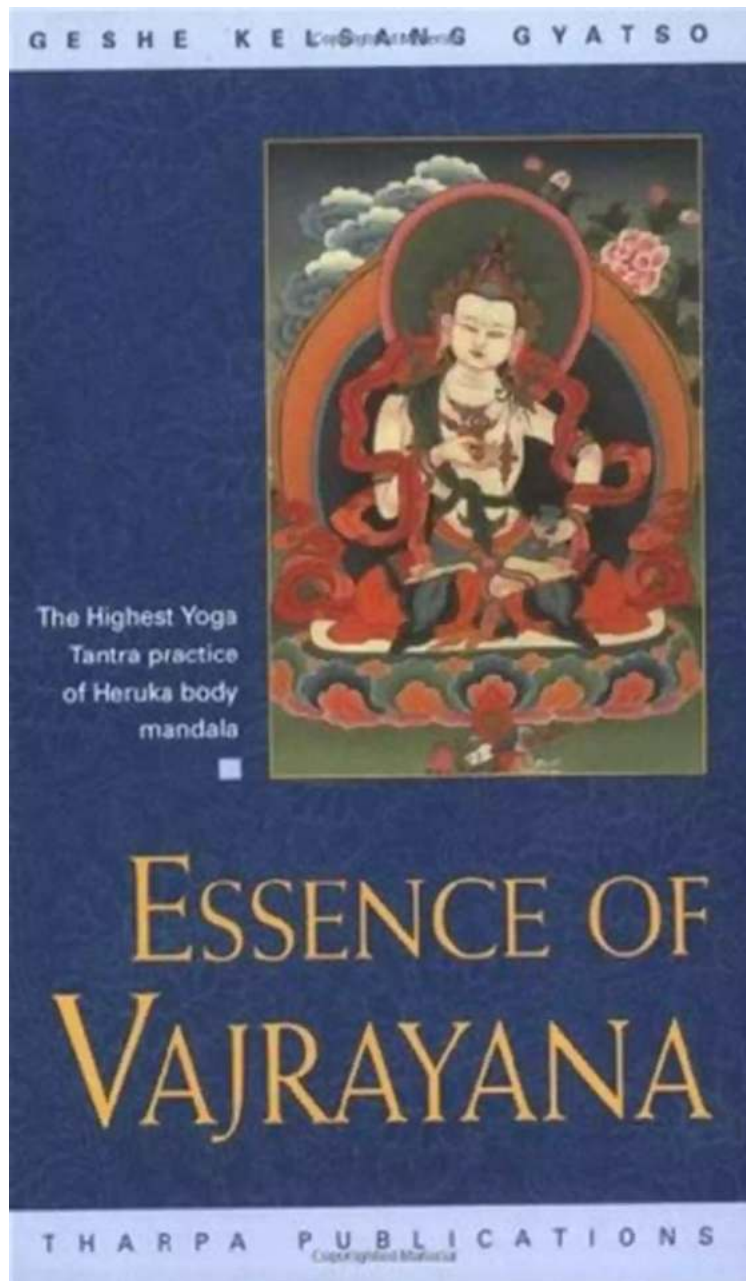


# The Highest Yoga Tantra Practice Of Heruka Body Mandala

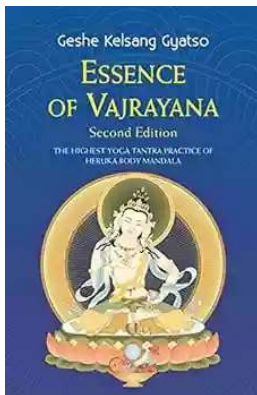


The practice of Tantra has long been regarded as the highest form of spiritual development in Tibetan Buddhism. Among the various tantras, one particularly important and advanced practice is that of the Heruka Body Mandala. This article

aims to delve deeper into the concept of the Heruka Body Mandala and explain its significance in the Highest Yoga Tantra practice.

## Understanding Heruka Body Mandala

The Heruka Body Mandala is a practice that combines both deity yoga and mandala offerings. It involves visualizing oneself as the deity Heruka surrounded by an intricate mandala consisting of various deity figures. This practice is considered to be highly advanced and profound, requiring the practitioner to have a solid foundation in basic Buddhist principles and tantric practices.



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## The Significance of Heruka Body Mandala

The Heruka Body Mandala is considered the pinnacle of tantric practice as it combines the highest form of deity yoga with the profound symbolism of the mandala. By visualizing oneself as Heruka, the practitioner seeks to embody the enlightened qualities of compassion, wisdom, and skillful means.

Furthermore, the mandala itself represents the enlightened world, with each deity figure symbolizing various aspects of the enlightened mind. By visualizing and offering to these deity figures, the practitioner aims to transform their own ordinary body, speech, and mind into the enlightened body, speech, and mind of the Heruka.

## **How to Practice Heruka Body Mandala**

The practice of Heruka Body Mandala requires strict adherence to the instructions provided by a qualified tantric master. It involves a series of visualizations, recitations of mantras, and ritual offerings. The practitioner must cultivate a strong sense of devotion and engage in extensive purification practices to prepare themselves for this advanced tantric practice.

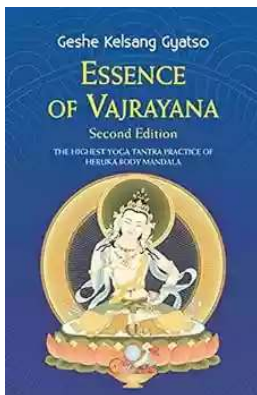
It is crucial to receive proper empowerment and transmission from a qualified guru before undertaking the practice. The guru acts as a guide and ensures that the practitioner understands the intricacies of the practice and is able to navigate through the various stages with precision and clarity.

## **Benefits of Heruka Body Mandala Practice**

The practice of Heruka Body Mandala is said to bring immense benefits on both a spiritual and worldly level. Some of the reported benefits include:

- Acceleration of spiritual progress
- Transformation of negative emotions into wisdom
- Development of deep compassion and wisdom
- Attainment of enlightenment
- Rebirth into pure lands

The Heruka Body Mandala practice holds great significance in the Highest Yoga Tantra tradition of Tibetan Buddhism. It offers practitioners the opportunity to embody the enlightened qualities of the Heruka deity and transform their ordinary body, speech, and mind into the glorious, enlightened form. However, it is essential to approach this practice with proper guidance and understanding. Only through sincere dedication, devotion, and adherence to the instructions can one unlock the profound benefits of this advanced tantric practice.



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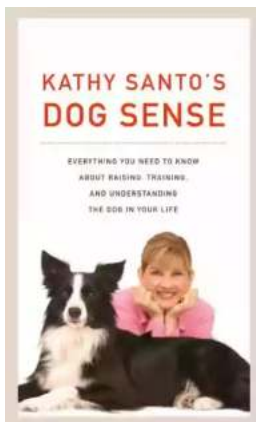
With this book, Venerable Geshe Kelsang Gyatso Rinpoche explains with clarity and precision how we can practise the sublime meditations of Heruka body mandala, and thereby gradually transform our ordinary world and experiences into those of a Buddha, a fully enlightened being. He follows this with definitive instructions on the completion stage practices that can lead directly to the supreme bliss of full enlightenment in this one lifetime. This is a treasury of practical instructions for those seriously interested in following the Tantric path.

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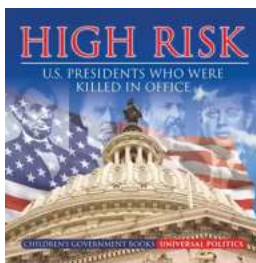
In general, Vajrayana is the actual quick path to enlightenment, but whether or not we attain enlightenment quickly through Vajrayana practice depends upon our faith, motivation and understanding. In particular, gaining the realizations of Heruka body mandala – the very essence of Vajrayana – depends upon our having strong faith in the instructions and a clear understanding of their meaning. Then, with a pure motivation, free from selfish intention, we should practise these instructions sincerely and continually until we attain our final goal."

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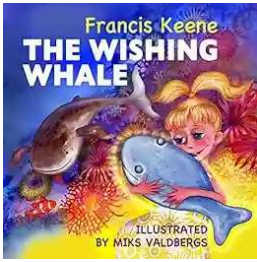
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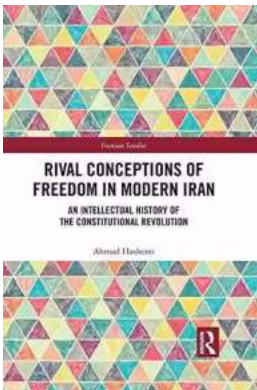
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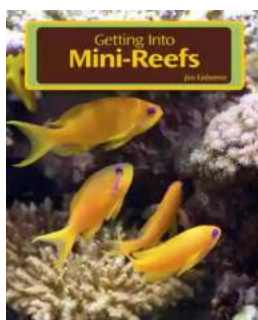
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