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# Types of Guru and Gurumantra

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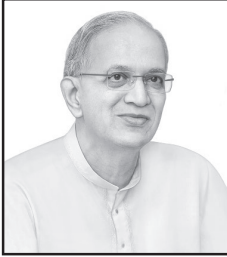
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4. Founder-Editor of Hindu Periodical 'Sanatan Prabhat'
5. Proponent of 'Hindu Rashtra' (Divine Rule) (Year 1998)
6. Uniting Saints, Sects, devout Hindus, patriots and social workers and providing spiritual guidance to them to establish the 'Hindu Rashtra' (Divine Rule)

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### Parabrahman (Dr) Athavale to seekers

*The gross body has limitations of time and space  
How can I be with everyone, at all times  
Sanatan dharma is my eternal form  
In this form I always exist everywhere*

*Jayant Balaji Athavale*

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## Preface



The importance of the Guru is exceptional in the life of the disciple, because he cannot realise God without the Guru. What is the difference between Guru, Sadguru and Parātpar Guru ? How to recognise a fake Guru ? What are the attributes of a true Guru ? What are the misconceptions about the *Gurumantra* ? Which is the true *Gurumantra* ?, etc. Such issues have been dealt with in this Text.

May the spiritually curious become seekers, may the seekers become disciples and may disciples become Gurus - this is the prayer unto the Guru's Holy feet ! - **Compilers**

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