



# Savitri around the World

A project of Auroville International to celebrate the 50th Anniversary of Auroville (February 1968-2018) and remembering the Mother's words:

**"Savitri is a mantra for the transformation of the World"**

It is proposed to undertake a live online continuous complete reading (*parayan*) of Savitri, Sri Aurobindo's revelatory epic. Starting from its place of birth, the Sri Aurobindo Ashram in Pondicherry, creating a chain of readers from country to country around the world and ending in Auroville.

26th of February 2018, starting in the early morning ("*The hour before the Gods awake*") with the goal to end in the evening of the 27th.

Savitri-lovers around the world. The intention is to start with a recorded reading of the first lines by the Mother. Then the continuous reading will be taken up by participants from the Ashram and other places in India. From India the readings will move on from East to West following the sun around the world, passing through as many countries as possible before ending in Auroville. Participation is invited from members of the Ashram, Auroville International Centres and Liaisons, Sri Aurobindo Centres around the world, and individual Savitri-lovers.

All around the world, in places where Savitri-lovers gather regularly, and in individual homes. From the Sangam Hall at Savitri Bhavan, the aim is to establish internet connections with all the readers, singly or in groups, so that they can be heard and seen on a big screen there. An audio-visual recording can also be made.

It is proposed to register the participants in advance, grouped by country and centre(s), and to inform each participant which lines he or she is requested to read. It will be helpful if one coordinator can be identified to organise the necessary arrangements for each country or centre where more than one reader is participating. Further details will be worked out with the coordinators and participants by e-mail or skype. To make this event happen, willing readers, coordinators and technical helpers are needed.

**Auroville International  
invites you warmly  
for participation & helpful  
suggestions**

**Please contact:  
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by July 1st, 2017  
at the latest**



*Connexion*, a painting by Chantal Gowa, shown in Hall of Peace, Unity Pavilion, Auroville

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