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The hardbound pictorial edition, 'Life and Legacy of Guru Nanak Dev Ji' is dedicated to the 550th Birth Anniversary of Sri Guru Nanak Dev Ji celebrated world over with great devotion, spirit and fervour in 2019. The ways in which this great occasion was celebrated were varied and publications and literature was one effective way through which the devotees paid their humble tribute to the great reformer, spiritual leader and saint. Guru Nanak was a great thinker, philosopher and builder who laid the tenets of Sikh faith and gave an institutionalized form to it. Many authors have written books dedicated to the eternal glory of Guru Nanak Dev Ji echoing the cardinal principles that are an integral part of the psyche of the Sikhs since immemorial times. Ineffable discourse, philosophy and stories of the Great Guru are being replicated in various ways so that the people across all age groups are attached to it through an eye of faith, understand the tenets with an eye of rationality and logic and imbibe it with commitment and devotion in their hearts, minds and souls.

Guru Nanak's all-embracing vision, arduous sojourns, fervent opposition to the outmoded conventions and extensive dialogues at various religious places with prominent religious leaders belonging to several sects establishing the futility of rituals are cited in this pictorial book in vibrant sketches touching the chords of the hearts of one and all.

The episodes related to the early life of Guru Nanak Dev ji are depicted with appropriate captions exhibiting that His childhood had a divine streak. Child Guru was not an ordinary child and influenced one and all who came in His contact. His teacher was mighty influenced by the thoughts of Guru that were beyond any worldly education and religion. Guru Sahib questioned the prevalent futile tradition of wearing Janeu or the sacred thread. Guru Nanak asked the Pandit to tie him a thread that is permanent and does not perish. Such a thread is to be woven with essential values of life like, compassion, commitment, modesty and truth.