y.M.C.A.” was used as a wake-up call on day 11 of STS-106 in September 2000. It was in the year 2009. In 15 countries, it tops the charts. is ranked as the seventh greatest dance song of the twentieth century by VH1. A year later. A Guinness World Record was set at the 2008 Sun Bowl in El Paso, Texas, when more than 44,000 people danced to Village People’s live performance of “Y.M.C.A.”

It’s also worth noting that “you can hang out with all the boys” was written by the song’s co-writer, Victor Willis, based on his childhood memories of playing basketball at the YMCA. “I wanted to write a song that anyone could relate to,” he said in an interview with News Corp Australia. As far as I’m concerned, I have no problem with the gay community adopting this song as their anthem. Neither do I as I’m writing this note. Not only that, but I’m hoping that my impressions of the song will pique enough interest that someone will wonder, “how did I miss this song in my time?.” You can still enjoy the song by searching and playing it on your mobile device. Is YMCA still on its mission?



IS YMCA STILL ON ITS MISSION?

Dr. S. Sampath Kumar
*Asst. General Secretary I/c
 YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad*

More than 64 million people in 120 countries around the world benefit from the YMCA, which is based in Geneva, Switzerland. [1] In London, Sir George Williams founded the Young Men's Christian Association on June 6, 1844, originally as the Young Men's Christian Association, to put Christian principles into practise by cultivating a healthy "body, mind, and spirit."

It grew quickly and became a worldwide movement based on the principles of biblical Christianity from its inception. In addition to providing athletic facilities and classes in a wide range of skills, local YMCAs also work to promote Christian values and do humanitarian work to help the community's youth.

During 1870s and 1930s, YMCA have its greatest impact in terms of spreading "evangelical Christianity through weekday and Sunday services as well as good sportsmanship throughout athletic contests (where basketball and volleyball were invented) and swimming pools," according to the YMCA's mission statement. The YMCA had "become interdenominational and more concerned with promoting morality and good citizenship than a distinctive interpretation of Christianity" later in this period and throughout the 20th century. The YMCA began providing wartime nursing, shelter, and other support in the United States prior to the American Civil War.

It is with this declaration that we affirm the Paris Basis of 1855 as the foundation statement of the YMCA's mission to build a Christian, ecumenical, voluntary movement for women and men with special

emphasis on and genuine involvement of young people and that it seeks to share the Christian ideal of building a human community of justice with love and peace and reconciliation for a fuller life for all creation at the beginning of this third millennium.

Aside from the most pressing social issues like child welfare, education, employment, housing and substance abuse; we're here to provide the resources our communities need on a daily basis. YMCA strives to provide all children, families, and communities with the resources they require to reach their full potential while following the biblical principles.

GLOBAL CHALLENGES

Now there are new challenges that YMCA needs to address. One of the major challenges that YMCAs must address is education of the poor from kindergarten to the post-graduation. Secondly, in the pandemics era YMCAs must be ready to provide healthcare at preventive, palliative and curative modes through systematic interventions using their infrastructure and the professional service providers having similar minds. India is the youngest populous country in the world, YMCAs must address their in a balance the social, psychological, physical and spiritual needs unequivocally. All of such challenges need to be addressed not only with an integrated theory, but also with systems in place and sufficient funding. The unitary focus hereafter should be on addressing these challenges. All of these challenges can be addressed only if YMCAs do not derail their mission from the original mission based on the biblical principles of love for the common man which can be ushered in by prayers and thanks giving.

HEARTFELT CONDOLENCES



YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad expressed deepest condolences on the loss of our great Icon, fighter, Army General Late. Bipin Rawat, Chief of Defense.



YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad expressed their deepest condolences on the sudden demise of Late Dr. J. Alexander, IAS, Former Chief Secretary, Karnataka State; YMCA former National President; former Regional Chairman, South Central India Region. YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad valued and recollected his enormous contributions made to the State of Karnataka and YMCA Bengaluru respectively.



Member of CSI Medak Diocese,
Member of St. John's Church and
Full member of YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad.
Management committee member of
Secunderabad Branch,
Property Committee Chairman of
YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad
MAJOR RICHARD HEMA SUNDAR RAO
(Popularly known as Major Rao)
S/o. Late Rev. Charles Prasanna Rao
has been called to Glory.
He passed away in New Zealand.
May God comfort the bereaved family members.

TRIBUTES TO THE SENIOR PASTOR REV. DR. G. SAMPURNA RAO

President, Secretaries of YMCAs of Greater Hyderabad paid homage and expressed deepest condolences on passing away to the Senior of Pastor Rev. Dr. G. Sampurna Rao Garu founding members of Redeemer Lutheran Church that takes place their services at YMCA Secunderabad from 2007 June.



Rev. Dr. G. Sampurna Rao

D.O.B- 29-4-1940
D.O.D- 26-9-2021



Late Mr. D.R. Joshua,
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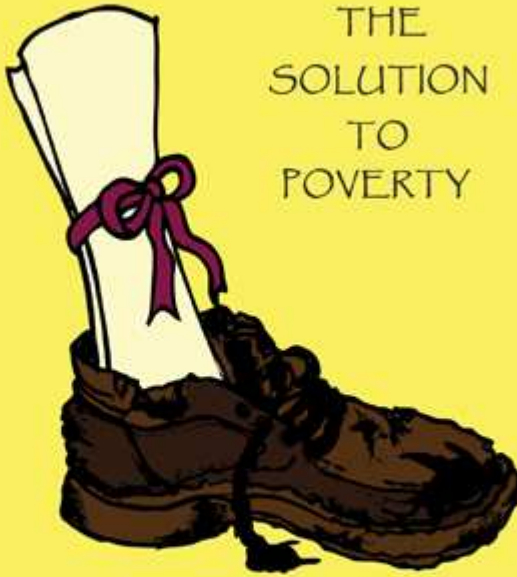
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