

Oral Testimonies on Sai Baba

As Gathered During a Field Research in Shirdi and Other Locales
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9:40 a.m. Had a good night sleep and also a good breakfast. Today is my last day in Bombay and in Maharashtra, and at this point I can say: "Mission Accomplished". This morning I'll go take another look at the bookstore near the Gateway of India, as planned. In the early afternoon I'll leave the Agrawals for the Bombay airport. I should arrive in Bangalore around 9 p.m. and will stay at the Cauvery hotel for the night. Tomorrow, very early in the morning, around 4 a.m., I will take a taxi for Prasanthi Nilayam, Bhagawan Shri Sathya Sai Baba's *ashram* located in the village of Puttaparthi in the Anantapur District of Andhra Pradesh. I hope to get there in about a four-hour drive, in time for his morning *darshan* which is usually scheduled between 8:30 and 9.

