

# BODHI MANDA ZEN CENTER

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Bodhi Manda Zen Center,  
October 13<sup>th</sup>, 2013

To: Kyozan Joshu Roshi  
Chief Abbot of Rinzai-ji

From: Jiun Hosen, Osho

Subject: Letter of response

Dearest teacher,

I, as your student, acknowledge you as my teacher and embrace your decision to remove my status as an osho and a nun until further notice.

I will continue in practice as you taught me for so many years.

It is my hope that I can remain at Bodhi Manda to ensure Teishin's care and the practicing students as well as caring for the grounds, the buildings, and the accounting, until someone appointed by you will be able to commit to this place of practice. I am grateful for the opportunity to have served here and deeply thankful to you who taught here for 40 years and grateful to all your students that came here and supported the Bodhi in so many ways. I must also acknowledge the many long lasting relationships we have made in educating the general public in basic teachings in Zen Buddhism.

I am deeply sorry for any misunderstandings that have arisen recently between you and me. I honestly do not understand them therefore it is appropriate for me to just do more Zazen.

In Deep Gassho always,

Christiane Ranger, formerly known as Jiun Hosen, Osho



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