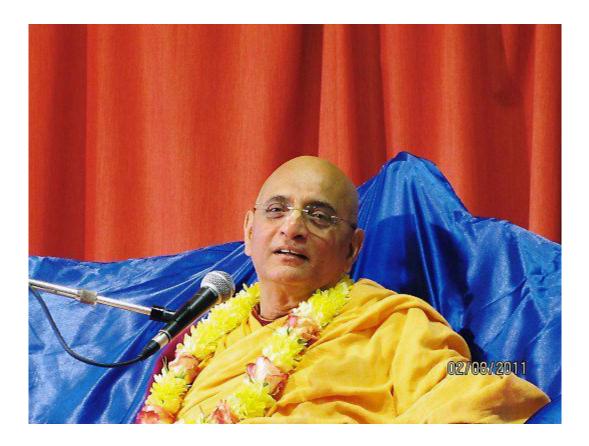
Krishna churns the emotions of His devotees



"Krishna actually acts in such a wonderful way in order to churn the emotions of His devotees. The devotee's business is to develop his love for Krishna and Krishna allows that love to become more and more intensified. Krishna acts in such a way that this love becomes more intensified. What actually causes the love to become intensified? One is when we see the object of our love is in difficulty and distress then the love becomes intensified. When we see that the object of our love is acting in a heroic way our love becomes intensified. When we see that the object of love is displaying so many wonderful qualities then our love becomes intensified. So in this way, through His pastimes, displaying His pastimes, Krishna allows His devotees to intensify their love for Him."

His Holiness Bhakti Charu Swami, excerpt from lecture on SB 10.2.29, Towaco

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