



BHAKTI RECOVERY GROUP

BRG: Recovery for the Krishna Conscious Community

Who we are:

The Bhakti Recovery Group is an all-inclusive 12-Step/bhakti-oriented fellowship that brings together people who share their experience, strength, and hope, as it relates to finding freedom from various addictions, anarthas and associated behaviors. The only requirement for membership is the desire for recovery. Our primary purpose is to stay in the process of recovery through the 12 steps and the practice of bhakti yoga, carrying this message in loving service to others who are struggling with their addictions and associated behaviors.

The Problem

Across temples, Bhakti Centers, and isolated homes, many devotees struggle with pornography, substance issues, compulsive behaviors, and dysfunctional patterns. Anartha's addictions and associated behaviors spill into service, relationships, and spiritual life. The demand for recovery now far exceeds the needed local support, skills and resources available.

Why BRG Works

Combining the world's most trusted recovery method—the 12 Steps—with Bhakti principles, the BRG freely provides what devotees cannot find anywhere else in a regular 12 step meeting- confidential, safe Krishna Conscious recovery.

The Solution

Recovery is a continual process of surrender, identifying destructive patterns, letting them go, and learning a new way to live—with connection, accountability, and Krishna at the center. The BRG offers exactly that: ongoing support, consistent community, and real tools for permanent transformation.

BRG Current Impact

5 years of service and steady growth

- 20 meetings weekly (17 online, 2 in person, 1 hybrid)
- 100+ participants from 9+ countries (Australia, India, North America, England, Germany, South Africa, Chile, Mexico and more)
- Weekly podcast + monthly interviews & engagements
- 6+ personal endorsements from senior leaders, including HH Radhanath Swami & HH Sacinandana Swami
- Hundreds of heartfelt testimonies from grateful devotees helped by BRG

The Next Step

Meetings alone cannot address the depth of addiction, trauma, and isolation we are now seeing in growing numbers. We are building a stronger BRG with structured programs and mentorship training to reduce relapse, offer clear guidance, and support long-term recovery—significantly expanding beyond the impact our current meetings provide.



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1. Online Structured Bhakti 12 Step Recovery Programs
2. Group Mentorships & Accountability
3. Training Skilled BRG Facilitators Worldwide
4. Global Inperson BRG Workshops & Immersion Retreats
5. Hiring Essential NPO Staff, addiction counselors and Resources

All Krishna Conscious communities acknowledge addiction as a serious obstacle to spiritual life—yet few structured solutions exist. The expansion we are implementing directly fills this critical gap in our devotee community.

1. Online Structured Recovery Programs

Guided courses and accessible tools so any devotee—regardless of country or income—can begin healing.

2. Group Mentorship & Accountability Systems

A sustainable mentorship model to meet demand far beyond what volunteers currently manage.

3. Training Skilled BRG Facilitators Worldwide

Trained meeting leaders, mentors, and support personnel to ensure high-quality care and continuity.

4. Global BRG Workshops & Immersion Retreats

Annual 2-day programs and international Bhakti-12 Step immersion and training retreats in India, North & South America, Europe, and Australia.

5. Hiring Essential NPO Staff, Addiction Counselors and Recourses

A full-time Executive Director , Assistant Executive Director, specialized staff for graphics design, social media, program resources, staff training and other skilled part-time support team to stabilize, expand, and professionalize BRG's service

The BRG is the “proper medicine” Srila Prabhupada urged us to give our Godbrothers and Godsisters.

Your Support Matters

We have the team, the experience, the vision and the momentum.

We now need the essential \$90,000 financial backing from caring donors to help us expand and sustain this impactful next phase of BRG's development.

Many devotees who need help cannot afford it. Those blessed with Krishna and Lakshmi's abundance who have accumulated “more funds than required” can help us in Krishna's loving service reach those who will otherwise be left behind.

Your generous contribution to the BRG today will directly impact hundreds of devotees to reclaim their lives and re-engage in devotional service.

To make a contribution in loving service to uplift devotees and the Krishna conscious community as a whole, please contact the Jagai Madhai foundation.

Our finances are transparent. Detailed breakdown available upon request.