Saturday, April 1, 2000 – 8:30 a.m.

Your being is nourished by love; in this respect you are already part of our world. Let yourself be carried away by this magical flow; nothing can match this sensation. Yes, it's me, your new mentor, we can't all come. For the time being, we must confine ourselves to our work and not abuse your strength.

Our brother Ramakrishna, whom you love, is an exemplary figure. He too has suffered a lot and had experiences that left him in doubt. It was the strength of his love that enabled him to overcome it and accept all his physical and moral torments. His experiences, very hard to live through, were the measure of his strength. Nothing is asked of a being that it cannot bear, don't forget that. Grace accompanies such a journey. Souls like his illuminate the Earth that bears them. The example of his life reminds you of how many ways the Almighty has to shape the souls devoted to Him.

The Venerable