

3 Favorite Breathing & Healing Meditations

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1. Power Combo Breath

This breathing meditation combines a few different favorite breathing techniques:

- The Buteyko Breathing Technique was created way back in the 1950s by a Ukrainian doctor, Konstantin Buteyko. It is excellent in oxygenating the cells, expanding the lungs, and good for people with lung and chest issues and ailments such as asthma.
- Humming Bee Breath (Bhramari): this also oxygenates the cells and blood, opens up the sinuses and airways, and increases nitric oxide, which is a bronchodilator, further increasing the oxygenabsorbing capacity of the lungs. It is also very calming and just plain fun!
- **Nostril Breathing**: Breathing through the nostrils has several significant advantages to mouth breathing: filters the incoming air, humidifies the air, warms the air, pressurizes the air, and increases nitric oxide.

Method:

- 1. All breathing is in and out of the nostrils. No straining.
- 2. Make yourself comfortable. Sit in the Presence of Divine Love.
- 3. Breathe in long, slow and deep
- 4. Breathe out long, slow and deep using humming bee breath (making a soothing closed mouth, "hmmmmmm"
- 5. Breathe in only 2 seconds, then breathe out completely using humming bee: "hmmmmmmmm"
- 6. Pause after exhale for 5 seconds, before starting cycle again with long deep inbreath
- 7. Feel free to lengthen inhale and exhale more and more as you expand the lung capacity, but do not strain.
- 8. Do as many breath rounds as you like, then relax and notice how you feel.

2. Breathe in and out

I breathe in body healing exhale (release) disease

I breathe in healthy cells and blood exhale toxins & impurities

I breathe in a pure, healed heart exhale hardened heart

I breathe in peace exhale fear

I breathe in God Presence exhale loneliness

I breathe in *Thy* will exhale egoic *my* will

I breathe in Divine align exhale disruption

I breathe in strength and courage exhale anxiety and angst

I breathe in humility exhale arrogance

I breathe in ability to bless and uplift exhale curses and criticism

I breathe in righteousness exhale unrighteousness

I breathe in balanced brain exhale damaged brain

I breathe in mind renewed exhale mind madness

I breathe in freedom exhale vices and addictions

I breathe in truth exhale untruth and lies

I breathe in clear vision exhale clouded sight

I breathe in wisdom exhale programing

I breathe in rest exhale exhaustion

I breathe in focus exhale distraction

I breathe in faith and trust exhale worry

I breathe in positivity exhale negativity

I breathe in acceptance exhale struggle

Alternate Nostril Breath



This balances the right & left brains, masculine and feminine energies, and is very calming and centering.

- Use the thumb and ring finger of your right hand to take turns blocking each nostril.
- O Start by blocking the right nostril with your right thumb, and breathing in deeply through the left nostril for a 3 to 5 second count.
- o Then, hold both nostrils closed for 1 second, then block only the left nostril with your ring finger, and exhale out the right nostril for 3 to 5 seconds.
- Then again hold both nostrils closed for 1 second, then inhale through the right for 3 to 5 seconds, hold both closed for 1 second,
- o Exhale out the left for 3 to 5 seconds. You are welcome to increase length of inhale, exhale, and holds, but *no strain*. Continue for 10 rounds.
- PLEASE RELAX and DO NOT STRAIN ----- Roy Holman,
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