

# **A Reader in Sanskrit Buddhist Texts**

Volume One: Texts  
(Romanized)

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## Preface

The present reader was created to help remedy the dearth of teaching and independent-study resources for students interested in reading Sanskrit Buddhist literature. This reader offers a selection of twenty short to medium length texts drawn from a variety of sources covering some of the major genres of Sanskrit Buddhist literature, i.e., discourses (*sūtra*), treatises (*śāstra*), commentaries (*bhāṣya*), and *kāvya* (“belles-lettres”), including hymns of praise (*stotra*), court epics (*mahākāvya*), and *jātaka* tales. The reader is made up of three volumes, providing the text, vocabulary, and the ancient Chinese and Tibetan translations.

The vocabulary included in this reader was originally prepared to teach introductory-level reading courses to students who had completed a basic survey of Sanskrit grammar. By providing only stem forms and verbal roots rather than complete inflectional identification and sandhi analysis, my intent is to avoid spoon-feeding information which students should learn to find on their own, while not leaving them entirely to their own devices. The use of vocabulary lists allows students to cover more ground with fewer hurdles, reducing possible feelings of discouragement and speeding up the memorization of a basic set of words, which will make for more fruitful attempts at parsing sentences once they graduate from using a vocabulary and begin relying on dictionaries and their own experience.

While this reader was initially designed as a resource for teaching, it may also be used fruitfully for independent-study by intermediate students who wish to survey a large sample of Buddhist texts in an efficient manner. When more advanced constructions or linguistic points occur in the text, references to relevant comments given in J.S. Speijer’s excellent *Sanskrit Syntax* (1886) and a number of other Sanskrit primers have been inserted in the vocabulary lists. These clues together with the consultation of ancient and modern translations should allow students to overcome most difficult passages on their own.

Every effort has been made to avoid mistakes, but this reader is still a work in progress and errors may have crept in, due to a lack of vigilance or knowledge on my part. Corrections, suggestions, or feedback of any kind would be greatly appreciated, as such contributions will help improve future editions.

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## Suggestions for use

This reader was conceived as a stepping-stone to be used in class to help students transition away from the textbook's controlled environment while introducing them to the use of more advanced Sanskrit primers. This reader may also be used out of class for independent-study, in which case the student should, at the very least, have completed a basic grammar course or read through and gained a solid grasp of the contents of one of the Sanskrit textbooks suitable for self-study, such as Thomas Egenes' *Introduction to Sanskrit* (2011), or A.M. Ruppel's *The Cambridge Introduction to Sanskrit* (2017).

In the beginning, students may choose to read the text and vocabulary side-by-side, checking for the meaning of new words as they work their way through each sentence. As they become more confident, students are strongly encouraged to first attempt parsing and translating sentences using their own dictionaries, consulting the vocabulary when they become stuck or to confirm their reading.

Students should, as early as possible, develop the habit of reading texts out loud to cultivate a sense for Sanskrit as a language rather than a mere puzzle to be deciphered. Students may refer to the audio recordings created for each text to correct their pronunciation. By paying close attention to the reader's intonation, students will also find clues as to how a sentence should be construed.

The texts in this volume are given twice following a short introduction. The first version uses wider line spacing for students to write down notes, while the second is used for review. Once the hard work of parsing and understanding a text has been completed, students should revisit it regularly, reading it out loud and checking how much they are able to understand without the help of their notes. This last, yet crucial, step in the study of a text helps build familiarity with Sanskrit syntax and is one of the best ways to develop vocabulary. The Anki flashcards that have been created for each text can be used for further vocabulary review.

A number of texts in this reader form pairs which illustrate some of the same linguistic points. These are the two parables from the *Saddharma-puṇḍarīka Sūtra* (texts 4 and 5), the two hymns composed by Mādhyamika masters (texts 8 and 9), the two passages from Śāntideva's *Bodhicaryāvatāra* (texts 12 and 13), and the two sections from Prajñākaramati's commentary on the ninth chapter of the *Bodhicaryāvatāra* (texts 16 and 17). Once one of the texts has been discussed in class, the other member of that pair can be read by students independently for further study and review.

Teachers may also consider giving texts from this reader as reading assignments for independent-study during intersessions to avoid prolonged breaks away from Sanskrit learning and/or in preparation for an upcoming course on a particular genre of Sanskrit literature. Texts 1 through 5

are also suitable as supplementary readings to be used towards the end of a first-year grammar course.

Please consult the reader's [webpage](#) for the latest version of all three volumes, audio recordings of each text, Anki flashcards, and other resources.

### **Remarks on the English/Chinese edition**

This reader was first created to teach reading courses attended primarily by native speakers of Mandarin Chinese, for whom the challenge inherent in learning a language so different from one's own is compounded by the lack of suitable Sanskrit to Chinese dictionaries. For this reason, the vocabulary was conceived from the beginning to include both English and Chinese meanings, which I have rendered to the best of my ability.

The marginally reduced legibility caused by this somewhat more busy layout is hopefully compensated by the benefits of including both languages side-by-side. Speakers of Chinese will often benefit from being able to consult English meanings, which regularly offer closer equivalents to Sanskrit words and constructions, while other readers interested in learning classical Chinese for the purpose of reading Buddhist texts will pick up Chinese translations of Buddhist terms and various common words.

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## Volume One: Texts

### Introduction

The texts selected for this reader should be suitable for beginner students, both in terms of the language used and the ideas discussed. Passages abounding in difficult constructions or containing terse philosophical arguments have been avoided. Texts taken from discourses (*sūtra*) were chosen for their overall conformity to the rules of classical Sanskrit. While readers will encounter and gain *some* familiarity with features of Buddhist hybrid Sanskrit, the study of texts which deviate considerably from the rules of classical Sanskrit, i.e., those composed in a language sometimes referred to as “Sanskritized Prakrit” or “mixed Sanskrit”, lies beyond the scope of the present book. Students interested in the study of such texts may, having first gained a solid understanding of classical Sanskrit, look to Franklin Edgerton’s *Buddhist Hybrid Sanskrit Reader* (1953).

The selection of texts chosen for this reader seeks to offer a cross section of Sanskrit Buddhist literature, including examples of discourses (texts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6), hymns (texts 7, 8, and 9), Jātaka tales (text 10), epic poetry (text 11), verse treatises (texts 12, 13, and 14), and various kinds of commentarial works (texts 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, and 20). Texts drawn from philosophical works discuss key concepts basic to the major strands of Buddhist philosophy. The arguments or expositions found in those texts should be understandable without prior study of these systems, though some level of familiarity with basic Buddhist ideas is recommended.

Readers should always keep in mind that most of the texts for this reader are only short passages drawn from much larger works. While suitable for the purposes of this reader as more or less self-contained samples of Sanskrit Buddhist literature, these texts and their significance will only be fully appreciated when placed back in the context of the works to which they belong. The present reader only seeks to give students a taste of these different genres, laying the groundwork for future more systematic study.

### Texts

The texts in this volume are based on the critical editions listed at the end of this volume. Changes made to the texts are as follows:

- A header in Sanskrit including the name of the work, the author, and the chapter name has been added at the beginning of each text.
- The use of punctuation (commas in particular) has been harmonized across all texts for the

sake of consistency. Overall, punctuation has been used more liberally than in some editions.

- A number of minor corrections have been made to the texts, typically on the basis of other existing critical editions.
- In prose, sandhi is never applied between a gerund and the following word.
- The verses from the original text in commentaries are highlighted in bold.
- Texts 2, 3, 15, and 18 have been abridged. Ellipses have been inserted to indicate abridgement and, in general, to show if the selected passage is preceded and/or followed by more text in the same chapter.
- Hyphens are used to break lines and not to separate compounds members.

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Another version of this first volume with Devanāgarī texts is available on the reader's [webpage](#).

## 序言

編譯此《梵語佛典讀本》的目的在於對有志閱讀梵語佛典的讀者有所助益，以期彌補上課及自學資源的缺乏。此讀本中，精選二十篇短中長不等的文本，包括梵語佛教文獻的主要體裁，如經文（*sūtra*）、論書（*śāstra*）、注釋書（*bhāṣya*），以及美文學（*kāvya*）——包含讚頌（*stotra*）、長篇敘事詩（*mahākāvya*）和本生故事（*jātaka*）等體裁。此讀本共有三冊，分別是文本、詞彙表，以及現存的中、藏文對應譯本。

最初，此讀本是作為梵語佛典導讀課程的教材，對象為完成梵語基礎文法課程的學生。以未學的經驗，學生開始閱讀梵語佛典時，若配合使用這類讀本，可以降低因難解而產生的挫折感。一般而言，學習梵語文獻常見兩種方式，一是初學者完全自行解析文本內容，二是使用具有完整文法解析及連音斷句的教材。而此讀本嘗試在這兩種學習方式之間取得平衡，因此，詞彙表僅提供名詞語幹及動詞字根，幫助讀者在學習上既有所憑藉又保有解析句子的學習空間。讀者使用詞彙表閱讀文本時，更能致力於熟悉語尾變化及文法結構，並能快速累積佛典中常見的詞彙。在此基礎之上，未來讀者以詞典及自己的經驗解析句子時，將更為順暢。

雖然此讀本最初是作為授課教材，但具備梵語中階程度的讀者用於自學也頗見成效。讀者能縮短查詢詞彙所需要的時間，更有效率地閱讀大量佛教文獻。此外，針對文本中較為進階或難解的結構，詞彙表提供 J.S. Speijer 編撰的 *Sanskrit Syntax* (1886) 及其他梵語文法書中相關解說的索引，若循此索引，並同時參考古代及現代的翻譯，不易理解之處應當可以迎刃而解。

雖竭盡所能避免錯誤，但深感所學有限，或由於思慮欠周，故可能多有疏漏及謬誤之處。此編譯計畫仍持續進行，請給予指教、建議及回饋，將有助於編譯更臻完善，未學不勝感荷。

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## 使用方法建議

編譯這套讀本的原始構想是作為學生課堂中學習梵語的墊腳石，幫助學生跳脫既定教科書的模式，並引導學生使用更進階的梵語文法書。課堂外，這套讀本也可以作為自學教材，但讀者必須已完成基礎文法課程，或已研讀適合自學的梵語入門書，例如 Thomas Egenes 編撰的 *Introduction to Sanskrit* (2011) 或 A.M. Ruppel 編撰的 *The Cambridge Introduction to Sanskrit* (2017)。

剛開始，讀者可以選擇邊研讀文本邊查閱詞彙表。當累積閱讀經驗後，學生應該嘗試透過查閱辭典自行分析及翻譯句子，若遇到瓶頸，或為了確認理解無誤及查找文法書索引，再查詢詞彙表。建議讀者儘早養成朗讀梵語文本的習慣，這將有助於培養梵語的語感。讀者可以利用文本錄音檔來改正自己的發音。通過仔細留意朗讀者的語調，也可以找到解析句子的線索。

第一冊文本中，各文本提供兩種不同的編排方式：第一種編排方式行距加大，方便讀者初次研讀文本時書寫筆記，第二種編排方式使用單行間距，供讀者複習時使用。經過了文法分析並且理解了文本之後，讀者應經常複習。在複習文本時，最好能夠出聲朗讀，並在沒有任何筆記下，看看自己理解多少，這是培養梵語語感的關鍵方法，也是累積詞彙量的最好方式之一。此外，每一文本皆有 Anki 單字卡可供讀者進一步複習詞彙。

這套讀本中，某些文本形成兩個一組，包括選自《妙法蓮華經》的兩個譬喻（文本四、五）、同為中觀論師所撰寫的兩個讚頌（文本八、九）、寂天《入菩提行論》中的兩個段落（文本十二、十三），以及智作慧為《入菩提行論》第九品所作《細疏》中的兩個段落（文本十六、十七）。當其中一個文本已在課堂中研讀過，學生即可自行閱讀另一文本以進一步學習及複習。

授課老師也可以將這套讀本中的文本作為學生於寒暑假期間的指定閱讀，以避免學生過長時間疏於學習梵語，或者事先預習即將學習的梵語體裁（經、讚頌、論書等）。文本一到文本五也適合作為第一學年文法課程後半段的閱讀補充教材。

請查詢讀本的[網頁](#)下載最新版本、文本錄音檔、Anki 單字卡及其他學習資源。

## 中英文編譯說明

選修末學講授的梵語課程的學生中，絕大多數人的母語是中文。對他們而言，學習梵語的挑戰不僅來自梵語與自己母語的迥然相異，更且是梵漢辭典的付諸闕如。有感於此，末學即致力編譯中英雙語詞彙表。

雖然中英對照的方式使得版面略顯複雜，但中英對照有其優點。中文讀者可以透過英語的釋義更充分了解梵語詞彙的詞義，而有志於閱讀漢譯佛典的外國讀者，可以從詞彙表中學習漢譯的佛學名相及常用詞彙。

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# 第一冊 文本

## 前言

此讀本所選用的文本以適用於初學者為考量，儘可能避免具有過多難解的文法結構或艱澀的哲學思辨的段落。此外，從經（*sūtra*）中擇取的文本大致上符合古典梵語的文法規則。雖然讀者將有機會認識某些佛教混合梵語的文法特徵，但是與古典梵語文法差異很大的文獻，並不列入此讀本的範圍。讀者對古典梵語文法的學習較為深入之後，若想研讀佛教混合梵語的文獻，可研讀由 Franklin Edgerton 所編纂 *Buddhist Hybrid Sanskrit Reader* (1953)。

本冊文本包括經文（文本一、二、三、四、五、六）、讚頌（文本七、八、九）、本生故事（文本十）、長篇敘事詩（文本十一）、論頌（文本十二、十三、十四），及各類注釋書中的內容（文本十五、十六、十七、十八、十九、二十）。這些文本所涉及的義理是佛教主要思想體系中的基本核心概念，所以讀者即使未曾深入學習佛教思想，僅略具佛法基本概念，應可理解其中所論述的義理。

需要提醒讀者的是，這些文本多數雖為完整的故事或講述某一完整的義理概念，但唯有依循整部文獻的脈絡閱讀，才能詳實而精確的理解其中的義涵。此讀本僅提供讀者接觸不同佛典體裁的機會，可作為將來研讀整部佛典的基礎。

## 文本

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## 1. Māra's Snare

(*Vinaya*)

Our first text is drawn from the *Saṅghabhedavastu*, the 17<sup>th</sup> section of the monastic code (*Vinaya*) of the Mūlasarvāstivāda, one of the early schools of Buddhism in India. As with much of the contents of the remarkably voluminous Mūlasarvāstivāda *Vinaya*, the *Saṅghabhedavastu* does not deal directly with the rules and regulations of the monastic community, but recounts rather the life and practice of Prince Siddhārtha, his awakening, the formation of the early Buddhist community, and various notable episodes and sermons from the Buddha's career. The second half of this text is primarily dedicated to narrating how Devadatta, the Buddha's malevolent cousin, created a schism (*bheda*) in the Buddhist monastic congregation (*saṅgha*) and attempted by various means to kill the Buddha.

The following passage recounts an encounter between the Buddha and Māra, the devil or tempter figure of Buddhism. The incident takes place as the saṅgha is first being established, shortly after the Buddha's own awakening. According to the account given here, the monastic community was then made up of sixty-one Arhats: the five ascetics and former spiritual companions of the Buddha, fifty-five converts from the neighboring town of Vārāṇasī, and the Buddha himself. As the Tathāgata and his disciples are about to set out to spread the teaching far and wide, Māra attempts to reassert his control over the Buddha.

## 一、魔王的繩索

摘自 *Vinaya* 《毗奈耶》

第一個本文出自根本說一切有部（Mūlasarvāstivāda）律藏（*Vinaya*）中的《破僧事》（*Saṅghabhedavastu*）。根本說一切有部律藏文獻數量龐大，《破僧事》為其中第十七章。律藏中大部分的文獻並沒有直接涉及僧團的戒條，如《破僧事》一章，描述悉達多太子的世俗生活、出家修行、覺悟成佛，早期教團的形成以及佛陀弘揚佛法的許多故事。《破僧事》後半部分主要描述關於「破僧」的事件：佛陀堂弟提婆達多（Devadatta）造成僧團（*sangha*）分裂（*bheda*），並以各種方式企圖殺死佛陀。

我們所選擇的文本敘述了佛陀和魔羅（Māra）相遇的故事。這個故事發生在佛陀剛覺悟不久，首次建立僧團的時候。根據《破僧事》的記載，當時的僧團由六十一位阿羅漢組成：最初跟隨佛陀修行的五位比丘、來自瓦拉那西（Vārāṇasī）的五十五位弟子以及佛陀本人。當如來和他弟子們正準備遠行弘法時，魔羅企圖擾亂佛陀。

**vinaye**

**sāṅghabhedavastu |**

...

bhagavān vārāṇasyāṁ viharati ḫśivadane mrgadāve | tatra bhagavān bhiksūn

āmantrayate sma: mukto 'ham bhikṣavah sarvapāśebhyo ye divyā ye ca mānuṣāḥ |

yūyam api bhikṣavo muktāḥ sarvapāśebhyo ye divyā ye ca mānuṣāḥ | tato bhikṣavaś

cārikāṁ prakramiṣyāmo bahujanasukhāya lokānukampāyai arthāya hitāya sukhāya

devamanuṣyāṇām | mā ca vo dvāv ekena gamiṣyatha | aham api yenorubilvāsenāya-

nīgrāmakas tena cārikāṁ prakramiṣyāmi |

atha mārasya pāpīyasa etad abhavat: ayāṁ śramaṇo gautamo vārāṇasyāṁ

viharati ḫśivadane mrgadāve | evāṁ śrāvakān dharmāṁ deśayati: mukto 'ham

bhikṣavah sarvapāśebhyo ye ca divyā ye ca mānuṣāḥ | yūyam api bhikṣavo muktāḥ

sarvapāśebhyo ye ca divyā ye ca mānuṣāḥ | yāvad aham api yenorubilvāsenāyanīgrā-

makas tena cārikām̄ prakramiṣyāmīti | yan nv aham asyopasaṅkrameyam̄ yad uta

vyākṣepakarmani |

atha mārah pāpīyān māṇavakavarṇam ātmānam abhinirmāya yena bhagavāṁs

tenopasaṅkrāntah | upasaṅkramya bhagavato 'ntike tiṣṭhan gāthām̄ bhāṣate:

amukto muktasamjñī san kiṁ mukto 'smīti manyase |

mahābandhanabaddho 'si na me śramaṇa mokṣyase ||

atha bhagavata etad abhavat: māro batāyam̄ pāpīyān upasaṅkrānto yad uta

vyākṣepakarmani | iti viditvā gāthām̄ bhāṣate:

mukto 'haṁ sarvapāśebhyo ye divyā ye ca mānuṣāḥ |

evam jānīhi pāpīyan nihatas tvam ihaṇtaka ||

atha mārasya pāpīyasa etad abhavat: jānāti me śramaṇo gautamaś cetasā cittam |

iti viditvā duḥkhī durmanā vipratīsārī tatraivāntarhitah | ...

**vinaye  
saṅghabhedavastu |**

...

bhagavān vārāṇasyām viharati ṛṣivadane mṛgadāve | tatra bhagavān bhiksūn āmantrayate sma: mukto 'ham bhikṣavah sarvapāśebhyo ye divyā ye ca mānuṣāḥ | yūyam api bhikṣavo muktāḥ sarvapāśebhyo ye divyā ye ca mānuṣāḥ | tato bhikṣavaś cārikām prakramiṣyāmo bahujanasukhāya lokānukampāyai arthāya hitāya sukhāya devamanuṣyānām | mā ca vo dvāv ekena gamiṣyatha | aham api yenorubilvāsenāyanīgrāmakas tena cārikām prakramiṣyāmi |

atha mārasya pāpīyasa etad abhavat: ayam śramaṇo gautamo vārāṇasyām viharati ṛṣivadane mṛgadāve | evam śrāvakān dharmāṁ deśayati: mukto 'ham bhikṣavah sarvapāśebhyo ye ca divyā ye ca mānuṣāḥ | yūyam api bhikṣavo muktāḥ sarvapāśebhyo ye ca divyā ye ca mānuṣāḥ | yāvad aham api yenorubilvāsenāyanīgrāmakas tena cārikām prakramiṣyāmīti | yan nv aham asyopasaṅkrameyam yad uta vyākṣepakarmaṇi |

atha mārah pāpīyān māṇavakavarṇam ātmānam abhinirmāya yena bhagavāṁs tenopasaṅkrāntah | upasaṅkramya bhagavato 'ntike tiṣṭhan gāthām bhāṣate:

amukto muktasamjñī san kiṁ mukto 'smīti manyase |  
mahābandhanabaddho 'si na me śramaṇa mokṣyase ||

atha bhagavata etad abhavat: māro batāyam pāpīyān upasaṅkrānto yad uta vyākṣepakarmaṇi | iti viditvā gāthām bhāṣate:

mukto 'ham sarvapāśebhyo ye divyā ye ca mānuṣāḥ |  
evam jānīhi pāpīyan nihatas tvam ihaṇtaka ||

atha mārasya pāpīyasa etad abhavat: jānāti me śramaṇo gautamaś cetasā cittam | iti viditvā duḥkhī durmanā vipratīsārī tatraivāntarhitah | ...

## 2. The Four Noble Truths (*Arthaviniścayasūtra*)

The *Arthaviniścaya Sūtra* provides definitions for twenty-seven important items or categories (*artha*) of the Buddha's teaching, such as the four meditative absorptions (*catur dhyāna*), the five aggregates (*pañca skandha*), the seven factors of enlightenment (*sapta bodhyāṅga*), etc. This compendium belongs to the same class of texts as the Pāli *Dasuttara* and *Saṅgīti* suttas, which also offer extensive listings of Buddhist doctrines arranged numerically, anticipating or mirroring the structure of certain Abhidharma texts.

The historical importance of this scripture is attested by the existence of a commentary (*nibandhana*) and both Tibetan and Chinese translations. The quotes and references to the *Arthaviniścaya Sūtra* found in various scholastic works also point to its widespread use as a kind of manual or catechism of the Buddha's teaching. Even today this text can serve as a useful reference work for students who wish to study systematically the Sanskrit vocabulary and expressions used to define key Buddhist ideas.

Our text includes the introductory enumeration of topics (*uddesa*), the expositions (*nirdeśa*) on the Four Noble Truths (*catur āryasatya*) and the Eightfold Noble Path (*āryāṣṭāṅgamārga*), and the Buddha's concluding words of exhortation. While the *Arthaviniścaya Sūtra* provides the usual definitions of the Four Noble Truths, some of the explanations given in the section on the Eightfold Noble Path depart from the traditional accounts of these teachings found in the Pāli Nikāyas. The section on the Four Noble Truths also includes a well-known simile which has been judiciously interpolated by the compilers of this text.

## 二、四聖諦

摘自 *Arthaviniścayasūtra* 《決定義經》

《決定義經》解釋了佛陀教法中的二十七個重要名相（*artha*），例如「四禪」（*catur dhyāna*）、「五蘊」（*pañca skandha*）、「七覺支」（*sapta bodhyāṅga*）等。該文獻類似巴利語的《十上經》（*Dasuttara Sutta*）和《眾集經》（*Saṅgīti Sutta*），都是列出並解釋許多重要的「法數」，即帶有數字的佛教名相。這種經與某些阿毘達摩論書具有相似的結構。

這部經的重要性，從本經存在一部注釋書（*nibandhana*）以及藏、漢兩個譯本，即可得證。從各種佛教論書對《決定義經》的旁徵博引，也可以看出其作為教義問答手冊而得

到的廣泛傳播。即使在現代，對於有志學習佛教梵語的人，特別是關於佛教名相的梵語表達，《決定義經》也可以作為一本適當的參考資料。

我們所選擇的文本包括以下三個部分：本經所解釋的二十七個名相的列舉（*uddeśa*），對於四聖諦（*catur āryasatya*）和八正道（*āryāṣṭāṅgamārga*）的闡釋（*nirdeśa*），以及佛陀對聽眾所說的勸勉。《決定義經》提供了關於四聖諦的慣常解釋，但對於八正道的某些解釋，與巴利尼柯耶（*Nikāya*）的傳統解釋則有所不同。四聖諦的文本中還包括一個眾所周知的譬喻，該譬喻應為經文的編纂者所添加。

**arthaviniścayo nāma dharmaparyāyah |**

namo buddhāya |

evam mayā śrutam: ekasmin samaye bhagavān śrāvastyām viharati sma pūrvārāme

mīgāramātuḥ prāsāde mahatā bhikṣusaṅghena sārdham ardhatrayodaśabhir bhikṣu-

śataih | tatra ca bhagavān dhīragambhīramadhurodāranirdoṣasvareṇa bhikṣūn

āmantrayate sma: dharmām vo bhikṣavo deśayiṣyāmi, ādau kalyāṇam madhye

kalyāṇam paryavasāne kalyāṇam, svartham suvyāñjanam, kevalam paripūrṇam

pariśuddham paryavadātam brahmacaryam samprakāśayiṣye, yad utārthaviniśca-

yam nāma dharmaparyāyam | tac chṛṇuta sādhu ca suṣṭhu ca manasikuruta, bhāsiṣye |

sādhu bhagavann iti te bhikṣavo bhagavataḥ pratyaśrauṣuh ||

bhagavāṁs tān idam avocat: katamaś cāsau bhikṣavo 'rthaviniścayo nāma

dharmaparyāyah? yad uta: pañca skandhāḥ, pañcopādānaskandhāḥ, aṣṭādaśa dhā-

tavaḥ, dvādaśāyatanāni, dvādaśāṅgaḥ pratītyasamutpādaḥ, catvāry āryasatyāni,

dvāvīmśatir indriyāṇi, catvāri dhyānāni, catasra ārūpyasamāpattayah, catvāro  
 brahmavihārāḥ, catasrah pratipadah, catasrah samādhibhāvanāḥ, catvāri smṛtyu-  
 pasthānāni, catvāri samyakprahāṇāni, catvāra ṛddhipādāḥ, pañcendriyāṇi, pañca  
 balāni, sapta bodhyaṅgāni, āryāṣṭāṅgamārgaḥ, śoḍāśākārānāpānānusmṛtiḥ, catvāri  
 srotāpattyāṅgāni, daśa tathāgatabalāni, catvāri vaiśāradadyāni, catasrah pratisaṁvidah,  
 aṣṭādaśāveṇikā buddhadharmāḥ, dvātrimśan mahāpuruṣalakṣaṇāni, aśītir anu-  
 vyāñjanāni | ayaṁ bhikṣavo 'rthaviniścayasya dharmaparyāyasyoddeśah ||  
 ...

tatra katamāni catvāry āryasatyāni? tadyathā: duḥkham āryasatyam, duḥkha-  
 samudaya āryasatyam, duḥkhanirodha āryasatyam, duḥkhanirodhagāminī pratipa-  
 dāryasatyam ||

tatra duḥkham āryasatyam katamat? tadyathā: jātir duḥkham, jarā duḥkham,  
 vyādhir duḥkham, maraṇam duḥkham, priyaviyogo duḥkham, apriyasamyogo

duḥkham, rūpam duḥkham, vedanā duḥkham, saṃjñā duḥkham, saṃskārā duḥkham,

vijñānam duḥkham, yad apīcchan paryeśamāṇo na labhate tad api duḥkham,

saṃkṣiptena pañcopādānaskandhā duḥkham | idam ucyate duḥkham āryasatyam ||

tatra duḥkhasamudaya āryasatyam katamat? tadyathā: tṛṣṇā paunARBhavikī

nandīrāgasahagatā tatra tatrābhinandinī | idam ucyate duḥkhasamudaya āryasatyam ||

tatra duḥkhanirodha āryasatyam katamat? yad asyā eva tṛṣṇāyāḥ paunARBhavikyā

nandīrāgasahagatāyās tatra tatrābhinandinyā aśeṣataḥ prahāṇam pratiniḥsargo

vyantibhāvah kṣayo virāgo nirodho vyupaśamo 'stamgamah | idam ucyate duḥkha-

nirodha āryasatyam ||

tatra duḥkhanirodhagāminī pratipadāryasatyam katamat? ayam eva samyag-

drṣṭyādir āryāṣṭāṅgo mārgaḥ | tadyathā: samyagdrṣṭih, samyakṣaṃkalpaḥ, samyag-

vāk, samyakkarmāntaḥ, samyagājīvaḥ, samyagvyāyāmaḥ, samyaksmṛtiḥ, samyak-

samādhir iti | tadyathā kaścit puruṣo jvarābhībhūtaḥ kuśalasammataḥ drṣṭakarmā-

ṣam śrutasāstram vaidyam upasamkramya brūyāt: jvarābhībhūto 'smi, asyopasa-  
 māyausadham upadiśyamānam icchāmīti | sa tasya bhiṣak prāg nidānam eva prcchet:  
 kiṁ tvayā bhuktam pītam veti | āturas tasya kathayet: mayā hi dadhi trapuṣam  
 bhakṣitam annapānaṁ ca takram pītam iti | tasya sa bhiṣag viṣaśoṣanam upadiśya  
 auṣadham upadiśet | evam eva jātyādimahājvarasamtāpitāḥ sādhavo mahācitta-  
 bhiṣajam mahākāruṇikam tathāgatam upasamkramya duḥkhajvarāpaham dharmam  
 prccheyuh | tebhyo bhagavān nidānam samudayākhyam ākhyāya āryāṣṭāṅga-  
 mahauṣadham śāntikaram nirvāṇam upadiśet | kleśāturo 'py enam mārgam bhā-  
 vayann acirāt sarvaduḥkhakṣayam avāpya nirvāṇapuram gatvā parām śāntim  
 avāpnotīti | idam ucyate duḥkhanirodhagāminī pratipadāryasatyam ||  
 imāni bhikṣavaś catvāryāryasatyāni ||

...

tatra bhikṣavah katama āryāṣṭāṅgo mārgah? tadyathā: samyagdrṣṭih, samyak-

sam̄kalpah, samyagvāk, samyakkarmāntah, samyagājīvah, samyagvyāyāmaḥ, sam-yaksmṛtiḥ, samyaksamādhiś ca ||

tatra bhikṣavah samyagdrṣṭih katamā? asty ayam lokaḥ, asti paralokaḥ, asti mātā,  
asti pitā, asti dattam, asti hutam, astīṣṭāniṣṭasukṛtaduṣkṛtānāṁ karmaṇām phala-vipākah, santi loke samyaggatāḥ samyakpratipannā iti | iyam bhikṣavah samyag-drṣṭih | tadviparītā mithyādrṣṭih ||

samyaksam̄kalpah katamah? buddhatvādipariṇāmitam śīlam dānam, na cakra-vartyādipariṇāmitam | ayam bhikṣavah samyaksam̄kalpah ||  
samyagvāk katamā? iha bhikṣavah pāruṣyānṛtapaiśunyasam̄bhinnapralāpavar-jitā vāk | iyam ucyate samyagvāk ||

samyakkarmāntah katamah? kāyavāṇimanasām daśakuśaleśu karmapatheśu vyā-pārah | tatra kāyikam trividham: prāṇātipātādattādānakāmamithyācārād viratiḥ | vācikam caturvidham: anṛtapaiśunyapāruṣyasyasam̄bhinnapralāpād viratiḥ | mānasam

trividham: abhidhyāvyāpādamithyādṛṣṭibhyo viratiḥ || tatra prāṇātipātaḥ katamah?  
 prāṇī ca bhavati, prāṇisamjñī ca bhavati, vad hakacittam cotpādayati, upakramam ca  
 karoti | jīvitād vyaparopayati | ayam ucyate bhikṣavah prāṇātipātaḥ | anyatra  
 pramādād adṛṣṭād vāprāṇivadhaḥ | tatra adattādānam katamat? steyacittasya para-  
 dravyasvīkaraṇam adattādānam | anyatra mātṛpitṛbhrātṛsvajanamitradravyasya sval-  
 pasyānuparodhino grahaṇam nādattādānam | tatra kāmamithyācāraḥ katamah?  
 parastrīṇām upabhogo bhartrājamaṁtṛpitṛrakṣitānām, athavā asthānāgamyādeśā-  
 kāleṣu vipratipattiḥ | ayam ucyate kāmamithyācāraḥ | kāyikam etat trividham ||  
 anṛtam katamat? sākṣipraśne yathābhūtād vitathavacanam anṛtam | anarhato vā  
 arhann asmīti parihāsavavarjam | idam ucyate 'nṛtam | paīśunyam katamat? abhūtena  
 satyena vā bhedakaram vacanam paīśunyam | idam ucyate paīśunyam | pāruṣyam  
 katamat? paraduhkhacikīrṣor aniṣṭavacanaśrāvaṇam pāruṣyam | duhkham asya  
 bhavatv ity anayā buddhyā yad aniṣṭavacanaśrāvaṇam kriyate tat pāruṣyam | idam  
 ucyate pāruṣyam | saṁbhinnapralāpaḥ katamah? tadyathā: rājakathā, corakathā,

yuddhakathā, madyakathā, dyūtakathā, strīkathā, ākhyāyikakathā kathanam vā |

ayam ucyate saṃbhinnapralāpaḥ | vācikam etac caturvidham || tatrābhidhyā katamā?

paradravyasvīkaraṇecchābhidhyā | yāny asya dravyāṇi tāni mama syur iti | iyam

ucyate 'bhidhyā | tatra vyāpādaḥ katamah? parajīvitavyaparopanāvacchedanapīḍādi-

cintanam | ayam ucyate vyāpādaḥ | tatra mithyādṛṣṭih katamā? nāsty ayaṁ lokah,

nāsti paraloka iti pūrvavat | etan mānasam̄ trividham ||

tatra samyagājīvah katamah? bhikṣos tāvat kuhanā lapanā naimittikatvam̄

naiśpeśikatvam̄ lābhena lābhapratikāṅkṣā ca || tatra kuhanā katamā? bhikṣur

dānapatiṁ dṛṣṭvā paryāṅkam baddhvā pathi śūnyāgāre vā niśidati, dhyāyī bhikṣur

ayam arhann iti lābhasatkāro me bhaviyatīti | evamādikā kuhanety ucyate | tatra

lapanā katamā? iha bhikṣur lābhasatkārānimittam eva, tvam̄ me mātā, tvam̄ me pitā,

tvam̄ me bhagini, tvam̄ me duhitety evam anyāny api priyavacanāni bravīti |

evamādikā lapaney ucyate | tatra naimittikatvam̄ katamat? bhikṣus tāvat piṇḍapātam̄

paribhujya asakṛd brūte: yādṛśo 'yam piṇḍapātas tādṛśo 'nyeşüpāsakagrheśu na

labhyate | alābhasatkāracittasya tu vadato 'doṣah | idam ucyate naimittikatvam | tatra  
 naiśpeśikatvam̄ katamat? bhikṣus tāvad yatra grhe piṇḍapātam̄ na labhate,  
 dāpayitukāmaś ca bhavati, tatra brūte: adānapatayo hi nirayam̄ gacchanti | yūyam  
 apy adānapatayo vyaktam̄ nirayagāmina iti | narakabhayabhītāḥ piṇḍapātam̄ anu-  
 prayacchati | tam̄ ca labdhvā paribhuṇkte | idam ucyate naiśpeśikatvam | tatra  
 lābhena lābhapratikāṅkṣā katamā? bhikṣus tāvad ātmīyena dhanena śobhanāni  
 cīvarāṇi copakrīya upāsakebhyo darśayati: īdrśāni vayam̄ vastrāṇi dānapatibhyo  
 labhāmaha iti | te lajjitā yāni vastrāṇi prayacchanti tāni paribhuṇkte | iyam ucyate  
 bhikṣavo lābhena lābhapratikāṅkṣā | ayam̄ bhikṣavo mithyājīvah | asmād viratir iti  
 samyagājīvah || iha khalu bhikṣava upāsakasya mithyājīvah katamah? viśavikrayah,  
 śastravikrayah, sattvavikrayah, madyavikrayah, māṃsavikrayah, apravekṣitatila-  
 sarṣapapīḍanam̄ mithyājīvah | asmād viratiḥ | ayam ucyate bhikṣavah samyagājīvah ||  
 tatra samyagvyāyāmah katamah? iha bhikṣavo 'bhivādanavandanapratyutthā-  
 nāñjalisāmīcīkarma karanīyam | ayam ucyate bhikṣavah samyagvyāyāmah ||

tatra samyaksmṛtiḥ katamā? iha khalu bhikṣavo bhikṣuḥ striyam drṣṭvā utpanne  
rāge bāhyādhyātmikayoh śārīrayor aśubhākāreṇa yathābhūtadarśī bhavati: sānty  
asmin kāye keśā romāṇi nakhā dantā rajo malam tvaṁ māṁsam asthi snāyuḥ śirā  
vrkkā hṛdayam plīhā klomaka āmāśayah pakvāśaya antrāṇy antraguṇā audarīyakam  
yakṛt purīsam aśruḥ svedah khedah simhāṇako vasā lasikā majjā medah pittam  
śleṣmā pūyam śoṇitam mastakam mastakaluṅga uccāraprasrāvaiḥ pūrṇam nānā-  
prakārasyāśucer iti | iyam ucyate bhikṣavah samyaksmṛtiḥ ||

samyaksamādhiḥ katamah? catvāri dhyānāni | iha bhikṣavo bhikṣur viviktam  
kāmair viviktam pāpakair akuśaladharmaiḥ savitarkam savicāram vivekajam prīti-  
sukham prathamam dhyānam upasampadya viharati | sa vitarkavicārāṇām vyupa-  
śamād adhyātmasaṁprasādāc cetasa ekotībhāvād avitarkam avicāram samādhijam  
prītisukham dvitīyam dhyānam upasampadya viharati | sa prīter virāgād upeksako  
viharati smṛtaḥ saṁprajānan, sukham ca kāyena pratisaṁvedayati | yat tad āryā  
ācakṣate: upeksakah smṛtimān sukhavihārīti tṛtīyam dhyānam upasampadya viha-

rati | sa sukhasya ca prahāṇād duḥkhasya ca prahāṇāt pūrvam eva ca saumanasya-  
daurmanasyayor astamgamād aduhkhāsukham upekṣāsmṛtipariśuddham caturtham  
dhyānam upasampadya viharati | imāni khalu bhikṣavaś catvāri dhyānāni | ayam  
ucyate samyaksamādhiḥ ||

ayam bhikṣava āryāṣṭāṅgo mārgaḥ ||

...

etāni vo bhikṣavo 'ranyāyatanañi vṛkṣamūlāni śūnyāgārāṇi parvatakandaragiri-  
guhāpalālapuñjāni, abhyavakāśaśmaśānavanaprasthaprāntāni śayanāsanāny adhyā-  
vasata | dhyāyata bhikṣavo mā pramādyata | mā paścād vipratisāriṇo bhaviṣyatha |  
idam anuśāsanam ||

asmin khalu dharmaparyāye bhāṣyamāṇe pañcānām bhikṣuśatānām anupādāya  
āsravebhyaś cittāni vimuktāni |

idam avocad bhagavān | āttamanās te bhikṣavah, sā ca sarvāvatī parṣat sadeva-

mānuṣāsuragandharvaś ca loko bhagavato bhāṣitam abhyanandann iti ||

arthaviniścayadharmaṇyāyah samāptah ||

## arthaviniścayo nāma dharmaparyāyah |

namo buddhāya |

evam mayā śrutam: ekasmin samaye bhagavān śrāvastyām viharati sma pūrvārāme mrgāramātuḥ prāsāde mahatā bhikṣusaṅghena sārdham ardhatrayodaśabhir bhikṣuśataiḥ | tatra ca bhagavān dhīragambhīramadhurodāranirdośasvareṇa bhikṣūn āmantrayate sma: dharmam vo bhikṣavo deśayiṣyāmi, ādau kalyāṇam madhye kalyāṇam paryavasāne kalyāṇam, svartham suvyāñjanam, kevalam paripūrṇam pariśuddham paryavadātam brahmacaryam samprakāśayiṣye, yad utārthaviniścayam nāma dharmaparyāyam | tac chṛṇuta sādhu ca suṣṭhu ca manasikuruta, bhāsiṣye | sādhu bhagavann iti te bhikṣavo bhagavataḥ pratyaśrauṣuh ||

bhagavāṁs tān idam avocat: katamaś cāsau bhikṣavo 'rthaviniścayo nāma dharmaparyāyah? yad uta: pañca skandhāḥ, pañcopādānaskandhāḥ, aṣṭādaśa dhātavāḥ, dvādaśāyatanañāni, dvādaśāṅgaḥ pratītyasamutpādaḥ, catvāry āryasatyāni, dvāvimiśatir indriyāṇi, catvāri dhyānāni, catasra ārūpyasamāpattayah, catvāro brahmavihārāḥ, catasrah pratipadah, catasrah samādhībhāvanāḥ, catvāri smṛtyupasthānāni, catvāri samyakprahāṇāni, catvāra ṛddhipādāḥ, pañcendriyāṇi, pañca balāni, sapta bodhyaṅgāni, āryāṣṭāṅgamārgaḥ, ṣoḍaśākārānāpānānusmṛtiḥ, catvāri srotāpattyāṅgāni, daśa tathāgatabalāni, catvāri vaiśāradāyāni, catasrah pratisaṁvidah, aṣṭādaśāveṇikā buddhadharmāḥ, dvātrīṁśan mahāpuruṣalakṣaṇāni, aśītir anuvyañjanāni | ayan bhikṣavo 'rthaviniścayasya dharmaparyāyasyoddeśah ||

...

tatra katamāni catvāry āryasatyāni? tadyathā: duḥkham āryasatyam, duḥkha-samudaya āryasatyam, duḥkhanirodha āryasatyam, duḥkhanirodhagāminī pratipādāryasatyam ||

tatra duḥkham āryasatyam katamat? tadyathā: jātir duḥkham, jarā duḥkham, vyādhir duḥkham, maraṇam duḥkham, priyaviyogo duḥkham, apriyasamyogo duḥkham, rūpam duḥkham, vedanā duḥkham, saṃjñā duḥkham, saṃskārā duḥkham, vijñānam duḥkham, yad apīcchan paryeṣamāṇo na labhate tad api duḥkham, saṃkṣiptena pañcopādānaskandhā duḥkham | idam ucyate duḥkham āryasatyam ||

tatra duḥkhasamudaya āryasatyam katamat? tadyathā: ṭṛṣṇā paunarbhavikī nandīrāgasahagatā tatra tatrābhinandinī | idam ucyate duḥkhasamudaya āryasatyam ||

tatra duḥkhanirodha āryasatyam katamat? yad asyā eva ṭṛṣṇāyāḥ paunarbhavikyā nandīrāgasahagatāyāḥ tatra tatrābhinandinyā aśeṣataḥ prahāṇam pratiniḥsargo vyantībhāvah kṣayo virāgo nirodho vyupaśamo 'stamgamah | idam ucyate duḥkha-nirodha āryasatyam ||

tatra duḥkhanirodhagāminī pratipadāryasatyam katamat? ayam eva samyag-dṛṣṭyādir āryāṣṭāṅgo mārgaḥ | tadyathā: samyagdṛṣṭih, samyaksamkalpaḥ, samyag-vāk, samyakkarmāntaḥ, samyagājīvah, samyagvyāyāmaḥ, samyaksmṛtiḥ, samyak-samādhir iti | tadyathā kaścit puruṣo jvarābhībhūtaḥ kuśalasammataṁ dṛṣṭakarmāṇam śrutiśāstram vaidyam upasamkramya brūyat: jvarābhībhūto 'smi, asyopaśāmāyauṣadham upadiśyamānam icchāmīti | sa tasya bhiṣak prāg nidānam eva pṛcchet: kim tvayā bhuktam pītam veti | āturas tasya kathayet: mayā hi dadhi trapuṣam bhakṣitam annapānām ca takram pītam iti | tasya sa bhiṣag viṣaśoṣanām upadiśya auṣadham upadiśet | evam eva jātyādimahājvarasamtāpitāḥ sādhavo mahācitta-bhiṣajam mahākāruṇikam tathāgatam upasamkramya duḥkhajvarāpaham dharmām pṛccheyuh | tebhyo bhagavān nidānam samudayākhyam ākhyāya āryāṣṭāṅga-mahauṣadham śāntikaram nirvāṇam upadiśet | kleśāturo 'py enām mārgam bhāvayann acirāt sarvaduḥkhakṣayam avāpya nirvāṇapuram gatvā parām śāntim avāpnotīti | idam ucyate duḥkhanirodhagāminī pratipadāryasatyam ||

imāni bhikṣavaś catvāryāryasatyāni ||

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tatra bhikṣavah katama āryāṣṭāṅgo mārgaḥ? tadyathā: samyagdṛṣṭih, samyak-samkalpaḥ, samyagvāk, samyakkarmāntaḥ, samyagājīvah, samyagvyāyāmaḥ, sam-yaksmṛtiḥ, samyaksamādhiś ca ||

tatra bhikṣavah samyagdṛṣṭih katamā? asty ayam lokah, asti paralokah, asti mātā, asti pitā, asti dattam, asti hutam, astīṣṭāniṣṭasukṛtaduṣ्कृtānām karmaṇām phala-vipākah, santi loke samyaggatāḥ samyakpratipannā iti | iyam bhikṣavah samyag-dṛṣṭih | tadviparītā mithyādṛṣṭih ||

samyaksamkalpaḥ katamah? buddhatvādipariṇāmitaṁ śīlam dānam, na cakra-vartyādipariṇāmitam | ayam bhikṣavah samyaksamkalpaḥ ||

samyagvāk katamā? iha bhikṣavah pāruṣyānṛtapaiśunyasam̄bhinnapralāpavar-jitā vāk | iyam ucyate samyagvāk ||

samyakkarmāntah katamah? kāyavāñmanasām daśakuśaleśu karmapatheśu vyā-pārah | tatra kāyikam trividham: prāṇātipātādattādānakāmamithyācārād viratiḥ | vācikam caturvidham: anṛtapaiśunyapāruṣyasyasam̄bhinnapralāpād viratiḥ | mānasam trividham: abhidhyāvyāpādamithyādṛṣṭibhyo viratiḥ || tatra prāṇātipātah katamah? prāṇī ca bhavati, prāṇisamjñī ca bhavati, vad hakacittam cotpādayati, upakramam ca karoti | jīvitād vyaparopayati | ayam ucyate bhikṣavah prāṇātipātah | anyatra pramādād adṛṣṭād vāprāṇivadhaḥ | tatra adattādānam katamat? steyacittasya paradravyasvīkaraṇam adattādānam | anyatra mātrpitrbhrāt̄svajanamitradravyasya sval-pasyānuparodhino grahaṇam nādattādānam | tatra kāmamithyācāraḥ katamah? parastrīñām upabhogo bhartrājamātṛpitṛrakṣitānām, athavā asthānāgamyādeśā-kāleśu vipratipattiḥ | ayam ucyate kāmamithyācāraḥ | kāyikam etat trividham || anṛtam katamat? sākṣipraśne yathābhūtād vitathavacanam anṛtam | anarhato vā arhann asmīti parihāsavavarjam | idam ucyate 'nṛtam | paīsundayam katamat? abhūtena satyena vā bhedakaram vacanam paīsundayam | idam ucyate paīsundayam | pāruṣyam katamat? paraduḥkhacikīrṣor aniṣṭavacanaśrāvanam pāruṣyam | duḥkham asya bhavatv ity anayā buddhyā yad aniṣṭavacanaśrāvanam kriyate tat pāruṣyam | idam ucyate pāruṣyam | sam̄bhinnapralāpaḥ katamah? tadyathā: rājakathā, corakathā, yuddhakathā, madyakathā, dyūtakathā, strīkathā, ākhyāyikakathā kathanam vā | ayam ucyate sam̄bhinnapralāpaḥ | vācikam etac caturvidham || tatrābhidhyā katamā? paradravyasvīkaraṇecchābhidhyā | yāny asya dravyāṇi tāni mama syur iti | iyam ucyate 'bhidhyā | tatra vyāpādaḥ katamah? parajīvitavyaparopanāvacchedanapīḍādi-cintanam | ayam ucyate vyāpādaḥ | tatra mithyādṛṣṭih katamā? nāsty ayam lokah, nāsti paraloka iti pūrvavat | etan mānasam trividham ||

tatra samyagājīvah katamah? bhikṣos tāvat kuhanā lapanā naimittikatvam naiṣpeśikatvam lābhena lābhapratikāṅkṣā ca || tatra kuhanā katamā? bhikṣur dānapatiṁ dṛṣṭvā paryāṅkam baddhvā pathi śūnyāgāre vā niṣīdati, dhyāyī bhikṣur ayam arhann iti lābhasatkāro me bhaviyatīti | evamādikā kuhanety ucyate | tatra lapanā katamā? iha bhikṣur lābhasatkāranimittam eva, tvam me mātā, tvam me pitā, tvam me bhagini, tvam me duhitety evam anyāny api priyavacanāni bravīti | evamādikā lapanety ucyate | tatra naimittikatvam katamat? bhikṣus tāvat piṇḍapātam paribhujya asakṛd brūte: yādṛśo 'yam piṇḍapātas tādṛśo 'nyeṣūpāsakagrheśu na labhyate | alābhasatkāracittasya tu vadato 'doṣah | idam ucyate naimittikatvam | tatra

naiśpeśikatvam katamat? bhikṣus tāvad yatra gr̥he piṇḍapātam na labhate, dāpayitukāmaś ca bhavati, tatra brūte: adānapatayo hi nirayam gacchanti | yūyam apy adānapatayo vyaktam nirayagāmina iti | narakabhayabhītāḥ piṇḍapātam anuprayacchat | tam ca labdhvā paribhuñkte | idam ucyate naiśpeśikatvam | tatra lābhena lābhpratikāṅkṣā katamā? bhikṣus tāvad ātmīyena dhanena śobhanāni cīvarāṇi copakrīya upāsakebhyo darśayati: īdrśāni vayaṁ vastrāṇi dānapatibhyo labhāmaha iti | te lajjitā yāni vastrāṇi prayacchanti tāni paribhuñkte | iyam ucyate bhikṣavo lābhena lābhpratikāṅkṣā | ayam bhikṣavo mithyājīvah | asmād viratir iti samyagājīvah || iha khalu bhikṣava upāsakasya mithyājīvah katamah? viśavikrayah, śastravikrayah, sattvavikrayah, madyavikrayah, māṃsavikrayah, apravekṣitatilasarsapapīḍanam mithyājīvah | asmād viratiḥ | ayam ucyate bhikṣavah samyagājīvah ||

tatra samyagvyāyāmaḥ katamah? iha bhikṣavo 'bhivādanavandanapratyutthānāñjalisāmīcīkarma karanīyam | ayam ucyate bhikṣavah samyagvyāyāmaḥ ||

tatra samyaksmṛtiḥ katamā? iha khalu bhikṣavo bhikṣuh striyam dr̥ṣṭvā utpanne rāge bāhyādhyātmikayoh ūśarīrayor aśubhākareṇa yathābhūtadarśī bhavati: santy asmin kāye keśā romāṇi nakhā dantā rajo malam tvaṇ māṃsam asthi snāyuh ūśirā vṛkkā hṛdayam plīhā klomaka āmāśayah pakvāśaya antrāṇy antraguṇā audarīyakam yakṛt purīśam aśruḥ svedaḥ khedaḥ simhāṇako vasā lasikā majjā medaḥ pittam śleṣmā pūyam śoṇitam mastakam mastakaluṅga uccāraprasrāvaiḥ pūrṇam nānā-prakārasyāśucer iti | iyam ucyate bhikṣavah samyaksmṛtiḥ ||

samyaksamādhiḥ katamah? catvāri dhyānāni | iha bhikṣavo bhikṣur viviktam kāmair viviktam pāpакair akuśaladharmaiḥ savitarkam savicāram vivekajam prīti-sukham prathamam dhyānam upasampadya viharati | sa vitarkavicārāṇam vyupasāmād adhyātmasaṃprasādāc cetasa ekotībhāvād avitarkam avicāram samādhijam prītisukham dvitīyam dhyānam upasampadya viharati | sa prīter virāgād upekṣako viharati smṛtaḥ saṃprajānan, sukham ca kāyena pratisaṃvedayati | yat tad āryā ācakṣate: upekṣakah smṛtimān sukhavihārīti tr̥tīyam dhyānam upasampadya viharati | sa sukhasya ca prahāṇād duḥkhasya ca prahāṇāt pūrvam eva ca saumanasya-daurmanasyayor astaṃgamād aduḥkhāsukham upekṣāsmṛtipariśuddham caturtham dhyānam upasampadya viharati | imāni khalu bhikṣavaś catvāri dhyānāni | ayam ucyate samyaksamādhiḥ ||

ayam bhikṣava āryāśṭāṅgo mārgaḥ ||

...

etāni vo bhikṣavo 'ranyāyatanāni vṛkṣamūlāni śūnyāgārāṇi parvatakandaragiri-  
guhāpalālapuñjāni, abhyavakāśaśmaśānavanaprasthaprāntāni śayanāsanāny adhyā-  
vasata | dhyāyata bhikṣavo mā pramādyata | mā paścād vipratisāriṇo bhaviṣyatha |  
idam anuśāsanam ||

asmin khalu dharmaparyāye bhāṣyamāṇe pañcānām bhikṣuśatānām anupādāya  
āsravebhyaś cittāni vimuktāni |

idam avocad bhagavān | āttamanās te bhikṣavah, sā ca sarvāvatī parṣat sadeva-  
mānuśāsuragandharvaś ca loko bhagavato bhāṣitam abhyanandann iti ||

arthaviniścayadharmaṇyāyah samāptaḥ ||

### 3. Śāriputra and the Goddess

(*Vimalakīrtinirdeśasūtra*, ch. 6)

The *Vimalakīrtinirdeśa Sūtra* is an early Mahāyāna sūtra. This scripture, especially beloved in the East Asian Buddhist tradition, is remarkable for having a layman as its main protagonist—a wealthy householder and lay follower (*upāsaka*) of the Buddha named Vimalakīrti. The sūtra is named in reference to the elucidation or teaching (*nirdeśa*) on emptiness (*sūnyatā*) and non-duality (*advaya*) delivered by Vimalakīrti to a large group of monks and bodhisattvas.

At the end of chapter six, Vimalakīrti's instruction to Mañjuśrī, the head of the bodhisattvas, is interrupted by the appearance of a goddess in the layman's house. The ensuing conversation between the goddess and Śāriputra, one of the Buddha's chief monastic disciples (*śrāvaka*), is one of the most intriguing episodes from the whole sūtra. In this exchange, the eminent Śāriputra, traditionally regarded as “foremost in wisdom”, expresses the unenlightened Hīnayānist point of view. As the conversation unfolds, Śāriputra finds himself outmatched by the goddess, who displays her eloquence (*pratibhāna*) and magic powers to dispel the great disciple's mistaken notions (*vikalpa*).

### 三、舍利弗和天女

摘自 *Vimalakīrtinirdeśasūtra* 《維摩詰經》第六品

《維摩詰經》是早期的大乘佛經，特別受到東亞佛教傳統的喜愛。這部經以在家居士（*upāsaka*）維摩詰（Vimalakīrti）作為主要說法者。此經主要內容是維摩詰居士對一大群菩薩和僧侶講授關於「空性」（*sūnyatā*）以及「不二」（*advaya*）的教法（*nirdeśa*）。

我們所選取的文本出自《維摩詰經》第六品（漢譯本為第七品）。當維摩詰居士與上首菩薩文殊師利（Mañjuśrī）論說佛法時，室內出現天女散花。這位天女與舍利弗（Śāriputra）隨後進行的對答，是此經最有趣的情節之一。在此對答中，傳統上被認為「智慧第一」的舍利弗代表了小乘行者的立場。隨著對話的展開，天女以其辯才（*pratibhāna*）及神通力破除這位大聲聞弟子的錯誤分別（*vikalpa*）。

**vimalakīrtinirdeśe**

**devatāparivartah ṣaṣṭhah |**

...

atha yā tatra gr̥he devatā prativasati sā teṣāṁ bodhisatvānāṁ mahāsatvānāṁ imam

dharmanirdeśam śrutvā tuṣṭodagrāttamanā, audārikam ātmabhāvam samdarśya

divyaiḥ puṣpais tān mahāsatvāṁs tāmś ca mahāśrāvakān abhyavakirati sma |

abhyavakīrṇānāṁ ca tatra yāni bodhisatvānāṁ kāye puṣpāṇi patitāni tāni dharanītale

pratiṣṭhitāni | yāni punar mahāśrāvakāṇāṁ kāye puṣpāṇi patitāni tāni tatraiva sthitāni,

na bhūmau patitāni | tatas te mahāśrāvakā ṛddhiprātihāryais tāni puṣpāṇy utsṛjanti,

na ca patanti |

atha sā devatāyuṣmantam śāriputram evam āha: kim bhadanta śāriputra etāni

puṣpāṇy utsṛjasī?

āha: akalpikāni devate etāni puṣpāṇi | tasmād aham etāni puṣpāṇy apanayāmi |

devatāha: mā bhadanta śāriputra evam vocah | tat kasmād dhetoh? etāni hi  
 puṣpāṇi kalpikāni | kim kāraṇam? tathā hy etāni puṣpāṇi na kalpayanti na  
 vikalpayanti | sthavirah punah śāriputrah kalpayati vikalpayati ca | ye bhadanta  
 śāriputra svākhyāte dharmavinaye pravrajyām kalpayanti vikalpayanti ca te  
 'kalpikāḥ | sthaviras tu kalpayati vikalpayati ca | ye punar na kalpayanti na  
 vikalpayanti te kalpikāḥ | paśya bhadanta śāriputra eṣāṁ mahāsatvānām kāye  
 puṣpāṇi na śliyanti | yathāpi nāma sarvakalpavikalpaprahīṇatvāt | tadyathāpi nāma  
 bhīrukajātīyasya puruṣasyāmanuṣyā avatāram labhante | evam eva samsārabhaya-  
 bhītānām rūpaśabdagandharasaspraṣṭavyāny avatāram labhante | ye punah sarva-  
 samsārakleśabhayavigataḥ kim teṣāṁ rūpaśabdagandharasaspraṣṭavyāni kariṣyanti?  
 yeṣāṁ vāsanāprahīṇā teṣāṁ kāye puṣpāṇi śliyanti | tasmāt sarvavāsanāprahīṇānām  
 kāye puṣpāṇi na śliyanti |

atha khalv āyuṣmāñ śāriputras tām devatām etad avocat: kiyacciranivīṣṭā punas  
 tvām devate iha gṛhe?

āha: yāvacciraniviṣṭā sthavirasyāryā vimuktih |

āha: na cirasthitā tvam devate iha grhe?

āha: kiyacciraniviṣṭā punah sthavirasyāryā vimuktih?

tataḥ sthaviras tūṣṇīm abhūt |

āha: kim idānīm mahāprajñānām agryah sthaviras tūṣṇīm abhūt, prāptakālam

praśnam na visarjayati?

āha: apravyāhārā hi devate vimuktih | tan na jāne kim vyāharāmīti |

āha: yad yad eva sthaviro 'kṣaram udāharati sarvāṇy etāny akṣarāṇi vimukti-

lakṣaṇāni | tat kasmād dhetoh? yā hi sā vimuktih sā nādhyātmam na bahir nobhayam

antareṇopalabhyate | evam akṣarāṇy api | tasmāt tarhi bhadanta śāriputra mā

akṣarāpanayena vimuktim nirdiśa | tat kasmād dhetoh? sarvadharmaśamatā hi

vimuktih |

āha: nanu devate rāgadoṣamohavigamād vimuktih?

devatāha: abhimānikānām esa nirdeśo rāgadoṣamohavigamād vimuktir iti | ye

nirabhimānikās teṣāṁ rāgadoṣamohaprakṛtir eva vimuktih |

atha khalv āyuṣmāñ śāriputras tām devatām etad avocat: sādhu sādhu devate kim

tvayā prāptam kim vā sākṣātkṛtam yasyās ta īdrśam pratibhānam?

āha: na mayā bhadanta śāriputra kimcit prāptam sākṣātkṛtam vā | tena ma īdrśam

pratibhānam | yeṣām evam bhavaty asmābhiḥ prāptam vā sākṣātkṛtam ceti te

svākhyāte dharmavinaya ābhimānikā ity ucyante |

āha: kim tvam devate śrāvakayānikā pratyekabuddhayānikā mahāyānikā vā?

āha: śrāvakayānikāsmi śrāvakayānasūcanatayā, pratyekabuddhayānikāsmi pra-

tītyadhamāvatāreṇa, mahāyānikāsmi mahākaruṇānutsṛjanatayā | ...

āha: kim tvam devate strībhāvam na nivartayasi?

āha: paripūrṇāni me dvādaśavarṣāṇy upādāya strībhāvam paryeṣamāṇāyā na

cainam labhe | api ca bhadanta śāriputra yā māyākāreṇa strīnirmitā yas tām evam

vadet, kim tvam strībhāvam na nivartayasīti, sa kim vadet?

āha: na tasyāḥ kācid bhūtā pariniṣpattiḥ |

āha: evam eva bhadanta śāriputra apariniṣpanneṣu sarvadharmeṣu māyānirmita-

svabhāveṣu kutas tavaivam bhavati: kim tvam strībhāvam na nivartayasīti?

atha sā devatā tādṛśam adhiṣṭhānam adhitīṣṭhati sma, yathā sthavirah śāriputro

yādṛśī sā devatā tādṛśah samḍṛṣyate, sā devatā yādṛśah sthaviras tādṛśī samḍṛṣyate |

atha sā devatā śāriputrarūpā śāriputram devatārūpadhāriṇam apr̄cchat: kim bhadanta

śāriputra strībhāvam na nivartayasi?

śāriputro devatārūpy āha: na jāne kim vinivartayāmīti | puruṣarūpam antarhitam

strīrūpam me nirvṛttam |

āha: yadi sthavirah śakṣyati strībhāvam vinivartayitum, tataḥ sarvāḥ striyo 'pi

strībhāvam̄ vinivartayiṣyanti | yathā sthaviro na strī strīva samḍrśyate, evam̄

sarvastrīṇām̄ api strīrūpam | na ca striyah, strīrūpāś ca samḍrśyante | idam̄ samḍhāya

bhagavān̄ āha: sarvadharmā na strī na puruṣa iti |

atha sā devatā tad adhiṣṭhānam̄ avāśrjat | athāyuṣmāñ śāriputrah punar̄ eva

svarūpasamanvāgato babhūva | atha sā devatāyuṣmantam̄ śāriputram̄ evam̄ āha: kva

nu te bhadanta śāriputra strīrūpam̄ kṛtam̄ gatam?

āha: na tat kṛtam̄ na vikṛtam |

āha: evam̄ eva sarvadharmā na kṛtā na vikṛtāḥ | yatra ca na kṛtir na vikṛtis tad

buddhavacanam |

āha: itas tvam̄ devate cyutā kutropapatsyase?

āha: yatraiva tathāgatanirmita upapatsyate, tatraivāham̄ upapatsye |

āha: tathāgatanirmitasya na cyutir nopapattiḥ |

āha: evam eva sarvadharmāṇām na cyutir nopapattiḥ |

āha: kiyaccireṇa punar devate bodhim abhisambhotsyase?

āha: yadā sthavirah pṛthagjanadharmaśamanvāgato bhaviṣyati, tadāham bodhim

abhisambhotsye |

āha: asthānam etad devate yad aham pṛthagjanadharmaśamanvāgataḥ syām |

āha: evam eva bhadanta śāriputra asthānam etad yad aham bodhim abhisam-

bhotsye | tat kasmād dhetoh? asthānasthitaiva hi bodhiḥ | tasmād asthānam na kaścid

abhisambhotsyate |

sthavira āha: uktam devate tathāgatena gaṅgānadīvālikāśamās tathāgatā abhi-

sambuddhā abhisambudhyante 'bhisaṁbhotsyante ca |

devatāha: akṣaragaṇanāśamketādhivacanam etad bhadanta śāriputra atītānāgata-

pratyutpannā buddhā iti | na punar buddhā atītā vānāgatā vā vartamānā vā |

tryadhvasamatikrāntā hi bodhiḥ | api ca prāptam sthavireṇārhatvam?

āha: prāptam asamprāptikāraṇena |

āha: evam evābhisaṁbodhir anabhisambodhikāraṇena |

atha vimalakīrtir licchavir āyuṣmantam śāriputram evam āha: dvānavatibuddha-kotīparyupāsitā bhadanta śāriputra eṣā devatābhijñājñānavikrīḍitā praṇidhānasa-mucchritā kṣāntipratilabdhaivaivartikasamavasarāṇā praṇidhānavaśena yathēcchati tathā tiṣṭhati satvaparipākāya ||

devatāparivartah ṣaṣṭhah ||

**vimalakīrtinirdeśe  
devatāparivartah ṣaṣṭhah |**

...

atha yā tatra gr̄he devatā prativasati sā teṣāṁ bodhisatvānāṁ mahāsatvānāṁ imam̄ dharmanirdeśam̄ śrutvā tuṣṭodagrāttamanā, audārikam̄ ātmabhāvam̄ sam̄darśya divyaiḥ puṣpais tān mahāsatvāṁs tāmś ca mahāśrāvakān abhyavakirati sma | abhyavakīrṇānāṁ ca tatra yāni bodhisatvānāṁ kāye puṣpāṇi patitāni tāni dharaṇitale pratiṣṭhitāni | yāni punar mahāśrāvakāṇāṁ kāye puṣpāṇi patitāni tāni tatraiva sthitāni, na bhūmau patitāni | tatas te mahāśrāvakā ṛddhiprātihāryais tāni puṣpāṇy utsṛjanti, na ca patanti |

atha sā devatāyuṣmantam̄ śāriputram evam āha: kim̄ bhadanta śāriputra etāni puṣpāṇy utsṛjasi?

āha: akalpikāni devate etāni puṣpāṇi | tasmād aham etāni puṣpāṇy apanayāmi |

devatāha: mā bhadanta śāriputra evam̄ vocaḥ | tat kasmād dhetoh? etāni hi puṣpāṇi kalpikāni | kim̄ kāraṇam? tathā hy etāni puṣpāṇi na kalpayanti na vikalpayanti | sthavirah punah śāriputrah kalpayati vikalpayati ca | ye bhadanta śāriputra svākhyāte dharmavinaye pravrajyāṁ kalpayanti vikalpayanti ca te 'kalpikāḥ | sthaviras tu kalpayati vikalpayati ca | ye punar na kalpayanti na vikalpayanti te kalpikāḥ | paśya bhadanta śāriputra eṣāṁ mahāsatvānāṁ kāye puṣpāṇi na śliṣyanti | yathāpi nāma sarvakalpavikalpaprahīṇatvāt | tadyathāpi nāma bhīrukajātīyasya puruṣasyāmanuṣyā avatāram labhante | evam̄ eva saṃsārabhaya-bhītānāṁ rūpaśabdagandharasaspraṣṭavyāny avatāram labhante | ye punah sarva-saṃsārakleśabhayavigatāḥ kim̄ teṣāṁ rūpaśabdagandharasaspraṣṭavyāni kariṣyanti? yeṣāṁ vāsanāprahīṇā teṣāṁ kāye puṣpāṇi śliṣyanti | tasmāt sarvavāsanāprahīṇānāṁ kāye puṣpāṇi na śliṣyanti |

atha khalv āyuṣmāñ śāriputras tām̄ devatām etad avocat: kiyacciraniviṣṭā punas tvam̄ devate iha gr̄he?

āha: yāvacciraniviṣṭā sthavirasyāryā vimuktih |

āha: na cirasthitā tvam̄ devate iha gr̄he?

āha: kiyacciraniviṣṭā punah sthavirasyāryā vimuktih?

tataḥ sthaviras tūṣṇīm abhūt |

āha: kim idānīm mahāprajñānām agryah sthaviras tūṣṇīm abhūt, prāptakālam praśnam na visarjayati?

āha: apravyāhārā hi devate vimuktih | tan na jāne kim vyāharāmīti |

āha: yad yad eva sthaviro 'kṣaram udāharati sarvāṇy etāny akṣarāṇi vimuktislakṣaṇāni | tat kasmād dhetoh? yā hi sā vimuktih sā nādhyātmam na bahir nobhayam antareṇopalabhyate | evam akṣarāṇy api | tasmāt tarhi bhadanta śāriputra mā akṣarāpanayena vimuktīm nirdiśa | tat kasmād dhetoh? sarvadharmaśamatā hi vimuktih |

āha: nanu devate rāgadoṣamohavigamād vimuktih?

devatāha: abhimānikānām esa nirdeśo rāgadoṣamohavigamād vimuktir iti | ye nirabhimānikās teṣām rāgadoṣamohaprakṛtir eva vimuktih |

atha khalv āyuṣmān śāriputras tām devatām etad avocat: sādhu sādhu devate kim tvayā prāptam kim vā sāksātkṛtam yasyās ta īdṛśam pratibhānam?

āha: na mayā bhadanta śāriputra kiṁcit prāptam sāksātkṛtam vā | tena ma īdṛśam pratibhānam | yeṣām evam bhavaty asmābhiḥ prāptam vā sāksātkṛtam ceti te svākhyāte dharmavinaya ābhimānikā ity ucyante |

āha: kim tvam devate śrāvakayānikā pratyekabuddhayānikā mahāyānikā vā?

āha: śrāvakāyānikāsmi śrāvakayānasūcanatayā, pratyekabuddhayānikāsmi prātyadharmavatāreṇa, mahāyānikāsmi mahākaruṇānutsṛjanatayā | ...

āha: kim tvam devate strībhāvam na nivartayasi?

āha: paripūrṇāni me dvādaśavarṣāṇy upādāya strībhāvam paryeṣamāṇāyā na cainam labhe | api ca bhadanta śāriputra yā māyākāreṇa strīnirmitā yas tām evam vadet, kim tvam strībhāvam na nivartayasīti, sa kim vadet?

āha: na tasyāḥ kācid bhūtā pariniṣpattiḥ |

āha: evam eva bhadanta śāriputra apariniṣpanneṣu sarvadharmaṣu māyānirmita-

svabhāveṣu kutas tavaivam bhavati: kim tvam strībhāvam na nivartayasī?

atha sā devatā tādṛśam adhiṣṭhānam adhitiṣṭhati sma, yathā sthavirah śāriputro yādṛśī sā devatā tādṛśah samḍrṣyate, sā devatā yādṛśah sthaviras tādṛśī samḍrṣyate | atha sā devatā śāriputrarūpā śāriputram devatārūpadhāriṇam apr̄cchat: kim bhadanta śāriputra strībhāvam na nivartayasi?

śāriputro devatārūpy āha: na jāne kim vinivartayāmīti | puruṣarūpam antarhitam strīrūpam me nirvṛttam |

āha: yadi sthavirah śakṣyati strībhāvam vinivartayitum, tataḥ sarvāḥ striyo 'pi strībhāvam vinivartayisyanti | yathā sthaviro na strī strīva samḍrṣyate, evam sarvastrīṇām api strīrūpam | na ca striyah, strīrūpāś ca samḍrṣyante | idam samdhāya bhagavān āha: sarvadharmā na strī na puruṣa iti |

atha sā devatā tad adhiṣṭhānam avāsrjat | athāyuṣmāñ śāriputrah punar eva svarūpasamanvāgato babhūva | atha sā devatāyuṣmantam śāriputram evam āha: kva nu te bhadanta śāriputra strīrūpam kṛtam gatam?

āha: na tat kṛtam na vikṛtam |

āha: evam eva sarvadharmā na kṛtā na vikṛtāḥ | yatra ca na kṛtir na vikṛtis tad buddhavacanam |

āha: itas tvam devate cyutā kutropapatsyase?

āha: yatraiva tathāgatanirmita upapatsyate, tatraivāham upapatsye |

āha: tathāgatanirmitsya na cyutir nopapattiḥ |

āha: evam eva sarvadharmāṇām na cyutir nopapattiḥ |

āha: kiyaccireṇa punar devate bodhim abhisam̄bhotsyase?

āha: yadā sthavirah pṛthagjanadharmasamanvāgato bhaviṣyati, tadāhaṁ bodhim abhisam̄bhotsye |

āha: asthānam etad devate yad aham pṛthagjanadharmasamanvāgataḥ syām |

āha: evam eva bhadanta śāriputra asthānam etad yad aham bodhim abhisam̄bhotsye | tat kasmād dhetoḥ? asthānasthitaiva hi bodhiḥ | tasmād asthānam na kaścid

abhisambhotsyate |

sthavira āha: uktam devate tathāgatena gaṅgānadīvālikāsamāś tathāgatā abhisambuddhā abhisambudhyante 'bhishambhotsyante ca |

devatāha: akṣaragaṇanāsaṃketādhivacanam etad bhadanta śāriputra atītānāgata-pratyutpannā buddhā iti | na punar buddhā atītā vānāgatā vā vartamānā vā | tryadhvasamatikrāntā hi bodhiḥ | api ca prāptam sthavireñārhatvam?

āha: prāptam asaṃprāptikāraṇena |

āha: evam evābhishambodhir anabhishambodhikāraṇena |

atha vimalakīrtir licchavir āyuṣmantam śāriputram evam āha: dvānavatibuddha-kotīparyupāsitā bhadanta śāriputra eṣā devatābhijñājñānavikrīditā praṇidhānas-mucchritā kṣāntipratilabdhaivaivartikasamavasarāṇā praṇidhānavavaśena yathecchatī tathā tiṣṭhati satvaparipākāya ||

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## 4. The Parable of the Magic City

(*Saddharmapuṇḍarīkasūtra*, ch. 7)

The *Saddharmapuṇḍarīka Sūtra*, usually referred to simply as the *Lotus Sūtra* in English, is an important early Mahāyāna scripture. This sūtra, famous for its many memorable parables, became one of the most influential Mahāyāna sūtras in the East Asian Buddhist tradition, where it has commonly been regarded as containing the Buddha's final and highest teaching.

Our text is drawn from the seventh chapter, in which the Buddha recounts one of his past lives, a genre of Buddhist narratives known as *pūrvayogas* ("former connections") or *jātakas* ("birth-stories"). The elaborate account of the Buddha's past life as one of sixteen novices (*śramaṇera*) practicing under the guidance of a Buddha named Mahābhijñājñānābhībhū is concluded by the story of an expert or skillful (*kuśala*) caravan leader—the fourth of the sūtra's seven parables. The well-known allegory illustrates one of the sūtra's central revelations, namely, the Buddha's use of expedient means (*upāya*) to gradually guide his disciples towards the attainment of true awakening, i.e., the Buddha Cognition (*buddhajñāna*) or Buddha Vehicle (*buddhayāna*).

## 四、化城的譬喻

摘自 *Saddharmapuṇḍarīkasūtra* 《妙法蓮華經》第七品

《妙法蓮華經》是一部重要的早期大乘佛經。此經以包含許多令人難忘的譬喻而著稱，是東亞佛教傳統中最具影響力的大乘經典之一，並且通常被認為包含佛陀最高的教法。

我們的文本選自第七品，其中，佛陀敘述一個過去世的故事。這種敘述佛陀成佛之前的故事，被稱為「本生」（*jātaka*）或「宿緣」（*pūrvayoga*）。佛陀在過去無量劫的某一世，曾作為一位沙彌（*śramaṇera*），並跟隨當時的一尊名為大通智勝（Mahābhijñājñānābhībhū）佛出家。這個故事的最後部分是著名的化城喻，即《法華經》中七種譬喻（法華七喻）的第四喻，以足智多謀的領隊在帶領商隊途中化現暫時休憩之所為譬喻，揭露《法華經》的核心義理之一，即佛陀運用種種方便（*upāya*）逐步引領弟子們轉向佛道上最高的境界，亦即「佛智」（*buddhajñāna*）或「佛乘」（*buddhayāna*）。

## saddharmaṇḍarīkasūtre

**pūrvayogaparivarto nāma saptamah |**

...

tadyathāpi nāma bhikṣava iha syāt pañcayojanaśatikam aṭavīkāntāram | mahāmś

cātra janakāyah pratipanno bhaved ratnadvīpam gamanāya | deśikaś caiśām eko

bhaved vyaktah paṇḍito nipiṇo medhāvī kuśalah khalv aṭavīdurgāṇām | sa ca tam

sārtham aṭavīm avakrāmayet |

atha khalu sa mahājanakāyah śrāntah klānto bhītas trasta evam vadet: yat khalv

ārya deśika pariṇāyaka jānīyāḥ: vayam hi śrāntāḥ klāntā bhītāḥ trastā anirvṛtāḥ |

punar eva pratinivartayiṣyāmaḥ | atidūram ito 'ṭavīkāntāram iti |

atha khalu bhiksavah sa deśika upāyakuśalas tān puruṣān pratinivartitukāmān

viditvā evam cintayet: mā khalv ime tapasvinas tādṛśam mahāratnadvīpam na

gaccheyur iti | sa teśām anukampārtham upāyakauśalyam prayojayet | tasyā aṭavyā

madhye yojanaśatam vā dviyojanaśatam vā triyojanaśatam vātikramya rddhimayam

nagaram abhinirmimīyāt |

tatas tān puruṣān evam vadet: mā bhavanto bhaiṣṭa mā nivartadhvam | ayam asau

mahājanapadaḥ | atra viśrāmyata | atra vo yāni kānicit karaṇīyāni tāni sarvāṇi

kurudhvam | atra nirvāṇaprāptā viharadhvam | atra viśrāntāḥ, yasya punaḥ kāryam

bhaviṣyati sa tam mahāratnadvīpam gamiṣyati ||

atha khalu bhikṣavas te kāntāraprāptāḥ sattvā āścaryaprāptā adbhutaprāptā

bhaveyuh | muktā vayam aṭavīkāntārāt | iha nirvāṇaprāptā vihariṣyāma iti | atha khalu

bhikṣavas te puruṣās tad ṛddhimayam nagaram praviṣeyur āgatasamjñinaś ca

bhaveyur nistīrṇasamjñinaś ca bhaveyuh | nirvṛtāḥ śītībhūtāḥ sma iti manyeran |

tatas tān deśiko viśrāntān viditvā tad ṛddhimayam nagaram antardhāpayet |

antardhāpayitvā ca tān puruṣān evam vadet: āgacchantu bhavantāḥ sattvāḥ |

abhyāsanna eṣa mahāratnadvīpah | idam tu mayā nagaram yuṣmākam viśrāma-

ṇārtham abhinirmitam iti ||

evam eva bhikṣavas tathāgato 'rhan samyaksambuddho yuṣmākam sarva-sattvānām ca deśikah | atha khalu bhikṣavas tathāgato 'rhan samyaksambuddha evam paśyati: mahad idam kleśakāntāram nirgantavyam niṣkrāntavyam prahātavyam | mā khalv ima ekam eva buddhajñānam śrutvā draveṇaiva pratinivartayeyur naivopasamkrameyuh, bahuparikleśam idam buddhajñānam samudānayitavyam iti |

tatra tathāgataḥ sattvān durbalāśayān viditvā yathā sa deśikas tad ṛddhimayam nagaram abhinirmimīte teṣām sattvānām viśrāmaṇārtham viśrāntānām caisām evam kathayati: idam khalv ṛddhimayam nagaram iti, evam eva bhikṣavas tathāgato 'py arhan samyaksambuddho mahopāyakauśalyenāntarā dve nirvāṇabhūmī sattvānām viśrāmaṇārtham deśayati samprakāśayati, yad idam śrāvakabhūmīm pratyeka-buddhabhūmīm ca | yasmimś ca bhikṣavah samaye te sattvās tatra sthitā bhavanti, atha khalu bhikṣavas tathāgato 'py evam samśrāvayati: na khalu punar bhikṣavo yūyam kṛtakṛtyāḥ kṛtakaraṇīyāḥ | api tu khalu punar bhikṣavo yuṣmākam abhyāśa

itas tathāgatajñānam | vyavalokayadhwam bhikṣavo vyavacārayadhwam: yad yuṣmā-  
kam nirvāṇam naiva nirvāṇam | api tu khalu punar upāyakausalyam etad bhikṣavas  
tathāgatānām arhatām samyaksam̄buddhānām yat trīṇi yānāni samprakāśayantīti ||

...

**saddharmaṇḍarīkasūtre  
pūrvayogaparivarto nāma saptamah |**

...

tadyathāpi nāma bhikṣava iha syāt pañcayojanaśatikam aṭavīkāntāram | mahāṁś cātra janakāyah pratipanno bhaved ratnadvīpam gamanāya | deśikaś caiśām eko bhaved vyaktaḥ paṇḍito nipiṇo medhāvī kuśalaḥ khalv aṭavīdurgāṇām | sa ca tam sārtham aṭavīm avakrāmayet |

atha khalu sa mahājanakāyah śrāntaḥ klānto bhītas trasta evam vadet: yat khalv ārya deśika pariṇāyaka jānīyāḥ: vayam hi śrāntaḥ klāntā bhītās trastā anirvṛtāḥ | punar eva pratinivartayiṣyāmah | atidūram ito 'ṭavīkāntāram iti |

atha khalu bhikṣavah sa deśika upāyakuśalas tān puruṣān pratinivartitukāmān viditvā evam cintayet: mā khalv ime tapasvinas tādrśam mahāratnadvīpam na gaccheyur iti | sa teśām anukampārtham upāyakauśalyam prayojayet | tasyā aṭavyā madhye yojanaśataṁ vā dviyojanaśataṁ vā triyojanaśataṁ vātikramya rddhimayam nagaram abhinirmimiyāt |

tatas tān puruṣān evam vadet: mā bhavanto bhaiṣṭa mā nivartadhvam | ayam asau mahājanapadah | atra viśrāmyata | atra vo yāni kānicit karaṇīyāni tāni sarvāṇi kurudhvam | atra nirvāṇaprāptā viharadhvam | atra viśrāntaḥ, yasya punah kāryam bhaviṣyati sa tam mahāratnadvīpam gamiṣyati ||

atha khalu bhikṣavas te kāntāraprāptāḥ sattvā āścaryaprāptā adbhutaprāptā bhaveyuh | muktā vayam aṭavīkāntārāt | iha nirvāṇaprāptā vihariṣyāma iti | atha khalu bhikṣavas te puruṣās tad ḥddhimayam nagaram praviṣeyur āgatasamjñinaś ca bhaveyur nistīrṇasamjñinaś ca bhaveyuh | nirvṛtāḥ śītībhūtāḥ sma iti manyeran |

tatas tān deśiko viśrāntān viditvā tad ḥddhimayam nagaram antardhāpayet | antardhāpayitvā ca tān puruṣān evam vadet: āgacchantu bhavantah sattvāḥ | abhyāsanna eṣa mahāratnadvīpah | idam tu mayā nagaram yuṣmākam viśrāmaṇārtham abhinirmitam iti ||

evam eva bhikṣavas tathāgato 'rhan samyaksambuddho yuṣmākam sarva-sattvānām ca deśikah | atha khalu bhikṣavas tathāgato 'rhan samyaksambuddha evam

paśyati: mahad idam kleśakāntāram nirgantavyam niśkrāntavyam prahātavyam | mā khalv ima ekam eva buddhajñānam śrutvā draveṇaiva pratinvartayeyur naivopasamkrameyuh, bahuparikleśam idam buddhajñānam samudānayitavyam iti |

tatra tathāgataḥ sattvān durbalāśayān viditvā yathā sa deśikas tad ṛddhimayam nagaram abhinirmimīte teṣām sattvānām viśrāmaṇārtham viśrāntānām caisām evam kathayati: idam khalv ṛddhimayam nagaram iti, evam eva bhikṣavas tathāgato 'py arhan samyaksambuddho mahopāyakauśalyenāntarā dve nirvāṇabhūmī sattvānām viśrāmaṇārtham deśayati samprakāśayati, yad idam śrāvakabhūmīm pratyekabuddhabhūmīm ca | yasmimś ca bhikṣavah samaye te sattvās tatra sthitā bhavanti, atha khalu bhikṣavas tathāgato 'py evam samśrāvayati: na khalu punar bhikṣavo yūyam kṛtakṛtyāḥ kṛtakaraṇīyāḥ | api tu khalu punar bhikṣavo yuṣmākam abhyāśa itas tathāgatajñānam | vyavalokayadhvam bhikṣavo vyavacārayadhvam: yad yuṣmākam nirvāṇam naiva nirvāṇam | api tu khalu punar upāyakauśalyam etad bhikṣavas tathāgatānām arhatānām samyaksambuddhānām yat trīṇi yānāni samprakāśayantīti ||

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## 5. The Parable of the Skillful Doctor

(*Saddharmapuṇḍarīkasūtra*, ch. 15)

The parable of the skillful doctor is the seventh and last of the *Saddharmapuṇḍarīka Sūtra*'s allegories. The story of the doctor and his sons concludes the fifteenth chapter, in which the Buddha reveals that the Tathāgata's lifespan is in reality immeasurable, spanning an incalculable number of eons (*kalpa*). The parable illustrates how it is only by way of his “skill-in-means” (*upāyakauśalya*) that, for the purpose of spurring sentient beings to practice the Dharma, the Buddha announces that he will pass away and appears to reach final extinction (*parinirvāṇa*). In reality, the Buddha manifests in the world again and again to guide sentient beings on the path towards awakening.

## 五、良醫病子的譬喻

摘自 *Saddharmapuṇḍarīkasūtra* 《妙法蓮華經》第十五品

醫子喻為法華七喻的第七喻，出自《法華經》第十五品（鳩摩羅什譯本第十六品），以良醫救療誤服毒藥之子為譬喻，闡述此品的義理，即如來的壽命無量劫（*kalpa*），但以權宜方便（*upāyakauśalya*），為令眾生修學佛法而示現入般涅槃（*parinirvāṇa*）。實際上，佛在此世不斷地化現，引導眾生朝向究竟的佛果。

## saddharmaṇḍarīkasūtre

**tathāgatāyuṣpramāṇaparivarto nāma pañcadaśamah |**

...

tadyathāpi nāma kulaputrāḥ kaścid eva vaidyapuruṣo bhavet paṇḍito vyakto  
medhāvī sukuśalah sarvavyādhipraśamanāya | tasya ca puruṣasya bahavaḥ putrā  
bhavyeyur daśa vā viṁśatir vā trimśad vā catvārimśad vā pañcāśad vā śataṁ vā | sa  
ca vaidyah pravāsagato bhavet, te cāsyā sarve putrā garapīḍā vā viṣapīḍā vā  
bhavyeyuh | tena gareṇa vā viṣeṇa vā duḥkhābhīr vedanābhīr abhitūrṇā bhavyeyuh | te  
tena gareṇa vā viṣeṇa vā dāhyamānāḥ pṛthivyām prapateyuh |

atha sa teṣāṁ vaidyah pītā pravāsād āgacchet | te cāsyā putrās tena gareṇa vā  
viṣeṇa vā duḥkhābhīr vedanābhīr ārtāḥ | kecid viparītasamjñino bhavyeyuh kecid  
aviparītasamjñino bhavyeyuh | sarve ca te tenaiva duḥkhenārtās tam pitaram drṣṭvā  
abhinandeyuh, evam cainam vadeyuh: diṣṭyāsi tāta kṣemasvastibhyām āgataḥ | tad

asmākam asmād ātmoparodhād garād vā viṣād vā parimocayasva | dadasva nas tāta

jīvitam iti |

atha khalu sa vaidyas tān putrān duḥkhārtān dṛṣṭvā vedanābhībhūtān dāhyataḥ

prthivyām pariveṣṭamānān, tato mahābhaiṣajyām samudānayitvā varṇasampannam

gandhasampannam rasasampannam ca śilāyām piṣṭvā teṣām putrāṇām pānāya

dadyāt, evam cainān vadet: pibatha putrā idam mahābhaiṣajyām varṇasampannam

gandhasampannam rasasampannam | idam yūyām putrā mahābhaiṣajyām pītvā

kṣipram evāsmād garād vā viṣād vā parimokṣyadhve, svasthā bhaviṣyathārogāś ca |

tatra ye tasya vaidyasya putrā aviparītasamjñinas te bhaiṣajyasya varṇām ca

dṛṣṭvā gandham cāghrāya rasam cāsvādyā kṣipram evābhyaवahareyuh | te cābhya-

vaharantas tasmād ābādhāt sarvenā sarvam vimuktā bhavyeuh | ye punas tasya putrā

viparītasamjñinas te tam pitaram abhinandeyuh, enām caivam vadeyuh: diṣṭyāsi tāta

kṣemasvastibhyām āgato yas tvam asmākam cikitsaka iti | te caivam vācam bhāṣeran,

tac ca bhaiṣajyam upanāmitam na pibeyuh | tat kasya hetoh? tathā hi teṣām tayā

viparītasamjñayā tad bhaiṣajyam upanāmitam varṇenāpi na rocate gandhenāpi  
rasenāpi na rocate |

atha khalu sa vaidyapuruṣa evam cintayet: ime mama putrā anena gareṇa vā  
viṣeṇa vā viparītasamjñinah | te khalv idam mahābhaiṣajyam na pibanti, mām  
cābhinandanti | yan nv aham imān putrān upāyakauśalyenedam bhaiṣajyam  
pāyayeyam iti |

atha khalu sa vaidyas tān putrān upāyakauśalyena tad bhaiṣajyam pāyayitukāma  
evam vadet: jīrṇo 'ham asmi kulaputrā vriddho mahallakah | kālakriyā ca me  
pratyupasthitā | mā ca yūyam putrāḥ śociṣṭa, mā ca klamam āpadhvam | idam vo  
mayā mahābhaiṣajyam upanītam | saceđ ākāṅkṣadhve, tad eva bhaiṣajyam piba-  
dhvam |

sa evam tān putrān upāyakauśalyenānuśiṣya anyataram janapadapradeśam pra-  
krāntah | tatra gatvā kālagatam ātmānam teṣām glānānām putrāṇām ārocayet | te

tasmin samaye 'tīva śoceyur atīva parideveyuh: yo hy asmākam pitā nātho janako

'nukampakah so 'pi nāmaikah kālagatah | te 'dya vayam anāthāḥ samvṛttāḥ |

te khalv anāthabhūtam ātmānam samanupaśyanto 'śaraṇam ātmānam samanu-

paśyanto 'bhīksṇam śokārtā bhavyeh | teṣām ca tayābhīksṇam śokārtatayā sā

viparītasamjñāviparītasamjñā bhavet | yac ca tad bhaiṣajyam varṇagandharasopetam

tad varṇagandharasopetam eva samjānīyuh | tatas tasmin samaye tad bhaiṣajyam

abhyavahareyuh | te cābhavaharantas tasmād ābādhāt parimuktā bhavyeh | atha

khalu sa vaidyas tān putrān ābādhavimuktān viditvā punar evātmānam upadarśayet |

tat kim manyadhve kulaputrāḥ, mā haiva tasya vaidyasya tad upāyakauśalyam

kurvataḥ kaścin mr̄śāvādena saṃcodayet?

āhuḥ: no hīdaṁ bhagavan no hīdaṁ sugata |

āha: evam eva kulaputrā aham apy aprameyāsaṃkhyeyakalpakoṭīnayutaśata-

sahasrābhisaṃbuddha imām anuttarām samyaksamboḍhim | api tu khalu punaḥ

kulaputrā aham antarāntaram evamṛūpāṇy upāyakauśalyāni sattvānām upadarśa-

yāmi vinayārtham | na ca me kaścid atra sthāne mrṣāvādo bhavati ||

...

**saddharmaṇḍarīkasūtre  
tathāgatāyuṣpramāṇaparivarto nāma pañcadaśamah |**

...

tadyathāpi nāma kulaputrāḥ kaścid eva vaidyapuruṣo bhavet pañdito vyakto medhāvī sukuśalaḥ sarvavyādhipraśamanāya | tasya ca puruṣasya bahavaḥ putrā bhaveyur daśa vā vimśatir vā trimśad vā catvārimśad vā pañcāśad vā śataṁ vā | sa ca vaidyah pravāsagato bhavet, te cāsyā sarve putrā garapīḍā vā viśapīḍā vā bhaveyuh | tena gareṇā vā viṣeṇā vā duḥkhābhīr vedanābhīr abhitūrṇā bhaveyuh | te tena gareṇā vā viṣeṇā vā dāhyamānāḥ pṛthivyām prapateyuh |

atha sa teṣāṁ vaidyah pitā pravāsād āgacchet | te cāsyā putrāḥ tena gareṇā vā viṣeṇā vā duḥkhābhīr vedanābhīr ārtāḥ | kecid viparītasamjñino bhaveyuh kecid aviparītasamjñino bhaveyuh | sarve ca te tenaiva duḥkhenārtāś tam pitaram dṛṣṭvā abhinandeyuh, evam cainam vadeyuh: diṣṭyāsi tāta kṣemasvastibhyām āgataḥ | tad asmākam asmād ātmoparodhād garād vā viṣād vā parimocayasva | dadasva nas tāta jīvitam iti |

atha khalu sa vaidyas tān putrān duḥkhārtān dṛṣṭvā vedanābhībhūtān dāhyataḥ pṛthivyām pariveṣṭamānān, tato mahābhaiṣajyām samudānayitvā varṇasampannam gandhasampannam rasasampannam ca śilāyām piṣṭvā teṣāṁ putrāṇāṁ pānāya dadyāt, evam cainān vadet: pibatha putrā idam mahābhaiṣajyām varṇasampannam gandhasampannam rasasampannam | idam yūyām putrā mahābhaiṣajyām pītvā kṣipram evāsmād garād vā viṣād vā parimokṣyadhve, svasthā bhaviṣyathārogāś ca |

tatra ye tasya vaidyasya putrā aviparītasamjñinas te bhaiṣajyasya varṇām ca dṛṣṭvā gandham cāghrāya rasam cāsvādyā kṣipram evābhyavahareyuh | te cābhya-vaharantas tasmād ābādhāt sarveṇā sarvam vimuktā bhaveyuh | ye punas tasya putrā viparītasamjñinas te tam pitaram abhinandeyuh, enām caivam vadeyuh: diṣṭyāsi tāta kṣemasvastibhyām āgato yaś tvam asmākam cikitsaka iti | te caivam vācam bhāṣeran, tac ca bhaiṣajyam upanāmitam na pibeyuh | tat kasya hetoh? tathā hi teṣāṁ tayā viparītasamjñayā tad bhaiṣajyam upanāmitam varṇenāpi na rocate gandhenāpi rasenāpi na rocate |

atha khalu sa vaidyapuruṣa evam cintayet: ime mama putrā anena gareṇā vā

viṣeṇa vā viparītasamjñinah | te khalv idam mahābhaisajyam na pibanti, mām cābhinandanti | yan nv aham imān putrān upāyakauśalyenedam bhaiṣajyam pāyayeyam iti |

atha khalu sa vaidyas tān putrān upāyakauśalyena tad bhaiṣajyam pāyayitukāma evam vadet: jīrṇo 'ham asmi kulaputrā vrddho mahallakah | kālakriyā ca me pratyupasthitā | mā ca yūyam putrāḥ sōciṣṭa, mā ca klamam āpadhvam | idam vo mayā mahābhaisajyam upanītam | saced ākāṅkṣadhve, tad eva bhaiṣajyam pibadhvam |

sa evam tān putrān upāyakauśalyenānuśiṣya anyataram janapadapradeśam prakrāntah | tatra gatvā kālagatam ātmānam teṣām glānānām putrāṇām ārocayet | te tasmin samaye 'tīva śoceyur atīva parideveyuh: yo hy asmākam pitā nātho janako 'nukampakah so 'pi nāmaikah kālagatah | te 'dya vayam anāthāḥ samvṛttāḥ |

te khalv anāthabhūtam ātmānam samanupaśyanto 'śaraṇam ātmānam samanupaśyanto 'bhīksṇam śokārtā bhaveyuh | teṣām ca tayābhīksṇam śokārtatayā sā viparītasamjñāviparītasamjñā bhavet | yac ca tad bhaiṣajyam varṇagandharasopetam tad varṇagandharasopetam eva samjānīyuḥ | tatas tasmin samaye tad bhaiṣajyam abhyavahareyuh | te cābhavaharantas tasmād ābādhāt parimuktā bhaveyuh | atha khalu sa vaidyas tān putrān ābādhavimuktān viditvā punar evātmānam upadarśayet |

tat kiṁ manyadhve kulaputrāḥ, mā haiva tasya vaidyasya tad upāyakauśalyam kurvatah kaścin mr̄ṣāvādena samcodayet?

āhuḥ: no hīdam bhagavan no hīdam sugata |

āha: evam eva kulaputrā aham apy aprameyāsaṁkhyeyakalpakoṭīnayutaśatasahasrābhisaṁbuddha imām anuttarām samyaksam̄bodhim | api tu khalu punah kulaputrā aham antarāntaram evaṁrūpāṇy upāyakauśalyāni sattvānām upadarśayāmi vinayārtham | na ca me kaścid atra sthāne mr̄ṣāvādo bhavati ||

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## 6. Isn't the Tathāgatagarbha the Same as the Ātman? (*Laṅkāvatārasūtra*, ch. 2)

The *Laṅkāvatāra Sūtra* is a Mahāyāna sūtra associated with the development of the Yogācāra or “Mind-Only” school of Buddhist philosophy, which flourished in India beginning from the fourth century CE. The sūtra presents many of the core Yogācāra doctrines discussed by the scholastic philosophers of the tradition, such as the store-consciousness (*ālayavijñāna*), the three natures (*trisvabhāva*), or the mind-only quality (*cittamātratā*) of all phenomena.

In the second chapter of the *Laṅkāvatāra Sūtra*, the great bodhisattva Mahāmati asks the Buddha a series of questions on behalf of Rāvaṇa, the ten-headed demon-king of the fortress island of Laṅkā. In the short passage given here, the Buddha clarifies the true purpose of his teaching on the *Tathāgatagarbha*, or “Buddha-nature” as it is commonly referred to, showing how it is not to be equated with the non-Buddhist’s doctrine of the Self (*ātmavāda*).

## 六、如來藏與外道之我論

摘自 *Laṅkāvatārasūtra* 《楞伽經》第二品

《楞伽經》是一部重要的大乘佛經，與瑜伽行派（Yogācāra）的發展相關。本經闡釋了瑜伽行派的許多重要教義，如「阿賴耶識」（*ālayavijñāna*）、「三性」（*trisvabhāva*）或所有現象的「唯識性」（*cittamātratā*）。

在《楞伽經》第二品中，大慧菩薩為了利益未來可能對佛陀的教法產生疑惑的眾生，而代羅婆那（楞伽城主十頭羅刹王）向佛陀提出了一連串的問題。在我們選取的這個簡短文本中，佛陀揭示了「如來藏」（*tathāgatagarbha*）教法的真正目的，闡明如來藏不同於外道所說的我論（*ātmavāda*）。

**laṅkāvatāre**

**ṣaṭṭriṁśatsāhasrasarvadharmaśamuccayo nāma**

**dvitīyah parivartah |**

...

atha khalu mahāmatir bodhisattvo mahāsattvo bhagavantam etad avocat: tathā-gatagarbhah punar bhagavatā sūtrāntapāṭhe 'nuvarṇitah | sa ca kila tvayā prakṛti-prabhāsvavaraviśuddhyādīviśuddha eva varṇyate dvātriṁśallakṣaṇadharah sarva-sattvadehāntargatah | mahārghamūlyaratnam malinavastupariveşṭitam iva skandha-dhātvāyatana vastuveşṭito rāgadveśamohābhūtапарikalpamalamalino nityo dhruvah śivah śāśvataś ca bhagavatā varṇitah | tat katham ayam bhagavaṁś tīrthaka-rātmavādatulyas tathāgatagarbhavādo na bhavati? tīrthakarā api bhagavan nityah kartā nirguṇo vibhur avyaya ity ātmavādopadeśam kurvanti |

bhagavān āha: na hi mahāmate tīrthakarātmaवादatulyo mama tathāgatagarbho-

padeśah | kiṁtu mahāmate tathāgatāḥ śūnyatābhūtakotinirvāṇānupādānimitṭāprā-  
 ṇihitādyānāṁ mahāmate padārthānāṁ tathāgatagarbhopadeśam kṛtvā tathāgatā  
 arhantah samyaksambuddhā bālānāṁ nairātmyasamitrāsapadavivarjanārtham nir-  
 vikalpanirābhāsagocaram tathāgatagarbhamukhopadeśena deśayanti | na cātra  
 mahāmate anāgatapratyutpannair bodhisattvair mahāsattvair ātmābhiniveśah kar-  
 tavyah |

tadyathā mahāmate kumbhakāra ekasmān mṛtparamāṇurāśer vividhāni bhāṇḍāni  
 karoti hastaśilpadāṇḍodakasūtraprayatnayogāt | evam eva mahāmate tathāgatās tad  
 eva dharmanairātmyam sarvavikalpalakṣaṇavinivṛttam vividhaiḥ prajñopāyakau-  
 śalyayogair garbhopadeśena vā nairātmyopadeśena vā kumbhakāravac citraiḥ  
 padavyañjanaparyāyair deśayante | etasmāt kāraṇān mahāmate tīrthakarātmavādo-  
 padeśatulyas tathāgatagarbhopadeśo na bhavati |

evam hi mahāmate tathāgatagarbhopadeśam ātmavādābhiniviṣṭānāṁ tīrtha-  
 karāṇāṁ ākarṣaṇārtham tathāgatagarbhopadeśena nirdiśanti | katham bata abhū-

tātmavikalpadṛṣṭipatitāśayā vimokṣatrayagocarapatitāśayopetāḥ kṣipram anuttarāṁ

samyaksambodhim abhisambudhyerann iti | etadarthanā mahāmate tathāgatā arhan-

tāḥ samyaksambuddhāḥ tathāgatagarbhopadeśāṁ kurvanti | ata etan na bhavati

tīrthakarātmavādatulyam | tasmāt tarhi mahāmate tīrthakaradṛṣṭivinivṛttiarthanā

tathāgatanairātmyagarbhānusāriṇā ca te bhavitavyam ||

atha khalu bhagavāṁs tasyāṁ velāyām imāṁ gāthām abhāṣata:

pudgalāḥ samtatiḥ skandhāḥ pratyayā añavas tathā |

pradhānam īśvaraḥ kartā cittamātram vikalpyate || 2.137 ||

...

**laṅkāvatāre  
ṣaṭtrimśatsāhasrasarvadharmaśamuccayo nāma  
dvitīyah parivartah |**

...

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bhagavān āha: na hi mahāmate tīrthakarātma-vādatulyo mama tathāgatagarbha-padeśah | kiṁtu mahāmate tathāgatāḥ śūnyatābhūta-koti-nirvāṇa-nutpādāni-mittā-praṇihitādyānām mahāmate padārthānām tathāgatagarbha-padeśam kṛtvā tathāgatā arhantaḥ samyaksambuddhā bālānām nairātmya-saṁtrāsa-pada-vivarjanārthaṁ nirvikalpa-nirābhāsa-gocaraṇam tathāgatagarbha-mukha-padeśena deśayanti | na cātra mahāmate anāga-ta-pratyutpanna-air bodhi-sattvair mahāsattvair ātmā-bhini-veśah kartavyah |

tadyathā mahāmate kumbhakāra ekasmān mṛtparamāṇu-rāśer vividhāni bhāṇḍāni karoti hastaśilpa-dāṇḍodaka-sūtraprayatnayogaṭ | evam eva mahāmate tathāgatās tad eva dharma-nairātmyaṁ sarva-vikalpa-kaṇavini-vṛttam vividhaiḥ prajñopāya-kauśalya-yogaир garbha-padeśena vā nairātmya-padeśena vā kumbhakāra-vac citraiḥ padavya-ñjanaparyāyair deśayante | etasmāt kāraṇān mahāmate tīrthakarātma-vāda-padeśa-tulyas tathāgatagarbha-padeśo na bhavati |

evam hi mahāmate tathāgatagarbha-padeśam ātmavādābhini-viṣṭānām tīrthakarāṇām ākarṣaṇārthaṁ tathāgatagarbha-padeśena nirdiśanti | katham bata abhūtātma-vikalpa-drṣṭipati-tāśayā vimokṣa-trayaga-carapa-ti-tāśay-o-petah kṣipram anuttarām samyaksambodhim abhi-sambudhyerann iti | etadarthaṁ mahāmate tathāgatā arhantaḥ samyaksambuddhās tathāgatagarbha-padeśam kurvanti | ata etan na bhavati

tīrthakarātmavādatulyam | tasmāt tarhi mahāmate tīrthakaradṛṣṭivinivṛttyartham  
tathāgatanairātmayagarbhānusāriṇā ca te bhavitavyam ||

atha khalu bhagavāṁs tasyāṁ velāyām imāṁ gāthām abhāṣata:

pudgalah samtatiḥ skandhāḥ pratyayā aṇavas tathā |  
pradhānam īśvarah kartā cittamātram vikalpyate || 2.137 ||

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## 7. In Praise of the Teaching (*Śatapañcāśatka*)

The *stotra* or hymn of praise (also called *stuti* or *stava*) is a popular genre of devotional literature. The melodious recitation of such hymns is a prominent feature of religious life in all Indian traditions. In these metrical eulogies, the hymnographer (*stotrakāra*) gives expression to his devotion (*bhakti*), typically through poetic descriptions of the wonderful qualities (*guṇa*) of his preferred “ tutelary” deity (*iṣṭadevatā*) or a founding guru. In the Buddhist context, the composition, recitation, and memorization of hymns to the Buddha (*buddhastotra*) are ways of engaging in the practice of recollecting and contemplating the qualities of the Awakened One (*buddhānusmṛti*).

The *Śatapañcāśatka* is an important Buddhist *stotra* composed by the great poet Mātrceṭa (c. third century CE), the Buddhist hymnodist par excellence. The popularity of this particular poem is attested by the Chinese pilgrim Yijing (義淨), who reports in the records of his journey to India that Mahāyāna and non-Mahāyāna Buddhist renunciants alike would memorize this hymn as soon as they could recite the five or ten precepts. Because the hymn belongs to the early period of Sanskrit devotional poetry, the language is clear and unadorned, free from any kind of artificiality.

The hymn is divided into twelve sections, each dedicated to praising a facet of the Buddha’s virtues, such as his compassion (*karuṇā*), his speech (*vacana*), or his skillfulness (*kauśala*). Our text comprises the hymn’s opening preamble (*upodghāta*) and the seventh section praising the Buddha’s teaching (*sāsana*).

## 七、讚歎聖教

摘自 *Śatapañcāśatka* 《一百五十讚佛頌》

讚頌（*stotra*、*stuti* 或 *stava*）是在印度廣為流行的一種宗教文學類型，表達對神或者聖人的讚美或崇拜。在印度，這類讚頌的朗誦是宗教生活的一個顯著特點。造頌者（*stotrakāra*）描述自己的守護神（*iṣṭadevatā*）或大師的美德（*guṇa*），以表達其信奉（「奉愛」*bhakti*）之情。對佛教徒而言，創作和背誦讚佛頌（*buddhastotra*）可視為是修習「佛隨念」（*buddhānusmṛti*）的實踐方式之一。

《一百五十讚佛頌》是其中一部重要的早期佛教讚頌，由偉大的佛教詩人摩哩里制吒（Mātrceṭa，約生於三世紀）所作。唐代西行求法僧義淨於《南海寄歸內法傳》記載，無論是大乘或非大乘的初出家人，一背誦完五戒或十戒，便開始背誦這首讚佛頌。

由於這首讚頌屬於早期的梵語讚頌，其語言清新簡樸，沒有過多的人工雕琢。這首讚

頌分成十二節，每一節分別讚頌佛陀美德（*guna*）的不同面向，比如佛陀的悲心（*karuṇā*）、言語（*vacana*）和善巧（*kauśala*）等。我們所選的文本包含了這首讚頌的序言（*upodghāta*）以及第七節聖教讚（*sāsanastava*）。

**māṭṛcetaviracitam̄**

**śatapañcāśatkanāma buddhastotram |**

upodghātah |

sarvadā sarvathā sarve yasya doṣā na santi ha |

sarve sarvābhīṣareṇa yatra cāvasthitā guṇāḥ || 1 ||

tam eva śaraṇam gantum tam stotum tam upāsitum |

tasyaiva śāsane sthātum nyāyyam yady asti cetanā || 2 ||

savāsanāś ca te doṣā na santy ekasya tāyinah |

sarve sarvavidah santi guṇāḥ te cānapāyinah || 3 ||

na hi pratiniviṣṭo 'pi manovākkāyakarmasu |

saha dharmeṇa labhate kaścid bhagavato 'ntaram || 4 ||

so 'ham prāpya manusyatvam sasaddharmamahotsavam |

mahārṇavayugacchidrakūrmagrīvārpaṇopamam || 5 ||

anityatāvyanusṛtāṁ karmacchidrasasaṁśayām |

āttasārām kariṣyāmi kathām nemām sarasvatīm || 6 ||

ity asamkhyeyaviṣayān avetyāpi guṇān muneh |

tadekadeśapraṇayah kriyate svārthagauravāt || 7 ||

svayaṁbhuve namaḥ te 'stu prabhūtādbhutakarmaṇe |

yasya saṁkhyāprabhāvābhyaṁ na gaṇeṣv asti niścayah || 8 ||

iyanta iti nāsty anta īdṛśā iti kā kathā |

punyā ity eva tu guṇān prati te mukharā vayam || 9 ||

...

śāsanastavaḥ |

ekāyanam sukhopāyam svanubandhi niratyayam |

ādimadhyāntakalyāṇam tava nānyasya śāsanam || 82 ||

evam ekāntakāntam te dṛṣṭirāgeṇa bālisāḥ |

mataṁ yadi vigarhanti nāsti dṛṣṭisamo ripuh || 83 ||

anvabhuṅkthā yad asyārthe jagato vyasanam bahu |

tat saṃsmṛtya virūpe 'pi stheyam te śāsane bhavet || 84 ||

prāg eva hitakartuś ca hitavaktuś ca śāsanam |

katham na nāma kāryam syād ādīptaśirasāpi te || 85 ||

bhujiyatā bodhisukham tvadguṇāpacitih śamah |

prāpyate tvanmatāt sarvam idam bhadracatuṣṭayam || 86 ||

trāsanam̄ sarvatīrthyānām̄ namucer upatāpanam |

āsvāsanam̄ nr̄devānām̄ tavedam̄ vīra śāsanam || 87 ||

traidhātukamahābhāumam̄ asaṅgam̄ anavagraham |

śāsanena tavākrāntam̄ antakasyāpi śāsanam || 88 ||

tvacchāsanananayajño hi tiṣṭhet kalpam̄ apīcchayā |

prayāti tatra tu svairī yatra mr̄tyor agocarah || 89 ||

āgamasyārthacintāyā bhāvanopāsanasya ca |

kālatrayavibhāgo 'sti nānyatra tava śāsanāt || 90 ||

evam̄ kalyāṇakalilam̄ tavedam̄ ṛṣipuṇgava |

śāsanam̄ nādriyante yat kim vaiśasataram̄ tataḥ || 91 ||

...

**māṭrceṭaviracitam  
śatapañcāśatkanāma buddhastotram |**

upodghātah |

sarvadā sarvathā sarve yasya doṣā na santi ha |  
sarve sarvābhīṣareṇa yatra cāvasthitā guṇāḥ || 1 ||

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savāsanāś ca te doṣā na santy ekasya tāyinah |  
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ity asamkhyeyaviṣayān avetyāpi guṇān muneḥ |  
tadekadeśapraṇayah kriyate svārthagauravāt || 7 ||

svayaṁbhuve namaḥ te 'stu prabhūtādbhutakarmaṇe |  
yasya saṁkhyāprabhāvābhyaṁ na guṇev asti niścayah || 8 ||

iyanta iti nāsty anta īdṛśā iti kā kathā |  
puṇyā ity eva tu guṇān prati te mukharā vayam || 9 ||

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śāsanastavaḥ |

ekāyanam sukhopāyam svanubandhi niratyayam |  
ādimadhyāntakalyāṇam tava nānyasya śāsanam || 82 ||

evam ekāntakāntam te dṛṣṭirāgena bāliśāḥ |  
 mataṁ yadi vigarhanti nāsti dṛṣṭisamo ripuḥ || 83 ||

anvabhuṇkthā yad asyārthe jagato vyasanaṁ bahu |  
 tat saṃsmṛtya virūpe 'pi stheyam te śāsane bhavet || 84 ||

prāg eva hitakartuś ca hitavaktuś ca śāsanam |  
 katham na nāma kāryam syād ādīptaśirasāpi te || 85 ||

bhujisyatā bodhisukham tvaḍguṇāpacitih śamaḥ |  
 prāpyate tvanmatāt sarvam idam bhadracatuṣṭayam || 86 ||

trāsanam sarvatīrthyānām namucer upatāpanam |  
 āsvāsanam nr̥devānām tavedam vīra śāsanam || 87 ||

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 śāsanena tavākrāntam antakasyāpi śāsanam || 88 ||

tvacchāsanananayañ hi tiṣṭhet kalpam apīcchayā |  
 prayāti tatra tu svairī yatra mṛtyor agocaraḥ || 89 ||

āgamasyārthacintāyā bhāvanopāsanasya ca |  
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 śāsanam nādriyante yat kim vaiśasataram tataḥ || 91 ||

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## 8. Hymn to the Incomparable One (*Niraupamyastava*)

While Nāgārjuna is primarily remembered for his great philosophical treatises on the doctrine of the middle way (*madhyamaka*), the second-century Indian master also composed several hymns of praise (*stotra*, *stava*, or *stuti*), including this *Niraupamyastava*, which was circulated as part of a collection of four hymns written by Nāgārjuna known as the *Catuhstava*.

We find in the vast genre of Sanskrit devotional poetry hymns more concerned with religious emotion than with religious dogma, in which the poet gives expression to personal feelings of devotion in impassioned appeals to the deity, occasionally reaching what one may even recognize as lyric poetry. Nāgārjuna's hymns belong to a different kind, in which the words of praise, expressed here more impersonally, are an opportunity to express in poetic form key philosophical tenets, making subtle doctrinal points accessible to all.

Both Nāgarjuna's scholastic and poetic works sought to establish the emptiness (*śūnyatā*) or insubstantiality (*niḥsvabhāvata*) of all phenomena, as expounded in early Mahāyāna texts such as the *Prajñāpāramitā Sūtras*. Intriguingly, one encounters in several verses of this hymn ideas and terms usually associated with the cataphatic or “non-empty” teachings on the *Tathāgatagarbha* expounded in later Mahāyāna scriptures, such as the *Śrīmālādevīśimhanāda Sūtra*.

## 八、讚歎世尊無與倫比 *Niraupamyastava* 《無可喻讚》

龍樹（Nāgārjuna）這位二世紀的印度論師向來以中觀（Madhyamaka）思想的哲學論著而廣為人知，其同時撰寫了數首讚頌，包括這首收錄於《四讚歌》（*Catuhstava*）詩集中的《無可喻讚》。

梵語讚頌可以分為兩種類型：第一種讚頌中，詩人透過對神靈的熱情呼籲，抒發強烈的宗教情操；龍樹的讚頌則屬另一種類型，即以詩意形式表達重要的哲理性觀念，藉此廣泛傳播佛教思想中不易理解的教理。

不論是在其論書或是讚頌中，龍樹都旨在成立空性（*śūnyatā*）、一切現象無自性（*niḥsvabhāva*）的思想，如《般若波羅蜜多經》（*Prajñāpāramitā Sūtra*）等早期大乘經典中闡述。值得注意的是，這首讚頌中有幾個詩頌的觀念和用詞，與「不空」的如來藏（*tathāgatagarbha*）思想相關，而後者則為晚期的大乘佛經所闡述，如《勝鬘師子吼經》（*Śrīmālādevīśimhanāda Sūtra*）。

**nāgārjunaviracito**

**niraupamyastavaḥ |**

niraupamya namaś tubhyam niḥsvabhāvārthavedine |

yas tvam dṛṣṭivipannasya lokasyāsyā hitodyataḥ || 1 ||

na ca nāma tvayā kiṃcid dṛṣṭam bauddhena cakṣuṣā |

anuttarā ca te nātha dṛṣṭis tattvārthadarśinī || 2 ||

na boddhā na ca boddhavyam astīha paramārthataḥ |

aho paramadurbodhām dharmatām buddhavān asi || 3 ||

na tvayotpāditaḥ kaścid dharmo nāpi nirodhitaḥ |

samatādarśanenaiva prāptam padam anuttaram || 4 ||

na saṃsārāpakarṣeṇa tvayā nirvāṇam īpsitam |

śāntis te 'dhigatā nātha saṃsārānupalabdhitah || 5 ||

tvam vivedaikarasatāṁ saṁkleśavyavadānayoh |

dharmaḥātvavirbhedād viśuddhaś cāsi sarvataḥ || 6 ||

nodāhṛtaṁ tvayā kiṁcid ekam apy akṣaram vibho |

kṛtsnaś ca vaineyajano dharmavarṣeṇa tarpitah || 7 ||

na te 'sti saktih skandheṣu dhātuṣv āyataneṣu ca |

ākāśasamacittas tvam sarvadharmeṣv aniśritah || 8 ||

sattvasamjñā ca te nātha sarvathā na pravartate |

duḥkhārteṣu ca sattveṣu tvam atīva kṛpātmakah || 9 ||

sukhaduḥkhātmanairātmyanityānyādiṣu prabho |

iti nānāvikalpeṣu buddhis tava na sajjate || 10 ||

na gatir nāgatiḥ kācid dharmāṇām iti te matih |

na kvacid rāśibhavo 'to 'si paramārthavit || 11 ||

sarvatrānugataś cāsi na ca jāto 'si kutracit |

janmadharmaśarīrabhyām acintyas tvam mahāmune || 12 ||

ekānekatvarahitam̄ pratiśrutkopamam̄ jagat |

samkrāntināśāpagataṁ buddhavāṁs tvam aninditah || 13 ||

śāśvatochedarahitam̄ lakṣyalakṣaṇavarjitam |

samsāram avabuddhas tvam̄ svapnamāyādivat prabho || 14 ||

vāsanāmūlaparyantah̄ kleśās te 'nagha nirjitah̄ |

kleśaprakṛitaś caiva tvayāmṛtam upārjitam || 15 ||

alakṣaṇam̄ tvayā dhīra dṛṣṭam rūpam arūpavat |

lakṣaṇojjvalagātraś ca dṛśyase rūpagocare || 16 ||

na ca rūpeṇa dṛṣṭena dṛṣṭa ity abhidhīyase |

dharme dṛṣṭe sudṛṣṭo 'si dharmatā na ca dṛśyate || 17 ||

śauśiryam nāsti te kāye māṃsāsthirudhiram na ca |

indrāyudham ivākāśe kāyam darśitavān asi || 18 ||

nāmayo nāśuciḥ kāye kṣutṛṣṇāsaṁbhavo na ca |

tvayā lokānuvṛttyartham darśitā laukikī kriyā || 19 ||

karmāvaraṇadoṣaś ca sarvathānagha nāsti te |

tvayā lokānukampārtham karmaplutiḥ pradarśitā || 20 ||

dharmaḍhātor asaṁbhedād yānabhedo 'sti na prabho |

yānatriyatam ākhyātam tvayā sattvāvatārataḥ || 21 ||

nityo dhruvaḥ śivah kāyas tava dharmamayo jinah |

vineyajanaheśaś ca darśitā nirvṛtis tvayā || 22 ||

lokadhātuṣ amyeṣu tvadbhaktaiḥ punar īkṣyase |

cyutijanmābhisaṁbodhicakranirvṛtilālasaiḥ || 23 ||

na te 'sti manyanā nātha na vikalpo na ceñjanā |

anābhogena te loke buddhakṛtyam̄ pravartate || 24 ||

iti sugatam acintyam aprameyam̄ guṇakusumair avakīrya yan mayāptam |

kuśalam iha bhavantu tena sattvāḥ paramagabhīramunīndradharmabhājah || 25 ||

niraupamyastavaḥ samāptaḥ ||

**nāgārjunaviracito  
niraupamyastavaḥ |**

niraupamya namaś tubhyam niḥsvabhāvārthavedine |  
yaś tvam dṛṣṭivipannasya lokasyāsyā hitodyataḥ || 1 ||

na ca nāma tvayā kiṃcid dṛṣṭam bauddhena cakṣuṣā |  
anuttarā ca te nātha dṛṣṭis tattvārthadarśinī || 2 ||

na boddhā na ca boddhavyam astīha paramārthataḥ |  
aho paramadurbodhām dharmatām buddhavān asi || 3 ||

na tvayotpāditah kaścid dharmo nāpi nirodhitaḥ |  
samatādarśanenaiva prāptam padam anuttaram || 4 ||

na samsārāpakarṣeṇa tvayā nirvāṇam īpsitam |  
śāntis te 'dhigatā nātha samsārānupalabdhitaḥ || 5 ||

tvam vivedaikarasatām samkleśavyavadānayoh |  
dharmadhātvavinirbhedād viśuddhaś cāsi sarvataḥ || 6 ||

nodāhṛtam tvayā kiṃcid ekam apy akṣaram vibho |  
kr̥tsnaś ca vaineyajano dharmavarṣeṇa tarpitah || 7 ||

na te 'sti saktih skandheṣu dhātuṣv āyataneṣu ca |  
ākāśasamacittas tvam sarvadharmeṣv aniśritah || 8 ||

sattvasamjñā ca te nātha sarvathā na pravartate |  
duḥkhārteṣu ca sattveṣu tvam atīva kṛpātmakah || 9 ||

sukhaduḥkhātmanairātmyanityānityādiṣu prabho |  
iti nānāvikalpeṣu buddhis tava na sajjate || 10 ||

na gatir nāgatiḥ kācid dharmāṇām iti te matih |  
na kvacid rāśibhavo 'to 'si paramārthavit || 11 ||

sarvatrānugataś cāsi na ca jāto 'si kutracit |  
janmadharmaśarīrabhyām acintyas tvam mahāmune || 12 ||

ekānekatvarahitam pratiśrutkopamam jagat |  
saṃkrāntināśāpagataṃ buddhavāṃs tvam aninditah || 13 ||

śāśvatochedarahahitam lakṣyalakṣaṇavarjitam |  
saṃsāram avabuddhas tvam svapnamāyādivat prabho || 14 ||

vāsanāmūlaparyantāḥ kleśāḥ te 'nagha nirjitaḥ |  
kleśaprakṛitaś caiva tvayāmṛtam upārjitam || 15 ||

alakṣaṇam tvayā dhīra dṛṣṭam rūpam arūpavat |  
lakṣaṇojjvalagātraś ca dṛsyase rūpagocare || 16 ||

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kuśalam iha bhavantu tena sattvāḥ paramagabhiṇḍramunīndradharmabhājaḥ || 25 ||

niraupamyastavaḥ samāptaḥ ||

## 9. Hymn to the Mother of All Buddhas

(*Prajñāpāramitāstotra*)

While much of Buddhist devotional poetry takes the Buddha as its object, hymns (*stotra*) are also commonly offered to other enlightened beings, including female figures, such as Tārā or Prajñāpāramitā, the “goddess” or personification of the perfection (*pāramitā*) of transcendent wisdom (*prajñā*), the insight into the emptiness (*śūnyatā*) of all phenomena required to achieve full Buddhahood.

Already in early Mahāyāna sūtras, *prajñāpāramitā* is described as the (metaphorical) mother of all past, present, and future Buddhas. With the subsequent development of Vajrayāna or Tantric Buddhism, the anthropomorphic form of *prajñāpāramitā* becomes an important object of veneration, as shown by the rich iconography found in India, Southeast Asia, or Tibet, where the goddess is known as Yum Chenmo, the “Great Mother”.

In this hymn, ascribed to the third-century monk Rāhulabhadra, Prajñāpāramitā is, in typical *stotra* fashion, addressed directly in the vocative case. The words of praise are spoken out of devotion (*bhakti*), in spite of subject matter’s ultimate ineffability.

## 九、讚歎諸佛之母

*Prajñāpāramitāstotra* 《般若波羅蜜多讚》

佛教的讚頌（*stotra*）大多用於讚美佛陀，然而讚詠其他證悟者的讚頌也為數不少，其中包含了對於女性菩薩的頌揚，例如度母（Tārā）及圓滿智慧的體現者般若波羅蜜多（Prajñāpāramitā）。

在早期的大乘佛經中，般若波羅蜜多曾經被描述為過去、現在和未來三世諸佛的（隱喻意義上的）母親。學者們在印度、東南亞和西藏等地發現了豐富的圖像，反映出般若波羅蜜多的人格化形象，隨著金剛乘（Vajrayāna）的發展而成為重要的崇拜對象。在西藏，這尊菩薩被稱為 Yum Chenmo，意即「偉大的母親」。

本篇讚頌一般認為是三世紀僧人羅睺羅跋陀羅（Rāhulabhadra）的作品。如同典型的讚頌形式，作者直接以呼格呼喚般若波羅蜜多。儘管般若波羅蜜多在根本上是不可言說，但作者巧妙的運用多項譬喻抒發其信奉（「奉愛」*bhakti*）之情。

**rāhulabhadraviracitam**

**prajñāpāramitāstotram |**

om namah śrīprajñāpāramitāyai |

nirvikalpe namas tubhyam̄ prajñāpāramite 'mite |

yā tvam̄ sarvānavadyāngi niravadyair nirīkṣyase || 1 ||

ākāśam iva nirlepām niṣprapañcām nirakṣarām |

yas tvām paśyati bhāvena sa paśyati tathāgatam || 2 ||

tava cārye guṇāḍhyāyā buddhasya ca jagadguroḥ |

na paśyanty antaram̄ santaś candracandrikayor iva || 3 ||

kṛpātmakāḥ prapadya tvām buddhadharmaṇaḥ sarīm |

sukhenāyānti māhātmyam atulam̄ bhaktivatsale || 4 ||

sakṛd apy āśaye śuddhe yaś tvāṁ vidhivad īkṣate |

tenāpi niyatam siddhiḥ prāpyate 'moghadarsane || 5 ||

sarveśām api vīrāṇām parārthaniratātmanām |

poṣikā janayitrī ca mātā tvam asi vatsalā || 6 ||

yad buddhā lokaguravaḥ putrās tava kṛpālavāḥ |

tena tvam api kalyāṇi sarvasattvapitāmahī || 7 ||

sarvapāramitābhīs tvāṁ nirmalābhīr anindite |

candralekheva tārābhīr anuyātāsi sarvadā || 8 ||

vineyām janam āśādya tatra tatra tathāgataih |

bahurūpā tvam evaikā nānānāmabhir īḍyase || 9 ||

prabhām prāpyeva dīptāṁśor avaśyāyodabindavāḥ |

tvāṁ prāpya pralayām yānti doṣā vādāś ca vādinām || 10 ||

tvam eva trāsajananī bālānāṁ bhīmadarśanā |

āsvāsajananī cāsi viduṣāṁ saumyadarśanā || 11 ||

yasya tvayy apy abhiṣvaṅgas tvannāthasya na vidyate |

tasyāmba katham anyatra rāgadveṣau bhaviṣyataḥ || 12 ||

nāgacchasi kutaścit tvāṁ na ca kvacana gacchasi |

sthāneśv api ca sarveṣu vidvadbhir nopalabhyase || 13 ||

ye tvām evam na paśyanti prapadyante ca bhāvataḥ |

prapadya ca vimucyante tad idam mahad adbhitam || 14 ||

tvām eva badhyate paśyann apaśyann api badhyate |

tvām eva mucyate paśyann apaśyann api mucyate || 15 ||

aho vismayanīyāsi gambhīrāsi yaśasvini |

sudurbodhāsi māyeva dṛśyase na ca dṛśyase || 16 ||

buddhaiḥ pratyekabuddhaiś ca śrāvakaiś ca niṣevitā |

mārgas tvam ekā mokṣasya nāsty anya iti niścayah || 17 ||

vyavahāram puraskṛtya prajñaptyartham śarīriṇām |

kṛpayā lokanāthais tvam ucyase ca na cocyase || 18 ||

śaktaḥ kas tvām iha stotum nirnimittām nirañjanām |

sarvavāgviṣayātītām yā tvām kvacid aniśritā || 19 ||

saty evam api samvṛtyā vākpathair vayam īdrśaiḥ |

tvām astutyām api satīm tuṣṭūṣantah sunirvṛtāḥ || 20 ||

prajñāpāramitām stutvā yan mayopacitam śubham |

tenāstv āśu jagat kṛtsnam prajñāpāraparāyanam || 21 ||

**rāhulabhadraviracitam  
prajñāpāramitāstotram |**

om namah śrīprajñāpāramitāyai |

nirvikalpe namas tubhyam̄ prajñāpāramite 'mite |  
yā tvam̄ sarvānavadyāngi niravadyair nirīkṣyase || 1 ||

ākāśam iva nirlepām̄ niṣprapañcām̄ nirakṣarām̄ |  
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sukhenāyānti māhātmyam atulam̄ bhaktivatsale || 4 ||

sakṛd apy āśaye śuddhe yas tvām̄ vidhivad īkṣate |  
tenāpi niyatam̄ siddhiḥ prāpyate 'moghadarśane || 5 ||

sarveśām̄ api vīrāṇām̄ parārthaniratātmanām̄ |  
poṣikā janayitrī ca mātā tvam̄ asi vatsalā || 6 ||

yad buddhā lokaguravaḥ putrās tava kṛpālavaḥ |  
tena tvam̄ api kalyāṇi sarvasattvapitāmahī || 7 ||

sarvapāramitābhīs tvam̄ nirmalābhīr anindite |  
candralekheva tārābhīr anuyātāsi sarvadā || 8 ||

vineyam̄ janam̄ āśādya tatra tatra tathāgataih̄ |  
bahurūpā tvam̄ evaikā nānānāmabhir īdyase || 9 ||

prabhām̄ prāpyeva dīptāṁśor avaśyāyodabindavaḥ |  
tvām̄ prāpya pralayam̄ yānti doṣā vādāś ca vādinām̄ || 10 ||

tvam̄ eva trāsajanānī bālānām̄ bhīmadarśanā |  
āsvāsajanānī cāsi viduṣām̄ saumyadarśanā || 11 ||

yasya tvayy apy abhiśvaṅgas tvannāthasya na vidyate |  
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vyavahāram puraskṛtya prajñaptyartham śarīriṇām |  
kṛpayā lokanāthais tvam ucyase ca na cocyase || 18 ||

śaktaḥ kas tvām iha stotum nirnimittām nirañjanām |  
sarvavāgvिषयातीताम yā tvam kvacid aniśritā || 19 ||

saty evam api samvṛtyā vākpathair vayam īdṛśaiḥ |  
tvām astutyām api satīm tuṣṭūṣantah sunirvṛtāḥ || 20 ||

prajñāpāramitām stutvā yan mayopacitām śubham |  
tenāstv āśu jagat kṛtsnam prajñāpāraparāyaṇam || 21 ||

## 10. The Buffalo and the Monkey

(*Jātakamālā*)

*Jātaka* stories narrate episodes from past lives of the Buddha. In these “birth-stories” the Buddha-to-be may appear in any form, as a king, an outcast, a tigress, or even a fish. *Jātakas* form a very popular genre of Buddhist literature, with more than five hundred such tales collected in the Theravāda Pāli canon alone. Each story illustrates a particular virtue, or perfection (*pāramitā*), cultivated on the path to full Buddhahood, conveying the Buddhist ethos through memorable parables.

The *Jātakamālā*, composed by the fourth-century Buddhist poet Āryaśūra, offers a “garland” (*mālā*) or collection of retellings of thirty-four popular *jātaka* stories. While the tales found in the Pāli canon are written in a simple prose style, Āryaśūra’s *Jātakamālā* is a work of *kāvya*, “belles-lettres” or “ornate poetry”, featuring an alternation of prose and verse, a literary style that came to be termed *campū*. This masterpiece of Buddhist literature is a remarkable example of classical Sanskrit didactic poetry, combining entertaining narratives with gnomic stanzas in a manner similar to the well-known *Pañcatantra*.

Our text comprises the penultimate *jātaka* tale from Āryaśūra’s work, in which the story of the Buddha’s past incarnation as a buffalo and his encounter with a mischievous monkey serves to impart the value of forbearance (*ksamā* or *ksānti*).

## 十、水牛與猴子的故事

摘自 *Jātakamālā* 《本生鬘》

本生故事（*jātaka*）敘述佛陀過去世的故事。在這些本生故事中，佛陀作為因地菩薩，可能以各種形式出現，如國王、流浪者、母老虎或是魚。在歷史上，本生故事是一種非常流行的佛教文學類型，僅在上座部（Theravāda）巴利藏中，就收集了五百多個故事。每個故事都說明行菩薩道所需要培養的某種德行，亦即某種波羅蜜多（*pāramitā*）。

《本生鬘》由二世紀的佛教詩人聖勇（Āryaśūra）所撰。《本生鬘》選取三十四個流行的本生故事，擷取大綱，輯錄而成。巴利經典中的本生故事用簡單的散文風格呈現，《本生鬘》則屬於梵語「美文學」（*kāvya*）著作。《本生鬘》融合散文體與韻文，這種文學風格隨之發展，爾後以專門的術語「*campū*」稱之。這部重要的佛教文學著作將娛樂性敘事與格言詩相結合，近於著名的《五卷書》（*Pañcatantra*），可謂古典梵語訓誨詩之

非凡典範。

我們選取了《本生鬘》倒數第二個故事：作為水牛的佛陀前世，與頑皮的猴子相遇，藉此說明忍辱（*ksamā* 或 *ksānti*）的重要性。

**āryaśūraviracitāyāṁ jātakamālāyāṁ**

**mahiṣajātakāṁ trayastrīṁśattamam |**

sati kṣantavye kṣamā syān nāsatīty apakāriṇām api sādhavo lābhām iva bahu

manyante | tad yathānuśrūyate:

bodhisattvah kilānyatamasminn aranyaapradeśe pañkasamparkāt paruṣavapur

nīlameghaviccheda iva pādacārī vanamahiṣavṛṣo babhūva | sa tasyāṁ durlabha-

dharmaśamjñāyāṁ sammohabahulāyāṁ api tiryaggatau vartamānah paṭuvijñāna-

tvān na dharmacaryānirudyogamatir babhūva |

cirānuvṛttyeva nibaddhabhāvā

na tam kadācit karuṇā mumoca |

ko 'pi prabhāvah sa tu karmaṇo vā

tasyaiva vā yat sa tathā babhūva || 33.1 ||

atas ca nūnam bhagavān avocad

acintyatām karmavipākayukteḥ |

kṛpātmakah sann api yat sa bheje

tiryaggatiṁ tatra ca dharmasamjñām || 33.2 ||

vinā na karmāsti gatiprabandhaḥ

śubham na cāniṣṭavipākam asti |

sa dharmasamjñī pi tu karmaleśāṁs

tāṁs tāṁ samāsādya tathā tathāsīt || 33.3 ||

athānyatamo duṣṭavānaras tasya kālāntarābhivyaktām prakṛtibhadratām dayānu-

vṛttyā ca vigatakrodhasamrambhatām avetya, nāsmād bhayam astīti, tam mahā-

sattvam tena tena vihiṁsākramena bhṛsataram abādhata |

dayāmrduṣu durjanah paṭutarāvaledoddhavaḥ

parām vrajati vikriyām na hi bhayam tataḥ paśyati |

yatas tu bhayaśāṅkayā sukrśayāpi samsprśyate

vinīta iva nīcakaiś carati tatra śāntoddhvah || 33.4 ||

sa kadācit tasya mahāsattvasya visrabdhaprasuptasya nidrāvaśād vā pracaṭāyataḥ

sahaśaivopari nipatati sma | drumam iva kadācid enam adhiruhya bhrśam samcāla-

yām āsa | kṣudhitasyāpi kadācid asya mārgam āvrtya vyatiṣṭhata | kāṣṭheṇāpy enam

ekadā śravaṇayor ghaṭṭayām āsa | salilāvagāhanasamutsukasyāpy asya kadācic

chirah samabhiruhya pāṇibhyām nayane samāvavre | apy enam adhiruhya samudya-

tadaṇḍah prasahyaiva vāhayan yamasya līlām anucakāra | bodhisattvo 'pi mahā-

sattvah sarvam tad asyāvinayaceṣṭitam upakāram iva manyamāno niḥsamkṣobha-

saṃrambhamanyur marsayām āsa |

svabhāva eva pāpānām vinayonmārgasamśrayah |

abhyāsāt tatra ca satām upakāra iva kṣamā || 33.5 ||

atha kilānyatamo yakṣas tam asya paribhavam amṛṣyamāno bhāvam vā jijñāsa-

mānas tasya mahāsattvasya, tena duṣṭakapinā vāhyamānam tam mahiṣavṛṣabham

mārge sthitvā idam uvāca: mā tāvad bhoḥ | kim parikrīto 'sy anena duṣṭakapinā? atha

dyūte parājitaḥ? utāho bhayam asmāt kiṃcid āśaṅkase? utāho balam ātmagatam

nāveśi, yad evam anena paribhūya vāhyase? nanu bhoḥ

vegāviddham tvadviṣāṇāgravajram

vajram bhindyād vajravad vā nagendrān |

pādāś ceme roṣasamrambhamuktā

majjeyus te pañkavac chailapṛṣṭhe || 33.6 ||

idam ca śailopamasamhatasthiram

samagraśobham balasampadā vapuh |

svabhāvasaujaskanirīkṣito 'rjitam

durāsadam kesariṇo 'pi te bhavet || 33.7 ||

mathātha dhṛtvā tad imam kṣureṇa vā

viśāṇakotyā madam asya voddhara |

kim asya jālmasya kaper aśaktavat

prabādhanāduḥkham idam titikṣase || 33.8 ||

asajjanaḥ kutra yathā cikitsyate

guṇānuvṛttyā sukhaśīlasaumyayā |

kaṭūṣṇarūkṣāṇi hi yatra siddhaye

kaphātmako roga iva prasarpati || 33.9 ||

atha bodhisattvas tam yakṣam avekṣamāṇah kṣamāpakṣapatitam arūkṣākṣaram

ity uvāca:

avaimy enam calam nūnam sadā cāvinaye ratam |

ata eva mayā tv asya yuktam marṣayitum nanu || 33.10 ||

pratikartum aśaktasya kṣamā kā hi balīyasi |

vinayācāradhīreṣu kṣantavyam kim ca sādhuṣu || 33.11 ||

śakta eva titikṣate durbalaskhalitam yataḥ |

varam paribhavas tasmān na guṇānām parābhavah || 33.12 ||

asatkriyā hīnabalāc ca nāma

nirdeśakālah paramo guṇānām |

guṇapriyas tatra kim ity apekṣya

svadhairyabhedāya parākrameta || 33.13 ||

nityam kṣamāyāś ca nanu kṣamāyāḥ

kālah parāyattatayā durāpah |

pareṇa tasminn upapādite ca

tatraiva kopapraṇayakramah kah || 33.14 ||

svām dharmapīḍām avicintya yo 'yam

matpāpaśuddhyartham iva pravṛttah |

na cet kṣamām apy aham atra kuryām

anyah kṛtaghno bata kīdṛśah syāt || 33.15 ||

yakṣa uvāca: tena hi na tvam asyāḥ kadācit prabādhānāyā mokṣyase:

gunēśv abahumānasya durjanasyāvinītatām |

kṣamānaibhṛtyam atyaktvā kah samkocayitum prabhuḥ || 33.16 ||

bodhisattva uvāca:

parasya pīḍāpraṇayena yat sukham

nivāraṇam syād asukhodayasya vā |

sukhārthinas tan na niṣevitum kṣamaṁ

na tadvipāko hi sukhaprasiddhaye || 33.17 ||

kṣamāśrayād evam asau mayārthataḥ

prabodhyamāno yadi nāvagacchati |

nivārayiṣyanti ta enam utpathād

amarśino yān ayam abhyupaiṣyati || 33.18 ||

asatkriyāṁ prāpya ca tadvidhāj janān

na mādrše 'py evam asau kariṣyati |

na labdhadoṣo hi punas tathācared

ataś ca muktir mama sā bhaviṣyati || 33.19 ||

atha yakṣas tam mahāsattvam prasādavismayabahumānāvarjitamatiḥ sādhu

sādhv iti saśiraḥprakampāṅgulivikṣepam abhisamrādhya tat tat priyam uvāca:

kutas tiraścām iyam īdṛśī sthitir

guṇeṣv asau cādaravistaraḥ kutah |

kayāpi buddhyā tv idam āsthito vapus

tapovane ko 'pi bhavāṁs tapasyati || 33.20 ||

ity enam abhipraśasya tam cāsyā duṣṭavānaram pṛṣṭhād avadhūya samādiṣya

cāsyā raksāvidhānāṁ tatraivāntardadhe |

tad evam sati kṣantavye kṣamā syān nāsañīty apakāriṇām api sādhavo lābhām iva

bahu manyanta iti kṣāntikathāyām vācyam | evam tiryaggatānāṁ bodhisattvānāṁ

pratisaṁkhyānasauṣṭhavam dr̥ṣṭam | ko nāma manusyabhūtaḥ pravrajitapratijñō vā

tadvikalāḥ śobheta? ity evam api vācyam, tathāgatavarṇe satkṛtya dharmaśravaṇe

ceti |

iti mahiṣajātakam trayastriṁśattamam ||

āryaśūraviracitāyāṁ jātakamālāyāṁ  
mahiṣajātakāṁ trayastrīṁśattamam |

sati kṣantavye kṣamā syān nāsatīty apakāriṇām api sādhavo lābhām iva bahu manyante | tad yathānuśrūyate:

bodhisattvah kilānyatamasminn aranyaapradeśe pañkasamparkāt paruśavapur nīlameghaviccheda iva pādacārī vanamahiṣavṛṣo babbhūva | sa tasyāṁ durlabhadharmasamjñāyāṁ sammohabahulāyāṁ api tiryaggatau vartamānah paṭuvijñāna-tvān na dharmacaryānirudyogamatir babbhūva |

cirānuvṛttyeva nibaddhabhāvā  
na tam kadācit karuṇā mumoca |  
ko 'pi prabhāvah sa tu karmaṇo vā  
tasyaiva vā yat sa tathā babbhūva || 33.1 ||

ataś ca nūnam bhagavān avocad  
acintyatām karmavipākayukteḥ |  
krpātmakah sann api yat sa bheje  
tiryaggatīm tatra ca dharmasamjñām || 33.2 ||

vinā na karmāsti gatiprabandhaḥ  
śubham na cāniṣṭavipākam asti |  
sa dharmasamjñī pi tu karmaleśāṁs  
tāṁs tān samāsādya tathā tathāsīt || 33.3 ||

athānyatamo duṣṭavānaras tasya kālāntarābhivyaktām prakṛtibhadratām dayānu-vṛttyā ca vigatakrodhasamṛambhatām avetya, nāsmād bhayam astīti, tam mahā-sattvam tena tena vihiṁsākrameṇa bhṛśataram abādhata |

dayāmṛduṣu durjanah paṭutarāvaledoddhavaḥ  
parām vrajati vikriyām na hi bhayam tataḥ paśyati |  
yatas tu bhayaśaṅkayā sukṛśayāpi saṁsprśyate  
vinīta iva nīcakaiś carati tatra śāntoddhavaḥ || 33.4 ||

sa kadācit tasya mahāsattvasya visrabdhaprasuptasya nidrāvaśād vā pracalāyataḥ sahasaivopari nipatati sma | drumam iva kadācid enam adhiruhyā bhṛśam samcāla-

yām āsa | kṣudhitasyāpi kadācid asya mārgam āvṛtya vyatiṣṭhata | kāṣṭheṇāpy enam ekadā śravaṇayor ghaṭṭayām āsa | salilāvagāhanasamutsukasyāpy asya kadācic chirah samabhiruhya pāṇibhyām nayane samāvavre | apy enam adhiruhya samudyatadaṇḍah prasahyaiva vāhayan yamasya līlām anucakāra | bodhisattvo 'pi mahāsattvah sarvam tad asyāvinayaceṣṭitam upakāram iva manyamāno niḥsamkṣobhasaṃrambhamanyur marṣayām āsa |

svabhāva eva pāpānām vinayonmārgasamśrayah |  
abhyāsāt tatra ca satām upakāra iva kṣamā || 33.5 ||

atha kilānyatamo yakṣas tam asya paribhavam amṛṣyamāno bhāvam vā jijñāsamānas tasya mahāsattvasya, tena duṣṭakapinā vāhyamānam tam mahiṣavṛṣabham mārge sthitvā idam uvāca: mā tāvad bhoḥ | kim parikrīto 'sy anena duṣṭakapinā? atha dyūte parājitaḥ? utāho bhayam asmāt kiṃcid āśaṅkase? utāho balam ātmagatam nāvesi, yad evam anena paribhūya vāhyase? nanu bhoḥ

vegāviddhām tvadviṣāṇāgravajram  
vajram bhindyād vajravad vā nagendrān |  
pādāś ceme roṣasamrambhamuktā  
majjeyus te pañkavac chailaprṣṭhe || 33.6 ||

idam ca śailopamasamhastathirām  
samagraśobham balasampadā vapuh |  
svabhāvasaujaskanirīkṣito 'rjitaṁ  
durāsadaṁ kesariṇo 'pi te bhavet || 33.7 ||

mathātha dhṛtvā tad imam kṣureṇa vā  
viṣāṇakotyā madam asya voddhara |  
kim asya jālmasya kaper aśaktavat  
prabādhanāduḥkham idam titikṣase || 33.8 ||

asajjanah kutra yathā cikitsyate  
guṇānuvṛttiā sukhaśīlasaumyayā |  
kaṭūṣṇarūkṣāṇi hi yatra siddhaye  
kaphātmako roga iva prasarpati || 33.9 ||

atha bodhisattvas tam yakṣam avekṣamāṇah kṣamāpaksapatitam arūkṣākṣaram ity uvāca:

avaimy enam calam nūnam sadā cāvinaye ratam |  
 ata eva mayā tv asya yuktam marsayitum nanu || 33.10 ||

pratikartum aśaktasya kṣamā kā hi balīyasi |  
 vinayācāradhīreṣu kṣantavyam kim ca sādhuṣu || 33.11 ||

śakta eva titikṣate durbalaskhalitam yataḥ |  
 varam parībhavas tasmān na guṇānām parābhavah || 33.12 ||

asatkriyā hīnabalāc ca nāma  
 nirdeśakālah paramo guṇānām |  
 guṇapriyas tatra kim ity apekṣya  
 svadhairyabhedāya parākrameta || 33.13 ||

nityam kṣamāyāś ca nanu kṣamāyāḥ  
 kālāḥ parāyattatayā durāpah |  
 pareṇa tasminn upapādite ca  
 tatraiva kopapraṇayakramah kah || 33.14 ||

svāṁ dharmapīḍām avicintya yo 'yam  
 matpāpaśuddhyartham iva pravṛttah |  
 na cet kṣamām apy aham atra kuryām  
 anyāḥ kṛtaghno bata kīdrśāḥ syāt || 33.15 ||

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 nivāraṇam syād asukhodayasya vā |  
 sukhārthinas tan na niṣevitum kṣamam  
 na tadvipāko hi sukhaprasiddhaye || 33.17 ||

kṣamāśrayād evam asau mayārthataḥ  
 prabodhyamāno yadi nāvagacchati |

nivārayiṣyanti ta enam utpathād  
 amarśiṇo yān ayam abhyupaiṣyati || 33.18 ||

asatkriyāṁ prāpya ca tadvidhāj janān  
 na mādr̥se 'py evam asau kariṣyati |  
 na labdhadoṣo hi punas tathācared  
 ataś ca muktir mama sā bhaviṣyati || 33.19 ||

atha yakṣas tam mahāsattvam prasādavismayabahumānāvarjitamatih sādhu  
 sādhv iti saśiraḥprakampāṅgulivikṣepam abhisamṛādhya tat tat priyam uvāca:

kutas tiraścām iyam īdṛśī sthitir  
 guneṣv asau cādaravistaraḥ kutaḥ |  
 kayāpi buddhyā tv idam āsthito vapus  
 tapovane ko 'pi bhavāṁs tapasyati || 33.20 ||

ity enam abhipraśasya tam cāsyā duṣṭavānaram pr̥ṣṭhād avadhūya samādiṣya  
 cāsyā raksāvidhānam tatraivāntardadhe |

tad evam sati kṣantavye kṣamā syān nāsaftīty apakāriṇām api sādhavo lābhām iva  
 bahu manyanta iti kṣāntikathāyām vācyam | evam tiryaggatānām bodhisattvānām  
 pratisamkhyānasauṣṭhavām dṛṣṭam | ko nāma manusyabhūtaḥ pravrajitapratijñō vā  
 tadvikalāḥ śobhet? ity evam api vācyam, tathāgatavarne satkṛtya dharmaśravaṇe  
 ceti |

iti mahiṣajātakām trayastrīṁśattamam ||

## 11. Encountering Old Age

(*Buddhacarita*, ch. 3)

The *Buddhacarita*, composed by the great second-century Buddhist dramatist and poet Aśvaghoṣa, is the first Indian text to offer a systematic and chronological account of the Buddha's life. The text refers to itself as a *mahākāvya* or “epic poem”, a class of ornate court poetry (*kāvya*) characterized by elaborate figures of speech (*alambāra*) describing scenes of battle, nature, love, and so on. The literary quality of the Aśvaghoṣa's works has led many to regard this Buddhist author as one of the greatest poets in the history of Sanskrit literature, and possibly the most important predecessor of Kālidāsa, the famed “Shakespeare of India”.

While other accounts of the Buddha's life, such as the *Mahāvastu* (“Great Event”) and *Lalitavistara* (“The Play [of the Buddha's life] in Full”), emphasize the mythological elements of the Buddha's life, Aśvaghoṣa's elegant treatment shows restraint in the description of miracles, and is free of the kinds of exaggerations that tend to characterize later depictions of the Buddha. In the records of his trip to India, the Chinese pilgrim Yi Jing (義淨) attests to the popularity from ancient times of the *Buddhacarita*, stating that Aśvaghoṣa's masterpiece was recited throughout the Indian subcontinent, and even as far as the Malay archipelago, where he had come to reside.

The third canto (*sarga*) tells the story of prince Siddhārtha's fateful encounter with an old man, a sick man, and a corpse, referred to elsewhere as the “heavenly messengers” (*devadūta*), for reasons made clear in the following passage. Our text begins as the prince is being driven by his charioteer Chandaka through the streets of Kapilavastu, which the king Śuddhodhana has had cleared of all sick, old, or poor people in advance of Siddhārtha's first excursion to the royal garden outside the palace walls.

## 十一、王子的厭患

摘自 *Buddhacarita* 《佛所行讚》

《佛所行贊》由二世紀偉大的佛教詩人馬鳴（Aśvaghoṣa）所造，是第一部系統地敘述佛陀一生的文獻。《佛所行贊》屬於梵語史詩（*mahākāvya*），即宮廷詩（*kāvya*）的一種，其特點是以精巧的修辭手法（*alambāra*）描述戰鬥、大自然及愛情等場景。馬鳴作品文辭優美，被公認為梵語文學史上最偉大的詩人之一，亦相傳是有「印度莎士比亞」之譽的迦梨陀娑（Kālidāsa）最重要的前輩。

雖然其他文獻對於佛陀生命的描述側重於其神話元素，如《大事》（*Mahāvastu*）和

《普曜經》（*Lalitavistara*），馬鳴卻以優美的筆觸描述佛陀的一生，對佛陀神通事蹟較少著墨。中國西行求法僧義淨於《南海寄歸內法傳》記載，馬鳴這部傑作在全印度被吟誦，甚至遠及馬來群島，證明了《佛所行贊》自古以來之流行。

本文選自《佛所行贊》第三章，此章描寫悉達多（Siddhārtha）太子出遊偶遇老者、病人及死者的故事，經中將此類人生際遇稱為「天使」（devadūta）。太子乘著車匿（Chandaka）駕駛的馬車，穿過迦毘羅衛城（Kapilavastu）的街道，往宮外的皇室花園前進，這是太子第一次離開宮中，而淨飯王（Śuddhodhana）已預先將街道上所有的病人、老人及窮人移往他處。故事由此而展開…

**aśvaghoṣaviracite**

**buddhacarite mahākāvye**

**samvegotpattir nāma tṛtīyah sargah |**

...

kīrṇam tathā rājapatham kumārah paurair vinītaiḥ śucidhīraveśaiḥ |

tatpūrvam ālokya jaharṣa kiṁcin mene punarbhāvam ivātmanaś ca || 3.25 ||

puram tu tat svargam iva prahr̥ṣṭam śuddhādhivāsah samavekṣya devāḥ |

jīrṇam naram nirmamire prayātum samcodanārtham kṣitipātmajasya || 3.26 ||

tataḥ kumāro jarayābhībhūtam drṣṭvā narebhyah pṛthagākṛtim tam |

uvāca samgrāhakam āgatāsthas tatraiva niṣkampanivışṭadṛṣṭih || 3.27 ||

ka eṣa bhoḥ sūta naro 'bhyupetaḥ keśaiḥ sitair yaṣṭiviṣaktahastah |

bhrūsamvṛtākṣah śīthilānatāṅgaḥ kim vikriyaiṣā prakṛtir yadrcchā || 3.28 ||

ity evam uktaḥ sa rathapraṇetā nivedayām āsa nṛpātmajāya |

samṛakṣyam apy artham adoṣadarsī tair eva devaiḥ kṛtabuddhimohah || 3.29 ||

rūpasya hantrī vyasanam balasya śokasya yonir nidhanam ratnām |

nāśah smṛtīnām ripur indriyāṇām eṣā jarā nāma yayaiṣa bhagnah || 3.30 ||

pītam hy anenāpi payah śisutve kālena bhūyah parisṛptam urvyām |

krameṇa bhūtvā ca yuvā vapusmān krameṇa tenaiva jarām upetaḥ || 3.31 ||

ity evam ukte calitah sa kiṃcid rājātmajah sūtam idam babhāṣe |

kim eṣa doṣo bhavitā mamāpīty asmai tataḥ sārathir abhyuvāca || 3.32 ||

āyuṣmato 'py eṣa vayaḥprakarṣo niḥsamśayaṁ kālavaśena bhāvī |

evam jarām rūpavināśayitrīm jānāti caivecchati caiva lokah || 3.33 ||

tataḥ sa pūrvāśayaśuddhabuddhir vistīrṇakalpācitapuṇyakarmā |

śrutvā jarām saṃvivije mahātmā mahāśaner ghoṣam ivāntike gauḥ || 3.34 ||

nihsvasya dīrgham svaśirah prakampya tasmiṁś ca jīrṇe vinivesya cakṣuh |

tām caiva drṣṭvā janatām saharṣām vākyam sa samvigna idam jagāda || 3.35 ||

evam jarā hanti ca nirviśeṣam smṛtim ca rūpam ca parākramam ca |

na caiva samvegam upaiti lokaḥ pratyakṣato 'pīdṛśam īkṣamāṇah || 3.36 ||

evam gate sūta nivartayāśvān śīghram gr̥hāṇy eva bhavān prayātu |

udyānabhūmau hi kuto ratir me jarābhaye cetasi vartamāne || 3.37 ||

athājñayā bharṭsutasya tasya nivartayām āsa ratham niyantā |

tataḥ kumāro bhavanam tad eva cintāvaśah śūnyam iva prapede || 3.38 ||

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evam jarām rūpavināśayitrīm jānāti caivecchati caiva lokaḥ || 3.33 ||

tataḥ sa pūrvāśayaśuddhabuddhir vistīrṇakalpācītapanuyakarmā |  
śrutvā jarām saṁvivije mahātmā mahāsaner ghoṣam ivāntike gauḥ || 3.34 ||

niḥsvasya dīrgham svaśirah prakampya tasmiṁś ca jīrṇe viniveṣya cakṣuh |  
tām caiva dr̄ṣṭvā janatām saharṣām vākyam sa saṁvigna idam jagāda || 3.35 ||

evam jarā hanti ca nirviśeṣam smṛtim ca rūpaṁ ca parākramam ca |  
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## 12. Guarding the Mind

(*Bodhicaryāvatāra*, ch. 5)

Ostensibly, the *Bodhicaryāvatāra*, composed by the eighth-century Mādhyamika monk Śāntideva, is a philosophical treatise (*sāstra*), a systematic introduction to the practice leading to awakening (*bodhicaryā*), the bodhisattva's path. Yet, the *Bodhicaryāvatāra* is also widely celebrated for its poetic beauty and poignant meditations on the cultivation of compassion (*karuṇā*), the mind of awakening (*bodhicitta*), and the transcendent virtues (*pāramitā*). For this reason, Śāntideva's work can also be regarded as a work of poetry (*kāvya*), in which meaning or content (*artha*) is given as much attention as style or elegant wording (*śabda*). According to tradition, more than one hundred commentaries on this work were written in India, with many more composed by Tibetan scholars, making the *Bodhicaryāvatāra* one of the most widely studied texts of late Indian Mahāyāna Buddhism.

While the thematic structure of the work would lead one to expect a fifth chapter dedicated to the first two perfections (*pāramitā*) of giving (*dāna*) and ethical discipline (*sīla*), Śāntideva discusses instead the central importance of guarding the mind at all times. In the first thirty-two verses, Śāntideva explores the futility of our attempts to control the external course of events and enjoins us to focus our efforts on guarding the mind through the cultivation of clear awareness (*saṃprajanya*) and mindfulness (*smṛti*).

## 十二、心的守護

摘自 *Bodhicaryāvatāra* 《入菩提行論》第五品

八世紀的大乘僧侶寂天（Śāntideva）所造的《入菩提行論》是一部哲學性的論著（*sāstra*），系統地介紹了導向覺悟的修行（*bodhicaryā*），即菩薩道。《入菩提行論》也因其文辭優美，且對於悲心（*karuṇā*）、菩提心（*bodhicitta*）和波羅蜜多（*pāramitā*）有深刻的省思，而廣為後人傳誦。因此，《入菩提行論》也可以歸屬「美文學」（*kāvya*）著作，兼顧意義（*artha*）之豐富與辭藻（*śabda*）之優美。

根據傳統的記載，僅僅在印度就有一百多部關於《入菩提行論》的注釋書，還未包括西藏學者所寫的大量注釋，可見《入菩提行論》是印度晚期大乘佛教很重要的論書之一。

根據本論的架構，我們會預期第五品主要討論布施（*dāna*）和持戒（*sīla*）前兩個波羅蜜多，然而寂天卻於此處詳盡地說明了時時防護心念的重要性。本文為第五品的前三十二頌，寂天說明試圖改變外在環境只是徒勞，勸勉後學應致力防護內心，也就是應謹慎地持守正知（*saṃprajanya*）與正念（*smṛti*）。

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**bodhicaryāvatāre**

**samprajanyarakṣaṇam nāma pañcamah̄ paricchedah̄ |**

śiksām rakṣitukāmena cittam rakṣyam prayatnataḥ |

na śikṣā rakṣitum śakyā calaṁ cittam arakṣatā || 5.1 ||

adāntā mattamātaṅgā na kurvantīha tāṁ vyathām |

karoti yām avīcyādau muktaś cittamataṅgajah̄ || 5.2 ||

baddhaś cec cittamātaṅgaḥ smṛtirajjvā samantataḥ |

bhayam astamgatam sarvam kṛtsnam kalyāṇam āgatam || 5.3 ||

vyāghrāḥ simhā gajā ṛksāḥ sarpāḥ sarve ca śatravah̄ |

sarve narakapālāś ca ḍākinyo rākṣasāś tathā || 5.4 ||

sarve baddhā bhavanty ete cittasyaikasya bandhanāt |

cittasyaikasya damanāt sarve dāntā bhavanti ca || 5.5 ||

yasmād bhayāni sarvāṇi duḥkhāny apramitāni ca |

cittād eva bhavantīti kathitam tattvavādinā || 5.6 ||

śastrāṇi kena narake ghaṭitāni prayatnataḥ |

taptāyahkuṭṭimam kena kuto jātāś ca tāḥ striyah || 5.7 ||

pāpacittasamudbhūtam tat tat sarvam jagau munih |

tasmān na kaścit trailokye cittād anyo bhayānakah || 5.8 ||

adaridram jagat kṛtvā dānapāramitā yadi |

jagad daridram adyāpi sā katham pūrvatāyinām || 5.9 ||

phalena saha sarvasvatyāgacittāj jane 'khile |

dānapāramitā proktā tasmāt sā cittam eva tu || 5.10 ||

matsyādayah kva nīyantāṁ mārayeyam yato na tān |

labdhe viraticitte tu śīlapāramitā matā || 5.11 ||

kiyato mārayiṣyāmi durjanān gaganopamān |

mārite krodhacitte tu māritāḥ sarvaśatravah || 5.12 ||

bhūmim chādayitum sarvāṁ kutaś carma bhaviṣyati |

upānaccarmamātreṇa channā bhavati medinī || 5.13 ||

bāhyā bhāvā mayā tadvac chakyā vārayitum na hi |

svacittam vārayiṣyāmi kim mamānyair nivāritaiḥ || 5.14 ||

sahāpi vāksarīrābhyaṁ mandavṛtter na tat phalam |

yat paṭor ekakasyāpi cittasya brahmatādikam || 5.15 ||

japās tapāmsi sarvāṇi dīrghakālakṛtāny api |

anyacittenā mandena vṛthaivety āha sarvavit || 5.16 ||

duḥkham hantum sukham prāptum te bhramanti mudhāmbare |

yair etad dharmasarvasvam cittam guhyam na bhāvitam || 5.17 ||

tasmāt svadhiṣṭhitam cittam mayā kāryam surakṣitam |

cittarakṣāvrataṁ muktvā bahubhiḥ kim mama vrataih || 5.18 ||

yathā capalamadhyastho rakṣati vraṇam ādarāt |

evam durjanamadhyastho rakṣec cittavraṇam sadā || 5.19 ||

vraṇaduḥkhalavād bhīto rakṣāmi vraṇam ādarāt |

samghātāparvatāghātād bhītaś cittavraṇam na kim || 5.20 ||

anena hi vihāreṇa viharan durjaneṣv api |

pramadājanamadhye 'pi yatir dhīro na khaṇḍyate || 5.21 ||

lābhā naśyantu me kāmam satkārah kāyajīvitam |

naśyatv anyac ca kuśalam mā tu cittam kadācana || 5.22 ||

cittam rakṣitukāmānāṁ mayaiṣa kriyate 'ñjaliḥ |

smṛtim ca samprajanyam ca sarvayatnena rakṣata || 5.23 ||

vyādhyākulo naro yadvan na kṣamah sarvakarmasu |

tathābhyaṁ vyākulam cittam na kṣamam sarvakarmasu || 5.24 ||

asamprajanyacittasya śrutacintitabhāvitam |

sacchidrakumbhajalavan na smṛtāv avatiṣṭhate || 5.25 ||

aneke śrutavanto 'pi śrāddhā yatnaparā api |

asamprajanyadoṣeṇa bhavanty āpattikaśmalāḥ || 5.26 ||

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upacityāpi puṇyāni muṣitā yānti durgatim || 5.27 ||

kleśataskarasamṛgho 'yam avatāragaveṣakah |

prāpyāvatāram muṣṇāti hanti sadgatijīvitam || 5.28 ||

tasmāt smṛtir manodvārān nāpaneyā kadācana |

gatāpi pratyupasthāpyā saṃsmṛtyāpāyikīm vyathām || 5.29 ||

upādhyāyānuśāsinyā bhītyāpy ādarakāriṇām |

dhanyānām gurusamvāsāt sukaram jāyate smṛtiḥ || 5.30 ||

buddhāś ca bodhisattvāś ca sarvatrāvyāhatekṣaṇāḥ |

sarvam evāgratas teṣāṁ teṣāṁ asmi puraḥ sthitah || 5.31 ||

iti dhyātvā tathā tiṣṭhet trapādarabhayānvitah |

buddhānusmṛtir apy evam bhavet tasya muhur muhuḥ || 5.32 ||

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## 13. The Practice of Forbearance

(*Bodhicaryāvatāra*, ch. 6)

Starting with the sixth chapter of the *Bodhicaryāvatāra*, Śāntideva dedicates a complete chapter to each of the last four perfections (*pāramitā*) of the bodhisattva's practice, i.e., forbearance or patience (*kṣānti*), zeal (*vīrya*), meditation (*dhyāna*), and wisdom (*prajñā*). The first twenty-one verses of the sixth chapter stress the importance of cultivating the kind of stoicism or mental fortitude that allows one to remain composed when faced with the vicissitudes of life, a quality referred to elsewhere as the *duḥkhādhivāsanākṣānti*. This forbearance is shown to be the antidote (*pratikāra*) to the singularly destructive emotions of anger (*krodha*) and hatred or aversion (*dveṣa*), conditioned responses arising from our inability to remain equanimous in challenging circumstances.

## 十三、忍辱的修習

摘自 *Bodhicaryāvatāra* 《入菩提行論》第六品

寂天在《入菩提行論》第六品至第九品的四品中，順次論述了忍辱（*kṣānti*）、精進（*vīrya*）、禪定（*dhyāna*）、智慧（*prajñā*）等四個波羅蜜多（*pāramitā*）。本文為第六品的前二十一頌，文中詳述思惟瞋恚的過失和忍辱的功德，並強調應力勵修習「安受眾苦忍」（*duḥkhādhivāsanākṣānti*），即忍受寒熱飢渴等種種苦的能力，不為一切苦難所動搖。此中，忍辱被視為對治忿怒（*krodha*）及瞋恚（*dveṣa*）這兩種破壞性情緒的方法（*pratikāra*）。

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**kṣāntipāramitā nāma ṣaṭhaḥ paricchedaḥ |**

sarvam etat sucaritaṁ dānam sugatapūjanam |

kṛtam kalpasahasrair yat pratighaḥ pratihanti tat || 6.1 ||

na ca dvesasamam pāpam na ca kṣāntisamam tapah |

tasmāt kṣāntim prayatnena bhāvayed vividhair nayaīḥ || 6.2 ||

manah śamam na gṛhṇāti na prītisukham aśnute |

na nidrām na dhṛtim yāti dveśaśalye hṛdi sthite || 6.3 ||

pūjayaty arthamānair yān ye 'pi cainam samāśritāḥ |

te 'py enam hantum icchanti svāminam dveśadurbhagam || 6.4 ||

suhṛdo 'py udvijante 'smād dadāti na ca sevyate |

saṃkṣepān nāsti tat kiṃcit krodhano yena susthitah || 6.5 ||

evamādīni duḥkhāni karotīty arisamjñayā |

yah krodham hanti nirbandhāt sa sukhīha paratra ca || 6.6 ||

aniṣṭakaraṇāj jātam iṣṭasya ca vighātanāt |

daurmanasyāśanam prāpya dveśo dr̥pto nihanti mām || 6.7 ||

tasmād vighātayiṣyāmi tasyāśanam aham ripoḥ |

yasmān na madvadhād anyat kṛtyam asyāsti vairiṇah || 6.8 ||

atyaniṣṭāgamenāpi na kṣobhyā muditā mayā |

daurmanasye 'pi nāstīṣṭam kuśalam tv avahīyate || 6.9 ||

yady asty eva pratīkāro daurmanasyena tatra kim |

atha nāsti pratīkāro daurmanasyena tatra kim || 6.10 ||

duḥkham nyakkārapāruṣyam ayaśaś cety anīpsitam |

priyāṇām ātmano vāpi śatros caitadviparyayāt || 6.11 ||

kathamcil labhyate saukhyam duḥkham sthitam ayatnataḥ |

duḥkhenava ca niḥsāraś cetas tasmād dṛḍhībhava || 6.12 ||

durgāputrakakarṇātā dāhacchedādivedanām |

vṛthā sahante muktyartham ahaṁ kasmāt tu kātarah || 6.13 ||

na kiṁcid asti tad vastu yad abhyāsasya duṣkaram |

tasmān mṛduvyathābhyaśāt soḍhavyāpi mahāvyathā || 6.14 ||

uddamśadamśamaśakakṣutpipāsādivedanām |

mahatkanḍvādidi duḥkham ca kim anartham na paśyasi || 6.15 ||

śītoṣṇavṛṣṭivātādhvavyādhibandhanatāḍanaiḥ |

saukumāryam na kartavyam anyathā vardhate vyathā || 6.16 ||

kecit svaśonitam dṛṣṭvā vikramante viśeṣataḥ |

paraśonitam apy eke dṛṣṭvā mūrchām vrajanti yat || 6.17 ||

tac cittasya dṛḍhatvena kātaratvena cāgatam |

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duḥkhe 'pi naiva cittasya prasādam kṣobhayed budhaḥ |

samgrāmo hi saha kleśair yuddhe ca sulabhā vyathā || 6.19 ||

urasārātighātān ye praticchanto jayanty arīn |

te te vijayinah śūrāḥ śeṣās tu mṛtamārakāḥ || 6.20 ||

guṇo 'paraś ca duḥkhasya yat samvegān madacyutiḥ |

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te te vijayinah śūrāḥ śeṣās tu mr̄tamārakāḥ || 6.20 ||

guṇo 'paraś ca duḥkhasya yat saṁvegān madacyutiḥ |  
saṁsāriṣu ca kārunyam̄ pāpād bhītir jine spṛhā || 6.21 ||

...

## 14. Emptiness and the Four Noble Truths

(*Mūlamadhyamakakārikā*, ch. 24)

In his seminal *Mūlamadhyamakakārikā*, the great Buddhist philosopher Nāgārjuna propounds the emptiness (*śūnyatā*) or insubstantiality (*niḥsvabhāvatā*) of all things, including the Buddha himself and his teaching. Some of Nāgārjuna's coreligionists must have considered that this radical and ostensibly nihilistic doctrine undermined the very possibility of liberation as laid out in the Buddha's central teaching on the Four Noble Truths (*catur āryasatya*). In the first six verses of the twenty-fourth chapter, Nāgārjuna voices this objection, before refuting it, in good Mādhyamika fashion, by turning the tables on his philosophical opponents, showing the absurdity of ascribing to various Buddhist categories any sort of inherent existence or intrinsic nature (*svabhāva*), which he defines as axiomatically non-fabricated (*akṛtrima*), non-dependent on anything else (*nirapekṣa paratra*), without cause or conditions (*ahetupratyaya*), and permanent (*nitya*).

Nāgārjuna's magnum opus is written in *kārikās* or “memorial verses”, the preferred style for philosophical literature (*sāstra*) in India. These verse-treatises are typically read alongside a commentary in prose, sometimes written by the author himself, or under the guidance of a teacher capable of elucidating the pithy, and not uncommonly cryptic, verses. While Nāgārjuna's line of reasoning throughout the twenty-fourth chapter remains remarkably intelligible, students should try to consult the *Prasannapadā* (“Clear-Worded”), an important commentary (*vṛtti*) written by the 7<sup>th</sup> century Madhyamaka scholar Candrakīrti.

## 十四、空性與四聖諦

*Mūlamadhyamakakārikā* 《中論》第二十四品

龍樹（Nāgārjuna）在其最重要的論作《中論》中，闡述了空性（śūnyatā）的思想，即主張一切事物沒有實體（*niḥsvabhāva*），甚至包括佛陀及其教法。由第二十四品可知，龍樹當時，或許佛教諸多論師認為這種學說否定了依四聖諦（*catur āryasatya*）修行而得解脫的可能性。對於論敵的問難，龍樹採取的主要破斥方式為基於論敵的主張進行推導，歸結出論敵主張的謬誤，而指出壞四諦、破三寶等等是主張諸法有「自性」（*svabhāva*）所必然導致的過失。自性為事物常住不變的本性，龍樹在《中論》說明自性為非造作的（*akṛtrima*）、不依賴其他事物的（*nirapekṣa paratra*）、無因緣的（*ahetupratyaya*）且恆常不變的（*nitya*）。

《中論》是以「論頌」（*kārikā*）的形式書寫，這是印度哲學論著的主要形式。這些

論頌通常需要與散文注釋一起閱讀，或者經老師指導，解讀這些精簡而隱晦的頌文。值得注意的是，即使沒有注釋的幫助，龍樹在第二十四章的論述脈絡仍然是清晰可解的，但讀者應該盡可能參考由七世紀中觀論師月稱（*Candrakīrti*）所撰的注釋書（*vṛtti*）《淨明句論》（*Prasannapadā*）。

**nāgārjunaviracitāyām**

**mūlamadhyamakārikāyām**

**āryasatyaparīkṣā nāma caturvimśatitamāṁ prakaraṇam |**

yadi śūnyam idam sarvam udayo nāsti na vyayah |

caturñām āryasatyānām abhāvas te prasajyate || 24.1 ||

parijñā ca prahāṇam ca bhāvanā sākṣikarma ca |

caturñām āryasatyānām abhāvān nopapadyate || 24.2 ||

tadabhāvān na vidyante catvāry āryaphalāni ca |

phalābhāve phalasthā no na santi pratipannakāḥ || 24.3 ||

samgho nāsti na cet santi te 'ṣṭau puruṣapudgalāḥ |

abhāvāc cāryasatyānām saddharmo 'pi na vidyate || 24.4 ||

dharme cāsati samghe ca katham buddho bhaviṣyati |

evam trīṇy api ratnāni bruvāṇah pratibādhase || 24.5 ||

śūnyatām phalasadbhāvam adharmaṁ dharmam eva ca |

sarvasaṁvyavahārāṁś ca laukikān pratibādhase || 24.6 ||

atra brūmaḥ śūnyatāyām na tvam vetsi prayojanam |

śūnyatām śūnyatārthaṁ ca tata evam vihanyase || 24.7 ||

dve satye samupāśritya buddhānām dharmadeśanā |

lokasaṁvṛtisatyam ca satyam ca paramārthataḥ || 24.8 ||

ye 'nayor na vijānanti vibhāgam satyayor dvayoh |

te tattvam na vijānanti gambhīram buddhaśāsane || 24.9 ||

vyavahāram anāśritya paramārtho na deśyate |

paramārtham anāgamya nirvāṇam nādhigamyate || 24.10 ||

vināśayati durdṛṣṭā śūnyatā mandamedhasam |

sarpo yathā durgṛhīto vidyā vā dusprasādhitā || 24.11 ||

ataś ca pratyudāvṛttam cittam deśayitum muneh |

dharmaṁ matvāsyā dharmasya mandair duravagāhatām || 24.12 ||

śūnyatāyām adhilayam yam punah kurute bhavān |

doṣaprasaṅgo nāsmākam sa śūnye nopapadyate || 24.13 ||

sarvam ca yujyate tasya śūnyatā yasya yujyate |

sarvam na yujyate tasya śūnyam yasya na yujyate || 24.14 ||

sa tvam doṣān ātmānīyān asmāsu paripātayan |

aśvam evābhīrūḍhaḥ sann aśvam evāsi vismrtaḥ || 24.15 ||

svabhāvād yadi bhāvānām sadbhāvam anupaśyasi |

ahetupratyayān bhāvāms tvam evam sati paśyasi || 24.16 ||

kāryam ca kāraṇam caiva kartāram karaṇam kriyām |

utpādam ca nirodham ca phalam ca pratibādhase || 24.17 ||

yah pratītyasamutpādaḥ śūnyatām tām pracakṣmahe |

sā prajñaptir upādāya pratipat saiva madhyamā || 24.18 ||

apratītya samutpanno dharmah kaścin na vidyate |

yasmāt tasmād aśūnyo hi dharmah kaścin na vidyate || 24.19 ||

yady aśūnyam idam sarvam udayo nāsti na vyayah |

caturṇām āryasatyānām abhāvas te prasajyate || 24.20 ||

apratītya samutpannam kuto duḥkham bhaviṣyati |

anityam uktam duḥkham hi tat svābhāvye na vidyate || 24.21 ||

svabhāvato vidyamānam kiṃ punah samudeṣyate |

tasmāt samudayo nāsti śūnyatām pratibādhataḥ || 24.22 ||

na nirodhaḥ svabhāvena sato duḥkhasya vidyate |

svabhāvaparyavasthānān nirodham pratibādhase || 24.23 ||

svābhāvye sati mārgasya bhāvanā nopapadyate |

athāsau bhāvyate mārgaḥ svābhāvyam te na vidyate || 24.24 ||

yadā duḥkham samudayo nirodhaś ca na vidyate |

mārgo duḥkhanirodhatvāt katamah prāpayiṣyati || 24.25 ||

svabhāvenāparijñānam yadi tasya punaḥ katham |

parijñānam nanu kila svabhāvah samavasthitah || 24.26 ||

prahāṇasāksātkaraṇe bhāvanā caivam eva te |

parijñāvan na yujyante catvāry api phalāni ca || 24.27 ||

svabhāvenānadhibatam yat phalam tat punaḥ katham |

śakyaṁ samadhigantum syāt svabhāvam parigrhṇataḥ || 24.28 ||

phalābhāve phalasthā no na santi pratipannakāḥ |

samgho nāsti na cet santi te 'ṣṭau puruṣapudgalāḥ || 24.29 ||

abhāvāc cāryasatyānāṁ saddharmo 'pi na vidyate |

dharme cāsati samghe ca katham buddho bhavisyati || 24.30 ||

apratiṭyāpi bodhim ca tava buddhah prasajyate |

apratiṭyāpi buddham ca tava bodhiḥ prasajyate || 24.31 ||

yaś cābuddhaḥ svabhāvena sa bodhāya ghaṭann api |

na bodhisattvacaryāyām bodhim te 'dhigamiṣyati || 24.32 ||

na ca dharmam adharmaṁ vā kaścij jātu kariṣyati |

kim aśūnyasya kartavyam svabhāvah kriyate na hi || 24.33 ||

vinā dharmam adharmaṁ ca phalam hi tava vidyate |

dharmaḍharmanimittam ca phalam tava na vidyate || 24.34 ||

dharmañdharmanimittam vā yadi te vidyate phalam |

dharmañdharmasamutpannam aśūnyam te katham phalam || 24.35 ||

sarvasaṁvyvahārāṁś ca laukikān pratibādhase |

yat pratītyasamutpādaśūnyatām pratibādhase || 24.36 ||

na kartavyam bhavet kiṁcid anārabdhā bhavet kriyā |

kārakah syād akurvāṇah śūnyatām pratibādhataḥ || 24.37 ||

ajātam aniruddham ca kūṭastham ca bhaviṣyati |

vicitrābhīr avasthābhīḥ svabhāve rahitam jagat || 24.38 ||

asamprāptasya ca prāptir duḥkhaparyantakarma ca |

sarvakleśaprahāṇam ca yady aśūnyam na vidyate || 24.39 ||

yah pratītyasamutpādam paśyatīdam sa paśyati |

duḥkham samudayam caiva nirodham mārgam eva ca || 24.40 ||

āryasatyaparīkṣā nāma caturviṁśatitamam prakaraṇam ||

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svabhāvenānadhibatam̄ yat phalam̄ tat punah̄ katham̄ |  
 śakyam̄ samadhibigantum syāt svabhāvam̄ parigrhnatah̄ || 24.28 ||

phalābhāve phalasthā no na santi pratipannakāḥ |  
 samgho nāsti na cet santi te 'ṣṭau puruṣapudgalāḥ || 24.29 ||

abhāvāc cāryasatyānām saddharmo 'pi na vidyate |  
 dharme cāsatī samghe ca katham̄ buddho bhavisyati || 24.30 ||

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 na bodhisattvacaryāyām̄ bodhim̄ te 'dhigamiṣyati || 24.32 ||

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 kim aśūnyasya kartavyam̄ svabhāvah̄ kriyate na hi || 24.33 ||

vinā dharmam adharmam̄ ca phalam̄ hi tava vidyate |  
 dharmādharmanimittam̄ ca phalam̄ tava na vidyate || 24.34 ||

dharmādharmanimittam̄ vā yadi te vidyate phalam̄ |  
 dharmādharmaśamutpannam aśūnyam̄ te katham̄ phalam̄ || 24.35 ||

sarvasaṁvyahārāṁś ca laukikān pratibādhase |  
 yat pratītyasamutpādaśūnyatām̄ pratibādhase || 24.36 ||

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ajātam aniruddham ca kūṭastham ca bhaviṣyati |  
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yah pratītyasamutpādaṁ paśyatīdaṁ sa paśyati |  
duḥkhaṁ samudayaṁ caiva nirodhaṁ mārgam eva ca || 24.40 ||

āryasatyaparīkṣā nāma caturviṁśatitamaṁ prakaraṇam ||

## 15. Elucidating the Buddha's Teaching on Selfhood

(*Abhidharmakośabhāṣya*, ch. 9)

The *Abhidharmakośabhāṣya*, written by the great fourth-century philosopher Vasubandhu, is arguably the most influential scholastic treatise in the history of Indian Buddhism. The work is made up of two texts: an earlier treatise composed in verse (*kārikā*) representing the positions of the Vaibhāṣika school of Abhidharma, and a prose commentary (*bhāṣya*) written by Vasubandhu himself, at a later date, from the point of view of the Sautrāntika school. A ninth chapter composed in prose called the “Refutation of the Theories of Self” (*Ātmavādapratiṣedha*) was appended to the main body of the *bhāṣya*. In this last chapter, Vasubandhu, having briefly made his case for the “selflessness” (*nairātmya*) of persons, refutes the views of the prominent Buddhist Pudgalavāda (or Vātsīputrīya) school and the non-Buddhist (*tīrthika*) Nyāya-Vaiśeṣika school.

Our text is drawn from the section of the ninth chapter in which Vasubandhu addresses the Pudgalavādins’ objections to his own interpretation of the Buddha’s teaching: while Vasubandhu takes the “self” to be a conceptual entity used merely to refer to particular sets or series (*saṃtāna*) of physical and mental aggregates (*skandha*), the Pudgalavādins or “Personalists” argue for the existence of a real, albeit inexpressible (*avācya*), self or person (*pudgala*) which is neither identical to nor different from the five aggregates. By postulating the existence of an agent and bearer of karmic results, the Pudgalavādins sought to provide a basis for causal continuity and personal identity persisting through the cycle of rebirths, without—in their assessment—contradicting the Buddha’s teaching of no-self (*anātman*).

As is typical with polemical works of this kind, the argumentation in the ninth chapter takes the form of an imagined conversation between the opponent (*pūrvapakṣin*)—in this case, the Pudgalavādins—and the respondent (*uttarapakṣin* or *siddhāntin*), namely Vasubandhu, the author of the text. To support their views, the Pudgalavādins first adduce the Buddha’s well-known refusal to answer a set of common metaphysical questions regarding the nature of the universe, personal identity, and the Tathāgata. Among this set of inquiries left undetermined (*avyākṛta*) by the Buddha was the question of whether the soul (*jīva*), another word for the self (*ātman*) or person (*pudgala*), is the same as or different from the body (*śarīra*), equated in this argument with the Buddhist notion of the five aggregates.

## 十五、駁斥補特伽羅論者的問難

摘自 *Abhidharmaśabhaśya* 《俱舍釋論》第九品

《阿毘達摩俱舍釋論》為四世紀印度論師世親（Vasubandhu）所造，可視為印度佛教史上最有影響力的阿毘達摩論書。全文由兩部分組成：第一部分是「論頌」（kārikā），由世親代表毘婆沙宗（Vaibhāṣika）的立場所撰寫；第二部分是注釋（bhāṣya），是世親本人站在經量部（Sautrāntika）的立場對論頌的說明。第九品「破我品」（Ātmavāda-pratiṣedha）附在注釋部分，只有長行的注釋而沒有偈頌。在此品中，世親首先簡要地論證「無我」（nairātmya），繼而破斥佛教犢子部（Vātsīputrīya）及外道正理·勝論派（Nyāya-Vaiśeṣika）等學派的我論（ātmavāda）。

本文內容為立論者（uttarapakṣin 或 siddhāntin）世親與問難者（pūrvapakṣin）犢子部論師之間的辯論：世親主張「我」是有情五蘊（skandha）相續（saṃtāna）中所安立，屬於純概念性的存在；「我」或「補特伽羅」（pudgala）只不過是五蘊身心的別名。犢子部則主張實有補特伽羅，即實有輪迴的主體，而被稱為補特伽羅論者（Pudgalavādin）。犢子部認為補特伽羅是不可言說的（avācya）「非即非離蘊我」，也就是補特伽羅與五蘊的關係，既不是合二為一，也不是相互分離。補特伽羅論者通過假定存在一個業果的承受者，來解釋因果的連續性和輪迴中的人格同一性，並認為這個「補特伽羅論」（pudgalavāda）並沒有違背佛陀的「無我」教義。

本文中，特伽羅論者為支持自己的論點，引述佛陀從來不回答「『命（jīva）』（個體或靈魂）與『身』是一是異」。這是佛陀不予以解答的形上學問題，諸如世界是不是永恆、宇宙有邊無邊、命與身的關係、如來滅後是否存在等「無記」（avyākṛta）問題。在這個論證中，犢子部所主張的「補特伽羅」相當於經中所提到的「命」，「五蘊」則相當於「身」。

**vasubandhuviracite 'bhidharmakośabhāṣya**

**ātmavādapratiṣedho nāma navamam̄ kośasthānam |**

...

yadi skandhamātram pudgalah, kasmād bhagavatā sa jīvas tac charīram anyo veti na

vyākṛtam? praṣṭur āśayāpekṣayā | sa hi jīvadravyam ekam antarvyāpārapuruṣam

adhikṛtya prṣṭavān | sa ca kasmiṃścin nāstīti katham asyānyatvam ananyatvam vā

vyākriyatām? kaurmasyeva romṇo 'ntah kharatā mr̥dutā vā |

eṣa ca granthah pūrvakair eva nirmocitah | sthaviro hi nāgasenah kalingena

rājñopasāṃkramya uktah: pṛccheyam ahaṃ bhadantam, bahuvollakāś ca śramaṇā

bhavanti | yadi yad eva pṛccheyam tad eva vyākuryā iti | pṛccheti uktah prṣṭavān:

kim nu sa jīvas tac charīram anyo jīvo 'nyac charīram iti? avyākṛtam etad ity avocat

sthavirah | sa āha: nanu bhadantaḥ pūrvam eva pratijñām kārito nānyad

vyākartavyam iti? kim idam anyad evoktam avyākṛtam etad iti? sthavira āha: aham

api mahārājam pṛccheyam, bahuvollakāś ca rājāno bhavanti | yadi yad eva  
 pṛccheyam tad eva vyākuryā iti | pṛcchety uktaḥ prṣṭavān: yas te 'ntahpura  
 āmravṛkṣas tasya kim amlāni phalāny āhosvin madhurāṇīti? naiva mamāntahpure  
 kaścid āmravṛkṣo 'stīty āha | nanu mayā pūrvam eva mahārājah pratijñām kārito  
 nānyad vyākartavyam iti? kim idam anyad evoktam āmra eva nāstīti? sa āha: katham  
 asato vṛkṣasya phalānām amlatām madhuratām vā vyākaromīti? evam eva mahārāja  
 sa eva jīvo nāsti | kuto 'sya śarīrād anyatām ananyatām vā vyākaromīti?  
  
 kasmād bhagavatāpi noktam nāsty eveti? praṣṭur āśayāpekṣayā | sa hi yasyāpi  
 skandhasamtānasya jīva ity ākhyā tasyāpy abhāvam pratīyād iti mithyādrṣṭim pātitah  
 syāt, pratītyasamutpādasyājñānāt | sa ca taddeśanāyā akṣamaḥ |  
  
 itaś caitad evam niścīyate yad bhagavatoktam: asty ātmety ānanda vatsasa-  
 gotrāya parivrājakāya praśnam pṛṣṭo vyākuryām, nanv akalpam syād vacanāya  
 sarvadharmā anātmāna iti? nāsty ātmety ānanda vatsasagotrāya parivrājakāya  
 praśnam pṛṣṭo vyākuryām, nanu vatsasagotrah parivrājakah pūrvam eva saṃmūḍho

bhūyasyā mātrayā sammoham āpadyeta, abhūn ma ātmā sa ma etarhi nāstīti? asty

ātmety ānanda sāśvatāya paraiti, nāsty ātmety ānandocchedāya paraitīti vistarah |

āha cātra:

dṛṣṭidamṣṭrāvabhedam ca bhramśam cāpekṣya karmaṇām |

deśayanti jinā dharmam vyāghrīpotāpahāravat ||

ātmāstivam hy upagato bhinnah syād dṛṣṭidamṣṭrayā |

bhramśam kuśalapotasya kuryād aprāpya samvṛtim iti ||

punar āha:

asattvād bhagavān jīvam tattvānyatvena nāvadat |

nāstīty api ca nāvocan mā bhūt prājñaptiko 'py asan ||

yatra hi skandhasamtāne śubhāśubhaphalāstītā |

jīvākhyā tatra sā na syāt jīvanāstivadeśanāt ||

prajñaptimātram skandhesu jīva ity api nāvadat |

abhavyah śūnyatām boddhum tadānīm tādṛśo janah ||

tathā hy ātmāsti nāstīti pṛṣṭo vātsena nāvadat |

āśayāpekṣayā praṣṭuh sati tv astīti nāha kim ||

...

asty eva pudgalo yasmāt satyataḥ sthitito nāsti ma ātmeti dṛṣṭisthānam uktam |

astīty api dṛṣṭisthānam uktam | tasmād ajñāpakam etat | ubhayam api tv etad anta-

grāhadṛṣṭisāsvatocchedadṛṣṭisamgrīhītam ity ābhidharmikāḥ | tathaiva ca yuktam, asty

ātmety ānanda śāśvatāya, paraiti nāsty ātmety ānandocchedāya paraitīti vātsyasūtre

vacanāt |

yadi tarhi pudgalo nāsti, ka eṣa saṃsarati? na hi saṃsāra eṣa saṃsaratīti yuktam |

uktam ca bhagavatā: avidyānivaraṇānām sattvānām saṃdhāvatām saṃsaratām iti |

atha pudgalah katham saṃsarati? skandhāntaratyāgopādānāt | uktottara eṣa pakṣah |

yathā tu kṣaṇiko 'gnih samṛtatyā samsaratīty ucyate, tathā sattvākhyah skandha-

samudāyas ṛṣnopādānah samsaratīty ucyate |

yadi skandhamātram idam, kasmād āha bhagavān: aham eva sa tena kālena tena

samayena sunetro nāma śāstābhūvam iti? kasmān na vaktavyam syāt? anyatvāt

skandhānām | atha kim pudgalah? sa evāsau | śāśvato hi syāt | tasmād aham eva sa

ity ekasamṛtānatām darśayati, yathā sa evāgnir dahann āgata iti |

...

**vasubandhuviracite 'bhidharmakośabhāṣya  
ātmavādapratiṣedho nāma navamam̄ kośasthānam |**

...

yadi skandhamātram pudgalah, kasmād bhagavatā sa jīvas tac charīram anyo veti na vyākṛtam? praśṭur āśayāpekṣayā | sa hi jīvadrvyam ekam antarvyāpārapuruṣam adhikṛtya prṣṭavān | sa ca kasmimścin nāstīti katham asyānyatvam ananyatvam vā vyākriyatām? kaurmasyeva romṇo 'ntah kharatā mṛdutā vā |

eṣa ca granthah pūrvakair eva nirmocitah | sthaviro hi nāgasenah kalingena rājñopasāṃkramya uktah: pṛccheyam ahaṁ bhadantam, bahuvollakāś ca śramaṇā bhavanti | yadi yad eva pṛccheyam tad eva vyākuryā iti | pṛccheti uktah prṣṭavān: kim nu sa jīvas tac charīram anyo jīvo 'nyac charīram iti? avyākṛtam etad ity avocat sthavirah | sa āha: nanu bhadantaḥ pūrvam eva pratijñām kārito nānyad vyākartavyam iti? kim idam anyad evoktam avyākṛtam etad iti? sthavira āha: aham api mahārājam pṛccheyam, bahuvollakāś ca rājāno bhavanti | yadi yad eva pṛccheyam tad eva vyākuryā iti | pṛccheti uktah prṣṭavān: yas te 'ntahpura āmravṛkṣas tasya kim amlāni phalāny āhosvin madhurāṇīti? naiva mamāntahpure kaścid āmravṛkṣo 'stīty āha | nanu mayā pūrvam eva mahārājah pratijñām kārito nānyad vyākartavyam iti? kim idam anyad evoktam āmra eva nāstīti? sa āha: katham asato vṛkṣasya phalānām amlatām madhuratām vā vyākaromīti? evam eva mahārāja sa eva jīvo nāsti | kuto 'sya śarīrād anyatām ananyatām vā vyākaromīti?

kasmād bhagavatāpi noktam nāsty eveti? praśṭur āśayāpekṣayā | sa hi yasyāpi skandhasamtānasya jīva ity ākhyā tasyāpy abhāvam pratīyād iti mithyādrṣṭim pātitah syāt, prātīyasamutpādasyājñānāt | sa ca taddeśanāyā aksamah |

itaś caitad evam niścīyate yad bhagavatoktam: asty ātmety ānanda vatsasagotrāya parivrājakāya praśnam prṣṭo vyākuryām, nanv akalpam syād vacanāya sarvadharma anātmāna iti? nāsty ātmety ānanda vatsasagotrāya parivrājakāya praśnam prṣṭo vyākuryām, nanu vatsasagotrah parivrājakah pūrvam eva saṃmūḍho bhūyasyā mātrayā saṃmoham āpadyeta, abhūn ma ātmā sa ma etarhi nāstīti? asty ātmety ānanda śāsvatāya paraiti, nāsty ātmety ānandocchedāya paraitīti vistarah |

āha cātra:

dṛṣṭidamṣṭrāvabhedam ca bhramśam cāpekṣya karmaṇām |  
deśayanti jinā dharmām vyāghrīpotāpahārvat ||

ātmāstivam hy upagato bhinnah syād dṛṣṭidamṣṭrayā |  
bhramśam kuśalapotasya kuryād aprāpya samvṛtim iti ||

punar āha:

asattvād bhagavān jīvam tattvānyatvena nāvadat |  
nāstīty api ca nāvocan mā bhūt prājñaptiko 'py asan ||

yatra hi skandhasamtāne śubhāsubhaphalāstitā |  
jīvākhyā tatra sā na syāt jīvanāstivadeśanāt ||

prajñaptimātram skandheṣu jīva ity api nāvadat |  
abhavyah śūnyatām boddhum tadānīm tādṛśo janah ||

tathā hy ātmāsti nāstīti pṛṣṭo vātsena nāvadat |  
āśayāpekṣayā praṣṭuh sati tv astīti nāha kim ||

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astīty api dṛṣṭisthānam uktam | tasmād ajñāpakam etat | ubhayam api tv etad anta-  
grāhadṛṣtiśāsvatocchedadṛṣṭisamgrhītam ity ābhidharmikāḥ | tathaiva ca yuktam,  
asty ātmety ānanda śāsvatāya paraiti, nāsty ātmety ānandocchedāya paraitī  
vātsyasūtre vacanāt |

yadi tarhi pudgalo nāsti, ka eṣa saṃsarati? na hi saṃsāra eṣa saṃsarati tīti yuktam |  
uktam ca bhagavatā: avidyānivaraṇānām sattvānām saṃdhāvatām saṃsaratām iti |  
atha pudgalah katham saṃsarati? skandhāntaratyāgopādānāt | uktottara eṣa pakṣah |  
yathā tu kṣaṇiko 'gniḥ saṃtatyā saṃsaratīty ucyate, tathā sattvākhyah skandha-  
samudāyas trṣṇopādānah saṃsaratīty ucyate |

yadi skandhamātram idam, kasmād āha bhagavān: aham eva sa tena kālena tena  
samayena sunetro nāma śāstābhūvam iti? kasmān na vaktavyam syāt? anyatvāt  
skandhānām | atha kim pudgalah? sa evāsau | śāśvato hi syāt | tasmād aham eva sa  
ity ekasamtānatām darśayati, yathā sa evāgnir dahann āgata iti |

...

## 16. Refuting the Mind-Only School

(*Bodhicaryāvatārapañjikā*, ch. 9)

The ninth chapter of the *Bodhicaryāvatāra*, composed by the eighth-century Mādhyamika master Śāntideva, is dedicated to the perfection of transcendent wisdom (*prajñāpāramitā*), which is described as the culmination of the first five perfections and the last step of the bodhisattva's path to awakening. In this chapter, Śāntideva refutes the views of a series of philosophical opponents, both Buddhist and non-Buddhist, by pointing out the inconsistencies and absurd logical consequences (*prasaṅga*) of their doctrines. The arguments take the form of a dialogue, reflecting the long-standing Indian tradition of oral debate, conducted sometimes under royal patronage or held in places like the great Buddhist university of Nālandā. A brief account of the opponent's thesis (*pūrvapakṣa*) or objection (*codya*) is first presented, followed by the author's response, along with any qualifications or rejoinders he anticipates the opponent might put forward. This ninth chapter is commonly regarded as the most important of the whole work, but also the most difficult to comprehend. Thankfully, Śāntideva's line of reasoning is made clear by the *pañjikā* or “perpetual commentary” composed by the tenth-century scholar and commentator Prajñākaramati, who provides us with detailed glosses and plainly worded paraphrases of the “root” verses (*mūla*).

Our text contains the first part of Śāntideva's refutation of the Buddhist “Mind-Only” school (Vijñānavāda or Yogācāra). While the Mādhyamikas insist that all entities are devoid of inherent existence (*svabhāva*), only existing in a conventional sense (*saṃvṛtis*), the Yogācārins hold that the mind (*citta*)—also referred to by words such as consciousness (*vijñāna*), intellect (*buddhi*), or faulty perception (*bhrānti*)—must exist in an ultimate sense (*paramārthatas*) as the experiencer of this illusory world (*māyā*).

## 十六、駁斥唯識論者

摘自 *Bodhicaryāvatārapañjikā* 《入菩提行論細疏》第九品

《入菩提行論》（*Bodhicaryāvatāra*）是八世紀中觀派論師寂天（Śāntideva）所造。其中第九品的主題為「般若波羅蜜多」（*prajñāpāramitā*），即智慧的圓滿，是布施等五波羅蜜多的上首，也是五波羅蜜多得以圓滿佛果的原因。

在這品中，寂天藉由指出論敵——佛教內部及佛教以外諸學派——所用的論理終將歸結於矛盾（*prasaṅga*），針對論敵提出的各式觀點逐一辯駁。其對話式論辯的模式反映了印度歷史悠久的口頭辯論傳統，或者在王室贊助下進行，或者在那爛陀（Nālandā）佛教大學等地舉行。文中，論主寂天先簡述論敵的論點（*pūrvapakṣa*）或問難（*codya*），再予

以回應。

一般而言，第九品被視為《入菩提行論》的核心、精華，但其詞句與義理卻不易理解。所幸十世紀的注釋家智作慧（Prajñākaramati）撰寫的《細疏》（pañjikā）中清楚說明了此品的論述脈絡，對論頌作出詳細的注釋。

本文內容是寂天反駁唯識論者（Vijñānavādin）的前半段。中觀派主張一切法無固有的本質（svabhāva），唯是世俗有（saṃvṛtisat），而唯識論者主張作為經驗虛幻世界（māyā）的主體——無論稱其為「心」（citta）、「識」（vijñāna）、「慧」（buddhi）或「迷」（bhrānti）——在第一義上必定是實有（paramārthatasat）。

**prajñākaramativiracitāyāṁ**

**bodhicaryāvatārapañjikāyāṁ**

**prajñāpāramitāparicchedo navamah |**

...

evam tāvat sautrāntikādicodyam udasya yogācāravipratipattinirākaraṇāya tanmatena

dūṣanam udbhāvayann āha: yadā na bhrāntir apītyādi |

**yadā na bhrāntir apy asti māyā kenopalabhyate || 9.15 ||**

yadā sarvam jagan māyātmakatayā svabhāvaśūnyam upagataṁ madhyamaka-

vādibhiḥ, māyāsvabhāvasamvṛtigrāhiṇī buddhir api bhavatām nāsti bāhyavat, tadā

māyā kenopalabhyate, kena pratīyate tadgrāhakavastusajjñānam antareṇa? naiva

kenacid ity arthaḥ | yasya punaḥ svacittam eva paramārthasad bāhyarūpatayā

bhrāntam tathā pratibhāsate, na tasyāyam doṣa iti bhāvah ||

etan nirākartum āha: yadā māyaivetyādi |

**yadā māyaiva te nāsti tadā kim upalabhyate |**

yadā māyaiva grāhyatayā hastyādyākārapravṛttyā tava vijñānavādino nāsti,

cittamātram jagad abhyupagacchanto bahirarthābhāvāt, tadā kim upalabhyate, tadā

kim iha pratibhāsate? bahirarthābhāvād deśādivicchedena pratibhāso na yukta ity

arthah ||

atra parasyābhiprāyam āśānkayann āha: cittasyaiva sa ityādi |

**cittasyaiva sa ākāro yady apy anyo 'sti tattvataḥ || 9.16 ||**

uktam atra cittam eva bahīrūpatayā bhrāntam hastyādyākāram pratibhāsata iti ||

uktam eva | kiṁ tu yady api cittasyaiva jñānasyaiva sa iti deśādivicchedena

grāhyatayā pratibhāsamāna ākāro nirbhāsah, anya ity apara āntarād grāhakāc

cittākārāt, asti vidyate, tattvato vastutah ||

yady apīty abhyupagamyoktam, tathāpi naitat samgacchata ity āha: cittam eva  
yadā māyetyādi |

**cittam eva yadā māyā tadā kiṃ kena dṛśyate |**

cittam eva vijñānam eva vedakatayā svikṛtam, yadā māyā nānyā, na hi  
vedakacittavyatiriktā kācid anyā māyā nāma, tadātmatayā tasyās tathā pratibhāsopa-  
gamāt, tadā kiṃ kena dṛśyate, kiṃ kena pratīyate? darśanam eva hi kevalam asti na  
dṛśyam | dṛśyam antareṇa darśanam api na syāt, dṛśyāpeksatvāt tasya | ato na kenacit  
kiṃcid dṛśyetety āndhyam aśeṣasya jagataḥ prāptam iti bhāvah ||  
  
nanu syād evaitat, yadi jñānasyātmasaṃvedanam na syāt | yāvatā svasaṃvedana-  
tayā svarūpam saṃvedayat tadabhinnam māyādipratibhāsam api vedayet | tathā ca  
sati na kācit kṣatiḥ || iti vijñānavādino 'bhiprāyam āśaṅkya āha: uktam cetyādi |

**uktam ca lokanāthena cittam cittam na paśyati || 9.17 ||**

svabhāvaśūnyam eva sarvam jagad yadā yuktitaḥ pratipāditam, tadā kah kasya

svabhāvo vastuta iti kasya kena vedanam syat? uktam ca bhagavatā:

sarvadharmāḥ śūnyāḥ, śūnyatālakṣaṇam cittam | sarvadharmā viviktāḥ, vivik-

tatālakṣaṇam cittam iti ||

kim ca, uktam ca kathitam ca lokanāthena lokānām sarvasattvānām nāthena  
śaranayena buddhena bhagavatā | kim uktam? cittam cittam na paśyatīti, cittam  
svātmānam na jānāti, saty api vastutve svātmani kāritravirodhāt | katham iva?

**na cchinatti yathātmānam asidhārā tathā manah |**

yathā sutīkṣṇāpy asidhārā khaḍgadhārā tadanyavad ātmānam svakāyam na  
cchinatti na vighāṭayati, svātmani kriyāvirodhāt, tathā manah | asidhārāvac cittam  
api svātmānam na paśyatīti yojyam | tathā hi na tad evaikam jñānam vedyavedaka-

vedanātmasvabhāvatrayam yuktam, ekasya niramśasya trisvabhāvatāyogat ||

tatredam uktam āryaratnacūḍasūtre:

sa cittam̄ parigaveśamāṇo nādhyātmam̄ cittam̄ samanupaśyati | na bahirdhā  
 cittam̄ samanupaśyati | na skandheṣu cittam̄ samanupaśyati | na dhātuṣu cittam̄  
 samanupaśyati | nāyataneṣu cittam̄ samanupaśyati | sa cittam̄ asamanu-  
 paśyamś cittadhārām̄ paryeṣate: kutaś cittasyotpattir iti | ālambane sati cittam̄  
 utpadyate | tat kim anyac cittam̄ anyad ālambanam, atha yad evālambanam̄ tad  
 eva cittam? yadi tāvad anyad ālambanam anyac cittam, tad dvicittatā  
 bhaviṣyati | atha yad evālambanam̄ tad eva cittam, tat katham̄ cittam̄ cittam̄  
 paśyati? na hi cittam̄ cittam̄ samanupaśyati | tadyathā na tayaivāsidhārayā  
 saivāsidhārā śakyate chettum, na tenaivāngulyagreṇa tad evāngulyagram̄  
 spraṣṭum̄ śakyate, evam eva tenaiva cittena tad eva cittam̄ draṣṭum̄ iti vistarah ||  
 ...

**prajñākaramativiracitāyāṁ**  
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...

evam tāvat sautrāntikādicodyam udasya yogācāravipratipattinirākaraṇāya tanmatena dūṣaṇam udbhāvayann āha: yadā na bhrāntir apītyādi |

**yadā na bhrāntir apy asti māyā kenopalabhyate || 9.15 ||**

yadā sarvam jagan māyātmakatayā svabhāvaśūnyam upagataṁ madhyamaka-vādibhiḥ, māyāsvabhāvasamvṛtigrāhiṇī buddhir api bhavatām nāsti bāhyavat, tadā māyā kenopalabhyate, kena pratīyate tadgrāhakavastusajjñānam antareṇa? naiva kenacid ity arthaḥ | yasya punaḥ svacittam eva paramārthasad bāhyarūpatayā bhrāntam tathā pratibhāsate, na tasyāyam doṣa iti bhāvah ||

etan nirākartum āha: yadā māyaivetyādi |

**yadā māyaiva te nāsti tadā kim upalabhyate |**

yadā māyaiva grāhyatayā hastyādyākārapravṛttyā tava vijñānavādino nāsti, cittamātram jagad abhyupagacchanto bahirarthābhāvāt, tadā kim upalabhyate, tadā kim iha pratibhāsate? bahirarthābhāvād deśādivicchedena pratibhāso na yukta ity arthaḥ ||

atra parasyābhiprāyam āśaṅkayann āha: cittasyaiva sa ityādi |

**cittasyaiva sa ākāro yady apy anyo 'sti tattvataḥ || 9.16 ||**

uktam atra cittam eva bahīrūpatayā bhrāntam hastyādyākāram pratibhāsata iti || uktam eva | kiṃ tu yady api cittasyaiva jñānasyaiva sa iti deśādivicchedena grāhyatayā pratibhāsamāna ākāro nirbhāsaḥ, anya ity apara āntarād grāhakāc cittākārāt, asti vidyate, tattvato vastutah ||

yady apīty abhyupagamyoktam, tathāpi naitat samgacchata ity āha: cittam eva yadā māyetyādi |

**cittam eva yadā māyā tadā kiṁ kena dṛṣyate |**

cittam eva vijñānam eva vedakatayā svīkṛtam, yadā māyā nānyā, na hi vedakacittavyatiriktā kācid anyā māyā nāma, tadātmatayā tasyās tathā pratibhāsopagamāt, tadā kiṁ kena dṛṣyate, kiṁ kena pratīyate? darśanam eva hi kevalam asti na dṛṣyam | dṛṣyam antareṇa darśanam api na syāt, dṛṣyāpekṣatvāt tasya | ato na kenacit kiṁcid dṛṣyetety āndhyam aśeṣasya jagataḥ prāptam iti bhāvah ||

nanu syād evaitat, yadi jñānasyātmasaṁvedanam na syāt | yāvatā svasaṁvedanatayā svarūpam saṁvedayat tadabhinnam māyādipratibhāsam api vedayet | tathā ca sati na kācit kṣatiḥ || iti vijñānavādino 'bhiprāyam āśaṅkya āha: uktam cetyādi |

**uktam ca lokanāthena cittam cittam na paśyati || 9.17 ||**

svabhāvaśūnyam eva sarvam jagad yadā yuktitaḥ pratipāditam, tadā kaḥ kasya svabhāvo vastuta iti kasya kena vedanam syāt? uktam ca bhagavatā:

sarvadharmāḥ śūnyāḥ, śūnyatālakṣaṇam cittam | sarvadharmā viviktāḥ, vivik-tatālakṣaṇam cittam iti ||

kiṁ ca, uktam ca kathitam ca lokanāthena lokānām sarvasattvānām nāthena śaraṇyena buddhena bhagavatā | kim uktam? cittam cittam na paśyatīti, cittam svātmānam na jānāti, saty api vastutve svātmani kāritravirodhāt | katham iva?

**na cchinatti yathātmānam asidhārā tathā manah |**

yathā sutīkṣṇāpy asidhārā khaḍgadhārā tadanyavad ātmānam svakāyam na cchinatti na vighāṭayati, svātmani kriyāvirodhāt, tathā manah | asidhārāvac cittam api svātmānam na paśyatīti yojyam | tathā hi na tad evaikam jñānam vedyavedaka-vedanātmasvabhāvatrayam yuktam, ekasya niramśasya trisvabhāvatāyogāt ||

tatredam uktam āryaratnacūḍasūtre:

sa cittam parigaveśamāṇo nādhyātmām cittam samanupaśyati | na bahirdhā cittam samanupaśyati | na skandheṣu cittam samanupaśyati | na dhātuṣu cittam samanupaśyati | nāyataneṣu cittam samanupaśyati | sa cittam asamanupaśyamś cittadhārām paryeṣate: kutaś cittasyotpattir iti | ālambane sati cittam utpadyate | tat kiṁ anyac cittam anyad ālambanam, atha yad evālambanam tad eva cittam? yadi tāvad anyad ālambanam anyac cittam, tad dvicittatā

bhaviṣyati | atha yad evālambanam tad eva cittam, tat katham cittam cittam paśyati? na hi cittam cittam samanupaśyati | tadyathā na tayaivāsidhārayā saivāsidhārā śakyate chettum, na tenaivāṅgulyagreṇa tad evāṅgulyagram spraṣṭum śakyate, evam eva tenaiva cittena tad eva cittam draṣṭum iti vistarah ||

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## 17. Defending the Mahāyāna

(*Bodhicaryāvatārapañjikā*, ch. 9)

While systematic refutations of the Mahāyāna remain remarkably absent from non-Mahāyāna Buddhist sources, a number of Mahāyāna works, such as Nāgārjuna's *Ratnāvalī* or Vasubandhu's *Vyākhyāyukti*, include responses to attacks on the authenticity of the Mahāyāna and its scriptures. Our second text drawn from Prajñākaramati's commentary on the ninth chapter of Śāntideva's *Bodhicaryāvatāra* offers an example of such polemics.

In the second two quarters (*pāda*) of the forty-first verse, Śāntideva appeals to the authority of Mahāyāna scriptures (*āgama*), such as the *Prajñāpāramitā Sūtras*, stating that awakening (*bodhi*) is not reached without the path culminating in the realization of emptiness (*śūnyatādarśana*). Our text begins with the first two quarters of the following verse, spoken in response by the non-Mahāyānist, who do not recognize the authenticity of Mahāyāna scriptures and for whom liberation (*mukti*) is attained merely through the realization of the Four Noble Truths (*satyadarśana*).

## 十七、辯護大乘

摘自 *Bodhicaryāvatārapañjikā* 《入菩提行論細疏》第九品

誠然在非大乘的文獻中，並無系統的理論批判大乘為非佛所說，但為數不少的大乘論著，諸如龍樹的《寶行王正論》（*Ratnāvalī*）或世親的《釋軌論》（*Vyākhyāyukti*）等，皆舉出反駁「大乘非佛說」的論證。本文選自智作慧（Prajñākaramati）所撰《入菩提行論細疏》第九品，即是此類論爭的例子之一。

在第四十一頌的後兩句（*pāda*）中，寂天以大乘經典為根據，主張不見空性（*śūnyatā*）則不能成就菩提（*bodhi*）。然而對非大乘人而言，解脫（*mukti*）是經由見四聖諦（*satyadarśana*）而證得。我們所選的文本從第四十二頌開始，前兩句為非大乘人對寂天所作的回應。

**prajñākaramativiracitāyāṁ**

**bodhicaryāvatārapañjikāyāṁ**

**prajñāpāramitāparicchedo navamah |**

...

**nanv asiddham mahāyānam**

nanu bhoh śūnyatāvādin mahāyānam āgamatvena mamāsiddham asammatam, tad  
asyopanyāso na sādhanatayā sādhuḥ || atra parasya samānaparihāradūṣaṇam āha:  
katham ityādinā |

**katham siddhas tvadāgamaḥ |**

yadi mahāyānam asiddham, katham kena prakāreṇa tvadīyāgamo bhagavad-  
vacanam iti siddhah? tatra na kiṃcid āgamatvaprasādhakam pramāṇam utpaśyāmah ||  
parah pariḥāram āha: yasmād iti |

**yasmād ubhayasiddho 'sau**

yasmāt kāraṇād ubhayasya tava mama ca siddha āgamatvena niścito 'sau  
 mamāgamaḥ | na hi madāgame bhavato 'pi mahāyānānuyāyino buddhavacanatvena  
 vipratipattir asti, tasmāt siddho 'sau | na tu mahāyāne mama sampratipattiḥ, yenedam  
 evottaram bhavato 'pi syāt || siddhāntavādy āha:

**na siddho 'sau tavāditah || 9.42 ||**

iti | yady apy ubhayasiddhatvam tvadāgamasyāgamasiddhau hetuh, tadāpi naitad  
 vaktavyam, asiddhatvāt | yasmāt tavaiva tāvad asau tvadāgamo na siddhaḥ | kadā?  
 ādau tatsvīkārāt pūrvam | na hy abhyupagamāt prāk tava kathāṃcid apy asau siddha  
 ity ubhayasiddhatvam asiddhatvād asādhanam ||

yady apy ubhayasiddhatvam asiddham, idam tarhi sādhanam astu: yad guru-  
 śisyaparāmparayāmnāyāyātam buddhavacanatvena, yac ca sūtre 'vatarati, vinaye

saṃdṛṣyate, dharmatām ca na vilomayati, tad buddhavacanam nānyad iti | atrāha:

yatpratyayetyādi |

**yatpratyayā ca tatrāsthā mahāyāne 'pi tām kuru |**

yah pratyayo nibandhanam asyā āsthāyāḥ, sā tathoktā | yatpratyayā yannibandhanā | āsthā ādeyatā ādarah | tatra svāgame | tām tatpratyayām āsthām iha mahāyāne 'pi kuru vidhehi, mahāyāne 'py uktasyāsthākāraṇasya vidyamānatvāt ||

idam punah sarvapravacanasādhāraṇam avyabhicāri lakṣaṇam yad uktam adhyāśayasamcodanasūtre:

api tu maitreya caturbhiḥ kāraṇaiḥ pratibhānam sarvabuddhabhāṣitam veditavyam | katamaiś caturbhiḥ? iha maitreya pratibhānam arthopasamhitam bhavati nānarthopasamhitam | dharmopasamhitam bhavati nādharmopasamhitam | kleśaprahāyakam bhavati na kleśavivardhakam | nirvāṇaguṇānuśāmsa-

saṃdarśakam bhavati na saṃsāraguṇānuśāmsasamaṇdarśakam | etaiś caturbhiḥ

peyālam || yasya kasyacin maitreya etaiś caturbhiḥ pratibhāti pratibhāsyati vā,

tatra śrāddhaiḥ kulaputraiḥ kuladuhitṛbhīr vā buddhasamjñotpādayitavyā |

śāstrsamjñām kṛtvā sa dharmah śrotavyah | tat kasya hetoh? yat kiṃcīn

maitreya subhāṣitam sarvam tad buddhabhāṣitam | tatra maitreya ya imāni

pratibhānāni pratikṣipet, naitāni buddhabhāṣitānīti, teṣu cāgauravam

utpādayet pudgalavidveṣeṇa, tena sarvam buddhabhāṣitam pratibhānam

pratikṣiptam bhavati | dharmam pratikṣipyā dharmavyasanasamvartanīyena

karmaṇāpāyagāmī bhavati ||

tad atra dharmatāyā avilomanam eva samyaglakṣaṇam uktam | uktam ca:

yad arthavaddharmapadopasamhitam

tridhātusamkleśanibarhaṇam vacah |

bhavec ca yac chāntyanuśamsadarśakam

tad uktam ārṣam viparītam anyathā ||

iti | etan mahāyāne sarvam astīti katham upādeyaṁ na syāt?

yad uktam na siddho 'sau tavādita iti, tatra paro viśeṣam abhidhatte: na bravīmi

yad āvayor dvayoh siddham ubhayasiddham iti, kiṁ tarhy āvābhyaṁ anyeṣām

ubhayeṣām madāgamaḥ siddha ity upādeyah, na mahāyānam, etadviparītvāt | tena

nopādeyam ity āha: anyobhayeṣṭetyādi |

**anyobhayeṣṭasatyatve vedāder api satyatā || 9.43 ||**

yady āvayor vivādārūḍhatvād āvābhyaṁ anye ye kecid apratipannā ubhaye,

teṣām iṣṭam abhimatam, saṃmatam iti yāvat | tasya satyatve yathārthatve 'bhyu-

pagamyamāne sati, vedāder api satyatā vedavākyasya codanālakṣaṇasya | ādiśabdāt

kaṇādādivacanasyāpi | satyatāmr̥ṣārthatā syāt | tatrāpi vādiprativādibhyām anyobha-

yasammatih saṃbhāvyata iti tad apy upādeyaṁ bhavataḥ syāt | tasmān nāyam api

viśeṣah ||

athāpi syāt: madāgame buddhavacanatve 'vivādah, na tu mahāyāne | tena sa  
upādeyo netarad ity āśānkayann āha: savivādaṁ mahāyānam ityādi |

**savivādaṁ mahāyānam iti ced āgamaṁ tyaja |**

**tīrthikaiḥ savivādatvāt svaiḥ paraiś cāgamāntaram || 9.44 ||**

savivādaṁ savipratipattikam mahāyānam | kecid buddhavacanatayā pravṛttyaṅ-  
gam icchanti, kecit tadviparītasamāropān necchanti, iti hetoh, ced yadi na grāhyam,  
tadāgamaṁ tyaja, svāgamam api vijahīhi, so 'pi pravṛttyaṅgam na syāt | kasmāt?  
tīrthikair mīmāṃsakādibhiḥ savivādatvāt vipratipattisambhavāt parityāgam arhati |  
  
na kevalam tīrthikaiḥ, api tu svayūthyair ity āha: svair iti | caturnikāyam  
aṣṭādaśabhedabhinnam bhagavataḥ śāsanam | tatraikasyaiva nikāyasyānekabheda-  
sambhavāt svayūthyair api parasparavivādah sambhavati | svair iti svanikāyāntar-  
gatabhedāntarāvasthitaiḥ | parair ity anyanikāyavyavasthitaiḥ |

cakārah pūrvāpekṣayā samuccayārthah | savivādatvād āgamāntaram tyajeti sam-  
bandhah | tvadabhyupagatād āgamād anya āgama āgamāntaram | tad api savivā-  
datvān na svīkāram arhati |

tvadāgamasyāpy aparāpekṣayā savivādatvam samānam iti parityāge tulya eva  
nyāyah |

...

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**prajñāpāramitāparicchedo navamah |**

...

**nanv asiddham mahāyānam**

nanu bhoḥ śūnyatāvādin mahāyānam āgamatvena mamāsiddham asammataṁ, tad asyopanyāso na sādhanatayā sādhuḥ || atra parasya samānaparihāradūṣaṇam āha: katham ityādinā |

**katham siddhas tvadāgamaḥ |**

yadi mahāyānam asiddham, katham kena prakāreṇa tvadīyāgamo bhagavadvacanam iti siddhaḥ? tatra na kiṁcid āgamatvaprasādhakam pramāṇam utpaśyāmaḥ || paraḥ pariḥāram āha: yasmād iti |

**yasmād ubhayasiddho 'sau**

yasmāt kāraṇād ubhayasya tava mama ca siddha āgamatvena niścito 'sau mamāgamaḥ | na hi madāgame bhavato 'pi mahāyānānuyāyino buddhavacanatvena vipratipattir asti, tasmāt siddho 'sau | na tu mahāyāne mama sampratipattiḥ, yenedam evottaram bhavato 'pi syāt || siddhāntavādy āha:

**na siddho 'sau tavāditah || 9.42 ||**

iti | yady apy ubhayasiddhatvam tvadāgamasyāgamasiddhau hetuh, tadāpi naitad vaktavyam, asiddhatvāt | yasmāt tavaiva tāvad asau tvadāgamo na siddhaḥ | kadā? ādau tatsvīkārāt pūrvam | na hy abhyupagamāt prāk tava kathāṁcid apy asau siddha ity ubhayasiddhatvam asiddhatvād asādhanam ||

yady apy ubhayasiddhatvam asiddham, idam tarhi sādhanam astu: yad guru-śiṣyaparāmparayāmnāyāyātām buddhavacanatvena, yac ca sūtre 'vatarati, vinaye samṛḍsyate, dharmatām ca na vilomayati, tad buddhavacanam nānyad iti | atrāha: yatpratyayetyādi |

**yatpratyayā ca tatrāsthā mahāyāne 'pi tām kuru |**

yah pratyayo nibandhanam asyā āsthāyāḥ, sā tathoktā | yatpratyayā yannibandhanā | āsthā ādeyatā ādarah | tatra svāgame | tām tatpratyayām āsthām iha mahāyāne 'pi kuru vidhehi, mahāyāne 'py uktasyāsthākāraṇasya vidyamānatvāt ||

idam punah sarvapravacanasādhāraṇam avyabhicāri lakṣaṇam yad uktam adhyāśayasamcodanasūtre:

api tu maitreya caturbhiḥ kāraṇaiḥ pratibhānam sarvabuddhabhāṣitam vedītavyam | katamaś caturbhiḥ? iha maitreya pratibhānam arthopasamṛhitam bhavati nānarthopasamṛhitam | dharmopasamṛhitam bhavati nādharmopasamṛhitam | kleśaprahāyakam bhavati na kleśavivardhakam | nirvāṇaguṇānuśāmsa-samdarśakam bhavati na saṃsāraguṇānuśāmsasamdarśakam | etaiś caturbhiḥ peyālam || yasya kasyacin maitreya etaiś caturbhiḥ pratibhāti pratibhāsyati vā, tatra śrāddhaiḥ kulaputraiḥ kuladuhitṛbhīr vā buddhasamjñotpādayitavyā | śāstriṣamjñām kṛtvā sa dharmah śrotavyah | tat kasya hetoh? yat kiṁcin maitreya subhāṣitam sarvam tad buddhabhāṣitam | tatra maitreya ya imāni pratibhānāni pratikṣipet, naitāni buddhabhāṣitānīti, teṣu cāgauravam utpādayet pudgalavidveṣeṇa, tena sarvam buddhabhāṣitam pratibhānam pratikṣiptam bhavati | dharmam pratikṣipyā dharmavyasanasamvartanīyena karmaṇāpāyagāmī bhavati ||

tad atra dharmatāyā avilomanam eva samyaglakṣaṇam uktam | uktam ca:

yad arthavaddharmapadopasamṛhitam  
tridhātusaṃkleśanibarhaṇam vacah |  
bhavec ca yac chāntyanuśāmsadarśakam  
tad uktam ārṣam viparītam anyathā ||

iti | etan mahāyāne sarvam astīti katham upādheyam na syāt?

yad uktam na siddho 'sau tavādita iti, tatra paro višeṣam abhidhatte: na bravīmi yad āvayor dvayoh siddham ubhayasiddham iti, kiṁ tarhy āvābhīyām anyeṣām ubhayeṣām madāgamaḥ siddha ity upādeyah, na mahāyānam, etadviparītvāt | tena nopādeyam ity āha: anyobhavetetyādi |

**anyobhavetasyatve vedāder api satyatā || 9.43 ||**

yady āvayor vivādārūḍhatvād āvābhyaṁ anye ye kecid apratipannā ubhaye, teśām iṣṭam abhimatam, saṃmatam iti yāvat | tasya satyatve yathārthatve 'bhyupagamyamāne sati, vedāder api satyatā vedavākyasya codanālakṣaṇasya | ādiśabdāt kaṇādādivacanasyāpi | satyatāmr̥śārthatā syāt | tatrāpi vādiprativādibhyām anyobhayaśammatih saṃbhāvyata iti tad apy upādeyam bhavataḥ syāt | tasmān nāyam api višeṣah ||

athāpi syāt: madāgame buddhavacanatve 'vivādah, na tu mahāyāne | tena sa upādeyo netarad ity āśaṅkayann āha: savivādaṁ mahāyānam ityādi |

**savivādaṁ mahāyānam iti ced āgamaṁ tyaja |  
tīrthikaiḥ savivādatvāt svaiḥ paraiś cāgamāntaram || 9.44 ||**

savivādaṁ savipratipattikam mahāyānam | kecid buddhavacanatayā pravṛttyaṅgam icchanti, kecit tadviparītasamāropān necchanti, iti hetoh, ced yadi na grāhyam, tadāgamaṁ tyaja, svāgamam api vijahīhi, so 'pi pravṛttyaṅgam na syāt | kasmāt? tīrthikair mīmāṁsakādibhiḥ savivādatvāt vīpratipattisam̥bhavāt parityāgam arhati |

na kevalam tīrthikaiḥ, api tu svayūthyair ity āha: svair iti | caturnikāyam aṣṭādaśabhedabhinnam bhagavataḥ sāsanam | tatraikasyaiva nikāyasyānekabhedasambhavāt svayūthyair api parasparavivādaḥ sambhavati | svair iti svanikāyāntar-gatabhedāntarāvasthitaiḥ | parair ity anyanikāyavyavasthitaiḥ |

cakāraḥ pūrvāpekṣayā samuccayārthaḥ | savivādatvād āgamāntaram tyajeti sam-bandhah | tvadabhyupagatād āgamād anya āgama āgamāntaram | tad api savivādatvān na svīkāram arhati |

tvadāgamasyāpy aparāpekṣayā savivādatvam̥ samānam iti parityāge tulya eva nyāyah |

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## 18. Refuting the Nondualists' Notion of a Self (*Tattvasamgrahapañjikā*)

The *Tattvasamgraha*, written by Śāntarakṣita, the great eighth-century Buddhist master and synthesizer of the Madhyamaka and Yogācāra doctrines, is a massive encyclopedic survey of a wide range of Buddhist and non-Buddhist doctrines. Śāntarakṣita's disciple, Kamalaśīla, wrote a commentary (*pañjikā*) to elucidate and expand upon the terse verses of his guru's work.

Our text is drawn from the section of Śāntarakṣita's work dedicated to refuting the different doctrines of "Self" (*ātman*) of various prominent schools. Having dealt with the Nyāya-Vaiśeṣika, Mīmāṃsā, Sāṃkhya, and Digambara-Jaina schools, Śāntarakṣita turns his attention to the Advaita-Vedānta, arguably one of the most influential schools in the history of Indian philosophy, tracing its roots to the ancient Upaniṣads, known as the "end of the Vedas" (*vedānta*), and owing much of its popularity to the works of the great eighth-century thinker Śaṅkara.

Interestingly, Śāntarakṣita composed only eight verses to disprove the nondualists (*advaitin*), compared to the fifty-one and sixty-three verses dedicated to the Nyāya-Vaiśeṣika and Mīmāṃsā schools respectively, pointing to a remarkable level of philosophical proximity between the two schools. The unmistakable similarities between the Yogācāra and Advaita doctrines have been the subject of much scholarly discussion. In our text, Śāntarakṣita presents the fundamental difference, the "mistake" (*aparādha*) of the Advaita doctrine, which sets these two systems apart.

## 十八、評破外道不二論者之我論

摘自 *Tattvasamgrahapañjikā* 《攝真實論細疏》

《攝真實論》（*Tattvasamgraha*）是八世紀印度論師寂護（Śāntarakṣita）所造。寂護將唯識派理論導入中觀教義之中，形成瑜伽行中觀派思想。本論對於佛教以外及佛教內部各學派的學說有極為廣泛的論述。《攝真實論細疏》為寂護的弟子蓮華戒（Kamalaśīla）所撰寫，充分解釋本論的偈頌並加以闡述。

本篇文本選自《攝真實論細疏》的前幾品，其中寂護評破當時主要的學派對於「我」（*ātman*）所持的各種學說。在反駁了正理·勝論派（Nyāya-Vaiśeṣika）、彌曼差派（Mīmāṃsā）、數論派（Sāṃkhya）、耆那教天衣派（Digambara-Jaina）之後，寂護開始評論吠檀多不二一元論派（Advaita-Vedānta）。吠檀多派可視為印度哲學史上最有影響力的一個學派，其根源可追溯到古代的《奧義書》（*Upaniṣad*）和八世紀偉大論師商羯羅

( Śaṅkara ) 的論著。

值得注意的是，與五十一個偈頌評破正理・勝論派、六十三個偈頌評破彌曼差派相比較，寂護僅僅用八個偈頌評破不二一元論派，這可以反映不二一元論派的立場與寂護本身的思想有某種程度的相似性。瑜伽行派和不二一元論派學說之間的相似之處是許多學者關注的議題。在我們的文本中，寂護指出不二一元論者教理中的一個「過失」（*aparādha*）・錯誤，正是這個錯誤顯示出兩個學派在思想上的根本區別。

**kamalaśīlaviracitāyām**

**tattvasaṁgrahapañjikāyām**

**aupaniṣadikātmaparīkṣā |**

apare 'dvaitadarśanāvalambināś caupaniṣadikāḥ kṣityādipariṇāmarūpanityaikajñā-nasvabhāvam ātmānam kalpayanti | atas teṣām eva matam upadarśayann āha: nityetyādi |

**nityajñānavivarto 'yam kṣititejojalādikāḥ |**

**ātmā tadātmakaś ceti saṃgirante 'pare punah || 328 ||**

tadātmaka iti kṣityādipariṇāmarūpanityaikajñānātmaka ity arthaḥ | apara iti aupaniṣadikāḥ || 328 ||

kim atra pramāṇam? ity āha: grāhyetyādi |

**grāhyalakṣaṇasamāyuktam na kiṃcid iha vidyate |**

**vijñānapariṇāmo 'yaṁ tasmāt sarvam samīkṣyate || 329 ||**

na hi kṣityādayo jñānavyatirekeṇa grāhyalakṣaṇāpānnāḥ santi, yena te prati-  
bhāserann avayavinaḥ, paramāṇūnāṁ cāsattvāt | tasmāt sāmarthyād vijñānaprati-  
bhāsarūpā evāmī kṣityādaya iti vyavasīyante | ayam iti kṣityādih || 329 ||

teṣām ityādinā pratividhatte:

**teṣām alpāparādhāṁ tu darśanāṁ nityatoktitaḥ |**

**rūpaśabdādivijñānāṁ vyaktam bhedopalakṣaṇāt || 330 ||**

**ekajñānātmakatve tu rūpaśabdarasādayaḥ |**

**sakṛdvedyāḥ prasajyante nitye 'vasthāntaram na ca || 331 ||**

alpāparādhām iti jñānamātrasya yuktyupetasyābhypagamāt | yady evam, svalpo  
'pi kim iti tatrāparādha ucyata ity āha: nityatoktita ityādi | kasmāt punar nitya-  
tvābhypagamo na yukta ity āha: rūpaśabdādītyādi | nityatā hi nāma tādavasthyam

ucyate, atādavasthyam tv anityatā, na ca rūpaśabdādipratibhāsivijñānam ekāvastham

sarvadānubhūyate, kiṁtu krameṇa kadācid rūpapratibhāsam, anyadā ca śabdādi-

pratibhāsam | tad yadi nityaikajñānapratibhāsātmakā amī śabdādayah syuh, tadā

vicitrāstaraṇapratibhāsavat sakṛd eva pratibhāseran, tatpratibhāsātmakasya jñānasya

sarvadāvasthitativāt |

athāpi syāt: avasthāntaram etat krameṇa śabdādipratibhāsam jñānasyotpadyate |

tena sakṛd eva śabdādisaṁvedanam na bhaviṣyatīty āha: nitye 'vasthāntaram na ceti |

avasthānām avasthātur ananyatvād avasthāvad avasthātur api nāśotpādau syātām |

avasthātrvad vāvasthānām api nityatvaprasaṅgah | vyatireke cāvasthānām tasyaitā iti

saṁbandhāsiddhiḥ, upakārābhāvāt | nityaikavijñānamātrābhupagamavirodhā ca ||

330 || 331 ||

kimca nityasya jñānātmanah pratyakṣato vā siddhir bhaved anumānato vā | na

tāvat pratyakṣata iti darśayati: rūpetyādi |

**rūpādivittito bhinnam na jñānam upalabhyate |**

**tasyāḥ pratikṣaṇam bhede kim abhinnam vyavasthitam || 332 ||**

na hi kramapratibhāsirūpādisaṁvidvyatirekeṇa nityaikarūpam avasthātṛ jñānam

anubhūyate, yena pratyakṣataḥ siddhiḥ syāt | tasyāś ca rūpādisaṁvitteḥ krame-

ṇānubhūyamānāyāḥ pratikṣaṇam dhvamse siddhe, kim aparam abhinnam astīti

vācyam | tasmād upalabdhilakṣaṇaprāptasya tathāvidhajñānātmano 'nupalabdher

asadvayahāraviśaya-taiveti bhāvah | ... || 332 ||

kiṁcāśmin pakṣe bandhamokṣavyavasthā na prāpnotīti darśayati: viparyastet-

yādi |

**viparyastāviparyastajñānabhedo na vidyate |**

**ekajñānātmake puṇsi bandhamokṣau tataḥ katham || 333 ||**

yasya hi pratikṣaṇadhvamsi pratipuruṣam anekam eva vijñānam saṁtānabhedi

pravartata iti pakṣas tasya viparyastāviparyastajñānaprabandhotpādavaśād bandha-

mokṣavyavasthā yuktimatī | yogābhyaśakrameṇa ca pariśuddhataratamajñānotpādād

apariśuddhajñānasamṛtānanivṛtter apavargah prāpyata iti saphalo mokṣaprāptaye

prayāsaḥ | yasya tu punar bhavato nityaikajñānasvabhāva ātmeti pakṣas tasya katham

ekajñānātmake pūṣṇi bandhamokṣau bhavataḥ? tathā hi yadi viparyastasvabhāvam

ekam jñānam sadā, tadāparasyāvasthāntarasyābhāvān na mokṣavyavasthā syāt |

athāviparyastam, tadā nityam pariśuddhasvabhāvatvān na bandhaḥ syāt | asmākam

tu saṃtānabhedena vijñaptih samkliṣṭā śuddhā ceṣyata iti yuktā bandhana-

mokṣavyavasthā | yathoktam:

saṃkliṣṭā ca viśuddhā ca samalā nirmalā ca sā |

saṃkliṣṭā ced bhaven nāsau muktāḥ syuḥ sarvadehinah |

viśuddhā ced bhaven nāsau vyāyāmo niṣphalo bhavet || iti || 333 ||

athāpi syāt: kalpitāv eva bandhamokṣau na pāramārthikāv iti | tad atra kalpanāyā

api nibandhanam vācyam | anityajñānapakṣe tu nibandhanam upadarśitam eva | tatas

ca yo 'yam bhavatām apavargaprāptaye samsārasamatikramāya ca tattvabhāvanā-

prayatnah sa kevalam āyāsaphala eveti darśayati: kim vetyādi |

**kim vā nivartayed yogī yogābhyaśena sādhayet |**

**kim vā na hātum śakyo hi viparyāsas tadātmakah || 334 ||**

tattvajñānam na cotpādyam tādātmyāt sarvadā sthiteḥ |

**yogābhyaśo 'pi tenāyam aphalah sarva eva ca || 335 ||**

yadi tattvabhāvanayā yogī kiṁcin nivartayet pravartayed vā, tadā syād asya

saphalah prayāsah | yāvatā na tāvad asau viparyāsam nivartayati, yasmād asau

viparyāsas tadātmakah nityajñānātmakah, tasmān na hātum śakyah, nityasyāvināśi-

tayā tyāgāsambhavāt | nāpi tattvajñānam bhāvanayā sādhayati, nityajñānātmata�ā

sarvadā tattvajñānasyāvasthitatvāt | tasmān na yuktam etat || 334 || 335 ||

ity aupaniṣadikātmaprarīkṣā |

**kamalaśīlaviracitāyāṁ  
tattvasaṁgrahapañjikāyāṁ  
aupaniṣadikātmaparīkṣā |**

apare 'dvaitadarśanāvalambināś caupaniṣadikāḥ kṣityādipariṇāmarūpanityaikajñā-nasvabhāvam ātmānam kalpayanti | atas teṣām eva matam upadarśayann āha: nityetyādi |

**nityajñānavivarto 'yaṁ kṣititejojalādikāḥ |  
ātmā tadātmakaś ceti saṃgirante 'pare punaḥ || 328 ||**

tadātmaka iti kṣityādipariṇāmarūpanityaikajñānātmaka ity arthah | apara ity aupaniṣadikāḥ || 328 ||

kim atra pramāṇam? ity āha: grāhyetyādi |

**grāhyalakṣaṇasaṃyuktam na kiṃcid iha vidyate |  
vijñānapariṇāmo 'yaṁ tasmāt sarvam samīkṣyate || 329 ||**

na hi kṣityādayo jñānavyatirekeṇa grāhyalakṣaṇāpānnāḥ santi, yena te pratibhāserann avayavinaḥ, paramāṇūnām cāsattvāt | tasmāt sāmarthyād vijñānapratibhāsarūpā evāmī kṣityādaya iti vyavasīyante | ayam iti kṣityādih || 329 ||

teṣām ityādinā pratividhatte:

**teṣām alpāparādhām tu darśanam nityatoktitāḥ |  
rūpaśabdādivijñānām vyaktam bhedopalakṣaṇāt || 330 ||**

**ekajñānātmakatve tu rūpaśabdarasādayaḥ |  
sakṛdvedyāḥ prasajyante nitye 'vasthāntaram na ca || 331 ||**

alpāparādhām iti jñānamātrasya yuktyupetasyābhypagamāt | yady evam, svalpo 'pi kim iti tatrāparādha ucyata ity āha: nityatoktitā ityādi | kasmāt punar nityatvābhypagamo na yukta ity āha: rūpaśabdādītyādi | nityatā hi nāma tādavasthyam ucyate, atādavasthyam tv anityatā, na ca rūpaśabdādipratibhāsivijñānam ekāvastham sarvadānubhūyate, kiṁtu krameṇa kadācid rūpapratinibhāsam, anyadā ca śabdādipratibhāsam | tad yadi nityaikajñānapratibhāsātmakā amī śabdādayaḥ syuḥ, tadā

vicitrāstaraṇapratibhāsavat sakṛd eva pratibhāseran, tatpratibhāsātmakasya jñānasya sarvadāvasthitatvāt |

athāpi syāt: avasthāntaram etat krameṇa śabdādipratibhāsam jñānasyotpadyate | tena sakṛd eva śabdādisamvedanam na bhaviyatīty āha: nitye 'vasthāntaram na ceti | avasthānām avasthātur ananyatvād avasthāvad avasthātur api nāśotpādaū syātām | avasthātravd vāvasthānām api nityatvaprasaṅgah | vyatireke cāvasthānām tasyaitā iti saṃbandhāsiddhiḥ, upakārābhāvāt | nityaikavijñānamātrābhupagamavirodhaś ca || 330 || 331 ||

kiṃca nityasya jñānātmanah pratyakṣato vā siddhir bhaved anumānato vā | na tāvat pratyakṣata iti darśayati: rūpetyādi |

**rūpādivittito bhinnam na jñānam upalabhyate |  
tasyāḥ pratikṣaṇam bhede kim abhinnam vyavasthitam || 332 ||**

na hi kramapratibhāsirūpādisamvidvyatirekeṇa nityaikarūpam avasthātṛ jñānam anubhūyate, yena pratyakṣataḥ siddhiḥ syāt | tasyāś ca rūpādisamvitteḥ krameṇānubhūyamānāyāḥ pratikṣaṇam dhvamse siddhe, kim aparam abhinnam astīti vācyam | tasmād upalabdhilakṣaṇaprāptasya tathāvidhajñānātmano 'nupalabdher asadvyahāraviṣayataiveti bhāvah | ... || 332 ||

kiṃcāśmin pakṣe bandhamokṣavyavasthā na prāpnottīti darśayati: viparyastet-yādi |

**viparyastāviparyastajñānabhedo na vidyate |  
ekajñānātmake pum̄si bandhamokṣau tataḥ katham || 333 ||**

yasya hi pratikṣaṇadhvam̄si pratipuruṣam anekam eva vijñānam samtānabhedi pravartata iti pakṣas tasya viparyastāviparyastajñānaprabandhotpādavaśād bandhamokṣavyavasthā yuktimatī | yogābhyaśakrameṇa ca pariśuddhataratamajñānotpādād apariśuddhajñānasamtānanivṛtter apavargaḥ prāpyata iti saphalo mokṣaprāptaye prayāsaḥ | yasya tu punar bhavato nityaikajñānasvabhāva ātmeti pakṣas tasya katham ekajñānātmake pum̄si bandhamokṣau bhavataḥ? tathā hi yadi viparyastasvabhāvam ekam jñānam sadā, tadāparasyāvasthāntarasyābhāvān na mokṣavyavasthā syāt | athāviparyastam, tadā nityam pariśuddhasvabhāvatvān na bandhah syāt | asmākam tu samtānabhedenā vijñaptih samkliṣṭā śuddhā ceṣyata iti yuktā bandhana-mokṣavyavasthā | yathoktam:

saṃkliṣṭā ca viśuddhā ca samalā nirmalā ca sā |  
 saṃkliṣṭā ced bhaven nāsau muktāḥ syuḥ sarvadehināḥ |  
 viśuddhā ced bhaven nāsau vyāyāmo niṣphalo bhavet || 333 ||

athāpi syāt: kalpitāv eva bandhamokṣau na pāramārthikāv iti | tad atra kalpanāyā  
 api nibandhanam vācyam | anityajñānapakṣe tu nibandhanam upadarśitam eva | tataś  
 ca yo 'yam bhavatām apavargaprāptaye samsārasamatikramāya ca tattvabhāvanā-  
 prayatnah sa kevalam āyāsaphala eveti darśayati: kiṁ vetyādi |

**kiṁ vā nivartayed yogī yogābhyaśena sādhayet |**  
**kiṁ vā na hātum ūśakyo hi viparyāsas tadātmakah || 334 ||**

**tattvajñānam na cotpādyam tādātmyāt sarvadā sthitēḥ |**  
**yogābhyaśo 'pi tenāyam aphalaḥ sarva eva ca || 335 ||**

yadi tattvabhāvanayā yogī kiṁcin nivartayed vā, tadā syād asya  
 saphalaḥ prayāsaḥ | yāvatā na tāvad asau viparyāsam nivartayati, yasmād asau  
 viparyāsas tadātmakah nityajñānātmakah, tasmān na hātum ūśakah, nityasyāvināśi-  
 tayā tyāgāsambhavāt | nāpi tattvajñānam bhāvanayā sādhayati, nityajñānātmatayā  
 sarvadā tattvajñānasyāvasthitatvāt | tasmān na yuktam etat || 334 || 335 ||

ity aupaniṣadikātmaprarīkṣā |

## 19. Responding to the Realists

(*Vimśatikā*)

The *Vimśatikā* (“Twenty Verses”) and *Trimśikā* (“Thirty Verses”), written by Vasubandhu probably near the end of his life, represent the crowning achievement of the master’s career as one of the founding thinkers of the “Mind-Only” or Yogācāra school of Mahāyāna philosophy. While the *Trimśikā* offers a synopsis of the Yogācāra doctrine, the *Vimśatikā*—Vasubandhu’s least scholastic and most philosophically interesting work—is primarily dedicated to defending the system against objections raised by the realists (*bāhyārthavādin*), i.e, those Buddhist and non-Buddhist thinkers who insist on the existence of some form of external world capable of functioning as a basis for our perceptions (*vijñapti*).

Our text includes the work’s first four verses (*kārikā*) together with the commentary (*vṛtti*) written by Vasubandhu himself. The commentary in Sanskrit of the first two verses has been reconstructed by the French Indologist Sylvain Lévi on the basis of the Tibetan and Chinese translations.

## 十九、駁斥外境實有論者的問難

摘自 *Vimśatikā* 《唯識二十頌》

《唯識二十論》（*Vimśatikā*）和《唯識三十頌》（*Trimśikā*）均為世親（Vasubandhu）晚年之作，代表了世親作為大乘瑜伽行派創始人之一的最高成就。《唯識三十頌》是整個瑜伽行派教義的綱要書，而《唯識二十論》主要目的在於維護自宗，破斥實在論者（*bāhyārthavādin*）對唯識的反駁。實在論者——包含佛教和非佛教論師——主張「外境」（外在的世界）必然以某種方式存在，作為眾生產生知覺經驗的基礎。

本文內容為《唯識二十頌》的前四頌（*kārikā*）及注釋（*vṛtti*），前二頌的注釋為法國印度學家 Sylvain Lévi 根據藏譯本及漢譯本重構為梵語。

**vasubandhuviracitā**

**vimśatikā vijñaptimātratāsiddhiḥ |**

mahāyāne traidehātukam vijñaptimātram vyavasthāpyate | cittamātram bho jinaputrā

yad uta traidehātukam iti sūtrāt | cittam mano vijñānam vijñaptiś ceti paryāyāḥ | cittam

atra sasamprayogam abhipretam | mātram ity artha pratiṣedhārtham |

**vijñaptimātram evedam asadarthāvabhāsanāt |**

**yadvat taimirikasyāsatkeśoṇḍukādīdarśanam || 1 ||**

atra codyate:

**na deśakālaniyamaḥ saṃtānāniyamo na ca |**

**na ca kṛtyakriyā yuktā vijñaptir yadi nārthataḥ || 2 ||**

kim uktam bhavati? yadi vinā rūpādyarthena rūpādivijñaptir utpadyate na

rūpādyarthāt, kasmāt kvacid deśa utpadyate na sarvatra? tatraiva ca deśe kadācid

utpadyate na sarvadā? taddeśakālapratiṣṭhitānāṁ sarveṣāṁ saṃtāna utpadyate na kevalam ekasya? yathā taimirikānāṁ saṃtāne keśādyābhāso nānyeṣām | kasmād yat taimirikaiḥ keśabhramarādi dṛṣyate tena keśādikriyā na kriyate, na ca tadanyair na kriyate? yad annapānavastraviśāyudhādi svapne dṛṣyate tenānnādikriyā na kriyate, na ca tadanyair na kriyate? gandharvanagareṇāsattvān nagarakriyā na kriyate, na ca tadanyair na kriyate? tasmād asadarthāvabhāsane deśakālaniyamah saṃtānāniyamah krtyakriyā ca na yujyate ||

na khalu na yujyate | yasmāt:

### **deśādiniyamah siddhaḥ svapnavat**

svapna iva svapnavat | katham tāvat? svapne vināpy arthena kvacid eva deśe kiṃcid bhramarārāmastrīpuruṣādikam dṛṣyate na sarvatra | tatraiva ca deśe kadācid dṛṣyate na sarvakālam iti siddho vināpy arthena deśakālaniyamah |

**pretavat punah |**

**saṁtānāniyamah**

siddha iti vartate | pretānām iva pretavat | katham siddhah? samam

**sarvaiḥ pūyanadyādīdarśane || 3 ||**

pūyapūrṇā nadī pūyanadī | ghṛtaghaṭavat | tulyakarmavipākāvasthā hi pretāḥ

sarve 'pi pūyapūrṇām nadīm paśyanti naika eva | yathā pūyapūrṇām evam mūtra-

puriṣādipūrṇām daṇḍāsidharaiś ca puruṣair adhiṣṭhitām ity ādigrahanena | evam

saṁtānāniyamo vijñaptinām asaty apy arthe siddhah ||

**svapnopaghātavat kṛtyakriyā**

siddheti veditavyam | yathā svapne dvayasamāpattim antareṇa śukravisarga-

lakṣaṇah svapnopaghātah | evam tāvad anyānyair dṛṣṭāntair deśakālaniyamādi-

catusṭayam siddham |

**narakavat punaḥ |**

**sarvam̄**

siddham iti veditavyam̄ | narakeṣv iva narakavat | katham̄ siddham?

**narakapālādidarśane taiś ca bādhane || 4 ||**

yathā hi narakesu nārakāṇāṁ narakapālādidarśanām deśakālaniyamena siddham |

śvavāyasāyasaparvatādyāgamanagamanadarśanām cety ādigrahaṇena | sarveṣāṁ ca

naikasyaiva | taiś ca tadbādhanām siddham asatsv api narakapālādiṣu, samāna-

svakarmavipākādhipatyāt | tathānyatrāpi sarvam etad deśakālaniyamādicatuṣṭayam̄

siddham iti veditavyam̄ ||

kim punah kāraṇām narakapālās te ca śvāno vāyasāś ca sattvā neṣyante? ayogāt |

na hi te nārakā yujyante, tathaiva tadduḥkhāpratisaṁvedanāt | parasparam̄ yātayatām

ime nārakā ime narakapālā iti vyavasthā na syāt | tulyākṛtipramāṇabalānām ca

parasparam̄ yātayatām na tathā bhayaṁ syāt | dāhaduḥkhām ca pradīptāyām ayom-

ayyām bhūmāv asahamānāḥ, katham̄ tatra parān yātayeyuh? anārakāṇām vā narake

kutah sambhavah?

...

**vasubandhuviracitā  
viṁśatikā vijñaptimātratāsiddhiḥ |**

mahāyāne traidehātukam vijñaptimātram vyavasthāpyate | cittamātram bho jinaputrā yad uta traidehātukam iti sūtrāt | cittam mano vijñānam vijñaptiś ceti paryāyāḥ | cittam atra sasamprayogam abhipretam | mātram ity artha-pratiṣedhārtham |

**vijñaptimātram evedam asadarthāvabhāsanāt |  
yadvat taimirikasyāsatkeśoṇḍukādīdarśanam || 1 ||**

atra codyate:

**na deśakālaniyamah samtānāniyamo na ca |  
na ca kṛtyakriyā yuktā vijñaptir yadi nārthataḥ || 2 ||**

kim uktam bhavati? yadi vinā rūpādyarthena rūpādivijñaptir utpadyate na rūpādyarthāt, kasmāt kvacid deśa utpadyate na sarvatra? tatraiva ca deśe kadācid utpadyate na sarvadā? taddeśakālapratiṣṭhitānām sarveśām samtāna utpadyate na kevalam ekasya? yathā taimirikānām samtāne keśādyābhāso nānyeśām | kasmād yat taimirikaiḥ keśabhramarādi dṛsyate tena keśādikriyā na kriyate, na ca tadanyair na kriyate? yad annapānavastraviśayudhādi svapne dṛsyate tenānnādikriyā na kriyate, na ca tadanyair na kriyate? gandharvanagareṇāsattvān nagarakriyā na kriyate, na ca tadanyair na kriyate? tasmād asadarthāvabhāsane deśakālaniyamah samtānāniyamah kṛtyakriyā ca na yujyate ||

na khalu na yujyate | yasmāt:

**deśādiniyamah siddhaḥ svapnavat**

svapna iva svapnavat | katham tāvat? svapne vināpy arthena kvacid eva deśe kiṁcid bhramarārāmastrīpuruṣādikam dṛsyate na sarvatra | tatraiva ca deśe kadācid dṛsyate na sarvakālam iti siddho vināpy arthena deśakālaniyamah |

**pretavat punaḥ |  
samtānāniyamah**

siddha iti vartate | pretānām iva pretavat | katham siddhah? samam

### **sarvaiḥ pūyanadyādidarśane || 3 ||**

pūyapūrnā nadī pūyanadī | ghṛtaghaṭavat | tulyakarmavipākāvasthā hi pretāḥ sarve 'pi pūyapūrnām nadīm paśyanti naika eva | yathā pūyapūrnām evam mūtrapurīṣādipūrnām daṇḍāsidharaiś ca puruṣair adhiṣṭhitām ity ādigrahaṇena | evam samtānāniyamo vijñaptinām asaty apy arthe siddhah ||

### **svapnopaghātavat kṛtyakriyā**

siddheti veditavyam | yathā svapne dvayasamāpattim antareṇa śukravisarga-lakṣaṇah svapnopaghātah | evam tāvad anyānyair drṣṭāntair deśakālaniyamādi-catuṣṭayam siddham |

### **narakavat punaḥ |**

#### **sarvam**

siddham iti veditavyam | narakeṣv iva narakavat | katham siddham?

### **narakapālādidarśane taiś ca bādhane || 4 ||**

yathā hi narakesu nārakāṇām narakapālādidarśanām deśakālaniyamena siddham | śvavāyasāyasaparvatādyāgamanagamanadarśanām cety ādigrahaṇena | sarveṣām ca naikasyaiva | taiś ca tadbādhanaṁ siddham asatsv api narakapālādiṣu, samāna-svakarmavipākādhikatyāt | tathānyatrāpi sarvam etad deśakālaniyamādicatuṣṭayam siddham iti veditavyam ||

kim punaḥ kāraṇam narakapālās te ca śvāno vāyasāś ca sattvā neṣyante? ayogāt | na hi te nārakā yujyante, tathaiva tadduḥkhāpratisamvedanāt | parasparam yātayatām ime nārakā ime narakapālā iti vyavasthā na syāt | tulyākṛtipramāṇabalānām ca parasparam yātayatām na tathā bhayaṁ syāt | dāhaduḥkhām ca pradīptāyām ayo-mayyām bhūmāv asahamānāḥ, katham tatra parān yātayeyuh? anārakāṇām vā narake kutah sambhavah?

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## 20. On the Tathāgatagarbha

(*Ratnagotravibhāga*, ch. 1)

The teaching on the *Tathāgatagarbha* is elaborated upon in a number of Mahāyāna sūtras, such as the *Tathāgatagarbha Sūtra*, the *Śrīmālādevīśimhanāda Sūtra*, or the *Mahāparinirvāṇa Sūtra*, in which it is equated with the Buddha-element (*buddhadhātu*) or “Buddha-nature” as it is commonly translated. The *Ratnagotravibhāga*, a treatise whose authorship remains uncertain, attempts to systematize this later strand of Mahāyāna teachings. The “Tathāgata-Matrix” is here described as the permanent (*nitya*), unchanging (*dhruva*), auspicious or peaceful (*śiva*), and eternal (*śāśvata*) self-nature (*svadharmatā*) of all sentient beings. While the Tibetan tradition attributes the verses of the treatise to the bodhisattva Maitreya and the commentary section to the fourth-century Yogācāra master Asaṅga, the Chinese tradition mentions a certain Sāramati (沙羅末底) as the author for the whole work.

Our text, which comprises the conclusion of the *Ratnagotravibhāga*’s first chapter, discusses three main topics: the four kinds of beings incapable of grasping the *Tathāgatagarbha*, the proper way of understanding emptiness (*śūnyatā*) in relation to the *Tathāgatagarbha*, and the purpose (*prayojana*) of this final dispensation. The text includes several short passages from the *Śrīmālādevīśimhanāda Sūtra* and one long passage from the *Mahāparinirvāṇa Sūtra*, both of which are only extant in full in their Tibetan and Chinese translations.

## 二十、論如來藏

摘自 *Ratnagotravibhāga* 《寶性論》

如來藏思想由《如來藏經》（*Tathāgatagarbha Sūtra*）、「勝鬘師子吼經」（*Śrīmālā-devīśimhanāda Sūtra*）等大乘經典開展出來。《大般涅槃經》（*Mahāparinirvāṇa Sūtra*）中，將如來藏等同於「佛界」（*buddhadhātu*），即「佛性」的概念。

本文選自《寶性論》第一品，《寶性論》為有組織地闡述如來藏思想的重要著作。論中描述「如來藏」為常住（*nitya*）、不變（*dhruva*）、清涼（*śiva*）和恆久（*śāśvata*）的自性（*svadharmatā*）。關於本論的作者，依據中國佛教的傳統說法，是堅慧（Sāramati）所作，但西藏傳統則認為偈頌是彌勒（Maitreya）菩薩所造，釋論是瑜伽行派論師無著（Asaṅga）所撰。

本文內容總結《寶性論》第一品，闡述四類眾生不能見如來藏、如何才能正確體解空性（*śūnyatā*）與如來藏的關係，及佛陀宣說如來藏的宗旨（*prayojana*），並爰引《勝鬘師子吼經》及《大般涅槃經》（此二經目前僅存藏、漢譯本）加以說明。

**ratnagotravibhāge mahāyānottaratatantraśāstre**

**tathāgatagarbhādhikāraḥ prathamah paricchedaḥ |**

...

**śraddhayaivānugantavyam paramārthe svayambhuvām |**

**na hy acakṣuh prabhādīptam īkṣate sūryamaṇḍalam || 1.153 ||**

samāsata ime catvāraḥ pudgalās tathāgatagarbhadarśanam praty acakṣuṣmanto

vyavasthitāḥ | katame catvāraḥ? yad uta pṛthagjanāḥ śrāvakah pratyekabuddho

navayānasamprasthitaś ca bodhisattvaḥ | yathoktam:

agocaro 'yam bhagavam̄s tathāgatagarbhaḥ satkāyadrṣṭipatitānām viparyāsā-

bhiratānām śūnyatāvikṣiptacittānām iti |

tatra satkāyadrṣṭipatitā ucyante bālapṛthagjanāḥ | tathā hi te 'tyantasāsrava-

skandhādīn dharmān ātmata ātmīyataś copagamya ahamkāramamakārābhiniviṣṭāḥ

satkāyanirodham anāsravadvadhātum adhimoktum api nālam | kutah punah sarvajñā-  
 visayam tathāgatagarbham avabhotsyanta iti? nedam sthānam vidyate |  
  
 tatra viparyāsābhiraṭā ucyante śrāvakapratyekabuddhāḥ | tat kasmāt? te 'pi hi  
 nitye tathāgatagarbhe saty uttaribhāvayitavye tannityasamjñābhāvanāviparyaye-  
 nānityasamjñābhāvanābhiraṭāḥ | sukhe tathāgatagarbhe saty uttaribhāvayitavye  
 tatsukhasamjñābhāvanāviparyayena duḥkhasamjñābhāvanābhiraṭāḥ | ātmani tathā-  
 gatagarbhe saty uttaribhāvayitavye tadātmasamjñābhāvanāviparyayenānātmasam-  
 jñābhāvanābhiraṭāḥ | śubhe tathāgatagarbhe saty uttaribhāvayitavye tacchubha-  
 samjñābhāvanāviparyayenāśubhasamjñābhāvanābhiraṭāḥ | evam anena paryāyena  
 sarvaśrāvakapratyekabuddhānām api dharmakāyaprāptividhuramārgābhiraṭatvād  
 agocaraḥ sa paramanityasukhātmaśubhalakṣaṇo dhātūr ity uktam | yathā ca sa  
 viparyāsābhiraṭānām anityaduḥkhānātmāśubhasamjñānām agocaras tathā vistareṇa  
 mahāparinirvāṇasūtre bhagavatā vāpītoyamaṇidṛṣṭāntena prasādhitaḥ:  
  
 tadyathāpi nāma bhikṣavo grīsmakāle vartamāne salilabandhanam baddhvā

svaiḥ svair maṇḍanakopabhogair janāḥ salile krīdeyuh | atha tatraiko jātyam  
 vaiḍūryamaṇim antarudake sthāpayet | tatas tasya vaiḍūryasyārthe sarve te  
 maṇḍanakāni tyaktvā nimajjeyuh | atha yat tatrāsti śarkaram kaṭhalyam vā tat  
 te maṇir iti manyamānā gṛhītvā mayā labdho maṇir ity utsṛjyotsṛjya vāpītire  
 sthitvā nāyam maṇir iti samjñām pravartayeyuh | tac ca vāpyudakam  
 maṇiprabhāvena tatprabheva bhrājeta | evam teṣām tad udakam bhrājamānam  
 dṛṣṭvā aho maṇir iti guṇasamjñā pravarteta | atha tatraika upāyakuśalo  
 medhāvī maṇim tattvataḥ pratilabhet  
  
 evam eva bhikṣavo yuṣmābhiḥ sarvam anityam sarvam duḥkham sarvam  
 anātmakam sarvam aśubham iti sarvagrahaṇena bhāvitabhāvitam bahulīkṛta-  
 bahulīkṛtam dharmatattvam ajānadbhis tat sarvam ghaṭitam nirarthakam |  
 tasmād bhikṣavo vāpiśarkarakāṭhalyavyavasthitā iva mā bhūta | upāyakuśalā  
 yūyam bhavata | yad yad bhikṣavo yuṣmābhiḥ sarvam anityam sarvam  
 duḥkham sarvam anātmakam sarvam aśubham iti sarvagrahaṇena bhāvita-

bhāvitam bahulīkṛtabahulīkṛtam tatra tatraiva nityasukhaśubhātmakāni santī

vistareṇa paramadharmaṭattvavyavasthānam ārabhya viparyāsabhūtanirdeśo

yathāsūtram anugantavyah |

tatra śūnyatāvikṣiptacittā ucyante navayānasamprasthitā bodhisattvās tathā-

gatagarbhaśūnyatārthanayavipranaṣṭāḥ, ye bhāvavināśāya śūnyatāvimokṣamukham

icchanti, sata eva dharmasyottarakālam ucchedo vināśah parinirvāṇam iti, ye vā

punah śūnyatopalambhena śūnyatām pratisaranti, śūnyatā nāma rūpādhyatirekeṇa

kaścid bhāvo 'sti yam adhigamiṣyāmo bhāvayiṣyāma iti |

tatra katamah sa tathāgatagarbhaśūnyatārthanaya ucyate?

**nāpaneyam atah kiṃcid upaneyam na kiṃcana |**

**draṣṭavyam bhūtato bhūtam bhūtadarśī vimucyate || 1.154 ||**

**śūnya āgantukair dhātuḥ savinirbhāgalakṣaṇaiḥ |**

**aśūnyo 'nuttarair dharmair avinirbhāgalakṣaṇaiḥ || 1.155 ||**

kim anena paridīpitam? yato na kiṃcid apaneyam asty atah prakṛtipariśuddhāt

tathāgatadhātoḥ saṃkleśananimittam, āgantukamalaśūnyatāprakṛtitvād asya | nāpy atra

kiṃcid upaneyam asti vyavadānananimittam, avinirbhāgaśuddhadharma-prakṛtitvāt |

tata ucyate:

śūnyas tathāgatagarbho vinirbhāgair muktajñaiḥ sarvakleśakośaiḥ | aśūnyo

gaṅgānadīvālikāvyativṛttair avinirbhāgair amuktajñair acintyair buddha-

dharmair iti |

evam yad yatra nāsti tat tena śūnyam iti samanupaśyati | yat punar atrāvaśiṣṭam

bhavati tat sad iḥāstīti yathābhūtam prajānāti | samāropāpavādāntaparivarjanād

aviparyastam śūnyatālakṣaṇam anena ślokadvayena paridīpitam |

tatra yeśām itaḥ śūnyatārthanayād bahiś cittam vikṣipyate visarati na samā-

dhīyate naikāgrībhavati tena te śūnyatāvikṣiptacittā ucyante | na hi paramārtha-

śūnyatājñānamukham antareṇa śakyate 'vikalpo dhātur adhigantum sākṣātkartum |

idam ca saṃdhāya uktam:

tathāgatagarbhajñānam eva tathāgatānām śūnyatājñānam | tathāgatagarbhaś

ca sarvaśrāvakapratyekabuddhair adṛṣṭapūrvvo 'nadhibatapūrvva iti vistaraḥ |

sa khalv esa tathāgatagarbho yathā dharmadhātugarbhas tathā satkāyadṛṣṭi-

patitānām agocara ity uktam, dṛṣṭipratipakṣatvād dharmadhātoḥ | yathā dharmakāyo

lokottaradharmaṛgarbhas tathā viparyāsābhiraṭānām agocara ity uktam, anityādi-

lokadharmaṛpratipakṣeṇa lokottaradharmaṛparidīpanāt | yathā prakṛtipariśuddha-

dharmaṛgarbhas tathā śūnyatāvikṣiptānām agocara ity uktam, āgantukamalaśūnyatā-

prakṛtitvād viśuddhiguṇadharmaṇām avinirbhāgalokottaradharmaṅkāyaprabhāvitā-

nām iti |

tatra yad ekanaya dharmadhātvā sambheda jñānamukham āgamya lokottara-

dharmaṅkāyaprakṛtipariśuddhivyavalokanam idam atra yathābhūtajñāna darśanam

abhipretam, yena daśabhūmīsthitaḥ bodhisattvāḥ tathāgatagarbham īśat paśyantīḥ

uktam | evam hy āha:

chidrābhre nabhasīva bhāskara iha tvam śuddhabuddhīkṣaṇair

āryair apy avalokyase na sakalah prādeśikībuddhibhiḥ |

jñeyānantanabhaṭṭalapravisṛtam te dharmakāyaṁ tu te

sākalyena vilokayanti bhagavan yeṣām anantā matir iti ||

yady evam asaṅganiṣṭhābhūmipratiṣṭhitānām api paramāryāṇām asarvavisaṭaya

eva durdṛśo dhātuḥ, tat kim anena bālapṛthagjanam ārabhya deśiteneti? deśanā-

prayojanasamgrahe ślokau | ekena praśno dvitīyena vyākaraṇam:

**śūnyam sarvam sarvathā tatra tatra**

**jñeyam meghasvapnamāyākṛtābhām |**

**ity uktvaivam buddhadhātuḥ punaḥ kiṃ**

**sattve sattve 'stīti buddhair ihoktam || 1.156 ||**

**līnam cittam hīnasattveṣv avajñā-**

**bhūtagrāho bhūtadharmaṇapavādaḥ |**

**ātmasnehaś cādhikah pañca doṣā**

**yeṣāṁ teṣāṁ tatprahāṇārtham uktam || 1.157 ||**

asya khalu ślokadvayasyārthaḥ samāsena daśabhiḥ ślokair veditavyaḥ:

**viviktam saṃskṛtam sarvaprakāraṁ bhūtakoṭiṣu |**

**kleśakarmavipākārtham meghādivad udāhṛtam || 1.158 ||**

**kleśā meghopamāḥ kṛtyakriyā svapnopabhogavat |**

**māyānirmitavat skandhā vipākāḥ kleśakarmaṇām || 1.159 ||**

**pūrvam evam vyavasthāpya tanre punar ihottare |**

**pañcadoṣaprahāṇāya dhātvastitvam prakāśitam || 1.160 ||**

**tathā hy aśravaṇād asya bodhau cittam na jāyate |**

**keṣāmcin nīcacittānām ātmāvajñānadoṣataḥ || 1.161 ||**

bodhicittodaye 'py asya śreyān asmīti manyataḥ |

bodhyanutpannacitteṣu hīnasamjñā pravartate || 1.162 ||

tasyaivammatinah samyagjñānam notpadyate tataḥ |

abhūtam parigṛhṇāti bhūtam arthaṁ na vindate || 1.163 ||

abhūtam sattvadoṣās te kṛtrimāgantukatvataḥ |

bhūtam taddoṣanairātmyam śuddhiprakṛtayo guṇāḥ || 1.164 ||

grhṇan doṣān asadbhūtān bhūtān apavadan guṇān |

maitrīm na labhate dhīmān satvātmasamadarśikām || 1.165 ||

tacchravāj jāyate tv asya protsāhaḥ śāstrgauravam |

prajñā jñānam mahāmaitrī pañcadharmodayāt tataḥ || 1.166 ||

niravajñāḥ samaprekṣī nirdoṣo guṇavān asau |

ātmasattvasamasnehaḥ kṣipram āpnoti buddhatām || 1.167 ||

iti ratnagotravibhāge mahāyānottaratantraśāstre tathāgatagarbhādhikārah pra-  
thamah paricchedah ślokārthaśaṁgrahavyākhyānataḥ samāptah ||

**ratnagotravibhāge mahāyānottaratatantraśāstre  
tathāgatagarbhādhikāraḥ prathamah paricchedaḥ |**

...

**śraddhayaivānugantavyam paramārthe svayaṁbhuvām |  
na hy acakṣuḥ prabhādīptam īkṣate sūryamanḍalam || 1.153 ||**

samāsata ime catvāraḥ pudgalās tathāgatagarbhadarśanām praty acakṣuṣmanto vyavasthitāḥ | katame catvāraḥ? yad uta pṛthagjanāḥ śrāvakaḥ pratyekabuddho navayānasamprasthitaś ca bodhisattvaḥ | yathoktam:

agocaro 'yam bhagavam̄s tathāgatagarbhaḥ satkāyadrṣṭipatitānām viparyāsābhiraṭānām śūnyatāvikṣiptacittānām iti |

tatra satkāyadrṣṭipatitā ucyante bālapṛthagjanāḥ | tathā hi te 'tyantasāsravaskandhādīn dharmān ātmata ātmīyataś copagamya ahamkāramamakārābhiniviṣṭāḥ satkāyanirodham anāsravadhātum adhimoktum api nālam | kutah punah sarvajñavisayam tathāgatagarbham avabhotsyanta iti? nedam sthānam vidyate |

tatra viparyāsābhiraṭā ucyante śrāvakapratyekabuddhāḥ | tat kasmāt? te 'pi hi nitye tathāgatagarbhe saty uttaribhāvayitavye tannityasamjñābhāvanāviparyayenānityasamjñābhāvanābhiraṭāḥ | sukhe tathāgatagarbhe saty uttaribhāvayitavye tatsukhasamjñābhāvanāviparyayena duḥkhasamjñābhāvanābhiraṭāḥ | ātmani tathāgatagarbhe saty uttaribhāvayitavye tadātmasamjñābhāvanāviparyayenānātmasamjñābhāvanābhiraṭāḥ | śubhe tathāgatagarbhe saty uttaribhāvayitavye tacchubhasamjñābhāvanāviparyayenāśubhasamjñābhāvanābhiraṭāḥ | evam anena paryāyena sarvaśrāvakapratyekabuddhānām api dharmakāyaprāptividhuramārgābhiraṭatvād agocaraḥ sa paramanityasukhātmāsubhalakṣaṇo dhātūr ity uktam | yathā ca sa viparyāsābhiraṭānām anityaduḥkhānātmāsubhasamjñānām agocaras tathā vistareṇa mahāparinirvāṇasūtre bhagavatā vāpītoyamaṇidṛṣṭāntena prasādhitaḥ:

tadyathāpi nāma bhikṣavo grīṣmakāle vartamāne salilabandhanām baddhvā svaiḥ svair maṇḍanakopabhogair janāḥ salile krīḍeyuḥ | atha tatraiko jātyam vaiḍūryamaṇim antarudake sthāpayet | tatas tasya vaiḍūryasyārthe sarve te maṇḍanakāni tyaktvā nimajjeyuḥ | atha yat tatrāsti śarkaram kaṭhalyam vā tat

te maṇir iti manyamānā gṛhītvā mayā labdho maṇir ity utsṛjyotsṛjya vāpiṭīre sthitvā nāyam maṇir iti samjñām pravartayeyuh | tac ca vāpyudakam maṇiprabhāvena tatprabheva bhrājeta | evam teṣām tad udakam bhrājamānam dṛṣṭvā aho maṇir iti guṇasamjñā pravarteta | atha tatraika upāyakuśalo medhāvī maṇim tattvataḥ pratilabhetā |

evam eva bhikṣavo yuṣmābhiḥ sarvam anityam sarvam duḥkham sarvam anātmakam sarvam aśubham iti sarvagrahaṇena bhāvitabhāvitam bahulīkṛta-bahulīkṛtam dharmatattvam ajānadbhis tat sarvam ghaṭitam nirarthakam | tasmād bhikṣavo vāpiśarkarakāṭhalyavyavasthitā iva mā bhūta | upāyakuśalā yūyam bhavata | yad yad bhikṣavo yuṣmābhiḥ sarvam anityam sarvam duḥkham sarvam anātmakam sarvam aśubham iti sarvagrahaṇena bhāvitabhāvitam bahulīkṛtabahulīkṛtam tatra tatraiva nityasukhaśubhātmakāni santīti

vistareṇa paramadharmatattvavyavasthānam ārabhya viparyāsabhūtanirdeśo yathāsūtram anugantavyaḥ |

tatra śūnyatāvikṣiptacittā ucyante navayānasamprasthitā bodhisattvās tathāgatagarbhaśūnyatārthanayavipranaṣṭāḥ, ye bhāvavināśaya śūnyatāvimokṣamukham icchanti, sata eva dharmasyottarakālam ucchedo vināśah parinirvāṇam iti, ye vā punaḥ śūnyatopalambhena śūnyatām pratisaranti, śūnyatā nāma rūpādvivyatirekeṇa kaścid bhāvo 'sti yam adhigamiṣyāmo bhāvayiṣyāma iti |

tatra katamah sa tathāgatagarbhaśūnyatārthanaya ucyate?

**nāpaneyam ataḥ kiṃcid upaneyam na kiṃcana |  
draṣṭavyam bhūtato bhūtam bhūtadarśī vimucyate || 1.154 ||**

**śūnya āgantukair dhātuḥ savinirbhāgalakṣaṇaiḥ |  
aśūnyo 'nuttarair dharmair avinirbhāgalakṣaṇaiḥ || 1.155 ||**

kim anena paridīpitam? yato na kiṃcid apaneyam asty ataḥ prakṛtipariśuddhāt tathāgatadhātoḥ saṃkleśananimittam, āgantukamalaśūnyatāprakṛtitvād asya | nāpy atra kiṃcid upaneyam asti vyavadānanimittam, avinirbhāgaśuddhadharma-prakṛtitvāt | tata ucyate:

śūnyas tathāgatagarbho vinirbhāgair muktajñaiḥ sarvakleśakośaiḥ | aśūnyo gaṅgānadīvālikāvyativṛttair avinirbhāgair amuktajñair acintyair buddha-

dharmaṁ iti |

evam yad yatra nāsti tat tena sūnyam iti samanupaśyati | yat punar atrāvaśiṣṭam bhavati tat sad iḥastīti yathābhūtam prajānāti | samāropapavādāntaparivarjanād aviparyastam sūnyatālakṣaṇam anena ślokadvayena paridīpitam |

tatra yeṣām itaḥ sūnyatārthanayād bahiś cittam vikṣipyate visarati na samādhīyate naikāgrībhavati tena te sūnyatāvikṣiptacittā ucyante | na hi paramārtha-sūnyatājñānamukham antareṇa śakyate 'vikalpo dhātūr adhigantum sākṣātkartum | idam ca saṃdhāya uktam:

tathāgatagarbhajñānam eva tathāgatānām sūnyatājñānam | tathāgatagarbhaś ca sarvaśrāvaka-pratyekabuddhair adṛṣṭapūrvō 'nadhibatapūrvā iti vistaraḥ |

sa khalv esa tathāgatagarbho yathā dharmadhātugarbhas tathā satkāyadrṣṭi-patitānām agocara ity uktam, drṣṭipratipakṣatvād dharmadhātuh | yathā dharmakāyo lokottaradharma-garbhas tathā viparyāsābhiraṭānām agocara ity uktam, anityādi-lokadharmapratipakṣeṇa lokottaradharma-paridīpanāt | yathā prakṛtipariśuddha-dharma-garbhas tathā sūnyatāvikṣiptānām agocara ity uktam, āgantukamalaśūnyatā-prakṛtitvād viśuddhiguṇadharmaṇām avinirbhāgalokottaradharma-kāyaprabhāvitā-nām iti |

tatra yad ekanaya dharmadhātva samṛbheda jñānamukham āgamyā lokottara-dharma-kāya prakṛtipariśuddhi vyavalokanam idam atra yathābhūta jñāna darśanam abhipretam, yena daśabhūmīsthitā bodhisattvās tathāgatagarbham īśat paśyantīty uktam | evam hy āha:

chidrābhre nabhasīva bhāskara iha tvam śuddhabuddhīkṣaṇair  
āryair apy avalokyase na sakalaḥ prādeśikībuddhibhiḥ |  
jñeyānantanabhaṣṭalapraviṣṭam te dharmakāyaṁ tu te  
sākalyena vilokayanti bhagavan yeṣām anantā matir iti ||

yady evam asaṅganiṣṭhābhūmipratiṣṭhitānām api paramāryāṇām asarvaviṣaya eva durdṛśo dhātuh, tat kim anena bālapṛthagjanam ārabhya deśiteneti? deśanā-prayojanasamgrahe ślokau | ekena praśno dvitīyena vyākaraṇam:

**śūnyam sarvam sarvathā tatra tatra  
jñeyam meghasvapnamāyākṛtābhām |**

ity uktvaivam buddhadhātuḥ punaḥ kiṁ  
sattve sattve 'stīti buddhair ihoktam || 1.156 ||

līnaṁ cittam hīnasattveṣ avajñā-  
bhūtagrāho bhūtadharmaṇavādaḥ |  
ātmasnehaś cādhikah pañca doṣā  
yeṣām teṣām tatprahāṇārtham uktam || 1.157 ||

asya khalu ślokadvayasyārthaḥ samāsena daśabhiḥ ślokair veditavyaḥ:

viviktam saṃskṛtam sarvaprakāram bhūtakoṭiṣu |  
kleśakarmavipākārtham meghādivad udāhṛtam || 1.158 ||

kleśā meghopamāḥ kṛtyakriyā svapnopabhogavat |  
māyānirmitavat skandhā vipākāḥ kleśakarmaṇām || 1.159 ||

pūrvam evam vyavasthāpya tanre punar ihottare |  
pañcadoṣaprahāṇāya dhātvastitvam prakāśitam || 1.160 ||

tathā hy aśravaṇād asya bodhau cittam na jāyate |  
keśāmpcin nīcacittānām ātmāvajñānadoṣataḥ || 1.161 ||

bodhicittodaye 'py asya śreyān asmīti manyataḥ |  
bodhyanutpannacitteṣu hīnasamjñā pravartate || 1.162 ||

tasyaivammatinah samyagjñānam notpadyate tataḥ |  
abhūtaṁ parigṛhṇāti bhūtam arthaṁ na vindate || 1.163 ||

abhūtaṁ sattvadoṣās te kṛtrimāgantukatvataḥ |  
bhūtaṁ taddoṣanairātmyaṁ śuddhiprakṛtayo guṇāḥ || 1.164 ||

gr̥hṇān doṣān asadbhūtān bhūtān apavadan guṇān |  
maitrīm na labhate dhīmān sattvātmasamadarśikām || 1.165 ||

tacchravāj jāyate tv asya protsāhaḥ śāstrgauravam |  
prajñā jñānam mahāmaitrī pañcadharmaṇayāt tataḥ || 1.166 ||

niravajñāḥ samaprekṣī nirdoṣo guṇavān asau |  
ātmasattvasamasnehaḥ kṣipram āpnoti buddhatām || 1.167 ||

iti ratnagotravibhāge mahāyānottaratantraśāstre tathāgatagarbhādhikārah prathamah paricchedah ślokārthasamgrahavyākhyānatah samāptah ||

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