

**A
GUEST LECTURE
ON
MAHATMA GANDHI IS NOT LEADER, MOTIVATOR**

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BRIEF REPORT:

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Bapu's leadership qualities and skills

Gandhi would teach us countless lessons about life, leadership and much more. Gandhi learnt his Leadership skills during his years in South Africa, and honed them in India.

He was naturally charismatic. He had a "feel" for his Follower's needs which was uncannily correct. But he did develop formal tools and methods to become a better Leader over time. He had a rock-solid **value system** from which all of his activities stemmed, he wanted to **make major changes** at every turn in his life, and he had a totally **interdependent relationship with his followers**. As a man of action, he used **the 4 E's** throughout his life: **Envision, Enable, Empower, and Energize**. Although there are many traits and behaviors that caused the success of Gandhi, the research has a few picked ingredients:

Leadership by examples

Gandhi's greatest ability was to walk his talk at every level and in every way. India continues to be a nation of many diverse nationalities but never did they so unanimously identify with another leader as they identified with Gandhi and this was across classes and communities which were even more sharply divided than they are these days. He practiced what he preached at every possible level. Be it how he dressed like the poorest Indian with a hand woven cotton cloth that barely covered his body and had the simplest of watches and glasses. When it came to personal possessions, unlike today's leaders he had the barest of minimum.

Gandhi would understand the importance of continual growth in his life. Despite being an accomplished leader in his community, he continually sought out greater understanding through much study of religious scripture. As a leader, one must also understand the need for constant growth.

Gandhi displayed great strength, not through using his strength to force others to bend to his will, but by using nonviolent means to achieve his goals. As a leader, it is a very simple matter to leverage on your position or your authority to coerce people to bend to your will. However, it is your true strength as a leader that can persuade and convince people to follow you with their hearts. Learn to use respect to win people over, instead of using power to bend people to your will. The force of power never wins against the power of love. Right Against Might...Mahatma.

Become The Change, We Want To See

A great leader always leads with an exemplary life that echoes his ideals. Mahatma Gandhi sacrificed his thriving law practice and adopted a simple life to live among the millions who lived in poverty during his freedom struggle. Today, we see modern leaders cajoling the masses with promises that they never intend to keep - let alone practicing what they preach in their own lives. One cannot bring world peace to all unless a leader demonstrates peaceful acts of kindness daily.

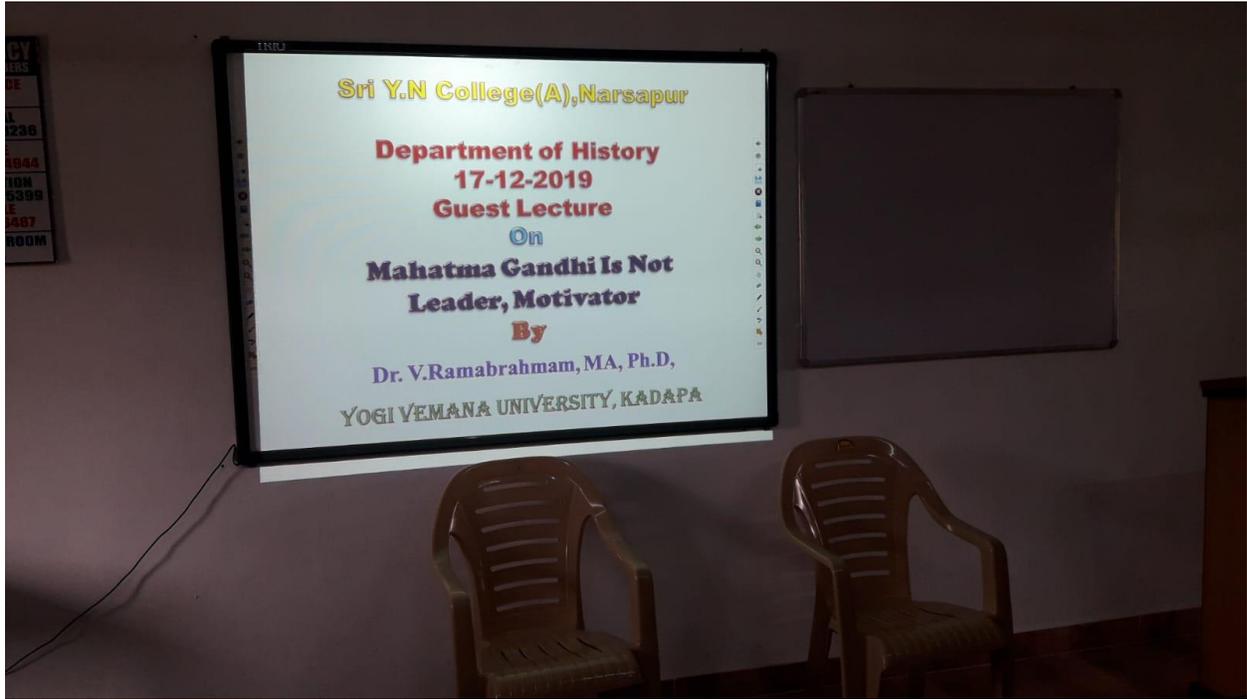
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Even after stating that India would be divided over his dead body, he realised that partition was inevitable as the only solution to the Hindu-Muslim divide, and accepted it. Although Gandhi was a man of faith, he did not create any specific dogma for his followers. Gandhi believed in the unity of all mankind under one God, and preached Hindu, Muslim and Christian ethics.

An Eye for an Eye Will Only Make the Whole World Blind

History can attest to the fact that most human conflicts have been as a result of a stubborn approach by our leaders. Our history would turn out for the better if our leaders could just learn that most disputes can be resolved by showing a willingness to understand the issues of our opponents and by using diplomacy and compassion. No matter where we live, what religion we practice or what culture we cultivate, at the heart of everything, we are all humans. We all have the same ambitions and aspirations to raise our family and to live life to its fullest. Our cultural, religious and political differences should not provide the backbone to invoke conflicts that can only bring sorrow and destruction to our world.

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LECTURE AND STUDENTS ACTIVE PARTICIPATION IN GUEST LECTURE.

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