

Make a precis of the following passage and suggest a suitable title.

To tread the path of philosophy is to seek after truth and follow a way of life. **Before** a man sets out on the quest after truth, he must fulfil certain conditions. First, there must be discrimination between the real and the unreal. The statement means, not that a man must possess complete knowledge of absolute reality, which is attained only after long practice of meditation, but that he must unfailingly subject the nature of things to a rigid analysis by discriminating between what is transitory and what is abiding or between what is true and what is selfish enjoyments of life. The aspirant must learn that the highest good is realized not through worldly pleasure, but through a continuous search for the infinite, the enduring joy. This ideal of renunciation must and mind. A third condition is that the student must acquire tranquility of mind, self-control, patience, poise, burning faith in things of the spirit and self surrender. These are called the six treasures of life. The thirst for resale is the fourth condition. Deliverance from spiritual darkness, entrance upon the path of illumination comes only through annihilation of the false ego. When comes only through annihilation of the false ego. When the ego dies, all troubles cease says Sir Remarkrishna. Such a condition of being does not imply the loss of one's individuality but rather the attainment of a great individuality, for we can lose nothing that is real. Kalidasa, the great poet and dramatist, has beautifully expressed this truth. He says that the ideal of renunciation consists in ming the whole world while disowning ones own self. (280 words).



Title: Searching truth and annihilating ego

The philosophy of life is constant search for a truth. Before discovering truth, a seeker must develop some qualities. He has to differentiate between real and unreal, temporary and lasting movements of joy in life. Peace of mind, self-control and complete attention is must for a truth seeker. The transition from darkness into light requires eradicating of false ego. By removing ego, one can own the whole world.

