

Three Spiritual Gems

ACCORDING TO JAIN PHILOSOPHY THERE ARE THREE SPIRITUAL GEMS FOR SALVATION.

**RIGHT FAITH
RIGHT KNOWLEDGE
RIGHT CONDUCT**

THESE THREE GEMS SEPARATELY CANNOT LEAD TO SALVATION. THEY WORK TOGETHER AND LEAD TOWARDS THE PATH OF LIBERATION.

RIGHT FAITH

RIGHT FAITH IS THE FOUNDATION OF OUR SPIRITUAL PRACTICE. THE POWER OF RIGHT FAITH OR POINT OF VIEW CAN BE DEVELOPED BY ELIMINATING FAITH-DELUDING KARMA.

RIGHT KNOWLEDGE

RIGHT KNOWLEDGE MEANS TO KNOW ONESELF. ALL LIVING BEINGS HAVE KNOWLEDGE. KNOWLEDGE HELPS TO DISTINGUISH BETWEEN CONSCIOUSNESS AND UNCONSCIOUSNESS.

RIGHT CONDUCT

RIGHT CONDUCT INVOLVES PRACTICING OF VOWS. IT MEANS PUTTING INTO PRACTICE THE TRUTH KNOWN BY RIGHT KNOWLEDGE.

THESE THREE JEWELS PAVE THE PATH TOWARDS ULTIMATE FREEDOM FROM THE KARMAS.

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING:

WHAT ARE THE THREE SPIRITUAL JEWELS?

CAN THE THREE SPIRITUAL JEWELS WORK SEPARATELY?

WHAT IS THE FOUNDATION OF OUR SPIRITUAL PRACTICE?

WHAT DO THE THREE JEWELS FREE US FROM?

WHAT HELPS US TO DISTINGUISH BETWEEN CONSCIOUSNESS AND UNCONSCIOUSNESS?

