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bharatasya mūrcchayā guhasya śatrughnasya mātṛṇām ca
duḥkhaṃ saṃjñāmāptasya bharatasya guhaṃ prati
śrīrāmaprabhṛtīnām bhōjanaśayanaviṣayē praśnō guhēna taṃ
prati sampūrṇavṛttasya varṇanam

guhasya vacanaṃ śrutvā
bharatō bhṛśamapriyam |
dhyānaṃ jagāma tatraiva
yatra tacchrutamapriyam ॥ 2.87.1 ॥

sukumārō mahāsattvaḥ
siṃhaskandhō mahābhujah |
puṇḍarīkaviśālākṣa -
staruṇaḥ priyadarśanaḥ ॥ 2.87.2 ॥

pratyāśvasya muhūrtaṃ tu
kālaṃ paramadurmanāḥ |
sasāda sahasā tōtraī -
rhadi viddha iva dvipaḥ ॥ 2.87.3 ॥

bharataṃ mūrchitaṃ dṛṣṭvā
 vivarṇavadanō guhaḥ |
 babhūva vyathitastatra
 bhūmikampē yathā drumah || 2.87.4 ||

tadavasthaṃ tu bharataṃ
 śatrughnō'nantarasthitaḥ |
 pariṣvajya rurōdōccai -
 rvisaṃjñah śōkakarśitaḥ || 2.87.5 ||

tataḥ sarvāḥ samāpētu -
 rmātarō bharatasya tāḥ |
 upavāsakṛśā dīnā
 bharṭṛvyasanakarśitāḥ || 2.87.6 ||

tāśca taṃ patitaṃ bhūmau
 rudatyah paryavārayan |
 kausalyā tvanusṛtyainaṃ
 durmanāḥ pariṣasvajē || 2.87.7 ||

vatsalā svaṃ yathā vatsa -
 mupaguhya tapasvinī |
 paripapraccha bharataṃ
 rudatī śōkalālasā || 2.87.8 ||

putra vyādhirna tē kacci -
 ccharīraṃ prati bādhatē |
 asya rājakulasyādyā
 tvadadhīnaṃ hi jīvitam || 2.87.9 ||

tvāṃ dṛṣṭvā putra jīvāmi
 rāmē sabhrāṭṛkē gatē |
 vṛttē daśarathē rājñi
 nātha ēkastvamadya naḥ || 2.87.10 ||

kaccinna lakṣmaṇē putra
 śrutaṃ tē kiñcidapriyam |
 putrē vā hyēkaputrāyāḥ
 sahabhāryē vanam gatē || 2.87.11 ||

sa muhūrtaṃ samāśvasya
 rudannēva mahāyaśāḥ |
 kausalyā parisāntvyēdaṃ
 guhaṃ vacanamabravīt || 2.87.12 ||

bhrātā mē kvāvasad rātrau
 kva sītā kva ca lakṣmaṇaḥ |
 asvapacchayanē kasmin
 kiṃ bhuktvā guha śaṃsa mē || 2.87.13 ||

sō'bravīd bharataṃ hr̥ṣṭō
 niṣādādhipatirguhaḥ |
 yadvidhaṃ pratipēdē ca
 rāmē priyahitē'tithau || 2.87.14 ||

annamuccāvacam bhakṣyāḥ
 phalāni vividhāni ca |
 rāmāyābhyavahārārthaṃ
 bahuśō'pahṛtaṃ mayā || 2.87.15 ||

tat sarvaṃ pratyānujñāsīd
 rāmaḥ satyaparākramaḥ |
 na hi tat pratyagr̥hṇāt sa
 kṣatradharmamanusmaran || 2.87.16 ||

nahyasmābhiḥ pratigrāhyaṃ
 sakhē dēyaṃ tu sarvadā |
 iti tēna vayaṃ sarvē
 anuntā mahātmanā || 2.87.17 ||

lakṣmaṇēna yadānītaṃ
 pītaṃ vāri mahātmanā |
 aupavāsyāṃ tadākārṣīd
 rāghavaḥ saha sītayā || 2.87.18 ||

tatastu jalaśēṣēṇa
 lakṣmaṇō'pyakarōt tadā |
 vāgyatāstē trayāḥ sandhyāṃ
 samupāsanta saṃhitāḥ || 2.87.19 ||

saumitristu tataḥ paścā -
 dakarōt svāstaraṃ śubham |
 svayamānīya barhīṃṣi
 kṣipraṃ rāghavakāraṇāt || 2.87.20 ||

tasmin samāviśad rāmaḥ
 svāstarē saha sītayā |
 prakṣālya ca tayōḥ pādau
 vyapākrāmat salakṣmaṇaḥ || 2.87.21 ||

ētat tadiṅgudīmūla -

midamēva ca tat tṛṇam |

yasmin rāmaśca sītā ca

rātriṃ tām śayitāvubhau || 2.87.22 ||

niyamyā pṛṣṭhē tu talāṅgulitravāñ -

śaraiḥ supūrṇāviśudhī parantapaḥ |

mahaddhanuḥ sajjamupōhya lakṣmaṇō

niśāmatiṣṭhat paritō'sya kēvalam || 2.87.23 ||

tatastvahaṃ cōttamabāṇacāpabhṛt

sthitō'bhavaṃ tatra sa yatra lakṣmaṇaḥ |

atandritairjñātibhirāttakārmukai -

rmahēndrakalpaṃ paripālayaṃstadā || 2.87.24 ||

|| ityārṣē śrīmadrāmāyaṇē vālmikīyē ādikāvyē

ayōdhyākāṇḍē saptāśītitaṃ sargaḥ ||