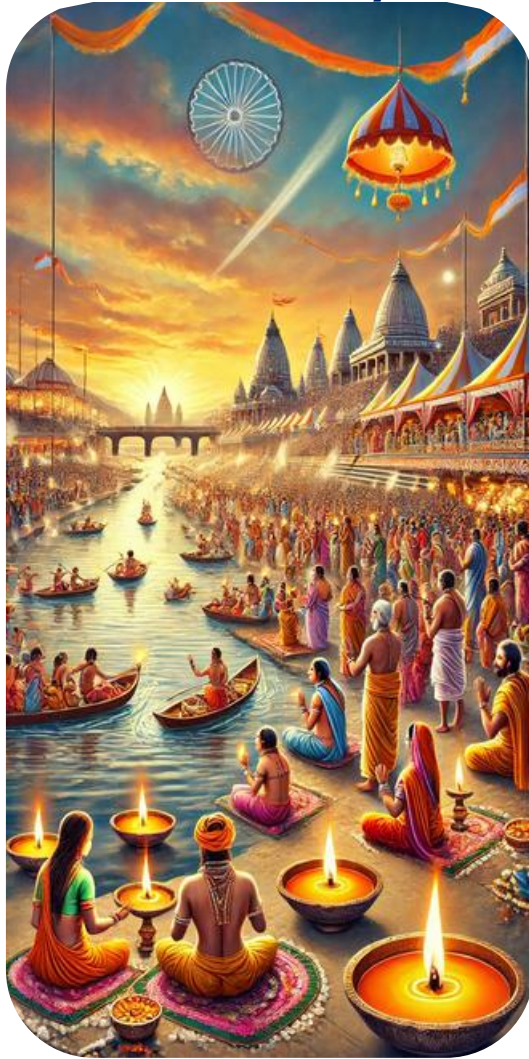


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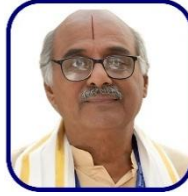
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From the Desk of Managing Editor

Dear Reader,



On behalf of the Editorial Board, I am pleased to release the 216th (Feb 2025) edition, which has rich and varied content.

In recent days, we have observed in traditional and social media, the glorification of anti-heroes, including wrongdoers. The recent media reports glorifying the 104 illegal immigrants, who were deported to India, is causing concern. Even the funeral processions of terrorists are attended by thousands of people as if they have sacrificed their life for the nation. Our Editorial deals with this state of affairs.

The recently concluded Maha Kumbh Mela 2025 has made history in many aspects. It is a true example of the confluence of faith, governance, and the general public. Our cover story gives a detailed account of the great event.

Other Highlights

Launch of book on 'Mastering Smart Prompts in 7 Steps', published by Prime Point Foundation.

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I am confident that readers will enjoy reading this edition, too. Kindly send your feedback to editor@corpezine.com so that our Editorial Board can examine your suggestions. Please share this edition with your friends. I will catch up with you next month with more varied content.

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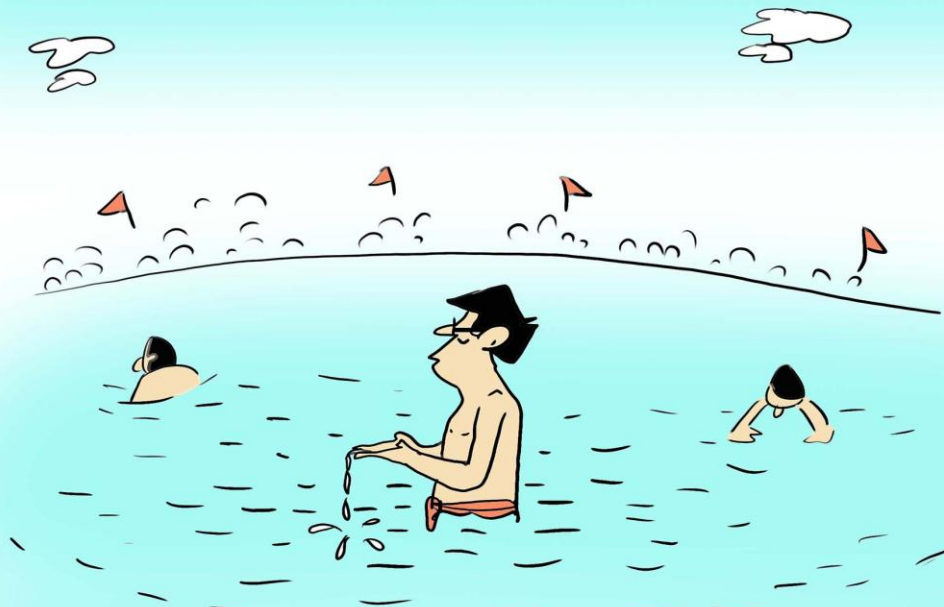
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Editorial

Promoting Truth: Upholding Law Over Glorifying Wrongdoers



By Ramesh Sundaram, Joint Managing Editor

(The editorial highlights the need for responsible media and political leadership in India. It encourages focusing on lawfulness and accountability instead of glorifying illegal activities and wrongdoing.)



In recent years, India has witnessed a concerning trend where negativity and illegal actions are increasingly glorified by traditional and social media platforms. This pattern of celebration,

rather than condemnation, of wrongdoings poses significant challenges to the rule of law and sends problematic messages to society. The following analysis examines several instances of this phenomenon and explores its implications for Indian society.

The Glorification of Illegal Immigration

The recent deportation of 104 illegal immigrants by the US Government attracted substantial media attention in India. These individuals, predominantly from Punjab, Haryana and Gujarat, were transported to India in handcuffs, following standard American deportation protocols. Rather than acknowledging the illegality of their actions, many political leaders across party lines condemned the US approach, portraying these individuals as victims of harsh treatment.

In reality, these deportees had entered the United States without valid documentation, often with assistance from unscrupulous agents, and while risking their lives in the process. No sovereign nation tolerates illegal immigration, and indeed India's own Supreme Court has repeatedly questioned the government regarding the deportation of illegal immigrants residing within Indian borders. A retired Indian Foreign Service official, speaking anonymously to PreSense, commented, "These deported illegal immigrants should have been charged and FIR should have been registered against them in India for their illegal transactions."

Unfortunately, political leaders and media outlets largely failed to address the criminal nature of these actions or focus on the unscrupulous brokers who facilitate such illegal migration. The American Government's strict handling of the situation likely intended to discourage others from attempting similar illegal entry. From an objective standpoint, when the US Government follows its established procedures, external criticism becomes problematic. Instead, the focus should be on educating citizens about lawful migration processes to avoid such unpleasant consequences. Sadly, the glorification of individuals who have committed offences often stems from vote bank politics. To their credit, the Indian Government handled this diplomatic situation with appropriate restraint.

The Questionable Response to the Hooch Tragedy

Last year, 65 persons died after consuming illicit liquor in Kallakurichi, Tamil Nadu. The State Government responded by paying an ex-gratia amount of Rs. 10 lakhs to the families of each victim. This decision sparked debate, with some intellectuals questioning the rationale behind such generous compensation for deaths resulting from illegal activities, especially when compared to the compensation offered to families of fallen soldiers or freedom fighters. Controversially, opposition leaders demanded the compensation be increased to ₹25 lakhs per family.

The political dynamics became further complicated as the victims predominantly belonged to Dalit communities, prompting political leaders to engage in identity-based politics. Reports suggested that the illicit liquor had been distributed by local political operatives, and the government's substantial compensation package may have been designed to deflect further controversy. Throughout this episode, minimal discussion occurred regarding punishing those responsible for the 65 deaths or implementing measures to prevent similar tragedies. Even a Public Interest Litigation filed against the disproportionate compensation in the Madras High Court was dismissed. While PreSense expresses sincere sympathy for the bereaved families, the lack of focus on holding the perpetrators accountable remains troubling.

Commemorating Terror: A Disturbing Pattern

The March 1993 serial blasts in Mumbai resulted in 175 fatalities. Yakub Memon, identified as a key mastermind behind these attacks, was executed in July 2015. His funeral procession in Mumbai on 30th July 2015 drew a staggering crowd of over 15,000 participants, effectively transforming a solemn occasion into a public demonstration.





Funeral procession of Yakub Menon, Terrorist at Mumbai

In another tragic incident, in Feb 1998, Coimbatore experienced 12 explosions across 11 locations, resulting in 58 deaths. S.A. Basha, considered the architect of these attacks, received a prison sentence but was later released on parole due to health concerns. Following his death while on parole, thousands attended his funeral procession, which proceeded with police protection and the participation of various political figures. Throughout these commemorations, the suffering of the 58 innocent victims' families seemed entirely forgotten by the public discourse.

The Dangers of Normalising Negativity

These examples represent merely a fraction of instances where negative actions receive inappropriate glorification in Indian society. Unfortunately, media organisations and political leaders frequently engage in such glorification for commercial gain or political advantage. While PreSense acknowledges the sensitivity required when addressing issues affecting vulnerable populations, even when they involve illegal activities, there remains a responsibility for media and political leadership to address underlying offences straightforwardly.

Only through honest discourse can society create awareness that prevents innocent individuals from falling prey to harmful influences. The ongoing normalisation of wrongdoing creates a distorted value system where perpetrators receive sympathy while victims fade into obscurity. If this trend continues, it threatens to undermine the foundations of law, justice, and social harmony that are essential to India's democratic framework.

The challenge before Indian media, political leadership, and civil society is to resist the temptation of expedient narratives that glorify negativity, and instead promote a culture of accountability, lawfulness, and genuine concern for victims of crime and terrorism. This reorientation of public discourse is essential for the health of Indian democracy and the moral fabric of its society.

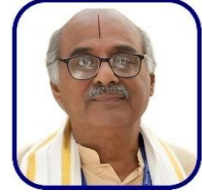
The book *"Excuses to Empowerment"* by Sukruti Narayanan, a valued member of our Editorial Team (8th from left), was officially launched at the **Authors Meet** in Sydney on March 1, 2025. The launch was graced by the **Hon'ble Federal MP of Parramatta, Dr. Andrew Charlton (6th from left)**, who, as an author himself, participated in the event alongside several distinguished dignitaries. This book is published by Prime Point Foundation.



Cover Story

Sacred Confluence: The Maha Kumbh Mela 2025 - An Extraordinary Triumph of Faith and Governance

By Prime Point Srinivasan, Managing Editor



(The Maha Kumbh Mela 2025 showcased a remarkable blend of faith, governance, and global unity, managing 66 crore pilgrims with seamless logistics, security, and spiritual devotion in Prayagraj.)



Three days before the final day of Maha Kumbh Mela 2025, Triambak Sharma, Cartoon Editor of PreSense, rang with palpable excitement from the railway station at Prayag. "Sir, I am at Prayag to board the train. I have been here for the past two days and took a holy dip in Triveni. The arrangements are more than excellent to manage this mind-boggling crowd. Irrespective of their social status, rich or poor or any caste, everyone volunteers to ensure smooth flow of the crowd. I am now volunteering at the railway station to guide pilgrims. We should run a cover story on this lifetime event. I will send the cartoon after reaching Raipur." His enthusiasm resonated clearly through the phone. "It is a confluence of faith, governance and public," he added, capturing the essence of this monumental gathering.

Priyadarshni Rahul, Editor of PreSense, and Mugavari Ramesh, one of the team members, also endorsed Triambak's excitement. Having visited the Maha Kumbh Mela and participated in the holy dip themselves, they brought back stories of devotion and exceptional organisation. "Numerous organisations offer food of the highest quality to yatris with remarkable dedication," Mugavari Ramesh observed, highlighting the spirit of service that pervaded the event.

The Celestial Gathering: Understanding Maha Kumbh Mela

The Kumbh Mela is a sacred religious gathering that takes place every 12 years, whilst the Maha Kumbh Mela occurs once in 144 years, making it a truly generational phenomenon. Recognised as the world's largest religious congregation, it draws millions of devotees, saints, and tourists from across the globe. The event unfolds at the Triveni Sangam, the auspicious confluence where the Ganges, Yamuna, and Saraswati rivers meet. The sacred bathing rituals,

known as Shahi Snans, are believed to purify the soul and wash away sins, offering spiritual renewal to participants.

The 2025 Maha Kumbh Mela commenced on 13th January and concluded on 26th February, transforming Prayagraj in Uttar Pradesh into the world's largest temporary spiritual metropolis. The event stands as a remarkable testament to India's capacity to orchestrate an unparalleled gathering of devotees while maintaining order, safety, and reverence.

Unprecedented Scale and Pilgrim Participation

The 2025 Maha Kumbh Mela witnessed participation on a scale that defies ordinary comprehension. The Uttar Pradesh government reported that 66 crore devotees (660 million) had taken the holy dip by 22nd February, a figure projected to have surpassed 65 crore by Maha Shivaratri. This staggering attendance—representing over 55% of India's Hindu population and 50% of global Sanatan followers—reflects the mela's transcendental appeal and spiritual significance in contemporary times.

Pilgrims from 73 nations, including Bhutan's King Jigme Khesar Namgyel Wangchuck, joined millions of Indians in this sacred ritual. The participation of 50 lakh attendees from Nepal further underscored the event's cross-cultural resonance and its importance beyond India's borders.

Key bathing dates witnessed extraordinary turnouts: 8 crore devotees on Mauni Amavasya, 3.5 crore on Makar Sankranti, and 2.57 crore on Basant Panchami. Such immense numbers, managed without centralised funding, highlight the organic, devotion-driven nature of the Kumbh. As Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath noted, "This grand event has rewritten records in spiritual congregation," a sentiment echoed by Prime Minister Narendra Modi, who praised the organising team for their exemplary execution of this monumental undertaking.

The 2025 Maha Kumbh Mela's attendance of 66 crore pilgrims represents an extraordinary increase compared to the 8 crore who participated in the 2013 event, marking an eightfold growth in just twelve years.

Logistical Mastery and Infrastructure Innovations

Engineering Marvel on Sacred Shores

The Uttar Pradesh government's meticulous planning transformed Prayagraj into a temporary metropolis of remarkable efficiency. Over 700 temporary bridges, 20,000 sanitation workers, and 125 road ambulances equipped with Advanced Life Support systems ensured smooth operations throughout the 45-day event. A fleet of seven river ambulances patrolled the Sangam, whilst 2,700 AI-enabled cameras provided real-time crowd surveillance. This forward-thinking technological approach, combined with the deployment of 50,000 police personnel, enabled incident-free management even during peak attendance days.

The transformation of the mela grounds was nothing short of an engineering marvel, as described by Shantanu Gupta, Author and Biographer of UP Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath: "I am amazed at the engineering marvel that Maha Kumbh 2025 was. It became the 76th district of Uttar Pradesh for these 45 days. Ten thousand camps by Akhadas, religious, social and other organisations, with water, electricity and sewage, was magical. Four hundred and seventy kilometres of temporary iron plate roads and 30 pontoon bridges made the mela motorable. One and a half lakh toilets and 25,000 safai karmamcharis kept the mela clean and hygienic. It was a logistical, urban planning, engineering and obviously a spiritual marvel where 66 crore people took the dip." Gupta, who spent 31 days at the venue volunteering to serve devotees, witnessed firsthand the seamless integration of ancient tradition with modern infrastructure.



Seven-Layer Security: Tradition Meets Technology

The Uttar Pradesh Police implemented a groundbreaking seven-layer security apparatus, blending traditional vigilance with cutting-edge technology. Drones monitored the 3,200-hectare site, whilst facial recognition systems identified potential threats, creating an invisible but omnipresent safety net. Deputy Chief Minister Brajesh Pathak emphasised, "Our priority was devotee safety without compromising spiritual sanctity." This comprehensive strategy proved remarkably effective, thwarting attempts by disruptive elements to incite chaos and ensuring the sacred nature of the gathering remained undisturbed.

Community Service and Spiritual Ambiance

The spirit of service permeated every aspect of the Maha Kumbh Mela. Numerous charitable organisations provided 'Annadhan', high-quality food to all pilgrims free of cost, embodying the Sanatana Dharma belief that providing shelter and nourishment to devotees bestows the greatest spiritual blessing upon the giver. This tradition of selfless service created a harmonious atmosphere where material status dissolved in the face of shared spiritual purpose.

"The entire crowd was well disciplined, excepting some stray unfortunate instances due to over-enthusiasm of people. The entire atmosphere was reverberating with 'Har Har Mahadev' chanting only," observed Valasai Jayaraman, a devotee from South India, capturing the profound spiritual energy that enveloped the gathering. The chants of devotees, the rituals performed by sadhus, and the collective faith of millions created an ambience of transcendence rarely experienced in the modern world.

Addressing Criticisms and Challenges

Despite its overall success, the Maha Kumbh Mela faced several criticisms that warrant acknowledgement. Opposition parties and environmental advocates expressed concern over water pollution at the bathing places, questioning the environmental impact of such a massive gathering. Religious scholars countered these concerns, noting that the Ganga River has traditionally been revered for its purifying properties. They pointed out that despite over 660 million people taking ritual baths, no epidemic outbreaks were reported, and not a single related hospitalisation was documented.

Another significant controversy emerged when the Akhil Bhartiya Akhara Parishad (ABAP) did not permit non-Hindus as food vendors within the Mela area. Though many Muslim leaders and opposition leaders raised objections, ABAP clarified that their decision stemmed from concerns about food contamination rather than religious discrimination. The organisation emphasised that non-Hindus were employed in numerous other capacities throughout the event.

A stampede that tragically resulted in the deaths of 30 persons led to serious criticism of the security arrangements. In response, Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath intervened directly, ordering enhanced security measures that prevented further incidents. Additionally, some opposition voices criticised the ruling party for allegedly politicising the event, though this did not deter millions from participating with devotion and discipline.

Despite these controversies, the overall conduct of pilgrims remained exemplary, with devotees from across social strata converging on the small town to take the holy dip, creating global record for the largest religious gathering in history. Notably, while the President and Prime Minister visited the Kumbh Mela to participate in the holy dip, many senior opposition leaders, including Rahul Gandhi and his family, Mamata Banerjee, Arvind Kejriwal and others, did not attend the event.



International Perspectives and Global Recognition

The Maha Kumbh Mela 2025 transcended geographical and cultural boundaries, attracting over three million foreign devotees from 183 countries to the sacred confluence. This once-in-144-year event became a microcosm of global spiritual unity, with pilgrims from countries as diverse as Israel and Peru immersing themselves in rituals, philosophical exchanges, and India's civilisational ethos. Their experiences—ranging from awe at the mela's scale to introspection about its deeper meanings—revealed how the Kumbh has evolved into a planetary pilgrimage while retaining its quintessentially Indian character.

International media coverage acknowledged the unprecedented scale of the gathering, with some reports noting that the Maha Kumbh 2025 welcomed "nearly twice the population of the United States." The New York Times mentioned the significant logistical accomplishment of constructing "a temporary city covering approximately 15 square miles on the riverbed—comparable in size to Manhattan," highlighting the engineering feat behind the spiritual gathering.

The Maha Kumbh 2025 succeeded in capturing global attention, with representatives from over 100 countries visiting Prayagraj during the 45-day event, including ambassadors and high commissioners from 74 nations and ministers or heads of state from various countries. This international interest underscored the universal appeal of this ancient tradition and its relevance in the contemporary world.

A Model for Future Gatherings

The 2025 Maha Kumbh Mela, occurring once every 144 years, has established a benchmark for managing mega-events through collaborative governance and spiritual harmony. The Uttar Pradesh government's fusion of technological innovation, cultural sensitivity, and infrastructural prowess ensured a safe, enriching experience for hundreds of millions. As the final *amrit snan* concluded on 26th February, the mela's legacy endures not just in statistics, but in its affirmation of India's enduring spiritual ethos—a confluence of faith, tradition, and modernity.

The event demonstrated that with proper planning, even the world's largest gathering can proceed with minimal incidents, offering valuable lessons for event management on an unprecedented scale. The synergy between government infrastructure, religious institutions, and ordinary citizens volunteering their services created a template for how ancient traditions can be honoured whilst embracing modern solutions.

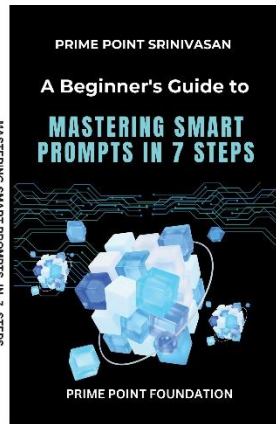
PreSense congratulates the Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh, Yogi Adityanath, and his team for making this unique event a memorable one. In essence, the Maha Kumbh Mela has truly become "India's Pride, World's Envy"—a phrase that encapsulates how this ancient tradition continues to astonish the global community with its scale, spiritual significance, and organisational success.

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BOOK LAUNCH

"A Beginner's Guide: Mastering Smart Prompts in 7 Steps"



The above book authored by Prime Point Srinivasan was launched on Feb 27, 2025 at the residence of Hon'ble Justice Dr T N Vallinayagam (Judge, Lok Adalat of High Court of Madras) in the presence of a few eminent persons of Chennai.

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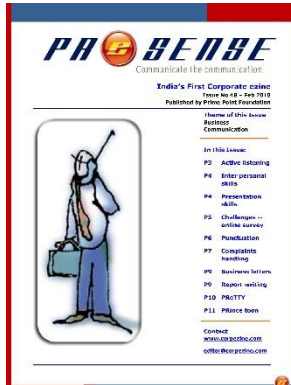
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Time Capsule Chronicles: Revisiting PreSense - 15 Years Ago – Feb 2010 “Business Communication”



The February 2010 edition of *PreSense* (Issue No. 48) is a comprehensive exploration of Business Communication, an essential skill for professionals across all domains. Published by the Prime Point Foundation, this edition underscores the growing need for effective communication skills in today's competitive business environment.

One of the key highlights of this issue is its structured approach to Business Communication, covering verbal and non-verbal communication, listening, interpersonal skills, presentation skills, business letter writing, report preparation, and cyber communication. The editorial rightly points out that while technical skills are crucial, communication skills are often overlooked in academic curriculums, creating challenges for fresh graduates in the job market.

A particularly engaging segment is the analysis of communication barriers, categorizing them into sender, transmission, reception, and comprehension issues. The importance of active listening is emphasized with practical tips, reminding readers that effective listening is an art that enhances both professional and personal relationships.

The issue also presents insights into presentation skills, drawing attention to audience analysis, structuring content effectively, and maintaining engagement through anecdotes and visual elements. An online survey conducted by *PreSense* in February 2010 identified key challenges in presentations, such as stage fear, lack of confidence, language fluency, and organization of thoughts, validating common struggles faced by professionals.

Another commendable aspect is the real-world case study on complaint handling, comparing responses from State Bank of India (SBI) and ICICI Bank. While SBI showcased efficient and transparent customer service, ICICI Bank's reluctance to disclose key contact details was criticized. This comparative study highlights the role of customer engagement in brand perception.

Furthermore, the edition promotes Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan's Diploma Course on Business Communication, advocating for structured learning in this domain. The issue concludes with engaging sections like PRETTY (humor on business vs. IT professionals) and insights on speaking and listening rates, making it an informative and engaging read.

Fifteen years later, the relevance of business communication skills remains stronger than ever, proving that *PreSense* was ahead of its time in advocating this critical competency.

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Freedom Fighters of India

Bachan Ram Gairola



By C. Badri, Editor in Chief

(Bachan Ram Gairola, an unsung freedom fighter from Uttarakhand, actively participated in the Civil Disobedience and Quit India movements, enduring imprisonment while inspiring many in India's independence struggle.)



India's struggle for independence is adorned with the tales of countless valiant heroes whose contributions have been etched in the annals of history. Among them, however, are some unsung champions whose stories have faded into obscurity over time. One such hero is Bachan Ram Gairola, a freedom fighter from Uttarakhand, whose invaluable contributions to India's independence movement deserve recognition and remembrance.

Bachan Ram Gairola was born in the picturesque village of Pethsain in the district of Chamoli, Uttarakhand, a region known for its rugged mountains and resilient people. His early life was shaped by the influences of his rural surroundings, where he witnessed the hardships faced by the common folk under British rule. Despite the

challenges, young Bachan Ram was determined to receive an education. His perseverance led him to pursue his studies, where he excelled and developed a profound sense of Inspiration and Involvement in the Freedom Movement.

The early 20th century was a period of great turmoil and unrest in India. The oppressive policies of the British government, coupled with widespread poverty and exploitation, prompted a wave of resistance across the country. Inspired by the teachings of Mahatma Gandhi and the principles of non-violent resistance, Bachan Ram Gairola joined the burgeoning freedom movement. His resolve to contribute to the fight for independence was further strengthened by the stories of sacrifice and bravery he heard from fellow freedom fighters.

Bachan Ram Gairola's involvement in the Civil Disobedience Movement was marked by his unwavering commitment to the cause. He participated in various protests and demonstrations, advocating for the rights of the oppressed and demanding an end to British rule. His efforts did not go unnoticed, and he quickly became a prominent figure in the movement within his region. Gairola's leadership qualities and ability to mobilize people made him an indispensable asset to the freedom struggle.



As his influence grew, so did the British authorities' attempt to suppress his activities. Bachan Ram Gairola faced multiple arrests and endured harsh imprisonment for his role in organizing protests and defying colonial laws. Despite the physical and mental hardships of incarceration, Gairola remained resolute in his commitment to the cause. His time in prison only strengthened his resolve, and he continued to inspire others even from behind bars.

The Quit India Movement of 1942 marked a crucial phase in India's fight for freedom. Bachan Ram Gairola played a significant role in this movement, leading protests and encouraging mass participation in acts of civil disobedience. His efforts were instrumental in rallying the people of Uttarakhand to join the nationwide call for immediate independence from British rule. Gairola's dedication and tireless work during this period earned him the respect and admiration of his peers and fellow freedom fighters.

With India's hard-won independence in 1947, the focus shifted to nation-building and addressing the challenges of a newly sovereign state. Bachan Ram Gairola continued to serve his country with the same passion and dedication that had driven him during the freedom struggle. He took on various roles in the local administration, working to improve the lives of the people in Uttarakhand. Gairola's efforts in promoting education, healthcare, and social welfare were a testament to his unwavering commitment to the betterment of society.

Despite his significant contributions to India's independence movement, Bachan Ram Gairola's name remains relatively unknown in the broader narrative of Indian history. His story, like those of many other unsung heroes, serves as a reminder of the countless individuals who sacrificed their lives and livelihoods for the dream of a free India. Gairola's legacy lives on in the hearts of the people of Uttarakhand, where his contributions are remembered and celebrated.

In recent years, there have been concerted efforts to revive the memory of Bachan Ram Gairola and other forgotten freedom fighters. Scholars, historians, and local organizations have undertaken initiatives to document his life and contributions, ensuring that future generations recognize and honour his sacrifices. Commemorative events, publications, and educational programs have been launched to shed light on Gairola's role in the independence movement.

The story of Bachan Ram Gairola underscores the importance of acknowledging and celebrating the contributions of all individuals who played a role in India's struggle for independence. While prominent leaders like Mahatma Gandhi, Jawaharlal Nehru, and Subhas Chandra Bose are rightfully celebrated, it is equally crucial to recognize the efforts of the countless others who fought bravely, often in obscurity, for the same cause. Their stories enrich our understanding of history and inspire us to value the principles of freedom, justice, and equality.

Bachan Ram Gairola's life and legacy are a testament to the spirit of resilience and determination that characterized India's fight for independence. As we continue to celebrate the milestones of our nation's history, let us remember and honour the contributions of this remarkable freedom fighter from Uttarakhand. By doing so, we ensure that the sacrifices of Bachan Ram Gairola and countless other unsung heroes are never forgotten, and their legacy continues to inspire future generations.



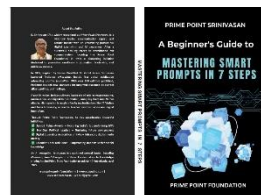


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