



The Asian Classics Institute



Diamond Mountain University

In-Depth Course 1
Teachings of the Future Buddha:
The Uttara Tantra of Maitreya

Quiz, Class Nine: In the End, All Paths Are One

1) Explain the difference, especially from the point of view of the Mind-Only and Independent Middle-Way Schools, between the kind of emptiness perceived by followers of each of the three ways. (Sanskrit and Tibetan tracks give the general names for the two and three types of emptiness, respectively; Tibetan track also add brief description of each of the three.)

(a)

(b)

(c)

2) Why do members of the Mind-Only School, especially those who “follow after scripture,” believe that—in the end—there are three different ways?

3) What, according to Gyalsab Je, is the real reason why those of the Mind-Only School might believe that, in the end, there are three ways?

4) The debate over how many ways in the end there are, like all of Lord Buddha's teachings, has application to our modern life. Describe this application, and state two considerations that we will want to keep in mind.