

Hearty thanks to Mr Amitabh Bachchan for expressing his desire to promote Gujarat

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Dear Friends,

The Year 2010 has started with many positive potentials and indications.

The very first day of the New Year gave us a glimpse of the heart of the Democracy which rekindled the hope for all who have faith in the Democracy. It is a Historical event that all the former and the sitting representatives of the people, Members of the Parliament. Members of the Legislative Assembly belonging to all the Political Parties, unanimously and with single voice resolved at the Golden Jubilee Conference held at Gujarat Legislative Assembly.

I had the opportunity to see the Movie 'Paa' in theatre amidst my hectic schedule. I am really thankful to Shri Amitabh Bachchanjee for inviting and accompanying me in the show.

Neither I am a Film Critic nor an expert in the field of entertainment. I enjoyed the film 'Paa' emotionally as an ordinary viewer.

"Paa" is having a storyline which drenches your heart with emotions and imparts directional indications which are really helpful to the society at large. It surely pleases one to see a movie which completely lacks violence and obscenity. It takes real moral courage these days to portray Politics and the Politicians as Good. For this, one has to swim against the flow instead of flowing with it. Expression of Such moral courage can be seen in the Film 'Paa'.

I have met Amitjee earlier but this was the first instance of being with him at leisure.

Below are two lines from my Poem :-

"It is my Soul that Loves my Gujarat,
But it is my God that Loves my India."

You must guess how much it must have touched my heart, knowing that Amitjee loves Gujarat so much.

The words and the gestures of Amitjee truly expressed his desire of serving Gujarat. The joy that he has praised Gujarat in unique. He publicly expressed his goodwill for me. Inspirational love expressed from such a senior dignitary like him fills me up with strength of making my efforts stronger.

I want you to share the pleasant memoirs of the respect expressed by Shri Harivanshrai Bachchan for Shri Sardar Patel :-

यही प्सदिधले ह क पुपुष प्सल,
यही प्सदिधशक्त की शील अटल,
हलि इसे सक कभी न शतुदल,
पटल पर सवेदेश को गुम न है.
सुबुदधिउचचसुंग पर किये जगह,
हृदय गंभीर है समुद्र की तरह,
कदम डुए डुए जमीन की तरह,
पटल देश का नगिहबन है.
हरेक पक्षको पटल ते लत,
हरेक भेद को पटल खे लत,
दुराव य छपिव से उसे गरज?
कठेर नगनसतयबे लत
पटल हृदि की नैडर जबन है.

Dear Friends, these days I am busy head over hills in my campaign against poverty titled " Garib Kalyaan Mela".

My Best wishes to you all on the occasion of the Anniversary of Swami Vivekanand on the 12th of January 2010 and festival of Uttarayan on 14th of the January 2010.

Yours,

