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PRACTICE IX

Mahamudra: The Emptiness of the Mind,
in Six Different Flavors

Quiz, Class One

1) The word "Mahamudra" means "Great Seal." Explain the real meaning of each of these two words. (Tibetan track give the Tibetan.)

2) What are the two kinds of Mahamudra?



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Quiz, Class Two

1) It most often seems almost random when we encounter something that we either like or don't like. Describe the "flavor" of "emptiness" that denies that anything is an accident. (Tibetan track give the Tibetan also.)



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Quiz, Class Three

1) Explain the metaphor of the magic show that the Independent group of the Middle-Way School uses to help describe their version of emptiness.



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Quiz, Class Four

1) What is the one "flavor" of "emptiness" that allows for creating a Buddha paradise, where you live as an enlightened being made of light? (Tibetan track name in Tibetan.)



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Quiz, Class Five

1) A person gets in a car accident; their head goes through the windshield, and they die. Explain the difference between *how* they died and *why* they died—that is, the difference between the apparent cause and the real cause.

2) Describe the role of an act of truth (*satyachara*) in the liberation of India, and the distinction between the apparent results and the real results of our actions.