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Gregory Wonderwheel wrote:

genkaku wrote:

Received this upbeat email update on Eido Shimano. The site seems to be aimed at those whose love for Mr. Shimano has been bruised and buried by scurrilous allegations.

Lord love a duck!

PS. Here is a commentary by Adam Tebbe, proprietor of Sweeping Zen:

I'm inclinded to take it as a spoof or satire on something real, that is, it is making fun of the people who still adore Eido Roshi.

Unfortunately, this website is real, it is not a spoof. There are supporters of Eido Roshi who think this way, and it reflects Eido Roshi's own logic as I have heard much of this from him directly.

In response to reading this website, here is my most recent email to the ZSS Board; however, I think it is highly unlikely that they will take this course:

"We all knew it would come to this. I'm in England doing sesshin until 2/10. The ZSS board is paying ER giving him the ability to continue to teach. It is my hope that ZSS will finally challenge the differed compensation agreement in court.

He has great gifts, but how can ZSS continue to support someone that still does not remotely understand the harm he has repeatedly caused his own Sangha and American Zen.

If he is going to contine to teach, let him do so without direct finacial support of ZSS.

If I remotly understood how much he didn't get it, I and others would have supported that he be fired and removed from office. Seigan [another former board member and ZSS priest] had it right from the beginning."

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