



Sri Somesvara Temple

Sri Somesvara Temple is located in the Blue Ridge Mountains of Western North Carolina. It is a Vedic Shiva temple at the center of Mount Soma, a community commonly referred to as “Mount Kailash of the West.” People travel great distances to experience Sri Somesvara’s powerful Linga, profound silence, and timeless vibrations.

What Makes Sri Somesvara Unique?

- Sri Somesvara is an authentic Vedic temple, 100% Vastu, and employs Vedic technology in all ceremonies.
- Under the direction of Sthapati S. Santhanakrishnan, a student of Dr. V. Ganapati Sthapati, artisans hand-carved 46 tons of granite from India to create the deities, shrines, and entryway.
- Sri Somesvara is located at Mount Soma, a place of pilgrimage for those seeking spiritual knowledge.
- The purity of the Deities and Pandit is held to the highest standards.
- The focus is inward, assisting everyone to find God within.



The Value of Vedic Technology

Vedic technology must be utilized to build and care for a Vedic temple, requiring great precision in its implementation. This involves vast resources of knowledge, skill, and funding, as well as selfless dedication and unbounded commitment. The result is a technology that affects people and life at the most foundational level, bringing them into harmony with nature. This promotes lasting health, prosperity, evolution, and fulfillment.

Fully Vedic temples, like Mount Soma’s Sri Somesvara, have a refined and powerful vibration that is full and radiant. The deepest qualities of life, Veda, radiate out, permeating all of existence. Infusing Veda into all levels of life is like watering the root of a tree. When the root is watered, the whole tree flourishes.

What is Sri Somesvara’s Role at Mount Soma?

Sri Somesvara is the first of several temples to be built at Mount Soma. Designed according to the Vaastu Shastras, these temples will be the foundation for an Enlightened City. Together, these temples will form a grid or network. As a result, the influence of each temple is amplified thousands of times. Just as a radio transmitter sends its message throughout the world, an Enlightened City radiates a harmonious influence throughout the planet.

Come and enjoy the beauty, power, and depth of Sri Somesvara Temple!

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