## **Thanksgiving Family Vedanta Course 2020**

(November 26 -29, 2020)

with



Swami Tattvavidanandaji

Sad-darshan — VII (Sri Ramana Maharshi)



## Children's Program – Zoom Classes with Br. Suryanarayana

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ALL CLASSES AND DINING WILL BE IN NEW HALL
COMPLEX (Near Yoga Studio)

## श्री गुरुभ्यो नमः Sri Gurubhyo Namaha

Salutations to the spiritual teacher

#### 2020 Thanksgiving Vedanta Course for Adults with Swami Tattvavidananadaji on Sad-darshnam - VII and Meditation

# All Classes (Meditation, Vedanta, Chanting, Music & Satsang) will be conducted at the *Swami Dayananda Vijnana Bhavan* (New Auditorium)

## Schedule of Activities for Adults Thursday, November 26, 2020

All day Until 08:00 pm	Registration for Thanksgiving Camp at the main Office
5:30-6:00 pm	Evening Arati Lord dakṣiṇāmūrti – at the Temple
6:00-08:00 pm	Dinner-at the New dining hall
7:45-8:00 pm 8:00 pm onward	Welcome Address & Orientation: at the SDVB (New Auditorium)  Satsang (Q&A) SDVB (New Auditorium)  Swami Tattvavidanandaji

## 2020 Thanksgiving Vedanta Course for Adults

#### Schedule of Activities for Adults

## Friday- Saturday, November 27-28, 2020

7:00 – 7:30 am	Guided Meditation – Swami Tattvavidanandaji
7:30 – 8:30 am	Breakfast
8:00 – 8:50 am	Gurukulam Seva
9:30 - 10:30 am	Class I – Sad-darshnam -VII
	Swami Tattvavidanandaji
10:30 – 10:50 am	Free time / Warm water /Tea / Coffee
	Chanting – Friday Suddhatma
11:00 – 11:45 Noon	Music - Saturday Chitra Rajan
11:45 – Noon	Afternoon Arati to Lord dakşiṇāmūrti
12:00 – 1:30 pm	Lunch – New Dining Hall
1:30 – 3:00 pm	Free time / Rest
3:00 – 4:00 pm	Warm water /Tea / Coffee
4:00 – 5:00 pm	Class II – Sad-darshnam
	Swami Tattvavidanandaji
5:30 – 6:00 pm	Evening Arati to Lord dakṣiṇāmūrti At the Temple
6:15 – 7:15 pm	Dinner
7:30 – 8:30 pm	Satsang (Q & A)
	Swami Tattvavidanandaji

TO LORD DAKSINAMURTI.

## 2020 Thanksgiving Vedanta Course for Adults

#### Schedule of Activities for Adults

## Sunday November 29, 2020

5:45 – 6:45 am	Abhiseka to Lord dakşiṇāmūrti – at the Temple
7:00 – 7:30 am	Guided Meditation – Swami Tattvavidanandaji
7:30 – 8:30 am	Breakfast
9:30 - 11:00 am	Sad-darshan Concluding Class
	Swami Tattvavidanandaji
	Aarati to Lord Daksianmurti
11:00 – 12:30 pm	Camp ends with Lunch

#### Before you arrive

- The Gurukulam will do its best to ensure you have a safe and healthy stay with us. However, no travel at this time is without risks. You will be asked to sign the Covid-19 waiver of liability.
- Take your temperature before you leave home. The Gurukulam staff will take the temperature of every member of your family or those in your vehicle. If fever of 100.4 or higher is indicated or you show any of the commonly known Covid-19 symptoms you will not be allowed entry into the gurukulam for the safety of others.
- Bring a mask with you. You will be required to wear it while at the gurukulam.
- Hand sanitizing solutions will be kept at the entrance of the temple for everyone to use, but make sure you pack your own if you have any concerns about availability.
- No Tea/Coffee will be available at the gurukulam this time except for the retreats.

#### At the Gurukulam entrance

- The temperature of each individual will be checked and a few questions will be asked.
- A signed copy of the Covid-19 waiver of liability form will be collected.
- Your name and phone number/email will be taken if you have not already provided. This is to contact you in case any visitor developed Covid-19 while they were in the gurukulam.
- While at the Gurukulam social distancing of 6 feet, other than the family members who came as a group, is required.
- When you return home
- Continue to monitor your health and temperature. If you begin to show Covid-19 symptoms, please notify the gurukulam immediately.

Our prayers for your and your family's safety and well-being!

#### Risk and Waiver of Liability

Assumption of the Risk and Waiver of Liability Relating to Coronavirus/COVID-19 The novel coronavirus, COVID-19, has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization. COVID-19 is extremely contagious and is believed to spread mainly from person-to-person contact.

As a result, federal, state, and local governments and federal and state health agencies recommend social distancing and have, in many locations, prohibited the congregation of groups of people. Arsha Vidya Pitham has put in place preventative measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19; however, the Pitham cannot guarantee that you or your child(ren) will not become infected with COVID-19. Further, attending the programs could increase your risk and your child(ren)'s risk of contracting COVID-19. By signing this agreement,

I acknowledge the contagious nature of COVID-19 and voluntarily assume the risk that my child(ren) and I may be exposed to or infected by COVID-19 by attending the classes and that such exposure or infection may result in personal injury, illness, permanent disability, and death. I understand that the risk of becoming exposed to or infected by COVID-19 at the Pitham may result from the actions, omissions, or negligence of myself and others, including, but not limited to, volunteers, and program participants and their families.

I voluntarily agree to assume all of the foregoing risks and accept sole responsibility for any injury to my child(ren) or myself (including, but not limited to, personal injury, disability, and death), illness, damage, loss, claim, liability, or expense, of any kind, that I or my child(ren) may experience or incur in connection with my child(ren)'s attendance at the Club or participation in Pitham programming ("Claims"). On my behalf, and on behalf of my children, I hereby release, covenant not to sue, discharge, and hold harmless the Pitham, its employees, agents, and representatives, of

## and from the Claims, including

all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs or expenses of any kind arising out of or relating thereto. I understand and agree that this release includes any Claims based on the actions, omissions, or negligence of the Pitham, its employees, agents, and representatives, whether a COVID-19 infection occurs before, during, or after participation in any Pitham program.

Date:

Please note.....

Parking: Please Park your vehicle in the main parking lot, in the back of the Campus, or on the grass in front of the activities Center (Large Red Building) or near the new building area.

#### Yoga Classes and other General Information

Yoga Studio: II floor in the Activities Center, enter by ground level door Morning tea and Coffee: Old dining hall Cafeteria (5 am- 7 am)

New Dining Hall times: 7:30 am. - 1:30 pm & 3:30 - 8:30 pm

(Please note a New dining hall is closed for cleaning 1:30 - 3:30 pm)

Lobby Hours: Coffee / Tea Area hours 7:00 am- 08:00 pm

(cleaning 1:30-3:30 pm)

Library hours: 1:30 – 3:00 pm (Sindhu building Basement) closed

Exercise / Gym hours: 7 am – 7 pm – Located under Bhagirati

(Please contact office for unlocking the gym)

Shanti Trail: The walking, jogging and biking in 99-acre property

[A pathway between the two buildings Bhavani and Godavari leads to trail) Please go in a group to avoid any mishaps due to isolated place and bear area.

Aim for Seva: Janet Falk Tel: 570 – 402–1244 Office Ext 214

Desiya Store (Hand-crafts): Ext 545 1 – 4 pm

(Contact Vimala at 570–656–0193)

Bus Station:

Easton (PA) Tel: 610-258-4400, Stroudsburg PA (Del water Gap) 570-421-3040

- Audio & Video recording of lectures and programs during the Course are copyright protected.
- No Cellphone in New Building Auditorium & Yoga studio.
- No Food or Drinking inside New Building Auditorium temple & Yoga studio
- Don't stretch legs if you are seated in the front row.
- Please maintain silence until you leave the Auditorium
- Dress Code: Conservative (Female) No Shorts- (Male)
- No children during Lectures and Meditation classes
- Please check hearing aid battery.
- Please don't leave your laptops unattended when they are in use.
  - Rooms are with keys.
- For Internet: Dining Hall & Temple basements, Tunga and Pampa classroom have Wi-Fi.

Thank you for your cooperation

Emergency Nos: 570-656-0193, 570-656-0189 Office

Extns: 210, 234 & 241

Upcoming Camps/program in keeping with CDC guidelines.

Dec 24-31 Year-end Family Vedanta Course with Swami TV

Dec 31 Daksinamurti mula-mantra Japa

Dec 31 Midnight Arati to Lord Daksinamurti to Welcome 2021

Jan 01, 2021 New Year's day Special Abhisekam to Lord Daksinamurti

#### Puja Instructions for GFD and Archana Sponsors:

- 1. If you are attending Abhisheka as a Gift for a Day, Abhisheka, or Archana sponsor; kindly schedule the Sankalpa prior to the start (at 5:45 am), of the morning Abhisheka.
- 2. If you are attending Abhisheka today as a Gift for a Day sponsor, please inform the priest prior to the beginning of the abhisheka.

Contact Persons: Priests Ravi 570-656-0192,

Ganesan 570-656-0197

## DAYALAYAM



May you all continue to be a recipient of Pujya Swamiji's blessings by visiting Swamiji's Residential Cottage (Ganga), which is named as

"Dayalayam- The Abode of Compassion"

A temple for Meditation and Silence

Monday- Friday: Visiting Hours: 10:00 am - 1:00 pm

6:00 pm- 7:00 pm

Saturday- Sunday: Visiting Hours: 9:00 am- 11am

5:30:00 pm- 7:30 pm

Please enter through the DECK to Dayalayam

Meditation Hall

Thank you for your visit

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Older adults and people who have severe underlying medical conditions like heart or ung disease or diabetes seem to be at higher risk for developing serious complications from COVID-19 illness. More information on Are you at higher risk for serious illness.

#### Know how it spreads

- There is currently no vaccine to prevent coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19).
- The best way to prevent illness is to avoid being exposed to this virus.
  - The virus is thought to spread mainly from person-to-person.
    - Between people who are in close contact with one another (within about 6 feet).
    - Through respiratory droplets produced when an infected person coughs, sneezes or talks.
    - These droplets can land in the mouths or noses of people who are nearby or possibly be inhaled into the lungs.
    - Some recent studies have suggested that COVID-19 may be spread by people who are not showing symptoms.

#### **Everyone Should**

#### Wash your hands often

- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds especially after you have been in a public place, or after blowing your nose, coughing, or sneezing.
  - It's especially important to wash:
    - Before eating or preparing food
    - Before touching your face
    - After using the restroom
    - After leaving a public place
    - After blowing your nose, coughing, or sneezing
    - After handling your mask
    - After changing a diaper
    - After caring for someone sick
    - After touching animals or <u>pets</u>
- If soap and water are not readily available, use a hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol. Cover all surfaces of your hands and rub them together until they feel dry.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth with unwashed hands.

#### **Avoid close contact**

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- Inside your home: Avoid close contact with people who are sick.
  - If possible, maintain 6 feet between the person who is sick and other household members

**Outside your home:** Put 6 feet of distance between yourself and people who don't live in your household.

Remember that some people without symptoms may be able to spread virus.

- Stay at least 6 feet (about 2 arms' length) from other people.
- Keeping distance from others is especially important for <u>people who are at higher risk of getting very sick</u>.

## cover your mouth and nose with a mask when around others

- You could spread COVID-19 to others even if you do not feel sick.
- The mask is meant to protect other people in case you are infected.
- Everyone should wear a <u>mask</u> in public settings and when around people who don't live in your household, especially when other <u>social distancing</u> measures are difficult to maintain.
  - Masks should not be placed on young children under age 2, anyone who has trouble breathing, or is unconscious, incapacitated or otherwise unable to remove the mask without assistance.
- Do NOT use a mask meant for a healthcare worker. Currently, surgical masks and N95
  respirators are critical supplies that should be reserved for healthcare workers and other
  first responders.
  - Continue to keep about 6 feet between yourself and others. The mask is not a substitute for social distancing.

#### Cover coughs and sneezes

- Always cover your mouth and nose with a tissue when you cough or sneeze or use the inside of your elbow and do not spit.
- Throw used tissues in the trash.
- Immediately **wash your hands** with soap and water for at least 20 seconds. If soap and water are not readily available, clean your hands with a hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol.

## clean and disinfect

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- Clean AND disinfect <u>frequently touched surfaces</u> daily. This includes tables, doorknobs, light switches, counterpart, handles, desks, phones, keyboards, toilets, faucets, and sinks.
- If surfaces are dirty, clean them. Use detergent or soap and water prior to disinfection.
- Then, use a household disinfectant. Most common <u>EPA-registered household</u> disinfectants will work.

#### **Monitor Your Health Daily**

- **Be alert for symptoms.** Watch for fever, cough, shortness of breath, or <u>other symptoms</u> of COVID-19.
  - Especially important if you are <u>running essential errands</u>, going into the office or workplace, and in settings where it may be difficult to keep a <u>physical distance of 6 feet</u>.
- Take your temperature if symptoms develop.
  - Don't take your temperature within 30 minutes of exercising or after taking medications that could lower your temperature, like acetaminophen.
- Follow <u>CDC guidance</u> if symptoms develop.

## **Śanti Mantras**

## ॐ स ह नाववतु । स ह नौ भुनक्तु । सह वीर्यं करवावहै ।

तेजस्वनावधीतमस्तु । मा विद्विषावहैं ॥ ॐ शान्तिः शान्तिः शान्तिः ॥ १ ॥

om sa ha nāvavatu | sa ha nau bhunaktu | saha vīryam karavāvahai | tejasvināvadhītamastu | mā vidviṣāvahai | | om śāntiḥ śāntiḥ śāntiḥ | 1 | 1

saḥ -- he; ha -- indeed; nau -- both of us; avatu - may protect; saḥ -- he; ha -- indeed; nau -- both of us; bhunaktu - may nourish; saha - together; vīryam karavāvahai - may we acquire the capacity (to study and understand the scriptures); tejasvi - brilliant; nau -- for us; adhītam - what is studied; astu -- let it be; mā vidviṣāvahai -- may we not disagree with each other; om śāntiḥ śāntiḥ sāntiḥ -- om peace, peace, peace

May the Lord indeed, protect both of us. May he indeed, nourish both of us. May we together acquire the capacity (to study and understand the scriptures). May our study be brilliant. May we not disagree with each other. Om peace, peace, peace.

## 🕉 पूर्णमदः पूर्णमिदं पूर्णात्पूर्णमुद्वच्यते । पूर्णस्य पूर्णमादाय पूर्णमेवाविशाष्यते॥

ॐ शान्तिः शान्तिः शान्तिः ॥ २ ॥

om pūrṇamadaḥ pūrṇamidam pūrṇātpūrṇamudacyate | pūrṇasya pūrṇamādāya pūrṇamevāvaśiṣyate | | om śāntiḥ śāntiḥ | | 2 | |

pūrṇam – is fullness; adaḥ — that; pūrṇam – is fullness; idaṁ — this; pūrṇāt – from that fullness; pūrṇam – this fullness; udacyate – has come; pūrṇasya – of that fullness; pūrṇam – this fullness; ādāya – having removed; pūrṇam – the fullness; eva – only; avaśiṣyate – remains; om śāntiḥ śāntiḥ -- om peace, peace, peace

That is fullness, this is fullness. From that fullness this fullness came. From that fullness this fullness removed, what remains is fullness. Om peace, peace, peace.

## Guru Vandanam

## श्रुतिस्मृतिपुराणानाम् आलयं करुणालयम् । नमामि भगवत्पादं शङ्करं लोकशङ्करम् ॥

śrutismṛtipurāṇānām ālayam karuṇālayam karuṇālayam karuṇālayam karuṇālayam karuṇālayam karuṇālayam karuṇālayam

*śruti-smṛti-purāṇānām* – of the śruti (Vedas), smṛti (Gitā etc.) and the purāṇās. *ālayaṁ* — the abode; *karuṇālayam* — the repository of compassion; *namāmi* — I salute; *bhagavat-pādaṁ* — one who is revered; *śaṅkaraṁ* — Ādi Śankarācārya; *loka-śaṅkaram* — the one who gives happiness to the world.

I salute Ādi Śankarācārya, the abode of the śruti (Vedas), smṛti (Gitā etc.) and purāṇās, the repository of compassion, who gives happiness to the world and who is revered.

## शङ्करं शङ्कराचार्यं केशवं बादरायणम् । सूत्रभाष्यकृतौ वन्दे भगवन्तौ पुनः पुनः ॥

śankaram śankarācāryam keśavam bādarāyaṇam | sūtrabhāsyakṛtau vande bhagavantau punaḥ punaḥ | |

śaṅkaraṁ -- Lord Śiva; śaṅkarācāryaṁ -- the great teacher Ādi Śankarācārya; keśavaṁ -- Lord Viṣṇu; bādarāyaṇam -- Śri Vyāsa; sūtra-bhāṣya-kṛtau -- the two who worte the aphorisms (BrahmaSūtras) and the commentary (bhāṣya); vande - I salute; bhagavantau -- the venerable ones; punaḥ punaḥ -- again and again.

I salute, again and again, the great teacher Ādi Śankarācārya, who is Lord Śiva, and Badarayana, who is Lord Viṣṇu, the venerable ones who wrote the *bhāṣya* and the *BrahmaSūtras* respectively.

ईश्वरो गुरुरात्मेति मूर्तिभेदविभागिने । व्योमवद्याप्तदेहाय दक्षिणामूर्तये नमः ॥

īśvaro gururātmeti mūrtibhedavibhāgine | vyomavadvyāptadehāya dakṣiṇāmūrtaye namaḥ | |

īśvaraḥ -- the Lord; guruḥ - the teacher; ātmā - the Self; iti - thus; mūrti-bheda-vibhāgine - the one who appears (as though) divided; vyomavat - like space; vyāpta-dehāya - to the one who is all pervasive; dakṣiṇāmūrtaye - to Lord Dakṣiṇāmūrti; namaḥ -- salutation.

Salutation to Lord Dakṣiṇāmūrti who is all pervasive like space, but who appears (as though) divided as the Lord, the teacher and the Self.

#### Sad darśanam - VII

न वेद्म्यहं मामुत वेद्म्यहं मामिति प्रवादो मनुजस्य हास्यः । दृग्दृश्यभेदात्किमयं द्विधाऽऽत्मा स्वात्मैकतायां हि धियां न भेदाः ।।

na vedmyaham māmuta vedmyaham māmiti pravādo manujasya hāsyaḥ, drgdrśyabhedātkimayam dvidhā''tmā svātmaikatāyām hi dhiyām na bhedāḥ. 35

हृत्प्राप्य सद्धाम निजस्वरूपे स्वभावसिद्धेऽनुपलभ्य निष्ठाम् । मायाविलासस्सदसत्सरूपविरूपनानैकमुखप्रवादाः ।।

hṛtprāpya saddhāma nijasvarūpe svabhāvasiddhe'nupalabhya niṣṭhām, māyāvilāsassadasatsarūpavirūpanānaikamukhapravādāḥ. 36

सिद्धस्य वित्तिस्सत एव सिद्धिस्स्वप्नोपमानाः खलु सिद्धयोऽन्याः । स्वप्नः प्रबुद्धस्य कथं नु सत्यस्सित स्थितिः किं पुनरेति मायाम् ।।

siddhasya vittissata eva siddhissvapnopamānāḥ khalu siddhayo'nyāḥ, svapnaḥ prabuddhasya kathaṃ nu satyassati sthitiḥ kiṃ punareti māyām. 37

सोऽहंविचारो वपुरात्मभावे साहाय्यकारी परिमार्गणस्य । स्वात्मैक्यसिद्धौ स पुर्नानरर्थो यथा नरत्वप्रमितिर्नरस्य ।।

so'haṃvicāro vapurātmabhāve sāhāyyakārī parimārgaṇasya, svātmaikyasiddhau sa punarnirartho yathā naratvapramitirnarasya. 38

द्वैतं विचारे परमार्थबोधे त्वद्वैतिमित्येष न साधुवादः । गवेषणात्प्राग्दशमे विनष्टे पश्चाञ्च लब्धे दशमत्वमेकम् ।।

dvaitaṃ vicāre paramārthabodhe tvadvaitamityeṣa na sādhuvādaḥ, gaveṣaṇātprāgdaśame vinaṣṭe paścācca labdhe daśamatvamekam. 39

करोमि कर्मेति नरो विजानन् बाध्यो भवेत्कर्मफलं च भोक्तुम् । विचारधूता हृदि कर्तृता चेत्कर्मत्रयं नश्यित सैव मुक्तिः ।।

karomi karmeti naro vijānan bādhyo bhavetkarmaphalam ca bhoktum, vicāradhūtā hṛdi kartṛtā cetkarmatrayam naśyati saiva muktiḥ. 40

बद्धत्वभावे सित मोक्षचिंता बंधस्तु कस्येति विचारणेन । सिद्धे स्वयं स्वात्मिन नित्यमुक्ते क बन्धिचन्ता क च मोक्षचिन्ता ।।

baddhatvabhāve sati mokṣacintā bandhastu kasyeti vicāraṇena, siddhe svayaṃ svātmani nityamukte kva bandhacintā kva ca mokṣacintā. 41

## मेधासूक्तम्

medhāsūktam

ॐ मेधा देवी जुषमाणा न आगाँद्विश्वाची भद्रा सुमनस्यमाना।
त्वया जुष्टा नुदमाना दुरुक्तान् बृहद्वदेम विद्थे सुवीराः॥
त्वया जुष्ट ऋषिभवति देवि त्वया ब्रह्मागतश्रीरुत त्वया।
त्वया जुष्टश्चित्रं विन्दते वसु सा नो जुषस्व द्रविणोन मेधे॥

om medhā devī juṣamāṇā na āgādviśvācī bhadrā sumanasyamānā|
tvayā juṣṭā nudamānā duruktān bṛhadvadema vidathe suvīrāḥ||
tvayā juṣṭā ṛṣirbhavati devi tvayā brahmāgataśrīruta tvayā|
tvayā juṣṭaścitram vindate vasu sā no juṣasva draviṇona medhe||

मेघां म इन्द्रों ददातु मेघां देवी सरस्वती।

मेधां मे अश्विनावुभावाधत्तां पुष्करस्रजा।

अप्सरासुं च या मेधा गन्धवेंषु च यन्मनः।

दैवीं मेधा सरस्वती सा मां मेधा सुरमिर्जुषताम्।

medhām ma indro dadātu medhām devī sarasvatī |
medhām me aśvināvubhāvādhattām puṣkarasrajā |
apsarāsu ca yā medhā gandharveṣu ca yanmanah |
daivī medhā sarasvatī sā mā medhā surabhirjuṣatām |
आमां मेधा सुरभि-विश्वरूपा हिरण्यवर्णा जगती जगम्या ।
जर्जास्वती पयसा पिन्वमाना सामां मेधा सुप्रतीका जुषन्ताम् ।
मिय मेधां मिय प्रजां मय्यग्निस्तेजो दधातु
मिय मेधां मिय प्रजां मयीन्द्र इन्द्रियं दधातु
मिय मेधां मिय प्रजां मिय सूर्यो भ्राजो दधातु ॥

āmām medhā surabhir-viśvarūpā hiraņyavarņā jagatī jagamyā ūrjasvatī payasā pinvamānā sāmām medhā supratīkā juṣantām mayi medhām mayi prajām mayyagnistejo dadhātu mayi medhām mayi prajām mayīndra indriyam dadhātu mayi medhām mayi prajām mayi sūryo bhrājo dadhātu |

ग्रानितः ग्रानित ग्रानित

#### Medha Suktam

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[Medha Suktha is an ode to the capacity of clear understandings. Medha can be also translated as genius. This medha Suktha is a part of Mahanarayana Upanishad. There seems to be Medha Sukthas in Rig Veda and Atharva Veda also. I have taken this Suktha text from the book by RL Kashyap (2007) Veda Manthras and Sukthas and published by Aurobindo Kapali Shasthri Institute of Vedic Culture, Bangalore.]

Devi jushamana na aagath,
Viswachi bhadra sumanasyamana,
Thvaya jushta jushamana dhurookthan,
Brahad vadema vidardhe suveera.
Let the goddess of intellect come here with happiness,
She is everywhere and has a happy frame of mind,
May we who were grief stricken, before she came,
Become greatly intelligent and know the ultimate.

THwaya jushtaa rishir bhavathi devi,
Thwaya brahmagath srirutha thwaya,
Thwaya jushtaschithramvindathe vasu,
Sa no jushasva dravinena medhe.
By your grace one becomes a saint,
One becomes learned, one becomes rich,
Showered by your grace one gets different kinds of wealth,
And so goddess of wealth, give us wealth and intellect.
Medham ma indro dadathu,
Medham devi Saraswathi.
Medam may ashvinou ubhavadathaam,
Pushkarasrajo.

Let Indra give me intelligence,
Let Saraswathi give me intelligence,
Let the Aswini Kumaras support my intelligence,
For they wear the garlands of lotuses.
Aapsaraasu cha ya medha,
Gandharveshu cha yan mana,
Devi medha Saraswathi,
Sa mam medha surabhir jushtaam
svaha.

Apsaras posses intelligence, Gandarwas possess intelligence, Goddess of intelligence is Saraswathi, Let the intelligence spread like fragrance I offer you without any reservations.\*

\* Svaha is the wife of fire God. We give offerings to her and she gives it to fire, who gives it to devas.

Aa maam mesha surabhir viswa roopa,
Hiranya varna jagathi jaamya,
OOrjaswathi payasaa pinvamaanaa,
Sa maam medha suprathika jushtaam.
Intelligence is glorious in form and is like nectar,
Intelligence is golden and pervades the entire universe,
Intelligence is powerful and is sought after continuously,
Let it come to me with love and favour me.

## ॐ अथ पश्चद्शोऽध्यायः Om atha pañcadaso'dhyāyah

श्रीभगवातुवाच । उर्ध्वमूलमधःशाखमश्वत्थं प्राहुरव्ययम् । छन्दांसि यस्य पर्णानि यस्तं वेद स वेदवित्॥

अधश्चोर्घ्वं प्रसृतास्तस्य शाखा गुणप्रवृद्धा विषयप्रवालाः। अधश्च मूलान्यनुसन्ततानि कर्मानुबन्धीनि मनुष्यलोके॥

न रूपमस्येह तथोपलभ्यते नान्तो न चादिर्न च सम्प्रतिष्ठा । अश्वत्थमेनं सुविरूढमूलं असङ्गराह्मेण दढेन छित्त्वा ॥

ततः पदं तत्परिमार्गितव्यं यस्मिन्गता न निवर्तन्ति भूयः। तमेव चाद्यं पुरुषं प्रपद्ये यतः प्रवृत्तिः प्रसृता पुराणी॥

निर्मानमोहा जितसङ्गदोषा अध्यात्मनित्या विनिवृत्तकामाः। द्वन्द्वीर्वेमुक्ताः सुखदुःखसञ्ज्ञैः गच्छन्त्यमृदाः पदमव्ययं तत्॥

न तद्भासयते सूर्यों न शशाङ्को न पावकः। यद्गत्वा न निवर्तन्ते तद्धास परमं मम ॥

ममैवांशो जीवलोके जीवभृतः सनातनः । मनःषष्ठानीन्द्रियाणि प्रकृतिस्थानि कर्षीते ॥

शरीरं यदवाप्नोति यचाप्युत्कामतीश्वरः। गृहीत्वैतानि संयाति वायुर्गन्धानिवाशयात्॥

श्रोत्रं चक्षुः स्पर्शनं च रसनं प्राणमेव च । अधिष्ठाय मनश्चायं विषयानुपसेवते ॥

उत्कामन्तं स्थितं वापि भुञ्जानं वा गुणान्वितम्। विमृदा नानुपश्यन्ति पश्यन्ति ज्ञानवक्षुषः॥

यतन्तो योगिनश्चैनं पश्यन्त्यात्मन्यवस्थितम् । यतन्तोऽप्यकृतात्मानो नैनं पश्यन्त्यचेतसः॥ śrībhagavān uvāca

ūrdhvamūlam adhaḥśākham aśvattham prāhuravyayam chandāmsi yasya parṇāni yastam veda sa vedavit

adhaścordhvam prasṛtāstasya śākhāḥ guṇapravṛddhā viṣayapravālāḥ adhaśca mūlānyanusantatāni karmānubandhīni manuṣyaloke na rūpam asyeha tathopalabhyate

nānto na cādirna ca sampratisṭhā aśvattham enaṁ suvirūḍhamūlaṁ asaṅṣaśastreṇa dṛḍhena chittvā

tatah padam tat parimārgitavyam yasmin gatā na nivartanti bhūyah

tam eva cādyam puruṣam prapadye yataḥ pravṛttiḥ prasṛtā purāṇī nirmānamohā jitasangadoṣāḥ

adhyātmanityā vinivṛttakāmāḥ dvandvairvimuktāḥ sukhaduḥkhasañjñaiḥ gacchantyamūḍhāḥ padam avyayaṁ tat

na tad bhāsayate sūryaḥ na śaśāṅko na pāvakaḥ yad gatoā na nivartante tad dhāma paramaṁ mama

mamaivāmso jīvaloke jīvabhūtaḥ sanātanaḥ manaḥṣaṣṭhānīndriyāṇi prakṛtisthāni karṣati

śarīram yad avāpnoti yaccāpyutkrāmatīśvarah gṛhītvaitāni samyāti vāyurgandhān ivāśayāt

śrotram cakṣuḥ sparśanam ca rasanam ghrāṇam eva ca adhiṣṭhāya manaścāyam viṣayān upasevate

utkrāmantam sthitam vāpi bhuñjānam vā guṇānvitam vimūdhā nānupasyanti pasyanti jūānacakṣuṣaḥ

yatanto yoginaścainam paśyantyātmanyavasthitam yatanto pyakrtātmānah nainam paśyantyacetasah

यदादित्यगतं तेजो जगद्भासयतेऽखिलम्। यचन्द्रमसि यचायौ तत्तेजो विद्धि मामकम्॥

गामाविश्य च भूतानि घारयाम्यहमोजसा । पुष्णामि चौषघीः सर्वाः सोमो भूत्वा रसात्मकः॥

अहं वैश्वानरो भूत्वा प्राणिनां देहमाश्रितः। प्राणापानसमायुक्तः पचाम्यन्नं चतुर्विघम्॥

सर्वस्य चाहं हृदि सिन्निविष्टो मत्तः स्मृतिर्ज्ञानमपोहनश्च। वेदेश्य सर्वेरहमेव वेद्यो वेदान्तकृद्वेदिवदेव चाहम्॥

द्वाविमो पुरुषो लोके क्षरश्चाक्षर एव च । क्षरः सर्वाणि भूतानि कूटस्थोऽक्षर उच्यते॥

उत्तमः पुरुषस्त्वन्यः परमात्मेत्युदाहृतः । यो लोकत्रयमाविश्य विमर्त्यव्यय ईश्वरः ॥

यस्मात्स्ररमतीतोऽहमक्षराद्पि चोत्तमः । अतोऽस्मि लोके वेदे च प्रथितः पुरुषोत्तमः ॥

यो मामेवमसम्मृढो जानाति पुरुषोत्तमम्। स सर्वविद्धजति मां सर्वभावेन भारत॥

इति गुहातमं शास्त्रमिद्मुक्तं मयानघ । एतद्भुद्घ्वा बुद्धिमान्स्यात्कृतकृत्यश्च भारत ॥ yad ādityagatam tejah jagad bhāsayate khilam
yaccandramasi yaccāgnau tattejo viddhi māmakam
gām āvisya ca bhūtāni dhārayāmyaham ojasā
puṣṇāmi cauṣadhīḥ sarvāḥ somo bhūtvā rasātmakaḥ
aham vaisvānaro bhūtvā prāṇinām deham āsritaḥ
prāṇāpānasamāyuktaḥ pacāmyannam caturvidham

sarvasya cāham hṛdi sanniviṣṭaḥ mattaḥ smṛtirjnānam apohanam ca vedaisca sarvairaham eva vedyaḥ vedāntakṛd vedavid eva cāham dvāvimau puruṣau loke kṣaraścākṣara eva ca kṣaraḥ sarvāṇi bhūtāni kūṭasthoʻkṣara ucyate uttamaḥ puruṣastvanyaḥ paramātmetyudāhṛtaḥ yo lokatrayamāvisya bibhartyavyaya īsvaraḥ yasmāt kṣaram atītoʻham akṣarād api cottamaḥ atoʻsmi loke vede ca prathitaḥ puruṣottamaḥ yo mām evam asammūḍhaḥ jānāti puruṣottamam sa sarvavid bhajati mām sarvabhāvena bhārata iti guhyatamam sāstram idam uktam mayānagha etad buddhvā buddhimān syāt kṛtakṛtyasca bhārata

ॐ तत्सत् इति श्रीमद्भगवद्गीतासु उपनिषत्सु ब्रह्मविद्यायां योगशास्त्रे
श्रीकृष्णार्जुनसंवादे पुरुषोत्तमयोगो नाम पश्चदशोऽघ्यायः ॥
om tatsat iti śrīmadbhagavadgītāsu upaniṣatsu brahma-vidyāyām yoga-śāstre
śrīkṛṣṇārjunasamvāde puruṣottama-yogo nāma paācadaśo'dhyāyaḥ
सर्वधर्मान्परित्यज्य मामेकं शरणं वजा। अहं त्वा सर्वपापेभ्यः मोक्षयिष्यामि मा शुन्तः॥
sarvadharmān parityajya mām ekam saraṇam vraja, aham tvā sarvapāpebhyaḥ mokṣayiṣyāmi mā sucaḥ

हरि: ३० harih om

रू ब्रह्मार्पणं ब्रह्महिनः ब्रह्माग्नी ब्रह्मणा हुतम् । ब्रह्मैव तेन गन्तव्यं ब्रह्मकर्मसमाधिना ॥ om brahmārpaṇam brahma haviḥ brahmāgnau brahmaṇā hutam brahmaiva tena gantavyam brahmakarmasamādhinā [रू नमःपार्वतीपतये] हर हर महादेव [om namaḥ pārvatī pataye] hara hara mahādeva