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śrīśuka uvāca

aṃśumāṃśca tapastēpē gaṅgānayanakāmyayā ।
kālaṃ mahāntaṃ nāśaknōt tataḥ kālēna saṃsthitaḥ ॥ **1** ॥

dilīpastatsutastadvadaśaktaḥ kālamēyivān ।
bhagīrathastasya putrastēpē sa sumahat tapaḥ ॥ **2** ॥

darśayāmāsa taṃ dēvī prasannā varadāsmi tē ।
ityuktaḥ svamabhiprāyaṃ śaśaṃsāvanatō nṛpaḥ ॥ **3** ॥

kō'pi dhārayitā vēgaṃ patantyā mē mahītalē ।
anyathā bhūtalaṃ bhittvā nṛpa yāsyē rasātalam ॥ **4** ॥

kiṃ cāhaṃ na bhuvaṃ yāsyē narā mayyāmṛjantyagham ।
mṛjāmi tadaghaṃ kutra rājaṃstatra vicintyatām ॥ **5** ॥

bhagīratha uvāca

sādhavō nyāsinaḥ śāntā brahmiṣṭhā lōkapāvanāḥ ।
harantyaghaṃ tē'ṅgasaṅgāt tēṣvāstē hyaghabhiddhariḥ ॥ **6** ॥

dhārayiṣyati tē vēgaṃ rudrastvātmā śarīriṇām ।
yasminnōtamidaṃ prōtaṃ viśvaṃ śāṭīva tantuṣu ॥ **7** ॥

ityuktvā sa nṛpō dēvaṃ tapasātōṣayacchivam ।
kālēnālpīyasā rājaṃstasyēśaḥ samatuṣyata ॥ **8** ॥

tathēti rājñābhihitaṃ sarvalōkahitaḥ śivaḥ ।
dadhārāvahitō gaṅgāṃ pādapūtajalāṃ harēḥ ॥ **9** ॥

bhagīrathaḥ sa rājarṣirninyē bhuvanapāvanīm ।
yatra svapitṛṇāṃ dēhā bhasmībhūtāḥ sma śēratē ॥ **10** ॥

rathēna vāyuvēgēna prayāntamanudhāvatī ।
dēśān punantī nirdagdhānāsiñcat sagarātmajān ॥ **11** ॥

yajjalasparśamātrēṇa brahmadaṇḍahatā api ।
sagarātmajā divaṃ jagmuḥ kēvalaṃ dēhabhasmabhiḥ ॥ **12** ॥

bhasmībhūtāṅgasaṅgēna svaryātāḥ sagarātmajāḥ ।
kiṃ punaḥ śraddhayā dēvīṃ yē sēvantē dhṛtavratāḥ ॥ **13** ॥

na hyētat paramāścaryaṃ svardhunyā yadihōditam ।
anantacaraṇāmbhōjaprasūtāyā bhavacchidaḥ ॥ **14** ॥

sannivēśya manō yasmiñchraddhayā munayō'malāḥ ।
traiguṇyaṃ dustyajaṃ hitvā sadyō yātāstadātmatām ॥ **15** ॥

śrutō bhagīrathājjajñē tasya nābhō'parō'bhavat ।
sindhudvīpastatastasmādayutāyustatō'bhavat ॥ **16** ॥

ṛtuparṇō nalasakhō yō'śvavidyāmayānnalāt ।
dattvākṣahṛdayaṃ cāsmai sarvakāmastu tatsutaḥ ॥ **17** ॥

tataḥ sudāsastatputrō madayantīpatirnṛpa ।
āhurmitrasahaṃ yaṃ vai kalmāṣāṅghrimuta kvacit ।
vasiṣṭhaśāpād rakṣō'bhūdanapatyaḥ svakarmaṇā ॥ **18** ॥

rājōvāca
kiṃ nimittō gurōḥ śāpaḥ saudāsasya mahātmanaḥ ।
ētad vēditumicchāmaḥ kathyatāṃ na rahō yadi ॥ **19** ॥

śrīśuka uvāca
saudāsō mṛgayāṃ kiñciccaran rakṣō jaghāna ha ।
mumōca bhrātaraṃ sō'tha gataḥ praticikīrṣayā ॥ **20** ॥

sa cintayannaghaṃ rājñaḥ sūdarūpadharō gṛhē ।
guravē bhōktukāmāya paktvā ninyē narāmiṣam ॥ **21** ॥

parivēkṣyamāṇaṃ bhagavān vilōkyābhakṣyamañjasā ।
rājānamaśapat kruddhō rakṣō hyēvaṃ bhaviṣyasi ॥ **22** ॥

rakṣaḥkṛtaṃ tad viditvā cakrē dvādaśavārṣikam ।
sō'pyapō'ñjalinā''dāya guruṃ śaptuṃ samudyataḥ ॥ **23** ॥

vāritō madayantyāpō ruśatīḥ pādayōrjahau ।
diśaḥ khamavanīṃ sarvaṃ paśyañjīvamayaṃ nṛpaḥ ॥ **24** ॥

rākṣasaṃ bhāvamāpannaḥ pādē kalmāṣatāṃ gataḥ ।
vyavāyakālē dadṛśē vanaukōdampatī dvijau ॥ **25** ॥

kṣudhārtō jagṛhē vipraṃ tatpatnyāhākṛtārthavat ।
na bhavān rākṣasaḥ sākṣādikṣvākūṇāṃ mahārathaḥ ॥ **26** ॥

madayantyāḥ patirvīra nādharmaṃ kartumarhasi ।
dēhi mē'patyakāmāyā akṛtārthaṃ patiṃ dvijam ॥ **27** ॥

dēhō'yaṃ mānuṣō rājan puruṣasyākhilārthadaḥ ।
tasmādasya vadhō vīra sarvārthavadha ucyatē ॥ **28** ॥

ēṣa hi brāhmaṇō vidvāṃstapaḥśīlaguṇānvitaḥ ।
ārirādhayiṣurbrahma mahāpuruṣasaṃjñitam ।
sarvabhūtātmabhāvēna bhūtēṣvantarhitaṃ guṇaiḥ ॥ **29** ॥

sō'yaṃ brahmarṣivaryastē rājarṣipravarād vibhō ।
kathamarhati dharmajña vadhaṃ piturivātmajaḥ ॥ **30** ॥

tasya sādhōrapāpasya bhrūṇasya brahmavādinaḥ ।
kathaṃ vadhaṃ yathā babhrōrmanyatē sanmatō bhavān ॥ **31** ॥

yadyayaṃ kriyatē bhakṣastarhi māṃ khāda pūrvataḥ ।
na jīviṣyē vinā yēna kṣaṇaṃ ca mṛtakaṃ yathā ॥ **32** ॥

ēvaṃ karuṇabhāṣiṇyā vilapantyā anāthavat ।
vyāghraḥ paśumivākhādat saudāsaḥ śāpamōhitaḥ ॥ **33** ॥

brāhmaṇī vīkṣya didhiṣuṃ puruṣādēna bhakṣitam ।
śōcantyātmānamurvīśamaśapat kupitā satī ॥ **34** ॥

yasmānmē bhakṣitaḥ pāpa kāmārtāyāḥ patistvayā ।
tavāpi mṛtyurādhānādakṛtaprajña darśitaḥ ॥ **35** ॥

ēvaṃ mitrasahaṃ śaptvā patilōkaparāyaṇā ।
tadasthīni samiddhē'gnau prāsya bharturgatiṃ gatā ॥ **36** ॥

viśāpō dvādaśābdāntē maithunāya samudyataḥ ।
vijñāya brāhmaṇīśāpaṃ mahiṣyā sa nivāritaḥ ॥ **37** ॥

tata ūrdhvaṃ sa tatyāja strīsukhaṃ karmaṇāprajāḥ ।
vasiṣṭhastadanujñātō madayantyāṃ prajāmadhāt ॥ **38** ॥

sā vai sapta samā garbhamabibhranna vyajāyata ।
jaghnē'śmanōdaraṃ tasyāḥ sō'śmakastēna kathyatē ॥ **39** ॥

aśmakānmūlakō jajñē yaḥ strībhiḥ parirakṣitaḥ ।
nārīkavaca ityuktō niḥkṣatrē mūlakō'bhavat ॥ **40** ॥

tatō daśarathastasmāt putra aiḍaviḍastataḥ ।
rājā viśvasahō yasya khaṭvāṅgaścakravartyabhūt ॥ **41** ॥

yō dēvairarthitō daityānavadhīd yudhi durjayaḥ ।
muhūrtamāyurjñātvaitya svapuraṃ sandadhē manaḥ ॥ **42** ॥

na mē brahmakulāt prāṇāḥ kuladaivānna cātmajāḥ ।
na śriyō na mahī rājyaṃ na dārāścātivallabhāḥ ॥ **43** ॥

na bālyē'pi matirmahyamadharmē ramatē kvacit ।
nāpaśyamuttamaślōkādanyat kiñcana vastvaham ॥ **44** ॥

dēvaiḥ kāmavarō dattō mahyaṃ tribhuvanēśvaraiḥ ।
na vṛṇē tamahaṃ kāmaṃ bhūtabhāvanabhāvanaḥ ॥ **45** ॥

yē vikṣiptēndriyadhiyō dēvāstē svahṛdi sthitam ।
na vindanti priyaṃ śaśvadātmānaṃ kimutāparē ॥ **46** ॥

athēśamāyāracitēṣu saṅgaṃ
guṇēṣu gandharvapurōpamēṣu ।

rūḍhaṃ prakṛtyā"tmani viśvakartu -
rbhāvēna hitvā tamahaṃ prapadyē ॥ **47** ॥

iti vyavasitō buddhyā nārāyaṇagṛhītayā ।
hitvānyabhāvamajñānaṃ tataḥ svaṃ bhāvamāśritaḥ ॥ **48** ॥

yat tad brahma paraṃ sūkṣmamaśūnyaṃ śūnyakalpitam ।
bhagavān vāsudēvēti yaṃ gṛṇanti hi sātvatāḥ ॥ **49** ॥

॥ *iti śrīmadbhāgavatē mahāpurāṇē pāramahaṃsyāṃ saṃhitāyāṃ navamaskandhē sūryavaṃśānuvarṇanē navamō'dhyāyaḥ* ॥