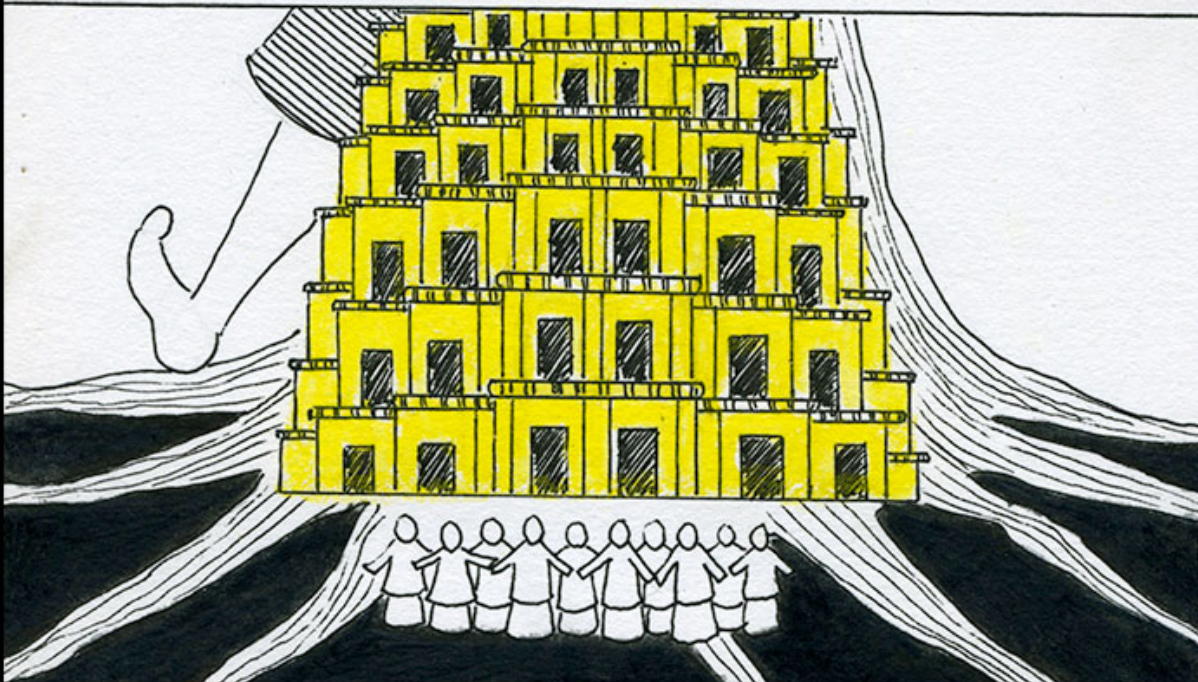




CHAPTER 22
TRIP TO HAMPI



The chairman of the municipal council of Bellary - a neighbouring district headquarters town, and his wife had a dream. A man in the dream told them -

You should go and get Sathya here.

He had revealed the Boy's location to them. They left immediately and found Him in the crowded market. They were silenced by His divine effulgence and prostrated before Him in front of everyone.

The chairman went straight to Seshama Raju with a proposal. He said to him -

Your brother is not an ordinary school going lad. There is some inexplicable divine effulgence in Him.

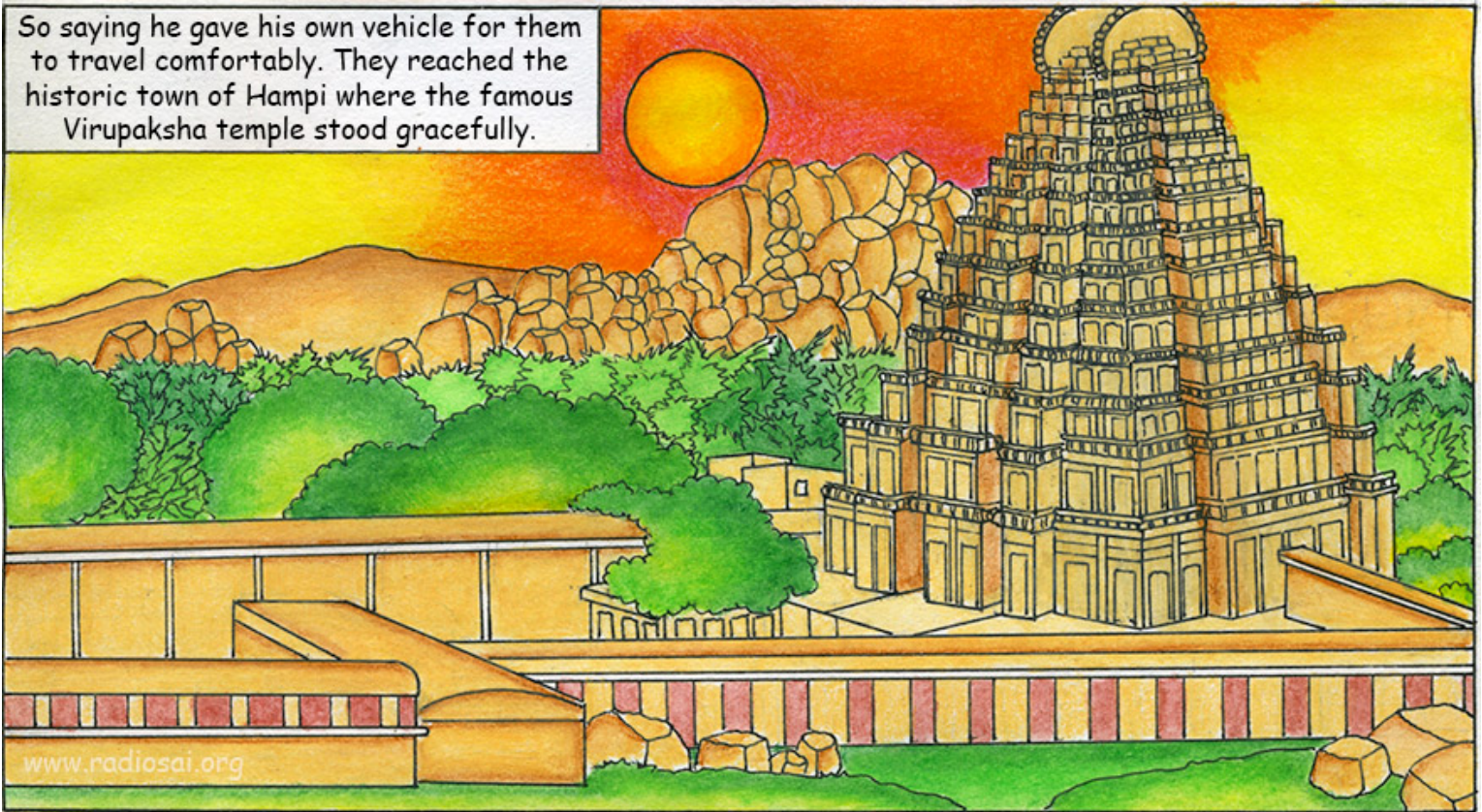
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Seshama Raju went to seek permission from Sathya's headmaster. The Headmaster loved Sathya. He said -

You can take Him wherever you want. There is no need to take permission.

I want to take Him with us for a few days. You also come along with Him and stay with us for a few days.

So saying he gave his own vehicle for them to travel comfortably. They reached the historic town of Hampi where the famous Virupaksha temple stood gracefully.



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They were travelling in group of fifty people or so. Sathya realised he would have to deal with the situation tactfully in order to escape from entering the temple. He said -



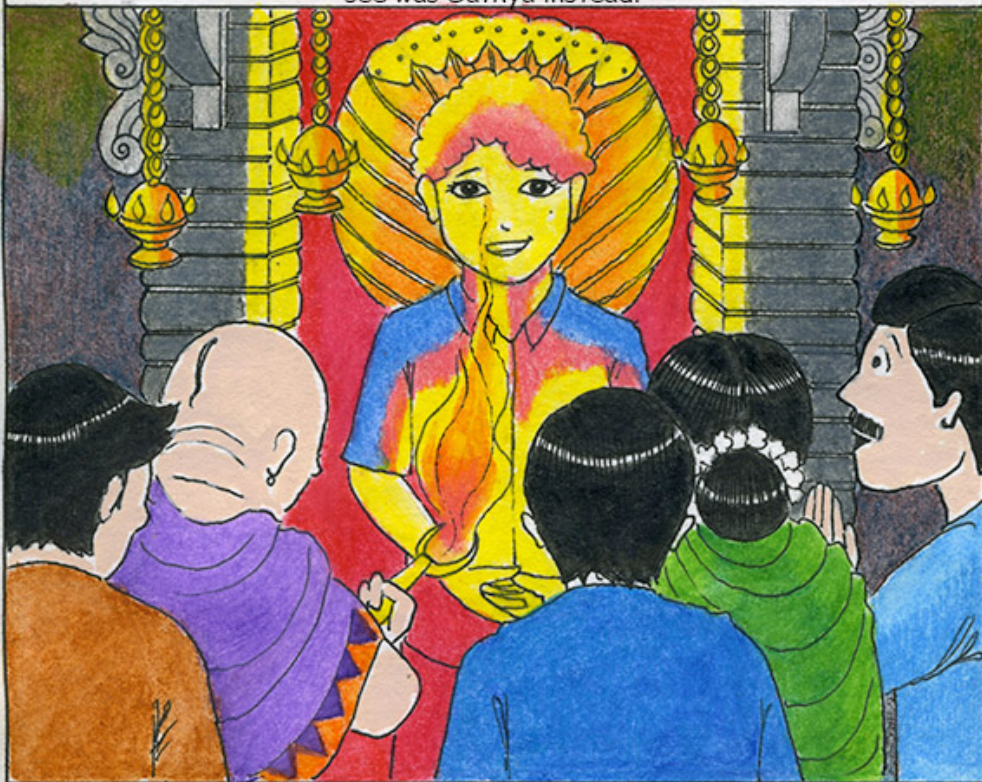
The chairman was crestfallen. He requested Sathya to come along.



Sathya could not be convinced. Seshama Raju ordered Him to stay under the tree with the luggage until their return.



In the sanctum sanctorum of the temple, the Arathi for the temple deity Lord Virupaksha began. But all the chairman, his wife, Seshama Raju could see was Sathya instead.



Seshama Raju could not believe his eyes. He thought -



Seshama Raju left immediately to check whether Raju was sitting where he had asked Him to sit or he was imagining.



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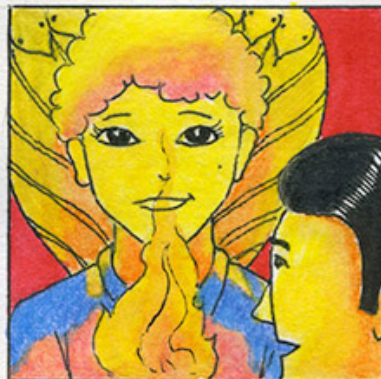
To his surprise, he found Sathya where he had left Him.



He was a doubting Thomas so he asked his wife to go and check as well. His wife too saw Sathya under the tree while Seshama Raju could see Him in place of the temple deity.



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She returned and confirmed the truth to him.



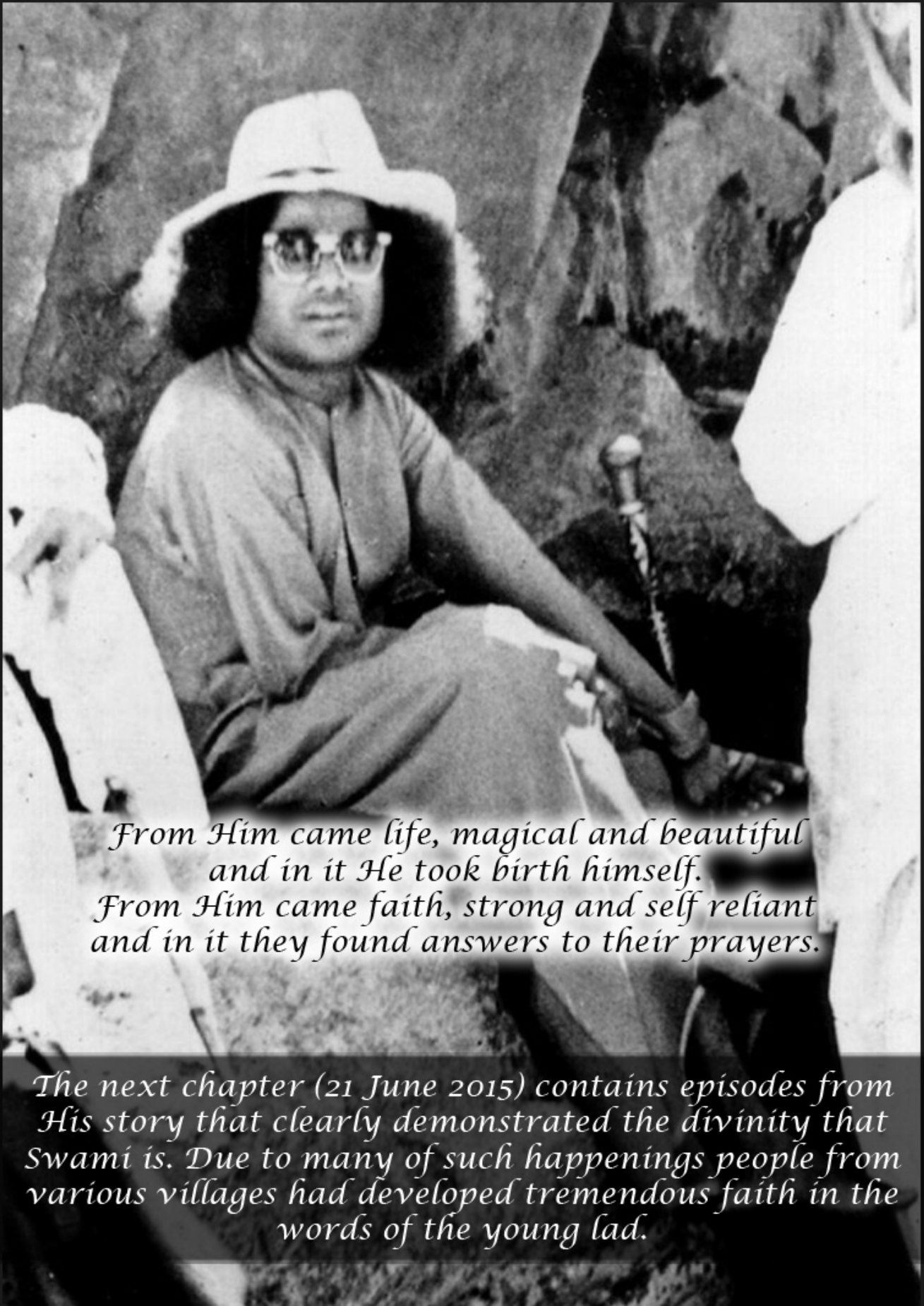
The chairman, on their return, said to Seshama Raju -

You make a great mistake in believing He is your brother.

He is not an ordinary being. He has a great Divine power in Him.



Seshama Raju was very happy but he did not confess that in front of Sathya. Sathya had demonstrated His omnipresence. After a while he tried to explain away the incident by saying to himself that it could have appeared this way due the anxiousness that was there in their minds for Sathya.



*From Him came life, magical and beautiful
and in it He took birth himself.
From Him came faith, strong and self reliant
and in it they found answers to their prayers.*

*The next chapter (21 June 2015) contains episodes from
His story that clearly demonstrated the divinity that
Swami is. Due to many of such happenings people from
various villages had developed tremendous faith in the
words of the young lad.*