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khaṭvāṅgād dīrghabāhuśca raghustasmāt pṛthuśravāḥ |
ajastatō mahārājastasmād daśarathō'bhavat || 1 ||

tasyāpi bhagavānēṣa sākṣād brahmamayō hariḥ |
aṃśāṃśēna caturdhāgāt putratvaṃ prārthitaḥ suraiḥ |
rāmalakṣmaṇabharataśatrughnā iti saṃjñayā || 2 ||

tasyānucaritaṃ rājannṛṣibhistattvadarśibhiḥ |
śrutaṃ hi varṇitaṃ bhūri tvayā sītāpatērmuhuh || 3 ||

gurvarthē tyaktarājyō vyacaradanuvanaṃ
padmapadbhyāṃ priyāyāḥ
pāṇisparśākṣamābhyāṃ mṛjitapatharujō
yō harīndrānujābhyām |
vairūpyācchūrpaṇakhyāḥ priyaviraharuṣā -
"rōpītabhrūvijṛmbha -
trastābdhirbaddhasētuḥ khaladavadahanaḥ
kōsalēndrō'vatānnaḥ || 4 ||

viśvāmitrādhvarē yēna mārīcādyā niśācarāḥ |
paśyatō lakṣmaṇasyaiva hatā nairṛtapuṅgavāḥ || 5 ||

yō lōkavīrasamitau dhanuraisamugraṃ
sītāsvayaṃvaragrḥē trīśatōpanītam |
ādāya bālagajalīla ivēkṣuyaṣṭim
sajjīkṛtaṃ nṛpa vikṛṣya babhañja madhyē || 6 ||

jītvānurūpaguṇaśīlavayō'ṅgarūpāṃ
sītābhīdhāṃ śriyamurasyabhīlabdhamānām |
mārgē vrajan bhṛgupatērvyanayat prarūḍhaṃ
darpaṃ mahīmakṛta yastrirarājabījām || 7 ||

yaḥ satyapāśaparivītapiturnidēśaṃ
straiṇasya cāpi śīrasā jagṛhē sabhāryaḥ |
rājyaṃ śriyaṃ praṇayinaḥ suhrdō nivāsaṃ
tyaktvā yayau vanamasūniva muktasaṅgaḥ || 8 ||

rakṣaḥśvasurvyakṛta rūpamaśuddhabuddhē -
stasyāḥ kharatriśīradūṣaṇamukhyabandhūn |
jaghnē caturdaśasahasramapāraṇīya -
kōdaṇḍapāṇiraṭamāna uvāsa kṛcchram || 9 ||

sītākathāśravaṇadīpitahṛcchayēna
sṛṣṭaṃ vilōkya nṛpatē daśakandharēṇa |
jaghnē'dbhutaiṇavapuṣā'sramatō'pakṛṣṭō
mārīcamāśu viśikhēna yathā kamugraḥ || 10 ||

rakṣō'dhamēna vṛkavad vipinē'samakṣaṃ
vaidēharājaduhitaryapayāpitāyām |

bhrātrā vanē kṛpaṇavat priyayā viyuktaḥ
strīsaṅgināṃ gatimiti prathayaṃścacāra || 11 ||

dagdhvā'tmakṛtyahatakrtyamahan kabandhaṃ
sakhyaṃ vidhāya kapibhirdayitāgatiṃ taiḥ |
buddhvātha bālini hatē plavagēndrasainyai -
rvēlāmagāt sa manujō'jabhavārcitāṅghriḥ || 12 ||

yadrōṣavibhramavivṛttakaṭākṣapāta -
sambhrāntanakramakarō bhayagīrṇaghōṣaḥ |
sindhuh śīrasyarhaṇaṃ parigrhya rūpī
pādāravindamupagamyā babhāṣa ētat || 13 ||

na tvāṃ vayaṃ jaḍadhiyō nu vidāma bhūman
kūṭasthamādipurusaṃ jagatāmadhīśam |
yatsattvataḥ suragaṇā rajasah prajāśā
manyōśca bhūtapatayaḥ sa bhavān guṇēśaḥ || 14 ||

kāmaṃ prayāhi jahi viśravasō'vamēhaṃ
trailōkyarāvaṇamavāpnuhi vīra patnīm |
badhnīhi sētumiha tē yaśasō vitatyai
gāyanti digvijayinō yamupētya bhūpāḥ || 15 ||

baddhvōdadhau raghupatirvividhādrikūṭaiḥ
sētum kapīndrakarakampitabhūruhāṅgaiḥ |
sugrīvanīlahanumatpramukhairanīkai -
rlaṅkāṃ vibhīṣaṇaḍṛśā'viśadagraḍagdhām || 16 ||

sā vānarēndrabalaruddhavihārakōṣṭha -
śrīdvāragōpurasadōvalabhīviṭaṅkā |

nirbhajyamānadhiṣaṇadhvajahēmakumbha -
 śṛṅgāṭakā gajakulairhradinīva ghūrṇā || 17 ||

rakṣaḥpatistadavalōkya nikumbhakumbha -
 dhūmrākṣadurmukhasurāntanarāntakādīn |
 putraṃ prahastamatikāyavikampanādīn
 sarvānugān samahinōdatha kumbhakarṇam || 18 ||

tāṃ yātudhānapṛtanāmāsīśūlacāpa -
 prāsarṣṭīśaktīśaratōmarakhaḍgadurgām |
 sugrīvalakṣmaṇamarutsutagandhamāda -
 nīlāṅgadarkṣapanasādibhiranvitō'gāt || 19 ||

tē'nīkapā raghupatērabhipatya sarvē
 dvandvaṃ varūthamibhapattirathāśvayōdhaiḥ |
 jaghnurdrumairgirigadēṣubhiraṅgadādyāḥ
 sītābhimarśahatamaṅgalarāvaṇēśān || 20 ||

rakṣaḥpatiḥ svabalanaṣṭimavēkṣya ruṣṭa
 āruhya yānakamathābhisasāra rāmam |
 svaḥsyandanē dyumati mātalinōpanītē
 vibhrājamānamahananniśitaiḥ kṣurapraiḥ || 21 ||

rāmastamāha puruṣādapurīṣa yannaḥ
 kāntāsamakṣamasatāpahṛtā śvavat tē |
 tyaktatrapasya phalamadya jugupsitasya
 yacchāmi kāla iva karturalaṅghyavīryaḥ || 22 ||

ēvaṃ kṣīpan dhanuṣi sandhitamutsasarja
 bāṇaṃ sa vajramiva taddhṛdayaṃ bibhēda |

sō'sṛg vaman daśamukhairnyapatad vimānā -
ddhāhēti jalpati janē sukṛtīva riktaḥ || 23 ||

tatō niṣkramya laṅkāyā yātudhānyaḥ sahasraśaḥ |
mandōdaryā samaṃ tasmin prarudatya upādravan || 24 ||

svān svān bandhūn pariṣvajya lakṣmaṇēṣubhirarditān |
ruruduḥ susvaraṃ dīnā ghnantya ātmānamātmanā || 25 ||

hā hatāḥ sma vayaṃ nātha lōkarāvaṇa rāvaṇa |
kaṃ yāyāccharaṇaṃ laṅkā tvadvihīnā parārditā || 26 ||

naivaṃ vēda mahābhāga bhavān kāmavaśaṃ gataḥ |
tējō'nubhāvaṃ sītāyā yēna nītō daśāmimām || 27 ||

kṛtaiṣā vidhavā laṅkā vayaṃ ca kulanandana |
dēhaḥ kṛtō'nnaṃ grdhrāṇāmātmā narakahētavē || 28 ||

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svānāṃ vibhīṣaṇaścakrē kōsalēndrānumōditaḥ |
pitṛmēdhavidhānēna yaduktaṃ sāmparāyikam || 29 ||

tatō dadarśa bhagavānaśōkavanikāśramē |
kṣāmāṃ svavirahavyādhiṃ śiṃśapāmūlamāsthitaṃ || 30 ||

rāmaḥ priyatamāṃ bhāryāṃ dīnāṃ vīkṣyānvakampata |
ātmāsandarśanāhlādavikasanmukhapaṅkajām || 31 ||

ārōpyāruruhē yānaṃ bhrātr̥bhyāṃ hanumadyutaḥ |
vibhīṣaṇāya bhagavān dattvā rakṣōgaṇēśatām || 32 ||

laṅkāmayuśca kalpāntaṃ yayau cīrṇavrataḥ purīm |
avakīryamāṇaḥ kusumairlōkapālārpitaiḥ pathi || 33 ||

upagīyamānacaritaḥ śatadhṛtyādibhirmudā |
gōmūtrayāvakam śrutvā bhrātaraṃ valkalāmbaram || 34 ||

mahākāruṇikō'tapyajjaṭilaṃ sthaṇḍilēśayam |
bharataḥ prāptamākarṇya paurāmātyapurōhitaiḥ || 35 ||

pādukē śīrasi nyasya rāmaṃ pratyudyatō'grajam |
nandigrāmāt svaśibirād gītavāditraniḥsvanaiḥ || 36 ||

brahmaghōṣēṇa ca muhuḥ paṭhadbhirbrahmavādibhiḥ |
svarṇakakṣapatākābhirhaimaiścitradhvajai rathaiḥ || 37 ||

sadaśvai rukmasannāhairbhaṭaiḥ puraṭavarmabhiḥ |
śrēṇībhirvāramukhyābhirbhṛtyaiścaiva padānugaiḥ || 38 ||

pāramēṣṭhyānyupādāya paṇyānyuccāvacāni ca |
pādayōrnyapatat prēmṇā praklinnahṛdayēkṣaṇaḥ || 39 ||

pādukē nyasya purataḥ prāñjalirbāṣpalōcanaḥ |
tamāśliṣya ciraṃ dōrbhyāṃ snāpayan nētrajairjalaiḥ || 40 ||

rāmō lakṣmaṇasītābhyāṃ viprēbhyō yē'rhasattamāḥ |
tēbhyah svayaṃ namaścakrē prajābhiśca namaskṛtaḥ || 41 ||

dhunvanta uttarāsaṅgān patiṃ vīkṣya cirāgatam |
uttarāḥ kōsalā mālyaiḥ kirantō nanṛturmudā || 42 ||

pādukē bharatō'grhṇāccāmaravyajanōttamē |
vibhīṣaṇaḥ sasugrīvaḥ śvētacchatraṃ marutsutaḥ || 43 ||

dhanurniṣaṅgāñchatrugṇaḥ sītā tīrthakamaṇḍalum |
abibhradaṅgadaḥ khaḍgaṃ haimaṃ carmarkṣarāṇ nṛpa || 44 ||

puṣpakasthō'nvitaḥ strībhiḥ stūyamānaśca vandibhiḥ |
virējē bhagavān rājan grahaiścandra ivōditaḥ || 45 ||

bhrātrbhirnanditaḥ sō'pi sōtsavāṃ prāviśat purīm |
praviśya rājabhavanam gurupatnīḥ svamātaram || 46 ||

gurūn vayasyāvarajān pūjitaḥ pratyapūjayat |
vaidēhī lakṣmaṇaścaiva yathāvat samupēyatuḥ || 47 ||

putrān svamātarastāstu prāṇāṃstanva ivōtthitāḥ |
ārōpyāṅkē'bhiṣiñcantiyō bāṣpaughairvijahuḥ śucaḥ || 48 ||

jaṭā nirmucya vidhivat kulavṛddhaiḥ samaṃ guruḥ |
abhyaṣiñcad yathaivēndraṃ catuḥsindhujalādibhiḥ || 49 ||

ēvaṃ kṛtaśiraḥsnānaḥ suvāsāḥ sragvyalaṅkṛtaḥ |
svalaṅkṛtaiḥ suvāsōbhirbhrātrbhirbhāryayā babhau || 50 ||

agrahīdāsanam bhrātrā praṇipatya prasāditaḥ |
prajāḥ svadharmaniratā varṇāśramaguṇānvitāḥ |
jugōpa pitṛvad rāmō mēnirē pitaram ca tam || 51 ||

trētāyāṃ vartamānāyāṃ kālāḥ kṛtasamō'bhavat |
rāmē rājani dharmajñē sarvabhūtasukhāvahē || 52 ||

vanāni nadyō girayō varṣāṇi dvīpasindhavaḥ |
sarvē kāmādughā āsan prajānāṃ bharatarṣabha || 53 ||

nādhivyādhijarāglāniduḥkhaśōkabhayaklamāḥ |
mṛtyuścānicchatāṃ nāsīd rāmē rājanyadhōkṣajā || 54 ||

ēkapatnīvrataadharō rājarṣicaritaḥ śuciḥ |
svadharmaṃ grhamēdhīyaṃ śikṣayan svayamācarat || 55 ||

prēmṇānuvṛttyā śīlēna praśrayāvanatā satī |
bhiyā hriyā ca bhāvajñā bhartuḥ sītāharanmanaḥ || 56 ||

|| iti śrīmadbhāgavatē mahāpurāṇē pāramahaṃsyāṃ saṃhitāyāṃ
navamaskandhē rāmacaritē daśamō'dhyāyaḥ ||