

## **At Sali's Memorial**

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Even though I lived in Denmark, my home country, I first met Sali already in 1973. She came to Copenhagen with Maharishi's group when we had organized a big symposium on TM. Keith Wallace, David Orme-Johnson, and many others were also part of the group. I had a question, which got referred to Sali—and that is how we first met.

And decades later, we got to work at the same locations—Dr. Robert Schneider's research institute, and the Vedic Science building, Veda Bhavan, where she was program secretary. She was just around the corner in that building—and I saw her often.

When she was moved to Parkview, I often went to visit her. She was such a sweet person—and though we might not have conversations on the intellectual level, it felt like we were together on the level of Being. Words were not needed.

During one of my visits, a staff person stopped by. She asked: "Is that your sister?"  
Sali paused briefly, and then said: "Close."  
So she was aware, that I was not her sister, but a close friend.