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**Topic - The reason behind semi-destruction**

**Baba:** It will be said that the [semi] destruction [takes place] when [deities] have less than eight celestial degrees. The *balance* [of the earth] gets disturbed at that time.

**Student:** When the semi-destruction takes place between the Silver Age and the Copper Age, how many die? [The population is] eight to ten billion then; how many survive?

**Baba:** ‘Semi-destruction’ means half [of them] will die and ‘complete destruction’ means everyone will be destroyed.

**Student:** Baba, [deities] die when they wish in the Golden and the Silver Age. They don’t commit sins there, nevertheless, they will die in the semi-destruction?

**Baba:** Arey, there are even such [souls] who have made less *purusharth* in the Confluence Age. Has everyone made equal *purusharth*? (Students: no.) Those who have made less *purusharth* [here] become more body conscious while by being born till [the end of] the Silver Age.