

ON THE ROAD

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I am still on the road. Have been at a dharma teacher with my teacher of 30-years the Ven. Khenpo Karthar Rinpoche in Columbus, Ohio, with side trips to Ann Arbor to see my grandkids and watch my daughter May (and Seth) perform at The Ark with their Earthwork Collective, and a trip to Athens, Ohio to see my brothers there.

But mostly in Columbus, zipping around the expressways, trying to find food we can eat, searching for nap space, and attending a weekend teaching on Mahamudra meditation, in this case commentary on “The Song of Mahamudra,” a poem by Jamgon Kongtrul Lodro Thaye,” being the pith instructions for Mahamudra. It was great teaching and always wonderful to be with Rinpoche, who is ninety years old now.

This moment I am in Ann Arbor, Michigan at my daughter Lotis’ house with my grandkids. We will head home today and I will be back on the blog tomorrow, if the “good god is will and the creek don’t rise” as the old saying goes.

[Margaret and I are in this picture, at the end of the red bar. This was taken at the Columbus KTC center.]

