

## **Baba Budda ji**

He was born on Oct 6, 1506 in Katthu Nangal, 12 m from Amritsar. His father was Bhai Suggha and mother Mai Gauran.

At a young age, he had a job of taking the cattle out for grazing. He met Guru Nanak and asked him very matured questions. Guru ji changed his name from Bura to Budda.

He performed the ceremony of transferring the guruship from Guru Nanak Dev ji to the next five gurus.

He had the privilege of teaching and training Guru Hargobind ji and later his children.

He actively participated in the construction of the baoli (well) in Goindwal and the sarovar around the Golden Temple. A tree (ben tree) still stands where he would sit and supervise the construction of the sarovar.

He gave blessings to Mata Ganga ji when she came to him asking for the gift of a son.

He was the first Granthi when the Adi Granth was compiled and placed in Harminder Sahib. The first hukamnana that came was .....

He passed away on Nov 16, 1631 at the age of 125. The last rites were performed by Gur Hargobind ji.