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10-Day Chan Retreat at CYM with Master Ji-Chen

8/20~8/30 2009

Instructor: Master Ji-Chen

Born in Malaysia, Master Ji-Chen became a monk in 1978 under Rev. Zhu-Mo. He practiced under Rev. Yi-Shun, Master Hsing-Yun, and became a Dharma disciple of Master Sheng-Yen. In recent years, he has traveled to Taiwan, the U.S., and Europe and lead Chan meditations. He is also a prolific writer of 30 to 40 books, with titles such as *Bodhi in Daily Life*, *Discourse on Six Wonder Phases of Practice*, and *Discourse on Refined Cessation and Reflection*.

Date: 8/20/2009, 4pm ~ 8/30/2009, 10am

Participation Requirement: Full 10-day attendance. No day-tripping allowed.

Check-in: After 4 pm, 8/20/2009 at the Great Buddha Hall, Chuang Yen Monastery
(Guide to Etiquette for the Retreat: 7 pm on 8/20)

Topics: Breath Counting, Silent Illumination, Lectures, Q&A, Dedication.

Retreat Location: **Great Buddha Hall, Chuang Yen Monastery**, Carmel, NY

Application Location: Temple of Enlightenment, 3070 Albany Crescent, Bronx, NY 10463

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Registration:

1. Registration forms can be downloaded from our web sites (www.baus.org or www.baustoe.org), obtained in person at the Temple of Enlightenment, or requested by mail with a self-addressed, postage-affixed return envelope. Please specify “10-Day Chan Retreat” on the envelope to expedite processing.

2. For those flying from out of state, please try to arrive in NYC between noon and 3pm on 8/20 in order for us to facilitate pickup. Return flight should not be scheduled earlier than 1pm on 8/30.

Cost: Returning Practitioners (those who practiced with Master Ji-Chen Before): \$290, **New comers:** \$360, **Students:** \$200

Please make check payable to “B.A.U.S.” and specify on the check “10-Day Chan Retreat”. Checks should be mailed to the Temple of Enlightenment.

General Guidelines for the 10-Day Retreat

1. Participants should prepare their own toiletry kits, cups, sleeping bags, and blankets.
2. Participants should wear tidy and casual clothing that are comfortable for long sitting.
3. Please refrain from bringing valuable items.
4. Chuang Yen Monastery is located in the mountains. Day-time and night-time temperatures differ greatly. Please bring some warm clothing.
5. For those who cannot join us due to financial constraint, please stop by the Temple of Enlightenment or notify us via email.
6. If it is desired, you may bring your own meditation accessories, such as meditation mat, etc.
7. Use of computer, cell phone, music player, games, etc. is strictly prohibited during the retreat.
8. If you have learned a different meditation method elsewhere, please let go of it for the duration of the retreat and follow the method taught by the instructor.
9. During walking meditation and lectures, please refrain from having a mental dialog with the instructor. This is to help your progress and focus.
10. As a principle during the entire retreat, no talking is allowed. Similarly, neither inner dialog nor inner symbolic expression is permitted.
11. Please refrain from wearing skirts or revealing clothes. Also, please leave all valuables at home.

N.B.:

- 1. The Temple of Enlightenment is holding 10-day Chan retreats in June and August. Please check appropriate boxes in the application form.**
- 2. This retreat requires full 10-day attendance. Day-tripping is not allowed.**

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BAUS Temple of Enlightenment
10-Day Chan Retreat Application Form
6/11~6/21/2009 8/20~8/30/2009

Personal Particulars 個人資料

Name :	中文姓名 :
Address/地址 :	
Phone/聯絡電話 : (H/家)() (O/公司)() (Cell/手機)()	
Email/電子信箱:	Gender/性別 : <input type="checkbox"/> Male/男 <input type="checkbox"/> Female/女
您可曾學過靜坐? Have you learned meditation before? <input type="checkbox"/> YES 是 <input type="checkbox"/> NO 否 如果是請描述靜坐方法 : If so, please describe the methods?	
語言 : 中文 : <input type="checkbox"/> 聽 <input type="checkbox"/> 說 <input type="checkbox"/> 讀 <input type="checkbox"/> 寫 Language : English : <input type="checkbox"/> Listening <input type="checkbox"/> Speaking <input type="checkbox"/> Reading <input type="checkbox"/> Writing	
請勾選您要參加的日期 Please choose the dates you wish to participate <input type="checkbox"/> 6/12 <input type="checkbox"/> 6/13 <input type="checkbox"/> 6/14 <input type="checkbox"/> 6/15 <input type="checkbox"/> 6/16 <input type="checkbox"/> 6/17 <input type="checkbox"/> 6/18 <input type="checkbox"/> 6/19 <input type="checkbox"/> 6/20 <input type="checkbox"/> 6/21 <input type="checkbox"/> 8/21 <input type="checkbox"/> 8/22 <input type="checkbox"/> 8/23 <input type="checkbox"/> 8/24 <input type="checkbox"/> 8/25 <input type="checkbox"/> 8/26 <input type="checkbox"/> 8/27 <input type="checkbox"/> 8/28 <input type="checkbox"/> 8/29 <input type="checkbox"/> 8/30	
您是否有身心健康上的問題? Kindly describe relevant health conditions, if any:	
交通/Transportation <input type="checkbox"/> 1.我需要從大覺寺到莊嚴寺的交通工具。 I need transportation from Temple of Enlightenment(TOE) to Chuang Yen Monastery (CYM). <input type="checkbox"/> 2.我自理交通，並能提供 _____ 個空位從 _____ 到莊嚴寺 I will drive to CYM, and offer transportation for _____ people from _____ to CYM.	
緊急連絡人姓名/Emergency Contact Name :	
中文/Chinese :	電話/Tel : 白天/Day:()_____
英文/English :	晚上/Night : ()_____
關係/Relationship :	行動電話/Cell : ()_____

參加者聲明：參加禪修期間，若有病痛，財物之損失，及任何意外事件因而受到傷害，概由參加者自行負責，美國佛教會及大覺寺不負法律及賠償責任。

Waiver of Liability: It is fully understood that the BAUS and/or Temple of Great Enlightenment is not liable for any personal illness or injury and/or damage or loss of personal properties that occurs during the retreat.

參加者簽名/Signature :

日期/Date :