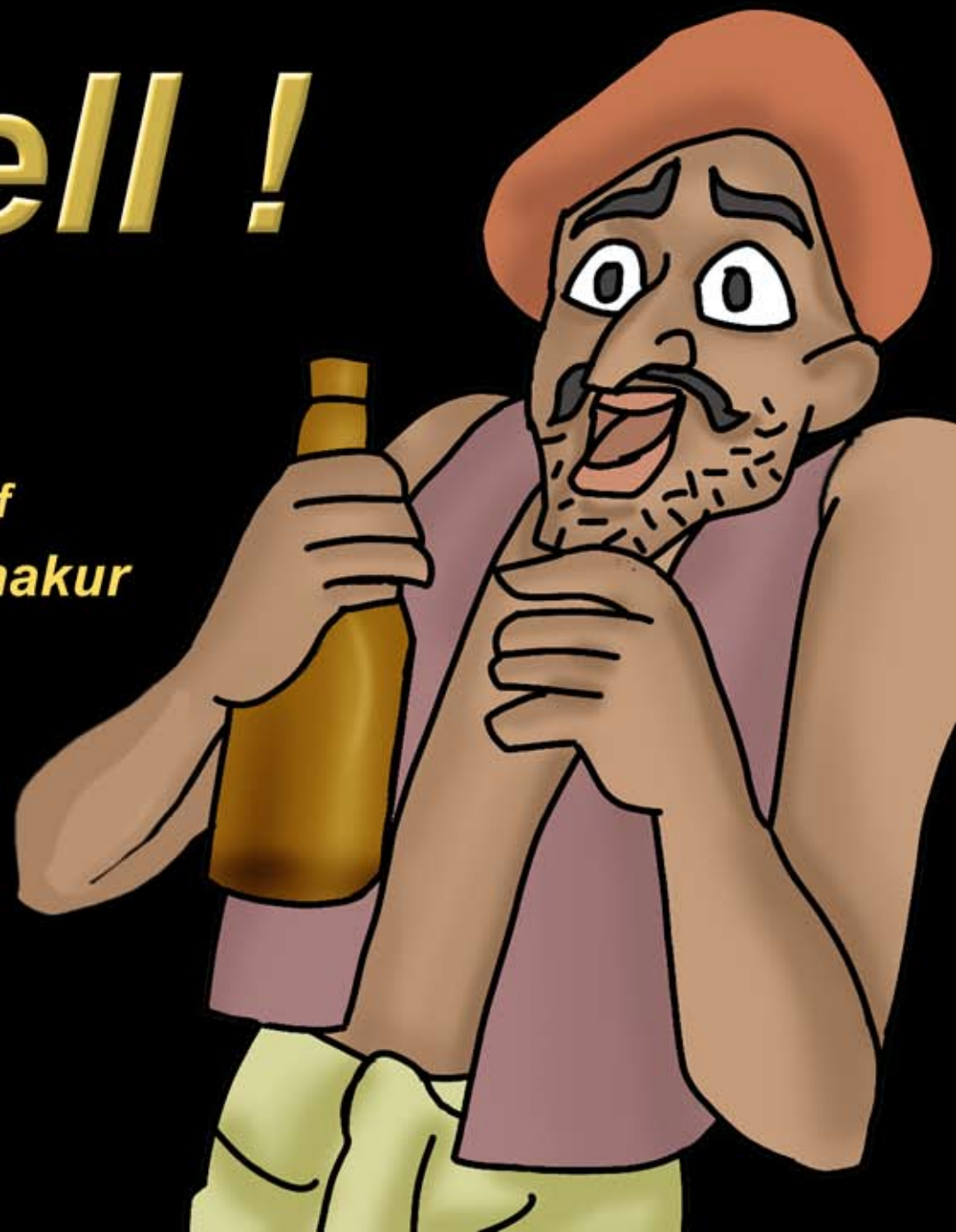


# *Lively Hell !*

*Instructive Stories from teachings of  
Srla Bhaktisiddhanta Sarasvati Thakur*



*A pious God-conscious brahmana  
once advised a drunkard*

**The holy scriptures  
say that one who  
takes wine goes  
to hell.**

***But Suren Babu  
also takes wine!***

***He will also  
go to hell.***

**Barun Babu also  
takes wine!**

**He will also  
go to hell.**



**Arun Babu also  
takes wine!**

**He will also  
go to hell.**

**What else  
must one  
do to go to  
hell?**



**Telling lies, stealing,  
cheating others,  
practising illicit sex-  
all takes one to hell.**

***Then what will be the  
fate of Brahmini the  
prostitute?***

***Hell !***

**Everyone who is a prostitute must go to hell?**

**Yes.**





***And those who visit a prostitute's house, where will they go?***

***Also to hell.***



***Oh, then it must be great fun !***

## **PURPORT**

***Many people in this material world take into their heads that there should be nothing to worry if many people commit heinous crimes in profusion. In fact, the fallen souls who never care for sincere devotional service to the Lord are in majority on this planet. Accordingly, the brute majority may remain complacent without practising devotional service to the Lord and may come to the conclusion that they will undergo the same fate as other atheists so what's the use of approaching a few saintly persons to get to hear good sermons! Better to go by the majority. Thus many people become averse to devotional service to the Lord. This simply reflects the mode of passion.***