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Shveta Vashist Gaur

My friends are yellow, brown and white,
What difference does it make to light

Contemplative and simple, Ponder a While is not just a composition of so experience that leaves you with your thoughts alone. 'I knew this would h the 37 year-old former Merchant Navy sailor who underwent a revelation life, but also changed him as a human being.

'It happened when I was in the middle of the Atlantic Ocean and found my recollects. So, while you go through the immense response that Misra ha the internet and in person, what leaves you wonderstruck is his way of co Framed in couplets, his poetry canvasses spirituality and the human mind even the most complex subjects simple. My emphasis has been on the me because that pattern is easy to understand and even remember,' he says. language is so unmistakable straightforward, that even a child can under

Having sold 1,000 copies so far, Misra wants to concentrate on propagati with the universe.' We usually separate ourselves from the universe and

misfortunes and various negativities. My book asks the reader to unite w
with it, 'he explains. Deriving inspiration from god, love and light, Misra
seven years reading extensively on spirituality and then was able to writ
prepared for death and know that we will all be gone one day,' he says.

Ever since Misra's spiritual journey began with An Autobiography of a Yo
the spiritual writers around, right from Herman Hesse to Mikhael Naimy a
wasn't like Misra was always prepared to talk about his thoughts openly.
only when I was ready about it, did I talk about it,' he says. The messag
propagate is, 'God is not for others, he is for us only. And, it isn't that s
from another planet, they are all as human and as normal,' he explains.

Misra will soon be heading to Delhi for a poetry reading session for Dahi
from Philadelphia.