Sri Gurubhyo Namaha
Jai Sharada Maata
October 2016

Dear Friends,

Goddess Sharada is the Universal mother of knowledge, protector and blesses all those who worship her. She is the presiding deity of Dakashinamnayam Sringeri Sharada Peetham, in Sringeri, Karnataka.

Sringeri Vidya Bharati Foundation Inc., USA has built a beautiful Sharadamba temple in the serene hills of Poconos, Stroudsburg, PA. This is the only temple dedicated to Goddess Sharada in USA. SVBF plans three more in other parts of the country. SVBF manages the temple under the guidance of His Holiness Jagadguru Sri Sri Bharathi Thirtha Mahaswamiji of Sringeri, the 36th Pontiff of Sharada Peetham and ably assisted by the CEO of the Sharada Peetham and led by its Chairman Dharmatma Dr S. Yegnasubramanian.

Various facilities are available at Stroudsburg for the devotees to conduct all types of religious activities. This includes various types of rituals, the observance of Hindu festivals, the homas, the cultural events, the veda sammelans and a specific facility to conduct Sraddha for their parents and dear ones.

SVBF is embarking on a campaign to create a $2.5 Million Endowment fund, to fund various activities, and other projects that are in the works to enhance the facilities to the visiting devotees. The interest earned by the endowment will also be used to meet the operational needs of the temple as needed.

The trustees of the foundation have pledged 1.0 million of the Endowment value and we are reaching out to you, to contribute to this noble cause, to raise the balance of the 1.5 million. Trustees have already shared some of their pledged funds.

Please contribute generously and obtain the blessings of the Divine Mother for all the members of your family.

There is a donation form attached and you can also visit our web site www.svbf.org and get the details and mail your contributions marked SVBF Inc., USA Endowment Fund.

We close with a beautiful slokha from one of the compositions of our Jagadguru extolling the beauty & virtues and praising the Jagan Mata Goddess Sharada.

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जाया पदरोपज्ञवस्य प्रणजनततः सर्वमिष्ट दिशन्ती ।
इन्द्रोप न्द्रातििन्द्या त्रिभुजनजनी वाक्सविणी शरणया
सेय स्रीशारस्माबः सकलसुखकरी मङ्गऱानन द्यात् ॥

Dharmatma Dr. S.Yegnasubramanian
Chairman and Board of Trustees
Endowment Donation form

I/We ........................................................................................................ Pledge to donate an amount of

$........................................ towards the SVBF Endowment Campaign.

We agree to pay this in one/two/three installments.

We enclose a check payable to SVBF of .......................towards the first installment

Name: (First) ........................................... (Last) .................................

Telephone :................................. Email:.................................

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☐ I would like information on estate planning and naming of SVBF Inc., USA as a beneficiary in my will

☐ My Gothra, birth stars and name of my family members are enclosed in a sheet for pooja in my name