



SSSGC Region 5 MINI RETREAT

Save the Date

SSSGC Region 5 invites the SAI Family to join the Regional Mini Retreat at
Indianapolis

Guest Speaker: Sri Raj Srivatsan

Date : 29th July 2023, Saturday

Time: 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Venue : HTCI Temple Basement
3350 N German Church Rd, Indianapolis,
IN 46235

Please register to attend the SSSGC Region 5 Mini Retreat- <https://forms.gle/spdZJMjKVmULpioe6>

Questions? Email: president.region5@sssgc-usa.org

Om Sri Sai Ram
Raj Srivatsan Bio

At age 13, Srivatsan was intrigued about all that a boy of his age would consider adult domain: life's meaning, a Creator's existence, and resolution of ponderous cosmic and human conundrums. Then, in 1972, Bhagavan Baba quite coincidentally drew Srivatsan to Him in Chennai, India, a watershed event that led to revelation of His Divinity. Since 1993, Bhagavan answered every relevant worldly and spiritual question Raj labored about, through a uniquely designed *education* in His *University of Hard Knocks* and its mandatory coursework of tumultuous life-challenges. Throughout, Bhagavan's Divine Hand steered him, transforming and polishing his education, profession, personality, and life-style, arranging circumstances for him to induct his lessons in humanity's service.

Since 1975, Srivatsan acquired education and experiences that broadened his perceptions and sense of discrimination, enabling him to employ his spiritual awakening beyond the magnificent charade of worldly dynamics. His career spanned work on four continents, and in law, management, finance, business, mega turnkey engineering, World Bank-funded and *Metro Rail* projects, Indian/London/US law firms, and rural India medical projects.

Raj taught law/management in all of Bhagavan's four campuses wholly due to Swami's Grace. His spiritual journey was greatly assisted by his proficiency in martial arts and physical fitness during the 1980s-1990s, all of which helped him serve and save his parents', and several strangers', lives. Since Swami came to Srivatsan, He has become the sole focus on his life in every way.

Since 2004, he has served as an American corporate/securities/criminal trial attorney, representing over 3,000 indigents, and others on *pro bono* criminal domestic/misdemeanor and felony matters.

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He was admitted to the Delaware Bar in 2006 and has the distinct honor of his application for admission to the U.S. Supreme Court moved, in-court, by Justice Randy Holland in 2008, and seconded by Delaware's then-Chancellor, the Honorable William B. Chandler.

Raj has earned Juris Doctor (*cum laude*) and LL.M. Degrees from Delaware Law School and Georgetown Law Center, District of Columbia, specializing in corporate, finance and securities law litigation.

Since 2016, Srivatsan has focused on criminal trial and appellate practice, joining the Delaware Public Defenders' Office convinced that his skills and education could be put to more beneficial service for society and its vastly underrepresented indigents. In his nearly three-year association with the PDO entity, he obtained several favorable verdicts in jury, nonjury and violation of probation trials. He has also vigorously litigated a federal wrongful conviction case through the PA Fed. Court system in 2012-2013, including third circuit *en banc* presentation.

Guest Speaker

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