



## World Youth Rally

On the morning of July 26, 2007, Bhagavan came to Sai Kulwant Hall at 8:00 A.M. amidst *Vedic* chanting by the students of Sri Sathya Sai University and the international delegates to the conference. Soon after Bhagavan's arrival, the procession of youth started entering the Hall from the main gate. At the head of the procession was a *Veda*-chanting group of delegates carrying the *Poornakumbham*, who offered traditional welcome to Bhagavan. This group was followed by the brass band of Sri Sathya Sai University. After this came the delegates from 86 countries, carrying the name-plates and national flags of their countries. All of them came to the dais and offered their salutations to Bhagavan who showered His Blessings on them. Many of the groups were chanting *Vedic* hymns and singing *bhajans*. The gents were followed by the contingents of ladies. At the head of the ladies procession, there was also a *Veda*-chanting group with *Poornakumbham* and lighted candles. This was followed by the brass band of Anantapur Campus and the bagpipers of Sri Sathya Sai Primary School, Prasanthi Nilayam. The groups of delegates carrying the name-banners of their countries came before the dais, bowed in reverence to Bhagavan and occupied their seats in the Hall. This grand rally started at 8:00 A.M. and came to a close at 8:55 A.M.





