

Author- Nitin Orayan



Nitin Orayan was raised in Mumbai, where he did his schooling and Post-graduate studies in Mass Communications from a reputed Institute.

From his early days in school, the author has been drawn to philosophical thought and Self-searching. In his search for truth, he studied many translations of ancient scriptures, especially the Vedanta and other eastern treatises like the I Ching, Lao Tzu's writings on Taoism, and the Zen wisdom.

On the basis of his own experience of evolving a finer way to live one's life, Nitin Orayan wrote a book on Self-Integration, titled "Integrate the Self", second edition published in 2007 by Pustak Mahal.

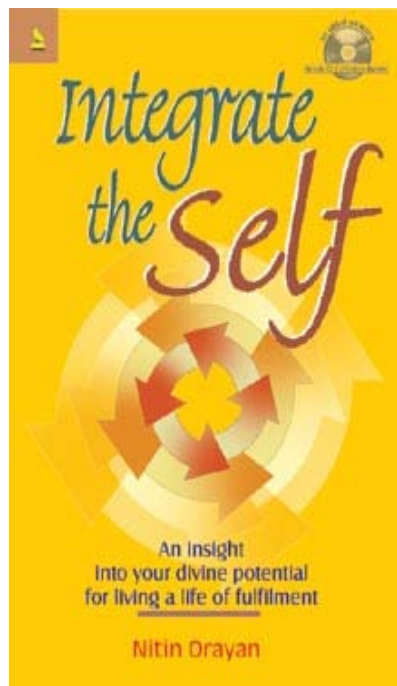
Around mid of the year 2002, he decided to spend a few months of quiet time in the Vajreshwari area of Thane district, to write his first book, then titled "How to Integrate the Self". It was during this time that the author got drawn into educational activities for rural-tribal children and teachers. After some years, on the basis of his fieldwork in education in the rural areas, Nitin Orayan set up a non-profit educational service "LEARNING SPACE" in the Thane District for promoting better education for children and youth in the tribal region. The author's work in the villages with many underprivileged children gave him the inspiration and impetus to complete the novel "The Princely Gift".

Nitin Orayan has also written a parable titled "The Lone Traveller"- a lyrical journey to freedom, that will be released soon in this year, also published by Citrine Books.

Books by Nitin Orayan

“Integrate the Self” published with Audio CD by Pustak Mahal
www.pustakmahal.com second edition February 2007;

Category – Non Fiction 110 pages in Paper Back edition



*You know intuitively that life was meant to be LIVED!
But then what you perceive as 'reality' breaks in:
something is lost; the love, beauty, action, fun.*

Charm is lost.

*Is this your experience of life?
All seem to be adrift in the water,
hoping to find someone to hang on
to save us.*

*Or to be pumped-up, somehow.
This is what we have been made for!
Man is made for pleasure and glory.
His beginning was, and his future is, Paradise.
And the goal of living is to find this LIFE!,*

This book is available on Amazon sites, and can be availed directly from the author (email: nitorayan@gmail.com) at a discounted price.

“Integrate the Self” has been published in French by Les Editions des 3 monts, visit this link - http://www.editions3monts.eu/f/index.php?sp=liv&livre_id=97

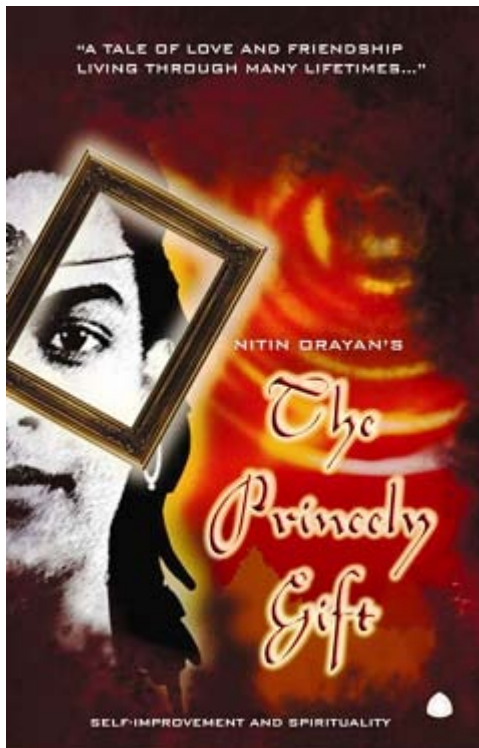


Je deviens moi-même de Nitin Orayan et Geneviève Le Cam (Broché - 13 janvier 2010)

Other works by the same Translator

1. Voyageuse de l'invisible : Chamanisme contemporain de Josiane Antonetti et Geneviève Le Cam (Broché - 7 septembre 2006)
2. Murmures de l'Ame : Rÿ©cit d'une chamane corse de Josiane Antonetti, Jean-Claude Genel, et Geneviève Le Cam (Broché - 27 octobre 2005)
3. Chroniques de l'Etoile d'Arcturus, Tome 3 : Chants de Malantor de Patricia Pereira et Geneviève Le Cam (Broché - 13 juin 2008)
4. Les aigles de la nouvelle aurore : Chroniques de l'étoile d'Arcturus. Tome 2 de Patricia Pereira et Geneviève Le Cam (Broché - 7 décembre 2006)

"THE PRINCELY GIFT" - An Inspiring Tale of Wisdom



Launched at Crossword Bookstores, Bandra on 5th May 2010 by the famous bollywood actor
Anupam Kher



For a review of this book please log on to <http://citrinebooks.com/reviews>

About the Book

“The Princely Gift is a literary tribute from the author to every underprivileged child who hails from rural-tribal India.

This is an imaginative story of a small sized man, Abhiman who comes from a village in North Western india. His dwarf-like appearance has been his sore spot in his life and he has grown up in the village suffering heaps of taunts and insults all the time.

At 25, he is fairly settled in the city, working as a clown in the seasonal circus and doing other odd jobs to make a living.

This piece of pure fiction fascinates the reader from the very start, and goes rocketing when the story catapults the young man Abhiman into a strange encounter with a prince of a famous kingdom, Mahavir Pratap Singh who lived and died many centuries ago.

Abhiman’s journey into this unknown zone begins with his visit to the museum where he gets immensely drawn to the painting of this charming prince. His liking for the prince in the life-size portrait, takes a bewildering turn when in the flash of lightning, the prince stands before him in the museum hall. Abhiman’s burning curiosity about the prince’s untimely death plunges him into the valley of the long buried past of the prince, now brought alive for him to witness first-hand, the last moments of the prince’s life.

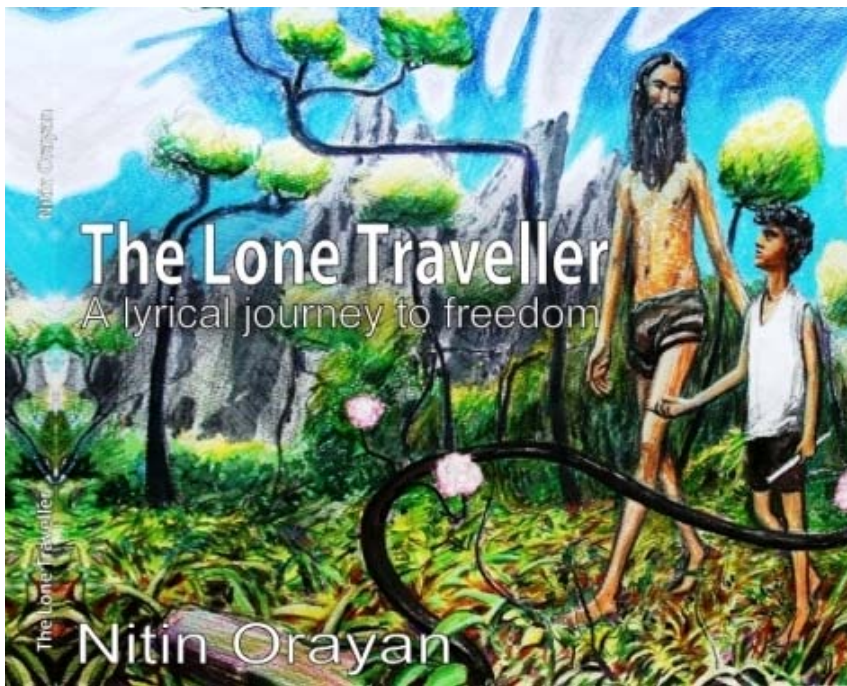
His compulsive mental anguish about his deformed birth finds a path-breaking link in the prince’s past, and puts him into a wider perspective of existence beyond life and death.....

This book can be availed directly from the author

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Book in the process of publishing

“The Lone Traveller” - A Parable for walking the path to freedom...



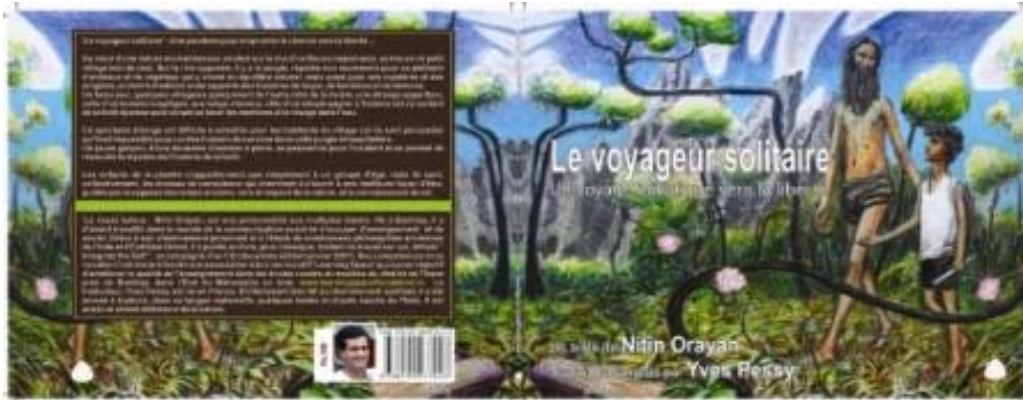
In the scenic beauty of the pristine natural habitat, there is a small village that skirts the bank of a river. Across the river is a dense forest that is known for its mystery and enigma, tales of wolves, ghosts and demons that adorn the folk wisdom, besides the plethora of creatures who live in natural harmony.

Then one day, a few villagers notice across the river, a strange hazy apparition of a lean long-haired man covered only by a loin cloth. The man emerges from the dense cover of trees onto the river and washes his face and limbs in the water. This is a strange sight for the villagers to believe... After all, the forest is too wild for any human to inhabit.

A young village lad, only 12 years of age, drives his longing and passion to uncover the mystery of the lean loin-clothed man of the forest.

“The Lone Traveller” is a children’s story written for all children of the world, who don’t belong to one age group only but are collectively those levels of awareness that are seeking to open up to a better state of being, guided by the wisdom of ancient times to nature and to self-knowledge.

Translated from the original manuscript in English by Nitin Orayan to French by Yves Pessy, a teacher of the language, living in Holland



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