

How to teach others

In a gentle but convincing way

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What is Buddhism

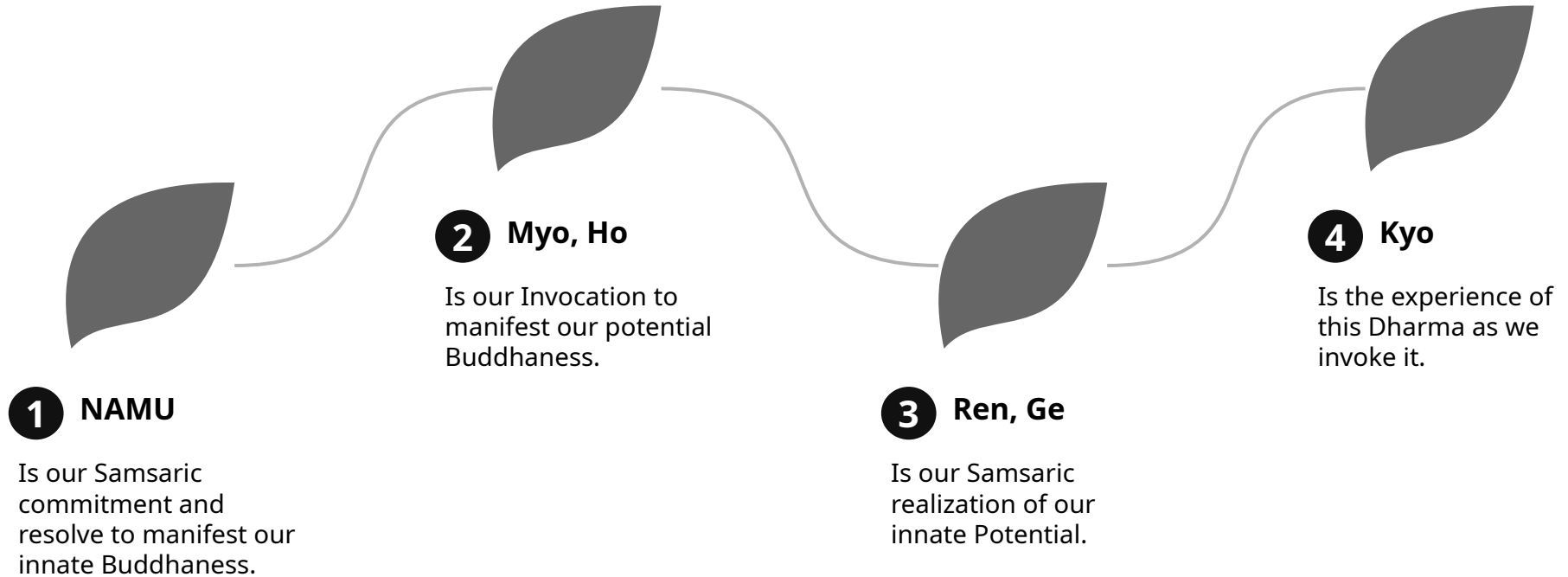
- 01 Not “religion” nor “Philosophy”
 - 1) We all have the innate capacity for Enlightenment.
 - 2) But we are sleeping through it.
 - 3) Buddhism is the way to awaken it.
- 02 How do we do that?
 - 1) We sing it into waking.
 - 2) By chanting (singing) we invoke our Buddha nature to manifest.
 - 3) We chant Na-Mu-Myo-Ho-Ren-Ge-Kyo
- 03 What should I be thinking?
 - 1) We use a Special Mandala to supplant our thoughts with an image.
 - 2) That Image contains characters of the song (chant) that we use to manifest or invoke our innate Enlightenment.
 - 3) Those central characters are the chant and we focus on the two characters of **Myo** and **Ho**, or *Potential* and *Instantiation*.

We do not Worship



**Rather, we Manifest
what is already
inherent in our “Being”**

Chanting



Chant with me and see...

Chant

We chant to engage our highest potential to live this life to the full.

Butsudan

We set up an altar and enshrine our Mandala to honor its function and to protect it.

Mandala

We use only the perfect Mandala of our Mentor and Contemporary teacher.

Practice

We study and live daily with the insights we gain from practice.

Share

When opportunity presents, we introduce and assist others to this innate ability.