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ॐ नमो भगवते वासुदेवाय

A man in a red robe and cap stands in a large, brightly lit hall with yellow walls and a high ceiling. The hall has a curved floor and a red baseboard. The man is holding a cane.

Your contribution is what will give many fortunate students the opportunity to gather in this sacred space, where we all can study, contemplate, and practice the Dharma before the sacred image of Maitreya, the buddha of loving kindness. The enclosed donation form provides options for general contributions as well as a list of specific items you may sponsor.

Kagyü Thubten Chöling

245 Sheafe Road, Wappingers Falls, NY 12590
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BE AN OPENING DAY SPONSOR!

**Donate any amount to one or more of these items
to help us open the Maitreya Center to the public in 2016.**

**If you donate \$1,000 or more, you will be honored with
a permanent plaque in the Maitreya Center.**

Lama from Palpung Sherab Ling, India, to fill statues

Tibetan artists to paint and design shrine halls

Workers to assemble statues

Printing of *zungs* (mantra prayer scrolls that will fill the statues)

Painting base colors inside shrine halls and rooms

Acoustical ceiling tiles

**Gold Leaf for Maitreya statue, Shakyamuni Buddha statue, and Guru Padmasambhava statue
(on the accompanying donor form, specify the statue for your gold leaf donation)**

Entrance Lobby of Four Guardian Kings – Light fixtures

Maitreya Shrine Hall - Seats for His Holiness Karmapa, Kenting Tai Situpa, Lama Norlha Rinpoche, and other Lamas

Maitreya Shrine Hall - Shrine cabinets and tables

Maitreya Shrine Hall – Light fixtures and four chandeliers
(if you would like to be the main sponsor of one of the chandeliers, please inquire)

Maitreya Shrine Hall - Flooring

Maitreya Shrine Hall - Prayer tables

Maitreya Shrine Hall - Meditation cushions

Maitreya Shrine Hall - Hanging Tibetan brocades

Mahayana Shrine Hall - Shrine cabinets and tables

Mahayana Shrine Hall – Light fixtures

Mahayana Shrine Hall - Flooring

Mahayana Shrine Hall - Prayer tables

Mahayana Shrine Hall - Meditation cushions

Upper Level – Furnishings and beds for visiting teachers and monastics

Lower Level - Kitchen hood and exhaust system

Lower Level - Kitchen countertops, sinks, and tables

Lower Level - Walk-in refrigerator, freezer, dishwashers, and stoves

MAITREYA CENTER – BRING US TO OPENING DAY!

Your donation is tax deductible, less the fair market value of any gift received. Please print clearly on this form.

Questions? KTCmaitreyacenter@gmail.com or (845) 297-3843.

Name for tax receipt: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

GENERAL DONATION

☐ I joyfully donate to support the Maitreya Center \$ _____

SPONSOR A STATUE FOR THE MAITREYA CENTER'S 1,000 BUDDHAS SHRINE

☐ **Sponsor 8-inch Buddha** statue for the 1,000 Buddhas shrine ____ # at \$1,000 each. \$ _____

*For each Buddha statue sponsored, you are also invited to submit a name of your choice (living or deceased) to appear on a permanent plaque displayed in the Maitreya Center. Name for plaque: _____

☐ living or ☐ deceased

OPENING DAY SPONSOR! Please see the list on the prior page and write your choice(s) below. You can donate any amount to one or more of these items to help us open the Maitreya Center to the public in 2016.

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Name for plaque: _____

☐ living or ☐ deceased

Write Item Name (see prior page for choices)

_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____

PLEASE WRITE TOTAL AMOUNT HERE → \$ _____

HOW TO DONATE

☐ **WRITE A CHECK** payable to KTC & fill out this form. Please write "Maitreya Center" on the check memo line. Mail your check and completed form to: **KTC Monastery, Attn: Office, 245 Sheafe Road, Wappingers Falls, NY 12590.**

☐ **DONATE ONLINE (VIA PAYPAL).** Enter your total amount online at <http://maitreyacenter.com/donate/mc>. PayPal membership not required, you can use any major credit card. In lieu of sending this form after completing your online donation, **please email KTCmaitreyacenter@gmail.com with the info that you would otherwise have filled out on this form.**

☐ **CREDIT CARD.** We accept **VISA or MasterCard.** You can mail this form to the above **KTC address** OR you can fax this form to (845) 297-5761. Please fill out below. For security purposes, do not email your credit card number.

☐ A one-time charge of \$ _____ PLUS (if installment plan is applicable):

☐ Installment plan : _____ # of monthly charges of \$ _____ each month

(For a Total Amount of \$ _____ ; **installment payments should add up to the TOTAL AMOUNT ABOVE**)

*For credit card installment plan, please put increments of at least \$100 per monthly payment.

Card Holder's Name: _____
(write name exactly as it appears on the card)

Today's Date: ____ / ____ / ____
(month) (date) (year)

Card Number: _____ / _____ / _____

Card Expire Date: ____ / ____
(month) (year)

Card Holder's Signature _____

Security Code: _____

DEDICATION PRAYERS FOR FAMILY AND FRIENDS

We invite sponsors of all levels to submit requests for dedication prayers for living and deceased family and friends. In addition to personally praying for your loved ones, Lama Norlha Rinpoche will arrange to have your list of names blessed at the annual Kagyu Monlam (prayer festival) in Bodh Gaya, India, which is attended by the 17th Gyalwang Karmapa and about 5,000 monks and nuns; and at Korche and Kala Rongo monasteries in Tibet, which house 200 monks in the monastic college and 300 nuns, respectively.

We also will include these names for prayers at the 2016 North American Kagyu Monlam, hosted at Kagyu Thubten Chöling!

DECEASED

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| 7. _____ | 8. _____ |
| 9. _____ | 10. _____ |

LIVING

YOUR NAME: _____

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