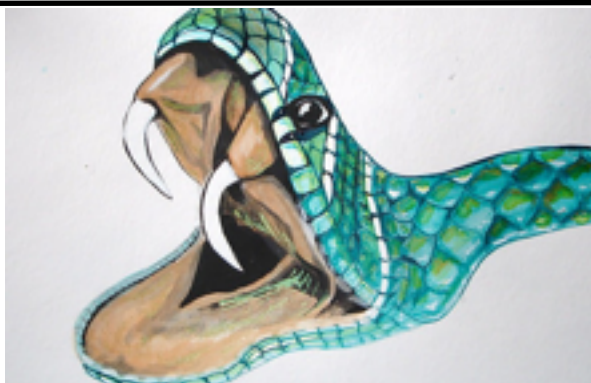


Snake in the Darkness

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Insufficient knowledge leads to sorrow and pain. The best way to explain this point is by using the example of the rope that was perceived as a snake in the darkness.

There are three ways to deal with this perceived snake.

- (1) To run away in fear without bothering to know if it is a real snake or just the perceived one.
- (2) React aggressively - take a stick and hit the perceived snake till you feel it is dead or
- (3) bring a torch or light and see what it is. In most of the cases your fear will be found to be imaginary, and if it is a real snake then also it will run away fearing attack.

This happens in real life situations.

When we face our fear with full knowledge, understanding and patience, you will overcome almost all of the painful and unfavorable situations in life.

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“Knowledge is the key to overcome sorrow, pain, grief, depressions, anxiety, fear, etc. and is the key to gain happiness, success and spiritual evolution. Insufficient knowledge about a subject leads to sorrow and pain. The right kind of knowledge helps one to overcome them, face the situation aptly and re-establish peace and happiness.”

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