



DEVEE MAHAATMYAM – PRATHAMO DHYAYAHA

dhyaanam

om khad'gam' chakra gadeshu chaapa parighaan chhoolam'
bhushund'eem' shirah'

shankham' sandadhateem' karais trinayanaam' sarvaanga
bhooshaa vri'taam .

neelaashma dyutimaasya paada dashakaam' seve
mahaakaalikaam'

yaamastaut svapite harau kamalajo hantum' madhum' kait'abham

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om namashchand'ikaayai ..

om aim' maarkand'eya uvaacha .. 1.1..

saavarnih' soorya tanayo yo manuh' kathyate'sht'amah' .

nishaamaya tadutpattim' vistaraad gadato mama .. 1.2..

mahaamaayaanubhaavena yathaa manvantaraadhipah' .

sa babhoova mahaabhaagah' saavarni stanayo raveh' .. 1.3..

svaarochishe'ntare poorvam' chaitra vam'sha samudbhavah' .



suratho naama raajaabhoot samaste kshitimand'ale .. 1.4..

tasya paalayatah' samyak prajaah' putraani vaurasaan .

babhoovuh' shatravo bhoopaah' kolaavidhvam'sinas tadaa .. 1.5..

tasya tairabhavad yuddham atiprabala dand'inah' .

nyoonairapi sa tair yuddhe kolaa vidhvam'sibhirjitah' .. 1.6..

tatah' svapuramaayaato nijadeshaadhipo'bhavat .

aakraantah' sa mahaabhaagas taistadaa prabalaaribhih' .. 1.7..

amaatyair balibhir dusht'air durbalasya duraatmabhih' .

kosho balam' chaapahri'tam' tatraapi svapure tatah' .. 1.8..

tato mri'gayaa vyaajena hri'tasvaam yah' sa bhoopatih' .

ekaakee haya maaruhya jagaama gahanam' vanam .. 1.9..

sa tatraashrama madraaksheed dvijavaryasya medhasah' .

prashaanta shvaapa daakeernam' munishishyopa shobhitam ..
1.10..

tasthau kanchitsa kaalam' cha muninaa tena satkri'tah' .



itashchetashcha vicharam's tasmin munivaraashrame .. 1.11..

so'chintayat tadaa tatra mamat vaakri'sht'a maanasah' .
matpoorvaih' paalitam' poorvam' mayaa heenam' puram' hi tat ..
1.12..

madbhri'tyaistai rasadvri'ttair dharmatah' paalyate na vaa .
na jaane sa pradhaano me shooro hastee sadaamadah' .. 1.13..

mama vairivasham' yaatah' kaan bhogaanupalapsyate .
ye mamaanugataa nityam' prasaada dhana bhojanaih' .. 1.14..

anuvri'ttim' dhruvam' te'dya kurvant yanya maheebhri'taam .
asamyag vyaya sheelaistaih' kurvadbhih' satatam' vyayam ..
1.15..

sanchitah' so'ti duh'khena kshayam' kosho gamishyati .
etachchaanyachcha satatam' chintayaamaasa paarthivah' .. 1.16..

tatra vipraashra maabhyaashe vaishya mekam' dadarsha sah' .
sa pri'sht'astena kastvam' bho hetush chaagama ne'tra kah' ..
1.17..



sashoka iva kasmaattvam' durmanaa iva lakshyase .

ityaakarnya vachastasya bhoopateh' pranayoditam .. 1.18..

pratyuvaacha sa tam' vaishyah' prashrayaa vanato nri'pam ..
1.19..

vaishya uvaacha .. 1.20..

samaadhirnaama vaishyo'ham utpanno dhaninaam' kule .. 1.21..

putradaarair nirastashcha dhanalobhaa dasaadhubhih' .
viheenashcha dhanair daaraih' putrai raadaaya me dhanam ..
1.22..

vanamabhyaagato duh'khee nirastash chaapta bandhubhih' .
so'ham' na vedmi putraanaam' kushalaa kushalaatmikaam ..
1.23..

pravri'ttim' svajanaanaam' cha daaraanaam' chaatra sam'sthitah' .
kim' nu teshaam' gri'he kshemam akshemam' kim' nu
saampratam .. 1.24..



katham' te kim' nu sadvri'ttaa durvri'ttaah' kim' nu me sutaah' ..
1.25..

raajovaacha .. 1.26..

yairnirasto bhavaam'llubdhaih' putra daaraadibhir dhanaih' ..
1.27..

teshu kim' bhavatah' sneham anubadhnaati maanasam .. 1.28..

vaishya uvaacha .. 1.29..

evametad yathaa praaha bhavaanas madgatam' vachah' .. 1.30..

kim' karomi na badhnaati mama nisht'hurataam' manah' .
yaih' santyajya pitri'sneham' dhana lubdhair niraakri'tah' .. 1.31..

patishvajanahaardam' cha haarditeshveva me manah' .
kimetannaabhijaanaami jaanannapi mahaamate .. 1.32..

yatpremapravanam' chittam' viguneshvapi bandhushu .
teshaam' kri'te me nih'shvaaso daurmanasyam' cha jaayate ..
1.33..



karomi kim' yanna manas teshva preetishu nisht'huram .. 1.34..

maarkand'eya uvaacha .. 1.35..

tatastau sahitaupra tam' munim' samupasthitau .. 1.36..

samaadhirnaama vaishyo'sau sa cha paarthiva sattamah' .
kri'tvaa tu tau yathaanyaayam' yathaarham' tena sam'vidam ..
1.37..

upavisht'au kathaah' kaashchich chakratur vaishya paarthivau ..
1.38..

raajovaacha .. 1.39..

bhagavam's tvaamaham' prasht'um ichchhaamyekam' vadasva
tat .. 1.40..

duh'khaaya yanme manasah' svachittaayat tataam' vinaa .
mamatvam' gata raajyasya raajyaangesh vakhileshvapi .. 1.41..

jaanato'pi yathaajnyasya kimetan munisattama .



ayam' cha nikri'tah' putrair daarair bhri'tyais tathojjhitah' .. 1.42..

svajanena cha santyaktas teshu haardee tathaapyati .

evamesha tathaaham' cha dvaavap yatyanta duh'khitau .. 1.43..

dri'sht'adoshe'pi vishaye mamatvaa kri'sht'a maanasau .

tatkimeta mahaabhaaga yanmoho jnyaaninorapi .. 1.44..

mamaasya cha bhavatyeshaa vivekaandhasya mood'hataa ..
1.45..

ri'shiruvaacha .. 1.46..

jnyaanamasti samastasya jantor Vishaya gochare .. 1.47..

vishayaashcha mahaabhaaga yaanti chaivam' pri'thak pri'thak .

divaandhaah' praaninah' kechidraatraa vandhaas tathaapare ..
1.48..

kechid divaa tathaa raatrau praaninas tulya dri'sht'ayah' .

jnyaanino manujaah' satyam' kim' tu te na hi kevalam .. 1.49..



yato hi jnyaaninah' sarve pashu pakshi mri'gaadayah' .

jnyaanam' cha tan manushyaanaam' yattessaam'
mri'gapakshinaam .. 1.50..

manushyaanaam' cha yattessaam' tulyamanyā ttatho bhayoh' .

jnyaane'pi sati pashyaitaan patangaanchhaava chanchushu ..
1.51..

kanamokshaa dri'taan mohaāt peed'yamaanaa napi kshudhaa .

maanushaa manuja vyaaghra saabhilaashaah' sutaan prati ..
1.52..

lobhaat pratyupakaaraaya nanvetaan kim' na pashyasi .

tathaapi mamataavartte mohagarte nipaataah' .. 1.53..

mahaamaayaa prabhaavena sam'saara sthiti kaarinaa .

tannaatra vismayah' kaaryo yoganidraa jagatpateh' .. 1.54..

mahaamaayaa hareshchaishaa tayaa sammohyate jagat .

jnyaaninaamapi chetaam'si devee bhagavatee hi saa .. 1.55..

balaadaakri'shya mohaaya mahaamaayaa prayachchhati .

tayaa visri'jyate vishvam' jagadetach charaacharam .. 1.56..



saishaa prasannaa varadaa nri'naam' bhavati muktaye .
saa vidyaa paramaa mukter hetu bhootaa sanaatanee .. 1.57..

sam'saara bandha hetushcha saiva sarveshvareshvaree .. 1.58..

raajovaacha .. 1.59..

bhagavan kaa hi saa devee mahaa maayeti yaam' bhavaan ..
1.60..

braveeti kathamutpannaa saa karmaasyaashcha kim' dvija .
yatprabhaavaa cha saa devee yatsvaroopaa yadudbhavaa ..
1.61..

tatsarvam' shrotumichchhaami tvatto brahmavidaam' vara .. 1.62..

ri'shiruvaacha .. 1.63..

nityaiva saa jaganmoortistayaa sarvamidam' tatam .. 1.64..

tathaapi tatsamutpattir bahudhaa shrooyataam' mama .



devaanaam' kaaryasiddhyartham aavirbhavati saa yadaa .. 1.65..

utpanneti tadaa loka saa nityaap yabhidheeyate .

yoganidraam' yadaa vishnur jagatye kaarnavee kri'te .. 1.66..

aasteerya shesha mabhajat kalpaante bhagavaan prabhuh' .

tadaa dvaavasurau ghorau vikhyaatau madhukait'abhau .. 1.67..

vishnu karna malodbhootau hantum' brahmana mudyatau .

sa naabhikamale vishnoh' sthito brahmaa prajaapatih' .. 1.68..

dri'sht'vaa taavasurau chograu prasuptam' cha janaardanam .

tusht'aava yoganidraam' taamekaagrahri'dayah' sthitah' .. 1.69..

bibodhanaarthaaya harerharinetrakri'taalayaam .

vishveshvareem' jagaddhaatreem' sthiti sam'haara kaarineem ..
1.70..

nidraam' bhagavateem' vishnoratulaam' tejasah' prabhuh' .. 1.71..

brahmovaacha .. 1.72..



tvam' svaahaa tvam' svadhaa tvam' hi vashat'kaarah'
svaraatmikaa .. 1.73..

sudhaa tvamakshare nitye tridhaa maatraatmikaa sthithaa .
ardhamaatraa sthithaa nityaa yaanuchchaaryaa visheshatah' ..
1.74..

tvameva sandhyaa saavitree tvam' devi jananee paraa .
tvayai tad dhaaryate vishvam' tvayaitat sri'jyate jagat .. 1.75..

tvayai tat paalyate devi tvamat syante cha sarvadaa .
visri'sht'au sri'sht'i roopaa tvam' sthitiroopaa cha paalane .. 1.76..

tathaa sam'hri'ti roopaante jagato'sya jaganmaye .
mahaavidyaa mahaamaayaa mahaamedhaa mahaasmri'tih' ..
1.77..

mahaamohaa cha bhavatee mahaadevee maheshvaree .
prakri'tistvam' cha sarvasya gunatrayavibhaavinee .. 1.78..

kaalaraatrirmahaaraatrirmoharaatrishcha daarunaa .
tvam' shrees tvameeshvaree tvam' hrees tvam' buddhir
bodhalakshanaa .. 1.79..



lajjaa pusht'is tathaa tusht'istvam' shaantih' kshaantireva cha .
khad'ginee shoolinee ghoraa gadinee chakrinee tathaa .. 1.80..

shankhinee chaapinee baana bhushund'ee parighaayudhaa .
saumyaa saumya taraashesha saumyebhyas tvatisundaree ..
1.81..

paraaparaanaam' paramaa tvameva parameshvaree .
yachcha kinchit kvachid vastu sadasad vaakhilaatmike .. 1.82..

tasya sarvasya yaa shaktis' saa tvam' kim' stooyase tathaa .
yayaa tvayaa jagatsrasht'aa jagat paatyatti yo jagat .. 1.83..

so'pi nidraavasham' neetah' kastvaam' stotu miheshvarah' .
vishnuh' shareeragrahanam ahameeshaana eva cha .. 1.84..

kaaritaaste yato'tastvaam' kah' stotum' shaktimaan bhavet .
saa tvamittham' prabhaavaih' svairudaarair devi sam'stutaa ..
1.85..

mohayaitau duraadharshaa vasurau madhukait'abhau .



prabodham' cha jagatsvaamee neeyataa machyuto laghu .. 1.86..

bodhashcha kriyataamasya hantumetau mahaasurau .. 1.87..

ri'shiruvaacha .. 1.88..

evam' stutaa tadaa devee taamasee tatra vedhasaa .. 1.89..

vishnoh' prabodha naarthaaya nihantum' madhukait'abhau .
netraasya naasikaa baahu hri'dayebhyas tathorasah' .. 1.90..

nirgamyā darshane tasthau brahmano' vyakta janmanah' .
uttasthau cha jagannaathas tayaa mukto janaardana' .. 1.91..

ekaarnave'hi shayanaat tatah' sa dadri'she cha tau .
madhukait'abhau duraatmaanaa vativeerya paraakramau .. 1.92..

krodhaktekshanaa vattum' brahmaanam' janitodyamau .
samutthaaya tatas taabhyaam' yuyudhe bhagavaan harih' .. 1.93..

panchavarsha sahasraani baahu praharano vibhuh' .
taavapyati balonmattau mahaamaayaa vimohitau .. 1.94..



uktavantau varo'smatto vriyataa miti keshavam .. 1.95..

shreebhagavaanuvaacha .. 1.96..

bhavetaa madya me tusht'au mama vadhyaavubhaavapi .. 1.97..

kimanyena varenaatra etaavaddhi vri'tam' mayaa .. 1.98..

ri'shiruvaacha .. 1.99..

vanchitaabhyaa miti tadaa sarva maapomayam' jagat .. 1.100..

vilokya taabhyaam' gadito bhagavaan kamalekshanah' .

aavaam' jahi na yatorvee salilena pariplutaa .. 1.101..

ri'shiruvaacha .. 1.102..

tathet yuktvaa bhagavataa shankhachakra gadaa bhri'taa .

kri'tvaa chakrena vai chhinne jaghane shirasee tayoh' .. 1.103..

evameshaa samutpannaa brahmanaa sam'stutaa svayam .



prabhaavamasyaa devyaastu bhooyah' shri'nu vadaami te ..
1.104..

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.. iti shreemaarkand'eyapuraane saavarnike manvantare devee
maahaatmye madhukait'abha vadho naama prathamo'dhyaayah'
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