

REQUIREMENTS FOR A LAKSHMI HOMAM

Please consider the environment — use green shopping bags.

coconuts [with husk if possible]	2	<input type="text"/>
bananas	10	<input type="text"/>
seasonal fruit	4 kinds	<input type="text"/>
betel leaves	1 packet	<input type="text"/>
betel nuts (whole)	5	<input type="text"/>
kumkum	1 container	<input type="text"/>
flowers	3 bunches	<input type="text"/>
ghee	500 gms	<input type="text"/>
camphor blocks	5	<input type="text"/>
rice [white]	1 kg	<input type="text"/>
Rice flour	500 gms	<input type="text"/>
matches or lighter	1	<input type="text"/>
incense sticks	1 pkt	<input type="text"/>
havan samagri	1 pkt	<input type="text"/>
Lotus seeds (from chinese grocery)	2 pkts	<input type="text"/>
Honey	Small jar	<input type="text"/>
Dollar coins	10	<input type="text"/>

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:

wood for fire - unused, unblemished twigs	1 box
mango leaves unblemished	5
trays and vessels [brass, copper, steel]	3
new tea towels OR	2
paper towels	1 roll

Dear yajaman please note:— Until now we have avoided setting fees for Pujas, since it is our sacred duty and not our business, but due to the fact that some yajamanas have been unfair in their charity, indifferent to the value of our time and unmindful of the cost of living to which we too are subjected, we are now compelled to set a minimum dakshina of \$250 per ceremony. Thank you for your understanding.