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parabrahmaṇē namaḥ

śrīmadrāmāyaṇē vālmīkīyē ādikāvyē bālakāṇḍē  
॥ catuḥsaptatitamaḥ sargaḥ ॥

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viśvāmitrasya svāśramaṃ prati prasthānaṃ janakakarṭṛkaṃ  
kanyānāṃ kṛtē pracuradhanadānaṃ rājñō daśarathasya  
vidāpanaṃ ca mārgē śubhāśubhaśakunōdayaḥ  
paraśurāmasyāgamaṇaṃ ca

atha rātryāṃ vyatītāyāṃ  
viśvāmitrō mahāmuniḥ |  
āpṛṣṭvā tau ca rājānau  
jagāmōttaraparvatam ॥ 1.74.1 ॥

viśvāmitrē gatē rājā  
vaidēhaṃ mithilādhipam |  
āpṛṣṭvaiva jagāmāśu  
rājā daśarathaḥ purīm ॥ 1.74.2 ॥

atha rājā vidēhānāṃ  
dadau kanyādhanam bahu |  
gavāṃ śatasahasrāṇi  
bahūni mithilēśvaraḥ ॥ 1.74.3 ॥

kambalānāṃ ca mukhyānāṃ  
 kṣaumān kōṭyambarāṇi ca |  
 hastyaśvarathapādātaṃ  
 divyarūpaṃ svalaṅkṛtaṃ || 1.74.4 ||

dadau kanyāśataṃ tāsāṃ  
 dāsīdāsamanuttamam |  
 hiraṇyasya suvarṇasya  
 muktānāṃ vidrumasya ca || 1.74.5 ||

dadau rājā susaṃhr̥ṣṭaḥ  
 kanyādhanamanuttamam |  
 dattvā bahuvīdhaṃ rājā  
 samanujñāpya pāṛthivam || 1.74.6 ||

pravivēśa svaṇilayaṃ  
 mithilāṃ mithilēśvaraḥ |  
 rājāpyayōdhyādhipatiḥ  
 saha putrairmahātmabhiḥ || 1.74.7 ||

ṛṣīn sarvān puraskṛtya  
 jagāma sabalānugaḥ |  
 gacchantāṃ tu naravyāghraṃ  
 sarṣisaṅghaṃ sarāghavam || 1.74.8 ||

ghōrāstu pakṣiṇō vācō  
 vyāharanti samantataḥ |  
 bhaumāścaiva mṛgāḥ sarvē  
 gacchanti sma pradakṣiṇam || 1.74.9 ||

tān dṛṣṭvā rājaśārdūlō  
 vasiṣṭhaṃ paryapṛcchata |  
 asaumyāḥ pakṣiṇō ghōrā  
 mṛgāścāpi pradakṣiṇāḥ || 1.74.10 ||

kimidaṃ hṛdayōtkampi  
 manō mama viṣīdati |  
 rājñō daśarathasyaita -  
 cchrutvā vākyaṃ mahānṛṣiḥ || 1.74.11 ||

uvāca madhurāṃ vāṇīm  
 śrūyatāmasya yat phalam |  
 upasthitaṃ bhayaṃ ghōraṃ  
 divyaṃ pakṣimukhāccyutam || 1.74.12 ||

mṛgāḥ praśamayantyētē  
 santāpastyajyatāmayam |  
 tēṣāṃ saṃvadatāṃ tatra  
 vāyuḥ prādurbabhūva ha || 1.74.13 ||

kampayan mēdinīm sarvām  
 pātayaṃśca mahādrumān |  
 tamasā saṃvṛtaḥ sūryaḥ  
 sarvē nāvēdiṣurdiśaḥ || 1.74.14 ||

bhasmanā cāvṛtaṃ sarvaṃ  
 sammūḍhamiva tadbalam |  
 vasiṣṭha ṛṣayaścānyē  
 rājā ca sasutastadā || 1.74.15 ||

sasaṃjñā iva tatrāsan  
 sarvamanṃyadvicētanam |  
 tasmimṃstamasi ghōrē tu  
 bhasmacchannēva sā camūḥ || 1.74.16 ||

dadarśa bhīmasaṅkāśaṃ  
 jaṭāmaṇḍaladhāriṇam |  
 bhārgavaṃ jāmadaḡnyēyaṃ  
 rājā rājavimardanam || 1.74.17 ||

kailāsamiva durdharṣaṃ  
 kālāḡnimiva duḥsaham |  
 jvalantamiva tējōbhi -  
 rdurnirīkṣyaṃ pṛthagjanaiḥ || 1.74.18 ||

skandhē cāsajjya paraśuṃ  
 dhanurvidyudgaṇōpamam |  
 pragṛhya śaramugraṃ ca  
 tripuraghnaṃ yathā śivam || 1.74.19 ||

taṃ dṛṣṭvā bhīmasaṅkāśaṃ  
 jvalantamiva pāvakaṃ |  
 vasiṣṭhapramukhā viprā  
 japahōmaparāyaṇāḥ || 1.74.20 ||

saṅgatā munayaḥ sarvē  
 sañjajalpurathō mithaḥ |  
 kaccit pitṛvadhāmarṣī  
 kṣatraṃ nōtsādayiṣyati || 1.74.21 ||

pūrvam kṣatravadham kṛtvā  
 gatamanyurgatajvaraḥ |  
 kṣatrasyōtsādanam bhūyō  
 na khalvasya cikīrṣitam || 1.74.22 ||

ēvamuktvārghyamādāya  
 bhārgavam bhīmadarśanam |  
 ṛṣayō rāma rāmēti  
 madhuraṁ vākyamabruvan || 1.74.23 ||

pratigrhya tu tām pūjā -  
 mṛṣidattām pratāpavān |  
 rāmaṁ dāśarathim rāmō  
 jāmadagnyō'bhyabhāṣata || 1.74.24 ||

|| ityārṣē śrīmadrāmāyaṇē vālmikīyē ādikāvyē  
 bālakāṇḍē catuḥsaptatitamaḥ sargaḥ ||