

# Khenchen Palden Sherab Rinpoche Khenpo Tsewang Dongyal Rinpoche



**Khenchen Palden Sherab Rinpoche** (right) is one of the most highly qualified scholars and meditation masters of the Tibetan Buddhist tradition. He entered Gochen Monestary at the age of six, where he began intensive training in all facets of Tibetan Buddhism. He is considered a Master of Dzogchen, the most highly developed tradition of spiritual practice in the Nyingma tradition of Tibetan Buddhism.

**Khenpo Tsewang Dongyal Rinpoche** (left) is a Tantric Master as well as an accomplished author, poet, and Buddhist historian. His Holiness Dudjom Rinpoche, supreme head of the Nyingma lineage, enthroned him as Abbot of the Nyingma Institute and Orgyen Chokholing Monestary in Kathmandu, Nepal. He is a Tulku, holding all of the transmissions and empowerments of the Nyingma, Kama, and Terma lineages.

## DEATH AND DYING IN THE TIBETAN TRADITION

**Tuesday, September 16, 7:30 pm, \$15**

Tibetan Buddhism has one of the most highly developed understandings of the process of death and dying. In this lecture, the Khenpos will articulate the Tibetan Buddhist insights into the process of death which also sheds light on and gives deeper meaning to the art of living itself.

## DZOGCHEN - THE NATURE OF THE MIND

**TEACHINGS AND TRANSMISSION: Wednesday, September 17, 7:30 pm, \$15**

**Dzogchen** is the ultimate teaching of all of the enlightened ones and is regarded as the culmination of all spiritual paths. In Dzogchen, we are introduced to how to effortlessly abide in the primordially pure state of enlightenment that has been our ever-present condition from the very beginning. The Khenpos will be using the famous Dzogchen text by Mipham Rinpoche "Self-Radiance of Vajra Awareness-Emptiness."

## MANJUSHRI EMPOWERMENT

**Thursday, September 18, 7 pm, \$20**

**Manjushri** is the archetypal deity of wisdom. As the great bodhisattva Shantideva said "Everything the Buddha taught comes down ultimately to a question of wisdom." This is because it is the attainment of wisdom that enables us to attain liberation from suffering. Faith, love and kindness are in fact the products of true wisdom. This empowerment will activate, awaken and empower our intrinsic wisdom.

**All events at NW Tibetan Cultural Assoc, 6225 NE Stanton**  
**THERE IS NO PREREGISTRATION FOR ANY EVENT**

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