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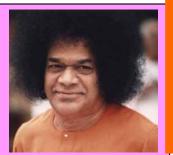
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ॐ गणानां त्वा गणपतिग्रं हवामहे

कविं कवीनामुपमश्रवस्तमम्।

om gaṇānām tvā gaṇapatigm havāmahe kavim kavīnāmupamaśravastamam l

I pray to You Ganapati, the Lord of groups of demigods, who removes obstacles. You are omniscient with complete knowledge; You know more than anybody else. I have come to You, recognizing Your greatness. You are the Emperor of Emperors.



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ज्येष्ठराजं ब्रह्मणाम् ब्रह्मणस्पत

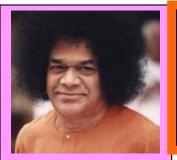
आ नः श्रुण्वन्नूतिभिस्सीद सादनम्॥

jyestharājam brahmaṇām

brahmaṇaspata

ā naḥ śruṇvannūtibhissīda sādanam II

You are Brahma. I have propitiated You with my chanting of adoring hymns. I salute You for the fulfillment of my desires. You are the highest treasure among all treasures. You grant Your devotees both the treasures of food and wisdom.

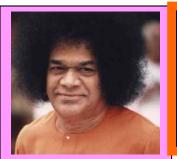


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प्रणो देवी सरस्वती वाजेभिवाजिनीवती।

praņo devī sarasvatī vājebhirvājinīvatīl

We invoke Saraswati, the Goddess of speech with hymns. May She be pleased with us and inspire our intelligence (to pronounce hymns properly).

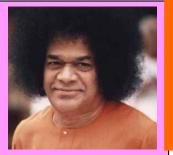


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धीनामवित्र्यवतु । गणेशायं नमः । सरस्वत्ये नमः । श्री — — — — — — — गुरुभ्यो नमः । हरिः ओम् ॥

dhīnāmavitryavatul gaņeśāya namaḥl sarasvatyai namaḥl śrī gurubhyo namaḥl hariḥ omll

Prostrations to Lord Ganesha, Goddess Saraswati and Sri Guru. Hari Om.



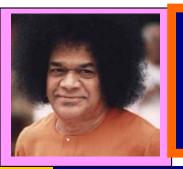
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ॐ शान्तिः शान्तिः शान्तिः॥

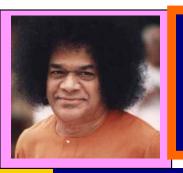
om śāntiḥ śāntiḥ l

May there be peace to the body, mind, and the soul.



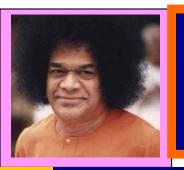
ॐ॥ सहस्रशीर्षं देवं विश्वाक्षं विश्वशम्भवम्। Om II sahasraśīrṣam devam viśvākṣam viśvaśambhuvaml विश्वं नारायणं देवमक्षरं परमं पदम्॥ viśvam nārāyaṇam devamakṣaram paramam padamll

This Universe is the Eternal Being Narayana. He is the imperishable, the supreme, and the goal. He is the countless headed and countless eyed – omnipresent and omniscient, the resplendent, the source of delight for the whole Universe.



विश्वतः परमान्नित्यं विश्वं नारायणग्रं हरिम्। viśvatah paramānnityam viśvam nārāyaṇagm hariml विश्वमेवेदं पुरुष-स्तिद्धश्व-मुपजीवति॥ viśvamevedam purușa-stadviśvamupajīvatill

This Universe is the Supreme Being (Purusha) alone; hence it subsists on Him. I meditate on this Eternal, Omnipresent God Narayana who destroys all our sins.



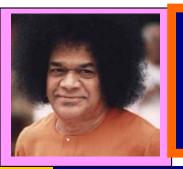
पतिं विश्वस्यातमेश्वरग्ं शाश्वतग्ं शिव-मच्युतम्।

patim viśvasyātmeśvaragm śāśvatagm śivamacyutam!

नारायणं महाज्ञेयं विश्वातमानं परायणम्।।

nārāyaṇam mahājñeyam viśvātmanam parāyaṇam!!

He is the protector of the Universe, the Lord of all Souls (or Lord over Self), the perpetual one, the auspicious, the indestructible, and the goal of all Creation. He is the Supreme object worthy of being known, the Soul of all beings and the unfailing refuge. I meditate on You O Narayana!.



नारायणपरोज्योति-रात्मा नारायणः परः।

nārāyaṇaparojyoti-rātmā nārāyaṇaḥ paraḥl

नारायण परं ब्रह्म तत्त्वं नारायणः परः।

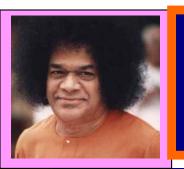
nārāyaṇa paraṁ brahma tattvaṁ nārāyaṇaḥ paraḥl

नारायण-परो ध्याता ध्यानं नारायणः परः॥

nārāyaṇa-paro dhyātā dhyānam nārāyaṇaḥ paraḥll

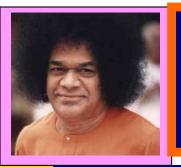
The Lord Narayana is the Supreme Absolute; Narayana is the Supreme Reality; Narayana is the Supreme Light; Narayana is the Supreme Self.

Narayana is the Supreme Meditator; Narayana is the Supreme Meditation.



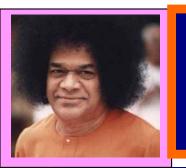
यच किंचिज्जगत्सर्वं दृश्यते श्रूयतेऽपिवा। yacca kimcijjagatsarvam drśyate śrūyate'pival अन्तर्बोहिश्च तत्सर्वं व्याप्य नारायण-स्थितः॥ antarbahiśca tatsarvam vyāpya nārāyaņasthitah

Whatever in this Universe is, - seen or heard of, -pervading all this from inside and outside alike, stands supreme the Eternal Divine Being - Narayana.



अनन्तमव्ययं कविग्ं समुद्रेऽन्तं विश्वशम्भुवम्। anantamavyayam kavigm samudre'ntam viśvaśambhuvaml पद्मकोश-प्रतीकाशग्रं हृद्यं चाप्यधोमुखम्॥ padmakośa-pratīkāśagm hrdayam cāpyadhomukham||

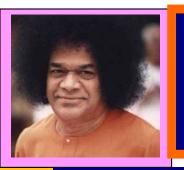
He is the limitless, imperishable, omniscient, residing in the ocean of the heart, the cause of the happiness of the Universe, the Supreme end of all striving. He manifests Himself in the ether of the heart which is comparable to an inverted bud of the lotus flower.



अधोनिष्ट्या वितस्त्यान्ते नाभ्यामुपरि तिष्ठति। adhoniṣṭyā vitastyānte nābhyāmupari tiṣṭhatil

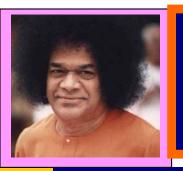
ज्वालमालाकुलं भाति विश्वस्यायतनं महत्॥ jvālamālākulam bhāti viśvasyāyatanam mahat!

Below the Adams apple, at a distance of a span, and above the navel is the heart which is the relative seat of the manifestation of Pure Consciousness in the human being. It effulges the Great Abode of the Universe, as if adorned with garlands of flames.



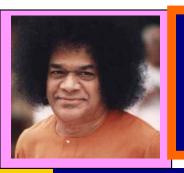
सन्ततग्रं शिलाभिस्तु लम्बत्याकोशसन्निभम्।
santatagm śilābhistu lambatyākośasannibhaml
तस्यान्ते सुषिरग्रं सूक्ष्मं तस्मिन् सर्वं प्रतिष्ठितम्॥
tasyānte suṣiragm sūkṣmam tasmin sarvam
pratiṣṭhitam॥

Surrounded on all sides by nerve-currents (or arteries), suspends the lotus-bud of the heart in an inverted position. It is in a subtle space (a narrow aperture, the Sushumna-Nadi) and there in is to be found Substratum of all things.



तस्य मध्ये महानम्नि-विश्वाचि-विश्वतोमुखः।
tasya madhye mahānagni-rviśvārci-rviśvatomukhaḥl
सोऽयभुग्विभजन्तिष्ठ-न्नाहारमजरः कविः॥
so'grabhugvibhajantiṣṭha-nnāahāramajaraḥ kaviḥll

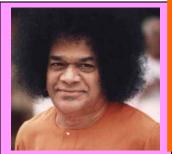
In that space within the heart resides the great flame of fire, undecaying, all-knowing, with tongues spread out in all directions, with faces turned everywhere, consuming food presented before it, and assimilating it unto itself.



तिर्यगूर्ध्व-मधक्शायी रक्षमयस्तस्य सन्तता। tiryagūrdhva-madhaśśāyī raśmayastasya santatāl सन्तापयति स्वंदेहमापादतलमस्तकः। santāpayati svandehamāpādatalamastakahl तस्य मध्ये विह्निशिखा अणीयोध्वा व्यवस्थितः॥

tasya madhye vahniśikhā aṇīyördhvā vyavasthitaḥll

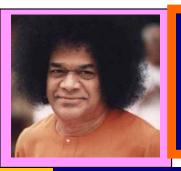
His rays, spreading all around, side ways, as well as above, and below, warm up the whole body from head to foot. In the center of that Flame abides the Tongue of Fire as the topmost of all subtle things.



नीलतो-यदमध्यस्था-द्विद्युल्लेखेव भास्वरा। nīlato-yadamadhyasthā-dvidyullekheva bhāsvarāl नीवारशूकवत्तन्वी पीताभारवत्यणूपमा ॥

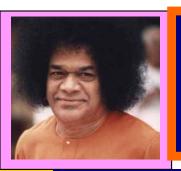
nīvāraśūkavattanvī pītābhāsvatyaņūpamāll

Slender like the awn of a paddy grain, yellow (like gold) in color, in subtlety comparable to the minute atom, this Tongue of Fire grows splendid brilliant like a streak of lightning set in the midst of the blue rain-bearing clouds.



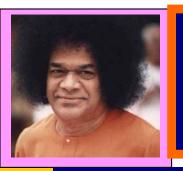
तस्याः शिखाया मध्ये परमात्मा व्यवस्थितः।
tasyäḥ śikhāyā madhye paramätmā vyavasthitaḥl
स ब्रह्म स शिवः स हरिः सेन्द्रः सोऽक्षरः परमः स्वराट्॥
sa brahma sa śivaḥ sa hariḥ sendraḥ so'kṣaraḥ
paramaḥ svarāṭ!

In the Middle of That Flame, the Supreme Self dwells. This (Self) is Brahma (the Creator), Siva (the Destroyer), Hari (the Protector), Indra (the Ruler), the Imperishable, the Absolute, the Autonomous Being. Prostrations again and again to the Omni-Formed Being.



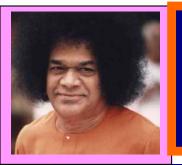
ऋतग्ं सत्यं परं ब्रह्म पुरुषं कृष्णपिङ्गलम्। rtagm satyam param brahma purusam kṛṣṇapingalaml ऊध्वरेतं विरूपाक्षं विश्वरूपाय वे नमो नमः॥ ūrdhvaretam virūpākṣam viśvarūpāya vai namo namahll

Prostrations again and again to the Omni-Formed Being, the Truth, the Law, the Supreme Absolute, the Purusha of blue-decked yellow hue. He is the Centralized-Force, Power, the All-Seeing One.



ॐ नारायणाय विद्महे वासुदेवाय धीमहि। om nārāyaṇāya vidmahe vāsudevāya dhīmahil तन्नो विष्णुः प्रचोद्यात् ॥ tanno vișnuh pracodayätll

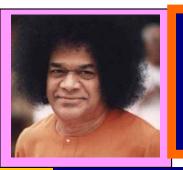
We commune ourselves with Narayana, and meditate on Vasudeva, may that Vishnu direct us (to the Great Goal)



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om śāntiḥ śāntiḥ l

May there be peace to the body, mind, and the soul.



ॐ सह नाववतु। सह नो भुनक्तु। सह वीर्यं करवावहै। om saha nāvavatul saha nau bhunaktul saha vīryam karavāvahail तेजस्विनावधीतमस्तु मा विद्विषावहे ॥ tejasvināvadhītamastu mā vidvisāvahai 🛘

May He protect both of us. May He nourish both of us. May we both acquire the capacity (to study and understand the scriptures). May our study be brilliant. May we not argue with each other.