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Krishna Speaks all Languages

Being a most skillful linguist means to speak all languages, also the language of a place like the higher planets, where they speak Sanskrit.

At the time of Krishna's appearance an old woman once turned to the gopis because she was surprised that Krishna could speak with everyone. She said: "How wonderful it is that Krishna, who owns the hearts of all the young girls of Vrajabhumi, can speak the language of Vraja with the gopis, while He speaks with the demigods in Sanskrit, and with the cows and buffalos He even speaks in the language of the animals! Furthermore, He speaks the language of the Kashmir Province (that's the Himalaya area) and the language of parrots and other birds, as well as other common languages – this Krishna is so expressive!"

Yes, Krishna can understand all languages, but He especially responds to the language of devotion. If a devoteee turns to Him with a sincere desire to serve Him, to be close to Him and to satisfy Him, then Krishna's ears immediately perk up and He listens to the request of this devotee with special attention.

Practically, this means that we should turn to Krishna, we should address Him and we should do so not just with the brain, but with deep concern, with devotion from our heart.

Krishna not only understands, but also listens to and responds to all prayers offered to Him in any language whatsoever with great pleasure. Hare Krishna.



