

Anam Thubten Rinpoche: The Importance of Learning Tibetan



Anam Thubten Rinpoche (Tulku Thubten Rinpoche) was born in Tibet and took up Buddhism at an early age. He was recognized as the incarnation of Anam Lama by several masters, including Gumpa Tulku Rinpoche. Rinpoche came to the West in 1992. He teaches in fluent English.

Today more than ever Tibetan language and culture are facing unprecedented challenges both inside and outside of Tibet. Undoubtedly the destruction of Tibetan language also means the destruction of Vajrayana Buddhism. It's necessary for dharma practitioners to have a deeper understanding of Buddhist teachings in order to gain internal awakening. Learning Tibetan language enhances one's understanding of the Buddhist teachings. By participating in this language program [the various seminars offered by TLI] and supporting the Tibetan Language Institute, we'll be helping to preserve the teachings of the holy dharma. What can be better than that?

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