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### IN-DEPTH COURSE III

## Master Shantideva's Guide to the Bodhisattva's Way of Life Exchanging Self & Others

### *Quiz, Class Three*

1) In the section of the chapter just completed, Master Shantideva has advised the "other guy" that—if he refuses to take care of the needs of others as he does his own needs—then by logic he shouldn't take care of his own needs either. How does the "other guy" respond to this, and what is Master Shantideva's reply?

2) Master Shantideva refers to the story of the bodhisattva monk called "Lovely Flower of the Moon," but he doesn't relate this story to us. Describe what happened to Lovely Flower; give his name in Sanskrit and Tibetan; and give the name of the book in which his story is found.

3) Master Shantideva says in a verse here that bodhisattvas "never hope for some karmic reward." Clarify this statement from both a worldly and an ultimate standpoint.