

Methen



Methen was born in 1983 in Rawop village in the Zamthang province of eastern Tibet. He comes from an extremely poor family who were unable to educate him during his youth.

When he was 8 years old he was kindly accepted into Chutong monastery where he practised a preliminary Kalachakra retreat.

Fortunately, at that time Khenrul Rinpoche was at Chutong monastery and he realised Methen and his cousin Yangpo were unable to receive education without his help.

Rinpoche voluntarily educated and personally trained them for several years. Through his kindness, Methen and Yangpo successfully completed a 3 year Kalachakra retreat at Chutong monastery and went on to do a 2 year Kalachakra retreat at Shayule monastery.

Both monks went on to do 4 years academic Buddhist philosophy studies at Zamthang monastery. Everyone considered both monks to be of excellent quality and Yangpo is now a Lama at Zamthang monastery. Methen is considered to be a well disciplined and proficient chanting master, skilled in all facets of ritual and ceremonial activities. Some believe him to be a Tulku although he has not officially been recognised.

Out of deep gratitude to Khenrul Rinpoche, Methen would like to come to Australia to assist him with his activities.

We require sponsorship of \$2,000 for each monk to cover air fare and visa requirements initially. We would also like help with ongoing sponsorship of the monks to cover their living expenses and are looking for support of \$40 per month. The Tibetan Buddhist Rime Institute will cover the remaining expenses.



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