

Chandrakirti's INTRODUCTION TO THE MIDDLE WAY

(UMA JUKPA, SKT. MADYAMAKAVATARA)

with ZaChoeje Rinpoche

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"Buddha did not argue with the world. The world argued with Buddha." - ZaChoeje Rinpoche

In Chandrakirti's poetic work we are guided through the grounds and stages of realization into our true nature. The Madyamaka ("middle") Avatara ("to enter into") is the introduction into the subtle and profound philosophy Nagarjuna set forth five centuries earlier with his "Stanzas on the Middle Way."

In this continuing and impacting series Rinpoche reveals how to work through the different "views" of self. These views or ideas of who we think we are often keep us clinging to circumstances that cloud our judgement and bring suffering to ourselves and others. As Rinpoche explains, when we learn to go beyond the idea of who we are, we gain access to our extraordinary ability to benefit ourselves and others.



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