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*Śivadharmaśāstra* chapter ten was selected for the NWO project because it offered potential for a comparative study of the *Viṣṇudharma* and the *Śivadharmaśāstra* focussed on the systematization of observances (*vrata*) in relation to the ritual calendar. Kafle’s study of a section of the text led to the publication of an article in the *Indo-Iranian Journal* in 2019 (‘The *kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrata* in the *Śivadharmaśāstra*. A comparative edition and study’). Subsequently, Kafle was appointed in the SHIVADHARMA project (‘Translocal Identities. The Śivadharma and the Making of Regional Religious Traditions in Premodern Asia’, ERC No. 803624) headed by Florinda De Simini at L’Orientale University, Naples. It was in this connection, in 2022, that Bisschop and Kafle joined up with Kiss, a team member of the SHIVADHARMA project (2022–23), to bring the draft edition and translation to completion. Bisschop completed his part of the work as PI in the PURANA project (‘Mythical Discourse and Religious Agency in the Puranic Ecumene,’ ERC No. 101054849) based at Leiden University.

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## *Introduction*

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‘The concept of the “definitive text” corresponds only to religion or exhaustion.’  
Jorge Luis Borges, *The Homeric Versions*

## Preliminary Remarks

In the past decades scholars have highlighted that religion is not so much a matter of belief as of embodied practice.<sup>1</sup> As the first codification of lay Śaiva ritual practice, the *Śivadharmaśāstra* holds a special place in the religious history of early Śaivism.<sup>2</sup> One of the main ways in which lay devotees can express their devotion and take up a ritual role for themselves is by following observances (*vrata*) involving fasts (*upavāsa*).<sup>3</sup> Chapter ten, which is the subject of the present study, highlights the text’s key position in the codification of observances more broadly, for it not only provides us with an overview of various early Śaiva observances and their results, but also yields valuable insight into the composition of other texts dedicated to the same topic. This is due to the substantial appropriation of passages of this chapter by these texts, for whom it appears to have functioned as a template for the teaching of observances.

It has also been observed that *vratas* are especially central to the ritual life of women. A recent introduction on womanhood in the Hindu world sums up the generally accepted doctrine regarding the purpose of the observance of *vratas* by women: ‘[...] *vratas* are undertaken by a woman to ensure the welfare of her husband, children, and family in general.’<sup>4</sup> A large part of *Śivadharmaśāstra* chapter ten indeed concerns practices targeted at women. In contrast to the conservative attitudes of the brahmanical tradition reflected in the above citation, however, the text offers a

<sup>1</sup> The work of French sociologist Pierre Bourdieu in particular has been a major instigator of this paradigm shift (Bourdieu 1977). Its reflection in the study of Indian religions can be seen, for example, in a work like the inaugural volume of the book series Princeton Readings in Religions: Lopez 1995. Cf. also the characterisation of Hinduism in Michaels 2016, 2: ‘what you believe is less important than what you do—in and through practice.’

<sup>2</sup> For an introduction to the *Śivadharmaśāstra*, its time of composition, and its place within the larger Śivadharma corpus, see Bisschop 2018, 4–27. See De Simini and Kiss 2021 for a bibliography of work done on the Śivadharma.

<sup>3</sup> For a basic introduction to *vratas* in Hinduism, see Pintchman 2010; for a detailed textual survey, see Kane 1930–1962, vol. 5.1, 1–462.

<sup>4</sup> Bose 2023, 175.

comparatively liberal perspective. This should of course not close our eyes for the obvious fact that the normative perspective of the text is and remains gendered male.<sup>5</sup> Instead of teaching the adoption of *vratas* for the benefit of others in her family, in particular her husband, as would be the normative case,<sup>6</sup> the tenth chapter of the *Śivadharmaśāstra* addresses a woman's own spiritual welfare and success, with a striking focus on enjoyments encountered along the way. Mirroring the spiritual trajectory of the male practitioner,<sup>7</sup> she reaches Śivaloka to descend through various heavens where she experiences divine pleasures for thousands of years, after which, at the final waning of her merit (*punya*), she returns to earth to become the wife of a king. Her experiences on this trajectory are described in alluring terms centered around her own experiences, independent of anybody else, and the text holds out the promise of liberation itself at the end of this trajectory.<sup>8</sup>

This openness towards a woman's own enjoyment and spiritual advancement is thwarted in the later tradition, first in the transmission of *Śivadharmaśāstra* chapter ten itself, where the gender of the implied practitioner of the observance of Umā and Maheśvara (*umāmaheśvaravrata*) is subject to significant meddling and variation in the manuscripts, and secondly in the Purāṇic and Tantric adaptations, which display a tendency to marginalize her role and leave out the promise of divine enjoyments on her path.<sup>9</sup>

It is in bringing into view cultural developments such as these that chapter ten of the *Śivadharmaśāstra* has much to offer to the historian

<sup>5</sup> Cf. also Pearson 1996, 83: 'It is not difficult to see how *vrats* suit the vision of the role of women articulated by the dominant male brahmanical culture.' And further, Pearson 1996, 84: 'Men can indirectly control women by "allowing" women to control themselves; and to control themselves in a way that promotes the interests of a patriarchal social structure.'

<sup>6</sup> For the classical statement on this matter, see *Manu* 5.155: *nāsti strīnām prthagya-jño na vrataṁ nāpy upoṣaṇam | patīm śuśrūṣate yena tena svarge mahīyate ||* 'For women, there is no independent sacrifice, vow, or fast; a woman will be exalted in heaven by the mere fact that she has obediently served her husband.' (translation Olivelle 2005, 146).

<sup>7</sup> On the general outline of this trajectory, see Yokochi 2021, 95–96 and Mirnig 2019, 466–467.

<sup>8</sup> Cf. ŚDhŚ 10.111–113.

<sup>9</sup> See below, section 3. For text-internal variations, see our notes at verses 117, 159, 185, 190 and 191.

of religion. Another striking example, discussed below, is the systematic insertion of the motif of the feeding of Brahmins in the Purāṇic passages, combined with the sidelining of the special position of the Śiva-devotees (*śivabhaktas*) so characteristic of the Śivadharma.<sup>10</sup> All in all, these changes betray the general domestication of the singular religious vision of the early Śivadharma as it spread and was appropriated by the broader Purāṇic tradition.<sup>11</sup> It requires the reader to pay more than usual attention to textual variants and variance, for it is in the constant changes introduced to the text that its relevance and life come through most clearly. The textual variation is fundamentally expressive of a discourse and dialogue within the tradition.<sup>12</sup>

## Structure and Contents

In contrast to most other chapters of the *Śivadharmaśāstra*, chapter ten contains no statement or introduction of its subject matter. The chapter instantly takes off by specifying the rules of the first observance, which consists in fasting for a year on the eighth and fourteenth days of both halves of the lunar month. The anonymous commentator sees a continuation with the subject matter of the preceding chapter:

*vratāntaram āha caturdaśyām iti tribhīḥ |*

[Nandikeśvara] teaches another observance in the three [verses] beginning with *caturdaśyām* (10:1–3).

<sup>10</sup> The *Bṛhatkālottara*, by contrast, rather stresses the importance of making donations to the Śaiva ācārya.

<sup>11</sup> See also Bisschop et al. 2021, 46: [...] the radical sociology of the *Śivadharmaśāstra*'s model of lay religion seems to have been tempered as the tradition matured, probably to help encourage wider acceptance by conservatively inclined elites as the tradition was carried along with other products of Sanskrit cosmopolitanism into new markets. In this respect, the early Śivadharma fell victim to its own success.'

<sup>12</sup> On the distinction between variants and variance, see Most 2024. An observation by Christian Benne in the concluding article in this collection is relevant to the material discussed in our work: 'the ontology of the text and the status of ontological variants depends to a large extent on contextual factors and the practices that have evolved around them.' (Benne 2024, 444).

The preceding chapter nine is a short chapter of twenty verses only, which teaches the *śivalīngamahāvrata* (great observance of Śiva's *linga*).<sup>13</sup> In terms of subject matter, the obvious connection is that it is likewise concerned with an observance, although this *śivalīngamahāvrata* involves no fasting but rather provides rules for an act of ritual worship of the *linga*. Fasting (*upavāsa*) and other restrictions relating to the intake of food, by contrast, constitute a core element of the *vratas* taught in chapter ten.

The implied practitioner of the *vratas* taught in *Śivadharmaśāstra* chapter ten initially is a man, but from verse 89 on the text specifically targets the female devotee of Śiva:

*śivabhaktā tu yā nārī dhruvam sā puruṣo bhavet |  
strītvam apy uttamam sā cet kāṅkṣate śṛṇu tadvratam || 10:90 ||*

If a woman is a devotee of Śiva, she will surely become a man [in her next life]. But if she wants to achieve the ultimate womanhood, listen to the observance for her.

In verse 193 the text returns back to the male subject, although the transition is not clearly marked.<sup>14</sup> A major distinction between the observances of a man and those of a woman relates to their promised result. A man is promised travel on brilliant aerial vehicles (*vimāna*) to Śivaloka where he stays and eventually reaches liberation,<sup>15</sup> whereas a woman reaches Śivaloka in the same way, but then gradually descends through the lower heavens to return to earth as a king's wife.<sup>16</sup> Towards the end of the chapter, the text moves, somewhat ambiguously, from the theme of observances to that of donations (*dāna*), especially of cows. This double nature of the chapter

<sup>13</sup> For the number of verses we refer to Yogi Naraharināth's edition.

<sup>14</sup> See our note to the translation *ad loc.*

<sup>15</sup> Cf., e.g., 10.41–45. The *kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrata* (verses 17–29) is an outlier in this respect in that the results are rather compared to those of grand Vedic sacrifices.

<sup>16</sup> Cf. 10.100–110, where the following trajectory is given: Śivaloka → Viṣṇuloka → Brahmaloka → Prajāpatiloka → Somaloka → Indraloka → Gandharvaloka → Yakṣaloka → Mt. Meru → our world. This order of worlds differs from the more advanced cosmography of the *Śivadarmottara*, which is the subject of Yokochi 2021, with the exception of *Śivadarmottara* chapter five, which shows correspondences for the eight highest worlds: 'The ten worlds, in ascending order, are: the world of Piśācas, Rakṣases, Yakṣas, Gandharvas, Indra, the moon, Prajāpati, Brahmā, Viṣṇu, and Śiva (Śivapura/-loka, also called Rudraloka)' (Yokochi 2021, 83).

is reflected in the manuscript colophons, which report its subject matter to be Rites of Fasting and the Gift of Cattle (*upavāsagopradānavidhi*).<sup>17</sup>

### *Overview of Contents*

It is not always obvious exactly where one *vrata* ends and another begins. The following overview is meant to provide a general outline of the structure of the chapter and the various observances taught in it.<sup>18</sup>

1–3: Fasting on the eighth (*astamī*) and the fourteenth (*caturdaśī*) days of both halves of the lunar month.

4: Eating from the ground on *parvan* days.

5–8: Lying down with one's wife while refraining from sex on the first and the fifth days of both halves of the lunar month.

9–16: Eating only at night from the eight to the fourteenth day of the dark lunar fortnight: introduction and general praise of eating only at night.<sup>19</sup>

17–29: The *kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrata*: eating only at night on the eighth day of the dark lunar fortnight. Month-by-month description (see Table 1).<sup>20</sup>

30–34: Gifts to be given at the end of the year and result of doing it for a full year (*Sivapura*) or on auspicious occasions (undecaying result).

35–87: The Śiva observance (*śivavrata*): eating only at night and fasting on the eighth and/or fourteenth days of both halves of the lunar

<sup>17</sup> Cf. also Kafle 2019, 353–354, who speculates that the two final verses on the gift of cows might have been added later.

<sup>18</sup> All numbers refer to the verse numbering of the edition.

<sup>19</sup> See our note at verse 10 for a different interpretation by the commentator. To what extent another observance is taught in 10–13 depends upon how one interprets the use of the term *parvan* there.

<sup>20</sup> The table only gives the very basics and follows the readings adopted in the main text of the edition. This section shows especially high variation in the readings of the different manuscripts, in particular with respect to the food items and the results of the observance, which may reflect different regional traditions. See Kafle 2019, and the notes to our translation, for more details. Kafle also addresses the relation between the *kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrata* taught here and in other texts such as the *Niśvāsamukha* and the *Matsyapurāṇa*.

month	Śiva	food intake	result
Mārgaśīrsa	Śaṅkara	cow's urine	<i>atirātra</i> >8x
Pauṣa	Śambhu	ghee	<i>vājapeya</i> 8x
Māgha	Maheśvara	roasted barley	<i>aśvamedha</i>
Phālguna	Mahādeva	three pure substances	<i>agniṣṭoma</i> 8x
Caitra	Sthānu	water boiled with flowers	all-encompassing sacrifice
Vaiśākha	Śiva	water boiled with <i>kuṣa</i>	<i>purasamedha</i> >8x
Jyeṣṭha	Paśupati	horn-water	millions of cows
Āṣāḍha	Ugra	cow-dung	<i>saustrāmanī</i> >8x
Śrāvaṇa	Śarva	oil-cakes	10 million years Rudraloka
Bhādrapada	Tryambaka	wood-apple tree leaves	endless reward
Āśvina	Īvara	rice-water	<i>paundarīka</i> 8x
Kārttika	Rudra	coagulated milk	<i>agniṣṭoma</i> 8x

Table 1: Kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrata

month.<sup>21</sup> Detailed month-by-month description of the individual fasts and related ritual activities, each time ending with the donation of a pair of a bull and a cow (see Table 2).<sup>22</sup>

Verses 44–47, in the section of the month of Pauṣa, detail the results of this observance.<sup>23</sup> One gets to live in Śivapura for as many thousands of æons as there are hairs on the pair of the bull and cow, their offspring and family members, and in the end one attains liberation. The *vimāna* which takes the practitioner to Śivaloka differs per month, depending upon the type of pair of bull and cow offered.<sup>24</sup> Verse 46 specifies the gradual method of liberation for those who abide in the Śiva-āśrama: Śiva worship → Śivadharma → knowledge → union → end of suffering.

<sup>21</sup> See our note at verse 52 regarding a progressive change in the days of the month prescribed in this section.

<sup>22</sup> The table does not show all the various ritual activities involved, which are different for each month, but is limited to recording the monthly food items to be consumed and the type of pair of bull and cow donated. As for the food items, it should be noted that almost all months involve the consumption of milk in one way or another. See Goodall 2015 on the consumption of milk as a key element of a *śivavrata* recorded in a tenth-century inscription from Cambodia, with further references on the presence of milk in Śaiva observances.

<sup>23</sup> See our note at verse 36 regarding the question why this observance commences in the month of Pausa rather than the more common Mārgaśīrsa.

<sup>24</sup> The underlying logic is explained by the commentator in his notes on verses 48–49: *svavatra deyagomithunasaṁānavarṇāni vimānāni*; ‘In every case, the aerial chariots are

month	food intake	pair of bull and cow
Pauṣa	rice, wheat, milk	brown pair
Māgha	<i>kṛṣṇā</i> porridge with ghee	black pair
Phālguna	millet, milk, wild rice	coppery red pair
Caitra	flour in milk	rosy pair
Vaiśākha	milk-boiled rice	white pair
Jyeṣṭha	water-boiled rice, ghee, milk	smokey pair
Āṣāḍha	ground barley, sugar, ghee, milk	white pair
Śrāvaṇa	milk-boiled <i>ṣaṭṭika</i> rice	white spots, white stripes
Bhādrapada	remnants of oblations	dark-coloured backs
Āśvayuja	ghee	dark-necked bull, decorated
Kārttika	milk-boiled rice	reddish-brown pair
Mārgaśīrṣa	milk-boiled barley	white pair

Table 2: Śivavrata

88–89: Ten general rules to be adhered to by the one observing the *śivavrata*.

90–113: The observance of Umā and Maheśvara (*umāmaheśvaravrata*).

This is a full-year *vrata* for women and involves as a basic element eating only at night on the days of the full moon, the new moon, and the eighth and fourteenth of both fortnights.<sup>25</sup> At the end of the year a golden or silver image of the pair of Umā and Maheśvara should be bathed and decorated, and Śiva devotees should be fed. Alternatively, a metal vessel turned into a temple should be offered to the *linga*. The female devotee will enjoy extensive stays in various heavens, descend through them, and in the end marry a king on earth. This process takes place again and again, until she experiences disgust with transmigration, which sets her on the path of liberation. Verse 113 specifies the gradual method of liberation: disgust → indifference → knowledge → union → end of suffering.<sup>26</sup>

of the same colour as the pair of a cow and a bull to be offered.'

<sup>25</sup> Note that the observances for women described by the text last for an entire year.

<sup>26</sup> The last three items are shared with the path described in verse 46, but the first two items are different.

114–117: A variant of the Umāmaheśvara observance. This involves fasting on the eighth and fourteenth days for an entire year and bathing an image of Umā and Maheśvara at the end of the year. The woman will depart on a golden vehicle to Śivaloka and, after descending through the different heavens in due order, will become a king's wife.

118–121: The rice-flour-image observance. A woman should fast only on the fourteenth day of the dark fortnight for a year and at the end offer Śiva an image of Umā and Maheśvara made of rice flour. She will experience similar kinds of results.

122–126: The flour-trident observance. A woman should fast on the day of the new moon for a year and, at the end, offer Śiva a trident of rice flour. She will experience similar kinds of results. This observance also causes the destruction of sins such as an abortion.

127–129: Another observance for women. She should fast on the day of the full moon for a year and, at the end, offer an image scented with fragrances. She will experience similar kinds of results.

130–134: The observance of a single meal. A woman should eat a single daily meal in the month of Kārttika,<sup>27</sup> fast on the eighth and fourteenth days, and offer an oil-cake at the end of the month. The same practice should be observed in the other months of the year.

135–136: Ten general rules to be adhered to in the case of all observances.<sup>28</sup>

137–192: A detailed month-by-month observance for women. Each month a different object is to be offered to Śiva (see Table 3). The practitioner is taken to Śivaloka on a different kind of vehicle each month, where she stays for a very long time, after which she descends through the different heavens and becomes a king's wife on earth. The month of Kārttika is singled out for special treatment and provided with more elaborate ritual instructions, including a grand worship for Śiva and the

<sup>27</sup> The month of Kārttika (October-November) remains to this day one of the most auspicious months of the Hindu ritual calendar for the performance of women's rituals. See Pintchman 2005.

<sup>28</sup> These ten differ from the ten *niyamas* given for the *śivavrata* in verses 88–89.

feeding of Brahmins devoted to Śiva. She will enjoy herself eternally, devoted to Śiva.

month	offering	vehicle to Śivaloka
Mārgaśīrṣa	bull of flour	drawn by bulls
Pauṣa	trident or vessel for Pinākin	Kubera's Puṣpaka
Māgha	horsedrawn carriage and flour <i>linga</i>	chariots drawn by white horses
Phālguna	image of flour and <i>caru</i>	divine
Caitra	Bhava & Kumāra of flour in a vessel	shining like the autumn moon
Vaiśākha	Kailāsa of rice flour	resembling Kailāsa
Jyeṣṭha	<i>linga</i> and pedestal of flour	shining like crystals
Āṣāḍha	three-storey house of flour	hundred-storey
Śrāvana	sesame seed mountain	shining like sapphire
Bhādrapada	rice mountain	shining like sunbeams
Āśvayuja	grain mountain	colourful
Kārttika	grain Meru mountain	shining like jewels and suns

Table 3: Month-by-month observance

193–194: The gift of a hut or a house, leading to the fulfilment of all desires.<sup>29</sup>

195–205: The gift of Śiva's chariot in winter. One should only eat a single meal for a month, prepare a chariot with a *linga* and pedestal of rice flour on top, drive it around at night to the Śiva temple, hold a vigil and fast and, after bathing the *linga* and handing out gifts, offer the chariot to Śiva. This observance yields great merit: one prospers together with three times seven generations of one's relatives in Śivaloka, until one returns to become a king on earth.

206–210: The gift of Śiva's bed. A bed of flour is to be offered to Śiva and a real bed to the guru. The number of years of enjoyment in Rudraloka matches the amount of paddings in the cloth of the bed.<sup>30</sup>

211–214: The gift of ten cows and a bull (*vṛṣabhaikādaśī*). The results are again expressed in the usual terms, although the final mention of abiding in one's true self (verse 214) is noteworthy.

<sup>29</sup> From here on the text appears to be directed again at a male practitioner and moves to the subject of donations (*dāna*).

<sup>30</sup> The passage is not completely clear; see notes *ad loc.*

215–219: The gift of a hundred cows and a bull. The description of the results again adds a new perspective, including becoming the king of the universe, becoming omniscient, and reaching similarity to Śiva.

220–221: The donation of a pregnant cow. This, the text says, is like donating the entire world.

### Transformations: Life and Afterlife of the Text

Chapter ten offers a unique opportunity to study the life and afterlife of the *Śivadharmaśāstra* because the chapter not only forms part of the Śivadharma itself, but significant portions have also been used as templates for the composition of other texts. The identification of these parallels allows us to track the textual reuse and appropriation of the *Śivadharmaśāstra* in the composition of Purānic and Tantric literature. Instead of taking them as mere testimonia for the constitution of the text of the edition, it is worthwhile to investigate these parallels on their own within their respective textual settings. For this reason we have decided to print the relevant texts separately and in full in the appendices, rather than reporting parallels for individual verses alone in the critical apparatus to the edition.<sup>31</sup> This manner of presentation makes it possible to see how the text has been appropriated and transformed in the creation of other compositions.

In order to distinguish between the various kinds of transformation of the text, it will be useful to introduce some analytic terms. First of all, a distinction should be made between text-internal and text-external transformation. By text-internal transformation we refer to the changes taking place within the transmission of the *Śivadharmaśāstra* itself, in the form of its multiple witnesses, viz. the manuscripts from Nepal, Kashmir, and South India as well as published editions such as ours. Text-internal transformation involves both intentional and non-intentional change. As can be observed from the wide and complex constellation of variant readings in the individual manuscripts, the chapter was not copied slavishly, but multiple scribes and tradents were actively engaged with it and pro-

<sup>31</sup> This is the approach taken in Bisschop 2018 and Bisschop et al. 2021. We have, however, identified all these parallels in the top layer of the apparatus through reference to their verse number.

duced different forms of the text in the process. These variations form the lifeblood of the text and deserve our full attention. While the edition presents a main text in the standard format with an apparatus of variants reported underneath, the constituted text mainly serves as a point of reference and entry for studying the transformative life of the text. In other words, it is the apparatus that forms the heart of the edition.

As for text-external transformation, this category is more complex and brings up the issue of intertextuality, defined by the French literary theorist Gérard Genette as ‘a relationship of copresence between two texts or among several texts: that is to say, eidetically and typically as the actual presence of one text within another’.<sup>32</sup> This relationship, according to his analysis, may manifest on three different levels: quoting, plagiarism and allusion. An example of the first is the commentary on the *Sivadharmaśāstra* preserved on a unique palmleaf manuscript in the Oriental Research Institute Manuscript Library in Trivandrum. While the anonymous commentator cites his source in the form of brief quotations of individual words and phrases, the text of the commentary itself is a new composition and creates an additional layer of meaning. At the same time, the commentary also has a text-internal relation to the *Sivadharmaśāstra* as it is a commentary on it and therefore follows the text throughout. It thus stands at the border of text-internal and text-external transformation.

The second type of quoting is a different affair and takes us outside the *Sivadharma* itself. This concerns the citations of passages of chapter ten in two Dharmanibandhas: Lakṣmīdhara’s *Kṛtyakalpataru* and Hemādri’s *Caturvargacintāmani*. In this case, portions of the text have been integrated in the form of citations, sometimes interspersed by others, within larger works dedicated to the treatment of aspects of *dharma*. Hemādri is a case of straightforward quoting in that he attributes the passages he cites explicitly to the ‘*Sivadharma*’.<sup>33</sup> Lakṣmīdhara, however, is a different case, for the verses that have a parallel in chapter ten are actually attributed by him to the ‘*Bhavisyapurāṇa*’. The verses in question cannot, however, be identified in the printed edition of the *Bhavisyapurāṇa*. He

<sup>32</sup> Genette 1997, 1–2.

<sup>33</sup> In two cases the printed edition erroneously attributes a passage belonging to the *Sivadharmaśāstra* to the *Sivadharmottara* and in one case to the *Viṣṇudharmottara*. See also Hazra 1954, 17.

must have taken them from a version of the *Bhavisyapurāṇa* that is currently no longer available, but importantly not from the Śivadharma itself.<sup>34</sup> As such these quotations introduce a different type of text-external transformation, namely that of the appropriation of chapter ten in the composition of new texts.<sup>35</sup>

Significant cases of textual appropriation of chapter ten are attested in the following Purāṇas: the *Līngapurāṇa*, the *Devīpurāṇa*, the *Bhavisyapurāṇa*, the *Saurapurāṇa* and the *Nāradapurāṇa*. In addition, a major parallel has been identified in the *Brhatkālottara*. While these may at first sight be taken as obvious cases of plagiarism—in Genette’s definition, ‘an undeclared but still literal borrowing’<sup>36</sup>—the concept of hypertextuality is more relevant here, since these passages involve more than a mere literal borrowing, for they introduce radical changes that repurpose and reorient the text in a different direction. Importantly, the modern concept of plagiarism, based on the false image of individual authorship, fails to take into account the indigenous understanding of the Purāṇas as a body of revealed knowledge in which religious communities are able to participate.<sup>37</sup> ‘Hypertextuality’ has been defined by Genette as ‘any relationship uniting a text B (which I shall call the *hypertext*) to an earlier text A (I shall, of course, call it the *hypotext*), upon which it is grafted in a manner that is not that of a commentary.’<sup>38</sup> In the case of chapter ten, the Śivadharma-śāstra is clearly the hypotext, while the *Līngapurāṇa*, *Devīpurāṇa*, *Bhavisyapurāṇa*, *Saurapurāṇa*, *Nāradapurāṇa*, and *Brhatkālottara* are the hypertexts. The identification of appropriation of significant portions of chapter ten in these texts brings into view the Śivadharma’s major impact

<sup>34</sup> On the *Bhavisyapurāṇa*’s complex and layered history, see Hazra 1940, 166–173.

<sup>35</sup> On ‘appropriation,’ an important concept in cultural studies highlighting the agency of the user, see Ashley and Plesch 2002, 2: ‘Contrary to the notions of “origin” or “influence,” “appropriation” emphasizes the act of taking; it is understood to be “active, subjective, and motivated”.’ See also Freschi and Maas 2017, 13, on what they call ‘adaptive reuse’: ‘The attributive “adaptive” presupposes that the reusing person pursues a specific purpose by adapting something already existent to his or her specific needs.’

<sup>36</sup> Genette 1997, 2.

<sup>37</sup> On Purāṇas and plagiarism, see also Bisschop 2019, 171–172. Cf. also Giraudoux, quoted by Genette 1997, 381: ‘Plagiarism is the basis of all literatures except the first, which happens to be unknown to us.’

<sup>38</sup> Genette 1997, 5.

on the composition of Purānic literature. All the various texts that each in their own way have appropriated the Śivadharma participate in a Purānic discourse that grants them authority.

It seems likely that the *Śivadharmaśāstra* would have drawn upon its own hypertexts as well, but if it did so, these no longer survive. A parallel in the form of a few lines in the *Skandapurāṇa* at the start of the chapter (ŚDhŚ 10.1–5) may give some pointers in this direction. The time of composition of the *Skandapurāṇa* and the *Śivadharmaśāstra* is probably quite close, with the *Skandapurāṇa* perhaps being slightly earlier.<sup>39</sup> The parallel lines in the *Skandapurāṇa* occur within a longer section of the text concerned with Śiva worship and observances (SP 27–28). According to the introduction in SP 27.1–10, Sanatkumāra here reports to Vyāsa the dialogue between Śiva and Pārvatī that he had earlier heard from Nandīśvara. Since Nandīśvara is likewise the transmitter of Śiva's teaching in the *Śivadharmaśāstra*, this could suggest a connection to our text. On the other hand, the parallel is restricted to only a few lines with a general and formulaic character. As such, it may rather point to the existence of an earlier (oral) tradition of teachings on lay aspects of Śiva worship associated with his favourite Gaṇa Nandīśvara. It is through this framing device that contemporary practices of lived religion were codified and authorised to form the Śivadharma.

### *The Quotations by Lakṣmīdhara and Hemādri*

As mentioned above, the verses cited by Lakṣmīdhara (North India, first half of the twelfth century CE) in the *Vratakāṇḍa* (VK) of his monumental *Kṛtyakalpataru* form a special case since they are not attributed to the *Śivadharmaśāstra* but to the *Bhavisyapurāṇa*, even though they cannot be traced in the present text published under that name. These quotations attest to the existence of a version of the *Bhavisyapurāṇa* that included material reworked from the Śivadharma. While the Veṅkatesvara Press edition of the *Bhavisyapurāṇa* likewise betrays intensive use of the *Śivadharmaśāstra*, the verses cited by Lakṣmīdhara must have been taken from a different version or part of the *Bhavisyapurāṇa* for they are not found

<sup>39</sup> Cf. Bisschop 2010, 243–246.

in the printed edition. As has been observed in earlier publications,<sup>40</sup> the printed text of the Veṅkateśvara Press edition includes major parallels with the *Śivadharmaśāstra* and the *Śivadharmottara*, dispersed across different sections of the text, but with radical changes in religious outlook. The original teaching on the worship of Śiva has been changed into a teaching on the worship of Sūrya, with all references to Śiva and members of his entourage replaced by Sūrya and his associates.

The case of Lakṣmīdhara's quotation of the *Bhavisyapurāṇa*, on the other hand, is different and displays considerable variation. In fact, Lakṣmīdhara appears to cite parallels for some of the same verses twice, but with different referents. The first quotation consists of six verses that have a parallel in the opening verses of chapter ten. In this case, the religious orientation of the text has not been changed and the object of veneration remains Śiva (VK 385.3–386.5), as is also clear from the headings 'śivopāsanavrata' and 'śivanaktavrata' in the edition of the *Kṛtyakalpataru*. After a quotation from the *Skandapurāṇa* (VK 386.6–387.1),<sup>41</sup> the *Kṛtyakalpataru* continues with further quotations from the *Bhavisyapurāṇa* that have a parallel in the *Śivadharmaśāstra* (VK 387.2–388.4). In the first of these (VK 387.2–4), the Sun is speaking (*āditya uvāca*) and teaches that the observance being taught leads to his own world (*mama lokam upaiti hi*); this is in contrast to Śiva's world in ŚDhŚ 10.3d (*śivalokam sa gacchati*). Another citation (VK 388.1) shows the reuse of the opening verse of the *Śivadharmaśāstra*, but adapted to form an observance dedicated to the goddess Caṇḍikā. To conclude, Lakṣmīdhara's citations attest to the existence of a version of the *Bhavisyapurāṇa* in which the *Śivadharmaśāstra* had been used as a template for the teaching of observances dedicated to different deities.<sup>42</sup>

The *Caturvargacintāmaṇi* of Hemādri (Deccan, thirteenth century CE) contains several citations of passages of chapter ten, attesting to Hemādri's access to the *Śivadharmaśāstra*.<sup>43</sup> They are dispersed across different

<sup>40</sup> Bisschop 2018, 21–25; Bisschop 2019; Bisschop 2020; Bisschop et al. 2021, 157–171.

<sup>41</sup> For this quotation of SP 28.8–11, see Bakker and Isaacson 2004, 107, 206.

<sup>42</sup> The published *Bhavisyapurāṇa* remains a rich repository for the teaching of observances. For a preliminary survey, see Hohenberger 1967, 111–125.

<sup>43</sup> For a list of Hemādri's citations of the *Śivadharmaśāstra*, see Hazra 1954, 18–19. See also Hazra 1956, 49, for the *Śivadharmottara*.

sections of two books of his monumental digest, the *Dānakhaṇḍa* (DKh) and the *Vratakhaṇḍa* (VKh), and range from a small quotation of two verses in the *Dānakhaṇḍa* (DKh 1.7.1–2) to a lengthy quotation running up to fifty verses in the *Vratakhaṇḍa* (VKh 2.28.1–50). Each citation is provided with a brief introductory or concluding statement in which Hemādri identifies the observance and attributes the passage to the *Śivadharma*. DKh 1.7.1–2, for example, is introduced with the words ‘now the gift of ten cows and a bull, from the *Śivadharma*’ (*atha vṛṣabhaikādaśīdānam śivadharmaṭ*), while VKh 2.28.1–50 is concluded with the words ‘thus is the subsequent great observance dedicated to Śiva taught in the *Śivadharma*’ (*iti śivadharmoktam aparaśaivamahāvratam*). Hemādri’s identification of individual observances matches quite well with our own paragraph divisions. His citations in general follow the text quite faithfully, with no major omissions, additions, or changes of sequence.<sup>44</sup> Occasionally, Hemādri adds an explanatory remark to clarify the meaning of a particular verse. As expected, the text of the *Śivadharmaśāstra* cited by Hemādri corresponds mostly, though not exclusively, with that of the Southern manuscripts. Out of the 221 verses that make up chapter ten in our edition, Hemādri cites about one third. Strikingly, his citations only start from verse 92 onward. In other words, he focuses in particular on the section concerned with observances of women.<sup>45</sup>

### *Six Cases of Purāṇic Appropriation*

There are at least six cases in which parts of *Śivadharmaśāstra* chapter ten appear to have been used for the creation of Purāṇic compositions. The hypertexts we have identified are the *Lingapurāṇa*, the *Devīpurāṇa*, the *Bhavisyapurāṇa*’s *Brāhmaṇaparvan* and *Uttaraparvan*, the *Saurapurāṇa*,

<sup>44</sup> There is only one verse that has no parallel in any of the *Śivadharmaśāstra* manuscripts consulted by us: VKh 2.28.45, after ŚDhŚ 10.185.

<sup>45</sup> The following passages of chapter ten are cited by Hemādri: 92–116 (*umāmabesvavravratam* and *aparam umāmabesvavravratam*); 118–121 (*krṣṇacaturdaśīvratam*); 122–126 (*sūlavratam*); 127–129 (*gandhvratam*); 130–191 (*aparaśaivamahāvratam*; missing 136cd, 139, 142, 149, 151, 155, 159, 169, 172, 175); 195–204 (*śivarathavrataṁ*); 206–209 (*śivasayyādānam*); 211–212 (*vṛṣabhaikādaśīdānam*); 215–216 (*vṛṣabhādhikagośatadānam*). The quotations of ŚDhŚ 10.130–191 and 10.215–216 are erroneously attributed in the printed edition to the *Śivadharmottara*, while ŚDhŚ 10.195–204 is attributed to the *Viṣṇudharmottara*.

and the *Nāradapurāṇa*. Each Purāṇa has appropriated Śivadharmaśāstra chapter ten in its own way, introducing significant changes relating to the context of the work. The section containing the *kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrata* in particular has been frequently used. The *Bhaviṣyapurāṇa*'s *Brāhmaṇaparvan* is the only one to include more or less the entire chapter.

### The *Liṅgapurāṇa*

The *Pūrvabhāga* of the *Liṅgapurāṇa* includes two chapters (LiP 1.83 and 84) that show intensive use of material from ŚDhŚ 10. LiP 1.83 ('Narration of the Observances of Śiva,' *śivavratakathana*) starts with a request of the sages to the Sūta to instruct them about observances. The Sūta answers that he will give an account of them as they had been told earlier by Nandin to Brahmā's son. This introduction alludes to the Śivadharmaśāstra, which is an instruction of Nandīvara to Sanatkumāra, Brahmā's mind-born son. In typical Purāṇic fashion, the *Liṅgapurāṇa* thus reveals the Śivadharma to be its source without mentioning the title of the text. After all, the teaching does not go via books or manuscripts but through the communication between gods and sages. The material included in LiP 1.83 roughly corresponds with the first eighty-eight verses of chapter ten, allowing for the omission of a large number of verses and the addition of new ones. Furthermore, many of the verses that find their origin in chapter ten have been reformulated or rephrased. In other words, the text has not been copied one-to-one from the source text to the hypertext, but it has been adapted and given a new form. On the other hand, the overall teaching of the source text remains in place, for it continues to deal with observances relating to the worship of Śiva.

However, the *Liṅgapurāṇa* contains at least one striking structural addition compared to the Śivadharmaśāstra. This concerns the topic of feeding Brahmins. While ŚDhŚ 10 occasionally teaches the feeding of Brahmins, too, it is much less frequently mentioned there and, if it is, is accompanied by an adjective expressing that the Brahmins in question are devotees of Śiva (*śivabhakta*).<sup>46</sup> The added verses in the *Liṅgapurāṇa*, on the other hand, are not accompanied by such an adjective, and where such an adjective is present in the Śivadharmaśāstra it appears to have been delib-

<sup>46</sup> See our note to the translation of 10.184.

erately removed in the *Lingapurāṇa*. This expresses a marked change in the character of the teaching, moving away from the śivabhakta-oriented teachings of the *Śivadharmaśāstra* to a more orthodox one involving the feeding and support of Brahmins. The same change can be observed in the next chapter (LiP 1.84). In total there are about twenty such references to the feeding of Brahmins in LiP 1.83 and 1.84. Moreover, some of these are accompanied by adjectives alluding to their Vedic learning, such as *śiṣṭa* (1.83.17c), *śrotriya* (1.83.36d, 1.83.39b), *vedapāraga* (1.83.36d, 1.83.39b, 1.83.50d) and *vedavedāṅgapāraga* (1.83.42d). These find no parallel in the *Śivadharmaśāstra* and once again evince the more orthodox orientation of the *Lingapurāṇa*, giving the text a distinctly different character.

LiP 1.84 continues with the *umāmaheśvaravrata*. The chapter division of the *Lingapurāṇa* reflects the inherent subject division of chapter ten, whose second part, starting at verse 90, is largely concerned with observances for women. On the other hand, while the *Śivadharmaśāstra* teaches the *umāmaheśvaravrata* specifically as an observance intended for women, it is striking that the *Lingapurāṇa* opens it up for men, too, as indicated by the announcement of its end result: ‘a man reaches union with Śiva, a woman with Devī’ (LiP 1.84.6ab). The same differentiation of a separate result for men and women is made for other observances and is again stressed in the concluding verse (LiP 1.84.72). Furthermore, no mention is made of the *Śivadharmaśāstra*’s attractive trajectories where a woman can fly off to the highest heaven on brilliant *vimānas*, experience enjoyments and pleasures in all the heavens, to be finally reborn as the beautiful wife of a king on earth. Compared to the *Śivadharmaśāstra*, the *Lingapurāṇa* again introduces a far more orthodox perspective. This starts already at the very first verse of LiP 1.84, where the positive adjective ‘increasing joy’ (*prītivividhanam*, ŚDhŚ 10.91b) has been replaced by the sanctioning adjective ‘spoken by the Lord’ (*īśvarabbāṣitam*). Again, in LiP 1.84.4, the practitioner is instructed to feed Brahmins and give *daksinā* to them, while in ŚDhŚ 10.95 she is taught to feed Śivabhaktas and gladden the poor and the helpless—a very different undertaking. In the remainder of the chapter, the parallels with the *Śivadharmaśāstra* are less recognizable than before and only occasional verses can be identified, although the underlying structure of the hypotext remains in place. A further mark of the orthodox outlook of the *Lingapurāṇa* is the stipulation, in LiP 1.84.16, that a woman may only carry out religious practice

at the instigation of her husband, since women are never independent (*asvatantrā*). No such condition is mentioned anywhere in the *Sivadharmaśāstra*, which overall takes a remarkably liberal attitude to the subject.<sup>47</sup> The *Lingapurāṇa* does not contain any parallels for the various other do-native practices that follow the observances of women after ŚDhŚ 10.193. In this respect, the *Lingapurāṇa* forms a more integrative whole.

### The *Devīpurāṇa*

The parallel in *Devīpurāṇa* chapter 78 is a more straightforward case of copying. In this chapter, the *Devīpurāṇa* has incorporated about twenty verses of the *Sivadharmaśāstra* concerned with the monthly *kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrata* (ŚDhŚ 10.13–34). The parallel is preceded by two introductory verses that integrate the passage within the *Devīpurāṇa*'s narrative frame. Manu announces that he will teach the best observance that had earlier been taught by Brahmā to Sanaka and others; he adds that it accomplishes all desires (*sarvakāmaprasādbhakam*). While providing authority to the teaching that he is about to give, Manu's introductory remark disconnects it from the *Sivadharmaśāstra*, for no such dialogue between Brahmā and Sanaka is found there. The passage has been copied more or less directly, with the addition of a single line that has no parallel in any of the manuscripts used for our edition (DevīP 78.7ab). On the other hand, the *Devīpurāṇa* does show a significant change in its verse 78.20 (≈ ŚDhŚ 10.30): where ŚDhŚ 10.30ab teaches the feeding of 'Brahmins who focus on devotion to Śiva' (*viprān śivabhaktiparāyanān*), DevīP 78.20ab instead instructs the practitioner to feed 'Brahmins and virgin girls' (*viprān kanyakā abalās tathā*). This fits the Śākta character of the *Devīpurāṇa*, which frequently mentions the veneration and feeding of virgin girls.<sup>48</sup> We may note here that, while the next chapter (DevīP 79) teaches an *umā-maheśvaravrata*, this shows no clear connection to the observance of the same name taught in ŚDhŚ 10.

<sup>47</sup> See, however, the commentator's comment at ŚDhŚ 10.90 about a woman's condition: *asvātantryaduḥkhakaram strītvam* ('womanhood that brings nothing but suffering because of a lack of independence'). This reflects the later tradition's conservative notion of women's intrinsic dependence and is not that of the *Sivadharmaśāstra* itself.

<sup>48</sup> Cf. Hazra 1963, 93–94.

### The *Bhavisyapurāṇa's Brāhmaṇaparvan*

The largest case of textual appropriation is without a doubt the *Brāhmaṇaparvan* of the *Bhavisyapurāṇa* (BhavP 1). This case is different from the Purāṇas discussed so far, as it is not confined to a single chapter of the *Śivadharmaśāstra*, but forms part of a wholesale borrowing of the text and even includes the *Śivadharmottara*.<sup>49</sup> Moreover, it involves a radical re-orientation of the religious outlook of the hypotext, from a set of rules of Śiva (Śivadharma) to rules for worshippers of Sūrya (Sauradharma). While the parallels uncovered for the *Śivadharmaśāstra* and the *Śivadharmottara* thus far have been confined to the *Brāhmaṇaparvan* of the *Bhavisyapurāṇa*,<sup>50</sup> the *Uttaraparvan* also includes two passages for which there is a parallel in chapter ten. These two Parvans, in origin, are independent compositions and therefore should be treated separately. However the presence of parallels in both certainly adds to the complexity of the *Bhavisyapurāṇa's* relations to the *Śivadharma*.<sup>51</sup>

The main and most important parallel concerns the *Brāhmaṇaparvan*. This Parvan is by all accounts the oldest part of the text going under the name *Bhavisyapurāṇa*, although it no doubt has undergone significant change over time.<sup>52</sup> The part that corresponds to chapter ten has been divided over six separate chapters. This subdivision makes good sense and creates more coherence to the text as a whole, which, as our analysis shows, includes multiple topics.

As can be observed from the chapter titles alone, the various parts have been rewritten in such a way that observances originally dedicated to Śiva or to the couple of Umā and Maheśvara have been turned into observances for Sūrya/Arka and his wife Nikṣubhā.<sup>53</sup> The entire chapter has been taken

<sup>49</sup> Broadly speaking, parallels for the *Śivadharmaśāstra* are found in BhavP 1.151–180 (this includes most of the text, although not always following the same sequence of chapters) and parallels for the *Śivadharmottara* in BhavP 1.187–192 (ŚDhU 1, 4, 6 and 7).

<sup>50</sup> See notes 40 and 49 for references.

<sup>51</sup> It may be mentioned here that chapters six and seven of the *Śivadharmottara* likewise have a parallel in the *Uttaraparvan* (BhavP 4.5 and 4.6). We owe this information to Kenji Takahashi.

<sup>52</sup> Cf. Hazra 1940, 167–173, 331–335, with reference to quotations from this Parvan in the Dharmabandhas.

<sup>53</sup> On Nikṣubhā, see Bisschop 2020, 84, with references.

BhavP	Chapter title	ŚDhŚ (≈)
1.164.75cd–101	<i>suryaṣṭhivratavarṇanam</i>	10.6cd–34
1.165	<i>ubhayasaptamīvarṇanam</i>	10.35–89
1.166	<i>niksubhāvratavarṇanam</i>	10.90–113
1.167	<i>niksubhāvratam</i>	10.114–129
1.168	<i>kāmapradastrīvratavarṇanam</i>	10.130–192
1.169	<i>suryavratavarṇanam</i>	10.193–212
1.170	<i>godānavarṇanam</i>	10.215–221ab

Table 4: Parallels in the *Bhaviṣyapurāṇa*'s *Brāhmaṇaparvan*

over, with the significant exception of the very beginning (ŚDhŚ 10.1–6ab). It is likely that the lack of a parallel of these first verses is simply due to accidental loss, for the parallel with chapter ten starts rather abruptly in the very middle of chapter 164 of the *Brāhmaṇaparvan*. Immediately preceding it is an extensive parallel with chapter five of the *Śivadharmaśāstra*, which, however, also is incomplete, further supporting the assumption of accidental loss of text.<sup>54</sup>

In addition to changing all names referring to Śiva or his entourage to ones referring to Sūrya and his associates, which complies with the Saura identity of the *Brāhmaṇaparvan*,<sup>55</sup> a number of other changes had to be made as well. These mostly relate to the ritual aspects of the teaching. For example, while the preferred days for the performance of observances in the Śaiva ritual calendar are the eighth and fourteenth days of the lunar month, the Saura calendar favours the sixth and seventh days, and so the text has been accordingly and systematically rewritten. On the other hand, some accidental references to the eighth day still survive (BhavP 1.164.17a, 1.165.16c, 1.165.19c), betraying the original Śaiva identity of its source text. Occasionally, the Sun's day/Sunday is specified as an appropriate day for carrying out observances as well (BhavP 1.164.79b: *bhagadine*; 1.1 66.3b: *raver dine*). In several instances, the object of worship

<sup>54</sup> BhavP 1.164.6–74ab ≈ ŚDhŚ 5.112–150; BhavP 1.164.74cd–75ab ≈ ŚDhŚ 5.187–188ab.

<sup>55</sup> For example, instead of the twelve names of Śiva relating to the twelve months of the year of the Śivadharma's *kṛṣṇaṣṭamīvrata*, the *Bhaviṣyapurāṇa* has twelve names of Sūrya in its *kṛṣṇaṣṭhivrata* (BhavP 1.164.84–101): Amśumat, Bhānumat, Divākara, Mārtanda, Vivasvat, Caṇḍakiraṇa, Divaspati, Arka, Aryaman, Bhāskara, Bhaga and Śakra. On the Saura identity of the *Brāhmaṇaparvan*, see Bisschop 2019.

has been changed to the *vyoman*, which is in line with the *Bhaviṣyapurāṇa*'s overall teaching.<sup>56</sup> As in the case of the *Līṅgapurāṇa* and the *Devīpurāṇa*, the recipients of food-offerings have been changed as well. Here the Sūrya worshippers (BhavP 1.164.97, 1.166.6) and a Bhojaka couple (BhavP 1.167.14) are the beneficiaries. Finally, the text has been adapted to make it fit the frame narrative, which is a teaching of Sumantu to king Śatānīka—including relevant vocatives referring to the latter (*bhārata*, *kuruṇandana*, *viśāmpati*, etc.)—which itself derives from the Sun's original teaching to his charioteer Aruṇa (BhavP 1.164.102).

### The *Bhaviṣyapurāṇa*'s *Uttaraparvan*

The parallel in the *Bhaviṣyapurāṇa*'s *Uttaraparvan* (BhavP 4) consists of two distinct chapters. The first, BhavP 4.57, concerns the *kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrata*, here taught by Kṛṣṇa to Yudhiṣṭhira. Although many verses have been reworded, the observance remains dedicated to Śiva. The most significant change is the addition of a few introductory and concluding verses. In the introduction, Kṛṣṇa tells Yudhiṣṭhira that the observance delights Rudra (*rudraprītikaram*) and provides some further ritual instructions, such as that it should be preceded by cleaning the teeth, supplicating a single teacher, bathing in a river, worshipping a *līṅga*, burning bdellium, and performing *homa* with sesame seeds. The concluding section, which specifies the results of the observance, remarkably includes two verses taken from the preceding chapter of the *Śivadharmaśāstra* (ŚDhŚ 9.16–17):

anena vidhīnā devāḥ sarve devatvam āgataḥ |  
devī devītvam āpannā gubāḥ skandatvam āgataḥ ||  
brahmā brahmātvam āpanno by ahaṁ viṣṇutvam āgataḥ |  
indraś ca devarājatvam gāṇapatyam gaṇo gataḥ ||

By this precept all the gods reached the state of godhead. Devī acquired the state of Devī, Guha acquired the state of Skanda, Brahmā acquired the state of Brahmā, Viṣṇu acquired the state of Viṣṇu, Indra acquired the state of Devarāja, Gaṇa acquired the state of Ganapati. (BhavP 4.57.23–24)

<sup>56</sup> On the *vyoman*, its form, its worship, and its centrality to the *Brāhmaṇaparvan*, see Bisschop 2020.

In ŚDhŚ 9 these two verses belong to the section dealing with the *śivalingamahāvrata*, but here they have been reused to convey the results (*phala*) of carrying out the *kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrata*. The following verse in the *Bhaviṣyapurāṇa* (BhavP 6.57.35) allows both men and women to carry out the observance. After this follow three verses corresponding to ŚDhŚ 10.41–43. However, in the *Śivadharmaśāstra* they belong to the next section and specify the results of performing the *śivavrata* in the month of Pauṣa, while in the *Bhaviṣyapurāṇa* they are promised for carrying out the *kṛṣṇāṣṭamī* observance for an entire year.

The second parallel in the *Uttaraparvan* occurs forty chapters later, in BhavP 4.96, still within the conversation between Kṛṣṇa and Yudhiṣṭhīra. It only includes a few verses taken from the beginning of ŚDhŚ 10 that extol the power of eating only at night (*naktabhojana*). The remainder of the *Bhaviṣyapurāṇa*'s *naktabhojana* instruction has no parallel in our text.

### *The Saurapurāṇa*

The present *Saurapurāṇa*, in contrast to what its name might suggest, is not a Saura text but a Purāṇa teaching Śiva devotion.<sup>57</sup> A first indication that the authors of the *Saurapurāṇa* might have been familiar with the Śivadharma appears in its third chapter, where Sūrya teaches that the Śivadharma is the supreme eternal *dharma*.<sup>58</sup> The Ānandāśrama edition of the *Saurapurāṇa* contains two chapters that have a parallel in ŚDhŚ 10: SauraP 14 and SauraP 43. These two chapters belong to what Hazra has identified as constituting the original core of the *Saurapurāṇa*.<sup>59</sup>

In SauraP 14, the Sūta (Romaharṣaṇa) teaches the sages of Naimiṣa the *kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrata*. The chapter starts with an introduction in which Romaharṣaṇa announces that he is going to teach the *kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrata*. He mentions that various deities acquired their position as gods by performing it, reminiscent of the passage from the *Uttaraparvan* quoted

<sup>57</sup> For further details, see Jahn 1908 and Hazra 1943.

<sup>58</sup> SauraP 3.7–9: *nāsti tasmāt paro dharma ity āhur vedavādinah | dharmo babuvidhāḥ prokto munibhis tattwadarśibhiḥ || tatrākṣayāḥ paro dharmāḥ śivadharmaḥ sanātanaḥ | yajñāt tīrthāj japaḍ dānād dharmāḥ syād bahusādhanaḥ || sādhanaprārthanāklesāḥ parasampattiduḥkhadaḥ | yaḥ punaḥ śivadharmaḥ tu na sādhanam apekṣate ||*.

<sup>59</sup> Hazra 1943, 108–109.

above, but adding further results acquired by other more-than-human beings. He states that it was taught earlier by Nandiśvara to Nārada on the southern peak of Mt Meru. The teaching thus once again is put into the mouth of Nandiśvara, but this time the recipient is Nārada. After Nārada's request to teach him an observance that will lead to increase in *tapas* etc., Nandiśvara mentions that he became a Gaṇeśa by the *kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrata*. Following a brief account of some purificatory activities to be performed before commencing the rite, the actual parallel starts (SauraP 14.15–31 ≈ ŚDhŚ 10.17–31). Many of the verses have been rephrased and there are a few additional lines as well, but overall the section corresponds to the *kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrata* taught in ŚDhŚ 10. At the end of the parallel, Nandiśvara tells Nārada that the observance was earlier taught by Devadeva to Devī. Nārada then goes to Badarikāśrama, presumably to practise it. The last verse includes the *śrutiphala*.

SauraP 43 starts with the *umāmabesvaravrata*. The first sixteen verses more or less correspond to ŚDhŚ 10.91–109, with some changes, the most significant being that in the *Saurapurāṇa* the subject of the *umāmabesvaravrata* is no longer a woman but a man. As a consequence, the results promised for the observance of this vow now include *vimānas* filled with women (43.11a) and, after the practitioner's residence in various heavens, his return to earth as its sole ruler (SauraP 43.16). The following two verses (SauraP 43.17–18) state the line of transmission of the teaching: Śiva taught it to Pārvatī and Skanda, the latter taught it to Agastya, and Agastya again taught it to Romaharṣaṇa. This hints at the frame narrative of the *Śivadharmaṭtara*, for that involves precisely the descent of the teaching via Śiva, Skanda and Agastya (Agasti). SauraP 43.19 continues with the *śūlavrata*, which includes parallels with the same *vrata* taught in ŚDhŚ 10.122–126. Significantly, the subject of the observance has once again been changed from a woman to a man. The *Saurapurāṇa* continues with a few more verses with stray parallels, including the listing of the tenfold *dharma* of ŚDhŚ 10.135–136 in SauraP 43.25–26. After this, another observance is taught (SauraP 43.27–57), dedicated to Gaṇeśa, for which there no longer is a parallel in the *Śivadharmaśāstra*.

### The *Nāradapurāṇa*

*Nāradapurāṇa* 2.43 forms a part of the *Gaṅgāmāhātmya* in the *Uttaraparvan* of the *Nāradapurāṇa*.<sup>60</sup> At the beginning of the chapter, the Apsaras Mohinī, the wife of king Rukmāṅgada, asks the *purohita* Vasu to tell her about the *gaṅgāvrata* (NārP 2.43.2). The parallel with ŚDhŚ 10 follows Vasu's remark that the *Gaṅgāmāhātmya* had been proclaimed earlier by Śiva to Pārvatī on the banks of the Ganges (NārP 2.43.7–8ab). It only concerns a handful of verses scattered over the text, however, namely the introduction to the observance of eating at night (*naktabhojana*) and three of the twelve months of the observance (Māgha, Vaiśākha and Jyeṣṭha). Significant changes have been made to fit the passage into the *Nāradapurāṇa*'s *Gaṅgāmāhātmya*. Compared to the parallel verses in ŚDhŚ 10, NārP 2.43 contains more detailed descriptions of the various activities of Śiva-worship and restrictions involved, as well as the end result of the observance.

### Tantric Appropriation: the *Bṛhatkālottara*

In addition to the Purāṇas, there is at least one parallel in a Tantric scripture, although we suspect there to be more. Parts of ŚDhŚ 10 have been integrated, in a heavily redacted form, into a lengthy chapter on observances in the *Bṛhatkālottara* (BṛhatK 61). The *Kālottara* is traditionally listed as one of the 28 Śaiva Siddhānta Tantras and has an exceptionally complex transmission. It survives in multiple recensions, one of which, due to its length, is known as the *Bṛhatkālottara*.<sup>61</sup> According to Sanderson's assessment, the *Bṛhatkālottara* is 'a late Saiddhāntika scripture, probably composed/compiled c. AD 900 and in Kashmir'.<sup>62</sup> It is an extensive ritual scripture taught by Īśvara to Kārttikeya and still unpublished. The *Bṛhatkālottara* is unusual among tantric sources for its focus on lay religion and it is this feature that may explain why it has incorporated and adapted material from ŚDhŚ 10. It is a genre-straddling tantra and its Pratiṣṭhātantra-like orientation differentiates it from early *Kālottara* recensions. The text included in the appendix has been prepared by Nirajan Kafle on the basis

<sup>60</sup> On the *Nāradapurāṇa*'s *Gaṅgāmāhātmya*, see Piano 1984.

<sup>61</sup> On the various recensions of the *Kālottara*, see Goodall 2007.

<sup>62</sup> Sanderson 2014, 12, n. 49.

of microfilms of two Nepalese palm-leaf manuscripts (NGMPP A 24/29 and NGMPP A 43/1).

In a case study of the *Bṛhatkālottara*'s extensive use of the Pāñcarātra *Jayākhyā*, Sanderson has shown how the Śaiva redactor frequently replaces vocatives addressed to Nārada in the *Jayākhyā* by those addressing Kārttīkeya to align the text with the narrative frame.<sup>63</sup> A profuse use of vocatives addressing Kārttīkeya can be observed in BṛhatK 61, including among others *sañmukha*, *śadānana*, *śikhidhvaja*, *kṛttikāsuta*, *pārvatīsuta*, *suta*, and *mahāsena*. The chapter opens with Kārttīkeya's wish to hear about the month-by-month observances to be carried out for the duration of an entire year. In reply, Īśvara first gives an account of the *kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrata*, commencing from the month of Mārgaśīrṣa (BṛhatK 61.2–21 ≈ ŚDhŚ 10.17–30). Significantly, the *Bṛhatkālottara* not only includes the name of Śiva to be worshipped each month, but also that of his *sakti*, a clear sign of the *Kālottara*'s Tantric character.

Following the description of the *kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrata*, the *Bṛhatkālottara* moves on with what is called the *śivavrata* in the *Śivadharmaśāstra*, without mentioning its name, however, and departing from it almost instantly. While it stays comparatively close to the *Śivadharmaśāstra* in its treatment of the month of Pauṣa (BṛhatK 61.23–30 ≈ ŚDhŚ 10.36–44), the remaining months are treated in a different manner and do not seem to be related at all. The gifts to Śiva largely consist of objects made of flour (*piṣṭa*). BṛhatK 61.43, which is one of the many verses without parallel in the *Śivadharmaśāstra*, stresses the importance of the *guru* in the *Bṛhatkālottara*'s worldview:

*māsi māsi guroḥ pūjā kartavyā tu pratigr̥ham |  
mahāpūjā vatsarānte kartavyā tu vidhānataḥ ||*

Every month in each house the *guru* must be worshipped, and at the end of the year a great worship must be held according to precept.<sup>64</sup>

<sup>63</sup> Sanderson 2001, 39, mentioning *sañmukha*, *śikhidhvaja*, and *vatsa*.

<sup>64</sup> There are multiple other references to *ācāryapūjā* and *gurupūjā* in the chapter.

After this follow more objects made of flour and other ingredients to be given month by month. The implied subject is clearly male, as the results of these gifts center around the practitioner becoming a *cakravartin*-type of king on earth. The mention of gaining *śivadikṣā*, in BṛhatK 61.66, once again reflects the Tantric nature of the text. Next follows a very lengthy section detailing the gift of Meru (BṛhatK 61.69–130). While this is also a subject in ŚDhŚ 10.176–192, the two texts do not show any textual parallel, while the *Bṛhatkālottara*'s gift furthermore includes many different subtypes. The special treatment of the Meru observance is announced in BṛhatK 6.69cd: *athātah saṃpravakyāmi merudānam yathākramam* ('Now then I shall explain in due order the Gift of Meru'). The *Bṛhatkālottara* continues with other *mahādānas* such as the *prthivīdāna*, the *kalpatarudāna*, and the *kāmadhenu*. The mention of donating female slaves (*dāsi*) to Śiva, in BṛhatK 61.177–178, is noteworthy and departs from the *Śivadharmaśāstra*'s religious practice.

Following this long interruption, in BṛhatK 61.168 the text returns to the earlier mentioned *śivavrata*, but commencing from the month of Māgha instead of Pauṣa (BṛhatK 61.186–207 ≈ ŚDhŚ 48–86). The month of Pauṣa is instead put last in this section (BṛhatK 61.208 ≈ ŚDhŚ 10.36), a change no doubt related to the departure from the hypotext after BṛhatK 61.23–30 noted above. Another major difference is the systematic removal of all references to the various magnificent ærial vehicles (*vimāna*) that, according to the *Śivadharmaśāstra*, take the practitioner to Śivaloka in each month. At the end of observance, one is required to make donations to the *ācārya* in the presence of Śiva, i.e. the *linga* (BṛhatK 61.210–211).

The *Bṛhatkālottara* next turns to the *umāmaheśvaravrata*, which is said to have been taught by Śiva at the request of Pārvatī as an observance for women (BṛhatK 61.213–215). There are occasional parallels with the corresponding section in the *Śivadharmaśāstra*, but there are also some striking differences. BṛhatK 61.218–220, for example, provides iconographic details for the preparation of the image of Umā and Maheśvara, while the *Śivadharmaśāstra*'s lengthy account of a woman's travel on celestial vehicles through the various heavens is left out. This conforms to the removal of the descriptions of ærial vehicles in the *śivavrata* mentioned above. Instead, the *Bṛhatkālottara* concludes with a verse in *upajāti* metre (BṛhatK 61.232), which rather appears to state the results of a man. This verse has been adapted from a famous verse found in several Purāṇas and

Tantras, which identifies the six attributes of Maheśvara: omniscience (*sarvajñatā*), contentment (*trpti*), beginningless consciousness (*anādibodha*), freedom (*svatantratā*), imperishable power (*aluptaśakti*), and infinite power (*anantaśakti*).<sup>65</sup>

Following the verse in *upajāti* metre, the *Bṛhatkālottara* continues with an account of the *lingavrata*, which is in fact based on the preceding chapter of the *Śivadharmaśāstra* (BṛhatK 61.234–243 ≈ ŚDhŚ 9.8–16). In addition, there are occasional parallels with verses from other chapters of the text.<sup>66</sup> Other *lingavratas* are announced in BṛhatK 61.257 and the parallel with ŚDhŚ 10 has by this time long come to an end. The various verses adapted from other chapters of the *Śivadharmaśāstra* highlight the redactor's strategy of eclectic appropriation and evinces the *Śivadharmaśāstra*'s impact on the composition of a major Śaiva Siddhānta scripture.

## Introduction to the Edition

We present our edition of *Śivadharmaśāstra* chapter ten with all due reservations. Working on the *Śivadharmaśāstra* over many years has convinced us more and more that the text has been subject to change and variation from the beginning and that it is this variance, more than anything, that should be the focus of attention.<sup>67</sup> Reconstruction of a supposed ‘Ur-Text’ is out of the question and also not very helpful or the most meaningful to do. Our aim is rather to give the reader a general insight into textual variation across time and space, while at the same time having a base text to refer to, which reflects a form that more or less conforms to the one represented by the earliest manuscripts, namely the palm-leaf manuscripts from Nepal. But even these already display huge variation in multiple and often unaccountable ways. A subjective element in the constitution of the text is unavoidable. Our edition may be considered ‘critical’ to the extent that it reports all the readings of the sources used for the constitution of the text and that we have weighed the evidence critically at each and every turn.

<sup>65</sup> See TAK II, s.v. *guṇa*.

<sup>66</sup> Cf., e.g., BṛhatK 61.246–249 ≈ ŚDhŚ 7.69–72; BṛhatK 61.250 ≈ ŚDhŚ 8.1; BṛhatK 61.251–252 ≈ ŚDhŚ 11.5–6; BṛhatK 61.254 ≈ ŚDhŚ 8.44.

<sup>67</sup> In this respect, we agree with Cerquiglini's famous essay ‘In Praise of the Variant’ (Cerquiglini 1999), although our approach is different. See also Most 2024.

The critical reader can check the variants and may weigh the evidence differently, depending upon their understanding of the text or interest in a particular version. In cases where the choice is especially difficult or unclear we have explained our understanding in the footnotes accompanying the translation.

Our edition is also, necessarily, selective. From among the large number of manuscripts that survive we have selected the most early and potentially interesting Nepalese palm-leaf manuscripts, combined with a small but representative selection of manuscripts from other parts of the Indian subcontinent where the text survives, namely Kashmir and South India.<sup>68</sup> The principles of selection and edition continue the ones established in the earlier editions of ŚDhŚ 6 and ŚDhŚ 11.<sup>69</sup> Compared to these publications, we have been able to add a hitherto unknown Nepalese palm leaf manuscript, now in the University of Munich ( $N^M$ ), which is earlier than any of the others available. The discovery of this manuscript is credited to Kengo Harimoto, who has provided an introduction to this manuscript and a series of questions it raises, in particular in relation to the development of the Śivadharma corpus, in Harimoto 2022.<sup>70</sup> We have included

<sup>68</sup> Bisschop et al. 2021, 50: ‘The text of the *Śivadharmaśāstra* has been preserved in a very large number of manuscripts. Of these, at least twenty palm-leaf manuscripts survive in Nepalese sources, including the earliest, which hails from the tenth century CE. If we take into account the paper manuscripts from Nepal as well, the number is at least doubled. Similarly, more than twenty palm-leaf manuscripts exist in South Indian sources, written in Grantha, Telugu, and Malayalam scripts. There are also other manuscripts of the *Śivadharmaśāstra* written in Bengali and Sāradā scripts—and there are, no doubt, more manuscripts yet to be discovered.’ See De Simini 2016, for a detailed overview of the Śivadharma corpus manuscripts from Nepal. Acharya 2022 discusses evidence for the existence of a Śivadharma tradition in Odisha.

<sup>69</sup> See Bisschop 2018, 49–64 and Bisschop et al. 2021, 49–65, for editorial policies, more detailed manuscript descriptions, and an assessment of the relations between the different regional manuscript transmissions.

<sup>70</sup> Harimoto also draws attention to the special position of  $N^M$  and  $N_{12b}^K$  in the Nepalese transmission in the light of the absence in both of them of a significant passage of ten stanzas on the *pañcāṣṭaka* in ŚDhŚ 12. Some connection between these two manuscripts, suggesting a different and possibly earlier line of transmission in Nepal, is occasionally witnessed in the variants for ŚDhŚ 10 as well, when the two manuscripts uniquely share the same or very similar readings, although the evidence is not conclusive. See, for example, *pādas* 7ab, 34a, 43c, 58b, 61b, 74c, 80a, 80c, 100b, and 165b, as well as the six extra *pādas* after 142b, and the omission of verses 176–191. The manuscript shows

the readings of N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup> as well, but not used N<sub>57</sub><sup>P</sup> and M<sub>66</sub><sup>T</sup>. The latter has only been consulted for the constitution of the commentary but not for the root text.

### *The Root Text*

The following sources have been used for the constitution of the root text:

N<sup>M</sup> University of Munich, uncatalogued, 218 folios. Palm leaf, Licchavi script, undated, written in two parts (the first dated to the ninth century, the second a century later).<sup>71</sup> Folios 30 and 31 are interchanged with folios 30 and 31 of the *Śivadharmottara* in the manuscript.

Contains: part I: *Śivadharmasāstra*; *Śivadharmottara*; *Umāmaheśvara-*  
*raśaṇvāda*; *Śivopaniṣad*; part II: *Uttarottaramahāśaṇvāda*; *Vṛṣasāra-*  
*samgraha*; *Dharmaputrikā*.

ŚDhŚ 10 covers folios 27r1–32v3.

N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup> National Archives, Kathmandu, NAK 6–7, 157 folios. Microfilmed by the NGMPP, A 1028/4. Palm leaf, Kuṭilā script, undated, but probably first half of the tenth century.<sup>72</sup>

Contains: *Śivadharmasāstra* (fol. 34r–48v); *Śivadharmottara* (fol. 48v–109v); *Śivadharmasamgraha* (fol. 109v–162r); *Umāmaheśvara-*  
*raśaṇvāda* (fol. 162r–191v); *Śivopaniṣad* (fol. 1v–13v). Incomplete.

ŚDhŚ 10 covers folios 34r1–40v1.

N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup> National Archives, Kathmandu, 3/393, 274 folios. Microfilmed by the NGMPP, A 1082/3. Palm leaf, Newari script, dated [Nepāla] Samvat 189 (1069 CE).

Contains: *Śivadharmasāstra* (fol. 1v–41r); *Śivadharmottara* (fol. 1v–52v); *Śivadharmasamgraha* (fol. 1v–57v); *Umāmaheśvara-*  
*raśaṇvāda* (fol. 1v–32v); *Śivopaniṣad* (fol. 1v–19r); *Vṛṣasārasamgraha* (fol.

a large number of trivial errors, but we have given extra weight to its readings because of its early date.

<sup>71</sup> These pieces of information about this manuscript derive from Harimoto 2022.

<sup>72</sup> See De Simini 2016, 219.

1v–46r); *Dharmaputrikā* (fol. 1v–12r); *Uttarottaramahāsaṃvāda* (fol. 1v–24r).

ŚDhŚ 10 covers folios 27v6–34r3.

N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup> National Archives, Kathmandu, 5/841, 142 folios. Microfilmed by the NGMPP, B12/4. Palm leaf, Newari script, apograph(?) dated by another hand: [Nepāla] Saṃvat 315 (1194–95 CE).<sup>73</sup>

Contains: *Śivadharmaśāstra* (fol. 1v–47r); *Śivadharmottara* (fol. 48v–109v); *Śivadharmaśamgraha* (fol. 110r–150v). Incomplete.

ŚDhŚ 10 covers folios 32v1–39v(?).

N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup> University Library of Cambridge, Add. 1694, 258 folios. Palm leaf, Newari script, undated, but probably twelfth century.<sup>74</sup>

Contains: *Śivadharmaśāstra* (fol. 3v–41v); *Śivadharmottara* (fol. 42r–89r); *Śivadharmaśamgraha* (fol. 90r–136r); *Umāmaheśvaraśaṃvāda* (fol. 137r–167v); *Uttarottaramahāsaṃvāda* (fol. 170r–192v); *Vṛṣasārasaṃgraha* (fol. 193r–238v); *Dharmaputrikā* (fol. 240v–244v); *Śivopaniṣad* (fol. 126r–142v).<sup>75</sup> Incomplete.

ŚDhŚ 10 covers folios 27v4–34r4.

N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> University Library of Cambridge, Add. 1645, 247 folios. Palm leaf, Newari script, dated [Nepāla] Saṃvat 259 (1139–40 CE).<sup>76</sup>

Contains: *Śivadharmaśāstra* (fol. 1r–38r); *Śivadharmottara* (fol. 38r–87r); *Śivadharmaśamgraha* (fol. 87r–132r); *Śivopaniṣad* (fol. 132r–150v); *Umāmaheśvaraśaṃvāda* (fol. 150v–180v); *Uttarottaramahāsaṃvāda* (fol. 180v–201v); *Vṛṣasārasaṃgraha* (fol. 201v–238v); *Dharmaputrikā* (fol. 238v–247r).

ŚDhŚ 10 covers folios 25v4–31v2.

N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup> Asiatic Society, Kolkata, G 4077/1, 355 folios. Palm leaf, Newari script, dated [Nepāla] Saṃvat 156 (1035–36 CE).

<sup>73</sup> Cf. De Simini 2016, 230, n. 57. In the volume *A Śaiva Utopia* (Bisschop et al. 2021), the siglum erroneously used for this manuscript was N<sub>12a</sub><sup>K</sup>.

<sup>74</sup> Available online: <https://cudl.lib.cam.ac.uk/view/MS-ADD-01694-00001/6>.

<sup>75</sup> See De Simini 2016, 222–224.

<sup>76</sup> Available online: <http://cudl.lib.cam.ac.uk/view/MS-ADD-01645/1>.

Contains: *Śivadharmaśāstra* (47 fols.); *Śivadharmottara* (65 fols.); *Śivadharmaśāṁgraha* (58 fols.); *Umāmaheśvarasamvāda* (35 fols.); *Śivopaniṣad* (22 fols.); *Umottara* or *Uttarottaratatantra* (folios 23–42, 46–49); *Vṛṣasārasaṁgraha* (52 fols.); *Lalitavistara* (30 fols., fol. 28–38).<sup>77</sup>

ŚDhŚ 10 covers folios 31v2–39r2.

Ś<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> Oriental Research Library, Srinagar, 1467, 38 folios. Paper, Śāradā script. *Śivadharmaśāstra*, but the text is named *Śivadharmaśāṁgraha*.

ŚDhŚ 10 covers folios 26r4–32r3.

P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> Institut Français de Pondichéry (IFP), T 72b, 155 folios. Devanāgarī paper transcript of manuscript 75425, written in Grantha script, belonging to the Adyar Library, Chennai. *Śivadharmaśāstra*, although the text is ascribed to the *Śivadharmaśāṁgraha*.<sup>78</sup>

ŚDhŚ 10 covers folios 105–127.

G<sup>K<sup>i</sup></sup> Śrī Naṭarāja Gurukkal, Kilvelur, 35 folios. Palm leaf, Grantha script, undated. *Śivadharmaśāstra*.

ŚDhŚ 10 covers folios 35r4–44r2.

G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> Leiden University Library, Kern Collection, 11.40, 91 pages. Palm leaf, Grantha script, undated.

ŚDhŚ 10 covers folios 140v2–154r5.

E<sup>N</sup> Yogī Naraharināth, *Śivadharma Paśupatimatam Śivadharmaśāstram Paśupatināthadarśanam*, Kathmandu, Saṁvat 2055 (1998 CE).

Contains: *Śivadharmaśāstra*; *Śivopaniṣad*; *Śivadharmottara*; *Śivadharmaśāṁgraha*; *Umāmaheśvarasamvāda*; *Uttarottara*; *Vṛṣasāraṁgraha*; *Dharmaputrikā*.

ŚDhŚ 10 covers pages 109–142.

<sup>77</sup> Following the description in Shastri 1928, 718–723.

<sup>78</sup> Available online: <http://muktalib7.org/IFP-ROOT/IFP/transcripts-data/T0072/PDF/T0072.pdf>.

### *Presentation of the Root Text*

The verse numbering and verse division in the root text are our own. The paragraph headings between square brackets have been added for the sake of comprehension and orientation; they are not found in the manuscripts.

The critical apparatus of the edition of the root text consists of three layers. The bottom layer is a positive apparatus, showing first the quoted portion of the reading adopted in the main text, followed by a lemma-sign and the sources of the text that support the adopted reading, separated by a comma, after which are given the variants and their attestations. Variation in spelling by the different manuscript sources has been normalized when necessary. Thus we have silently supplied *avagrahas*, corrected homorganic nasals, geminations and degeminations, as well as trivial variations in sibilants. The order of listing of the sources is as follows: N<sup>M</sup>, N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>, N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>, N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>, N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>, N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>, N<sup>K<sub>o</sub></sup><sub>77</sub>, Š<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>, P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>, G<sup>K<sub>i</sub></sup>, G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>, E<sup>N</sup>. To save space and make the apparatus more accessible to the reader, sigmas have been used to indicate where the large majority of manuscripts share the same reading. The layer above the bottom layer reports omissions and/or additions in individual sources of one or more *pādas* in comparison to the main text of the edition. The same layer also occasionally reports the loss of folios in individual sources. The top layer is reserved for testimonia or parallels for the text. Where no text is cited the verse numbering refers to the appendices where the relevant text passages are printed in full; in case of other relevant parallels the text can be found quoted in this layer of the apparatus. The symbols and abbreviations used in the apparatus are given below.

After the edition follows our annotated translation into English. We have included the Sanskrit verses from the main text in transliteration for easy reference.

### *Presentation of the Commentary*

In addition to the root text of ŚDhŚ 10, we have included an edition and translation of the commentary which is found on a unique palm-leaf manuscript written in Malayalam script in the Oriental Research Institute and Manuscripts Library, Trivandrum, accession number 12766.<sup>79</sup> Words un-

<sup>79</sup> In earlier publications the number was reported to be 12763, but the proper number is actually 12766. The siglum should therefore be changed to M<sup>T</sup><sub>66</sub>. For a brief introduction

derlined in the root text are citations from the main text, with verse references added between brackets. These citations appear between inverted commas in the translation when translated into English and in italics when left untranslated. In cases where the anonymous commentator's interpretation differs significantly from our own we have reported this in the notes accompanying the translation of the root text and the commentary.

*Appendices: Citations and Parallel Passages*

The appendices include the citations of passages from the root text in the works of Hemādri and Lakṣmīdhara, followed by the parallel passages found in the Purāṇas and the *Bṛhatkālottara*. In the case of Hemādri's and Lakṣmīdhara's text, prose sections are printed in italics. Verse numbering has been added for the sake of ease of reference. In presenting the citations and parallel passages we have aimed to provide the context in which they occur. For this reason, more text has been included than the mere parallels alone. This applies in particular to the Purāṇic parallels, where we have occasionally cited entire chapters. On the right margins of the texts we have identified the corresponding verse numbers in the root text. Minor errors, typos or orthographical differences in the editions of the texts cited in the appendices have been silently corrected.

and characterization of this commentary and its relation to the Southern transmission of the text, see Bisschop et al. 2021, 131–134.

*Symbols and Abbreviations in the Apparatus*

---	A number of <i>akṣaras</i> are lost in the manuscript.
✗	A single <i>akṣara</i> is illegible in the manuscript.
—	A gap left in the manuscript by the scribe.
○	Abbreviation sign indicating that the reading is part of a longer sequence of syllables.
( )	Parentheses enclose syllables that are poorly legible.
Σ	Reading in all our sources, with only one or two sources having a different reading.
N <sup>Σ</sup>	Reading in all our Nepalese manuscripts.
S <sup>Σ</sup>	Reading in all our Southern manuscripts.
=	Equals sign indicates an identical parallel for the main text.
≈	Approximate sign indicates an approximate parallel for the main text.
●	A bullet separates different lemmas within the same <i>pāda</i> .
ac	before correction
pc	after correction
acc. no.	accession number
cf.	<i>confer</i> (compare with)
conj.	conjecture
Ex conj.	based on conjecture
corr.	correction
em.	emendation
f., ff.	folio, folios
om.	omit(s)
p., pp.	page, pages
r	recto
v	verso
unmetr.	unmetrical

For the sigla, see pp. 39 ff. above. Abbreviations for the parallel sources are given in the bibliography.

*Additional Signs and Abbreviations*

Cod.	<i>codex</i>
IFP	Institute français de Pondichéry
MS(S)	manuscript(s)
NGMPP	Nepal-German Manuscript Preservation Project
TAK	<i>Tāntrikābbhidhānakosā</i> ; see Brunner et al. 2004

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# शिवधर्मशास्त्रम्

[ दशमोऽध्यायः ]

[ उपवासश्चतुर्दश्यामष्टम्यां च ]

नन्दिकेश्वर उवाच ।  
 चतुर्दश्यामथाष्टम्यां पक्षयोरुभयोरपि ।  
 अब्दमेकं न भुजीत शिवार्चनरतः शुचिः ॥ १ ॥  
 यत्पुण्यमक्षयं प्रोक्तं सततं सच्चयाजिनाम् ।  
 सत्यवादिषु यत्पुण्यं यत्पुण्यं तीर्थगामिनाम् ॥ २ ॥

**1ab** = SP 28.61cd    **1** ≈ LiP 1.83.3cd–4ab ≈ SP 28.4: चतुर्दश्यां तथाष्टम्यामुभयोः  
 पक्षयोः शुचिः । संवत्सरमभुज्ञानः शान्तो दान्तो जितेन्द्रियः ॥ ≈ KKT 385.3 ≈ KKT 387.2  
**2ab** = KKT 386.1ab; cf. SP 28.5ab : सच्चयाजिफलं यच्च सत्यवागृहुगामिनाम् 2 ≈ KKT  
 387.3

Narahrinātha's edition begins with अथ पशुपतिमते शिवधर्मे महाशास्त्रे उपवासगोप्रदान-  
 विधिर्नाम दशमोऽध्यायः । औं नमः शिवाय. P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> starts with ॥ अथ दशमोऽध्यायः ॥ The text  
 of this chapter is lost up to 10.50d in manuscript N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>. 2cd N<sup>M</sup> omits 2cd–3ab.

**1** नन्दिकेश्वर उवाच ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, नन्दि उ N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, नन्दिकेश्वर उवाच N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>,  
 नन्दिकेश्वरः S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>, श्रीनन्दिकेश्वरः G<sup>Ka</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> **1a** ०ष्टम्यां ] Σ, ०ष्टम्या N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>E<sup>N</sup>  
**1b** पक्षयोरुभयोरपि ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>Cpc</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, पक्षयोः शुक्लकृष्णायोः N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>S<sup>Σ</sup>, पयोरुभयोरपि  
 N<sub>94</sub><sup>Cac</sup>, पक्षयो शुक्लकृष्णायो N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, पक्षयो (कृष्ण)सुकृष्णायोः N<sub>77</sub><sup>Koac</sup>, पक्षयो (कृष्ण)कृष्णायोः  
 N<sub>77</sub><sup>Koac</sup>, पक्षयोः शुक्लयोर्द्वयोः S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> **1c** अब्दमेकं न भुजीत ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>, यो  
 १ब्दमेकं न भुजीत N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>G<sup>Ka</sup>, यो १ब्दमेकं न भुजीत N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>, यो १ब्दमेकं न चाशीयात् S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>,  
 अब्दमेकत्र भुजीत E<sup>N</sup> **1d** शुचिः ] Σ, शुचि N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>G<sup>Ka</sup> **2a** यत्पुण्यम० ] Σ,  
 यत्पुण्यम० N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, यः पुण्यम० N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup> • प्रोक्तं ] Σ, प्रोक्तं N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup> **2b** सच्च० ]  
 Σ, तत्र S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> **2d** यत्पुण्यं तीर्थगामिनाम् ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sup>Σ</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, यत्पुण्यमृतुगामिनाम् N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>,  
 यत्पुण्यरिन्द्रगामिनाम् N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, ऋतुकालाभिगामिनाम् N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>, यत्पुण्यं गाननर्तनैः S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>

अग्निहोतृषु यत्पुण्यं यत्पुण्यं यज्ञयाजिनाम् ।  
तत्पुण्यं सकलं तस्य शिवलोकं स गच्छति ॥ ३ ॥

[ पर्वभूमाजनब्रतम् ]

यः पृथ्वीं भाजनं कृत्वा भुङ्गे पर्वसु यत्ततः ।  
अहोरात्रेण चैकेन त्रिरात्रफलमश्वते ॥ ४ ॥  
द्वयोर्मासस्य पञ्चम्योद्द्वयोः प्रतिपदोर्नरः ।  
सोपवासः सुगन्धाङ्गः शयीत प्रियया सह ॥ ५ ॥  
शेते निश्चलचित्तस्तु रतिप्रीतिविवर्जितः ।

3cd  $\approx$  KKT 386.1cd  $\approx$  KKT 387.4ab; cf. SP 28.5cd : तच्चैव फलमाप्नोति यमं चैव न पश्यति ४  $\approx$  LiP 1.83.5  $\approx$  SP 28.8 : पृथिवीभाजने भुङ्गे नित्यं पर्वसु यो नरः । स त्रिरात्रफलं देवि अहोरात्रेण विन्दति ॥  $\approx$  KKT 387.4cdef  $\approx$  BhavP 4.96.3 ५ab = LiP 1.83.6ab ५  $\approx$  KKT 388.2; cf. SP 28.6ab : शय्यासनस्थः स्थीमध्ये रतिरक्तः सुखे रतः:

3a अग्निहोतृषु यत्पुण्यं ]  $\Sigma$ , अग्निहोत्रेण यत्पुण्यं  $S_{67}^S$ , अग्निहोत्रेषु यत्पुण्यं  $G_{40}^L$  3b यत्पुण्यं यज्ञयाजिनाम् ]  $\Sigma$ , यत्पुण्यं यज्ञयाजिनाम्  $N_{82}^K$  3c तत्पुण्यं सकलं तस्य ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K$   $N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , तत्पुण्यं सकलं तस्य  $N_{45}^C$ , यत्पुण्यं सकलन्तस्य  $N_{77}^{KO}$ , तत्पुण्यफलभोक्ता स  $S_{67}^S$ , तत्पुण्यं सकलं प्राप्य  $G^{K_0}$  3d स गच्छति ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S^\Sigma E^N$ , च गच्छति  $N^M N_{12b}^K$   $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{KO}$ , अवास्त्रयात्  $S_{67}^S$  4a यः पृथ्वीं ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C E^N$ , यः पृथ्वी०  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{KO}$ , पृथिवी०  $S_{67}^S P_{72}^T$ , पृथिवीं  $G^{K_0} G_{40}^L$  • भाजनं ]  $\Sigma$ , भोजनं  $E^N$  4b भुङ्गे ]  $N^M N_{82}^K$   $N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S E^N$ , भुक्ते  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{KO}$ , भुक्त्वा  $P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$ , भुक्तो  $G^{K_0}$  • पर्वसु ]  $\Sigma$ , पर्वसु  $P_{72}^T$ , सर्वं स  $G_{40}^L$  4d त्रिरात्रफल० ]  $\Sigma$ ,  $\vdash \dashv$  ल  $G_{40}^L$  5ab द्वयोर्मासस्य पञ्चम्योद्द्वयोः प्रतिपदोर् ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C G^{K_0} G_{40}^L E^N$ , द्वे पञ्चम्यौ तु मासस्य द्वे च प्रतिपदे  $N^M$ , द्वे पञ्चम्यां तु मासस्य द्वे च परिपदे  $N_{12b}^K$ , दौ पञ्चम्यौ तु मासस्य द्वे च पतिपदौ  $N_{45}^C$ , दौ पञ्चम्यौ तु मासस्य द्वे च पतिपदे  $N_{77}^{KO}$ , पञ्चमी द्वितये यश्च प्रतिपद्वितये  $S_{67}^S$ , द्वयोः पर्वस्य पञ्चम्योद्द्वयोः प्रतिपदोर्  $P_{72}^T$  5c सोपवासः ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C S_{67}^S S^\Sigma E^N$ , सोपवासं  $N^M$ , सोमे वस  $N_{12b}^K$ , सोपवास  $N_{77}^{KO}$  • सुगन्धाङ्गः ]  $\Sigma$ , सुगन्धाङ्गं  $N^M$  5d शयीत ]  $\Sigma$ , शयीते  $N^M$  • प्रियया ]  $\Sigma$ ,  $\vdash \dashv$  ल  $G_{40}^L$  6a शेते निश्चलचित्तस्तु ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C P_{72}^T E^N$ , शेते निश्चलचित्तश्च  $N^M$ , शेते निश्चलचित्तस्य  $N_{12b}^K N_{77}^{KO}$ , अतिनिश्चलचेतस्को  $S_{67}^S$ , शेते निश्चलचित्तो यो  $G^{K_0}$ , शेते निश्चलचित्त  $\vdash \dashv$   $G_{40}^L$  6b रतिप्रीतिविं० ]  $\Sigma$ , रतिकीडादि०  $G^{K_0}$  • ०वर्जितः ]  $\Sigma$ , ०वर्जिताम्  $N_{45}^C$ , ०वर्जिताः  $N_{77}^{KO}$

शिवानुसूतिशीलस्य तस्य पुण्यफलं शृणु ॥ ६ ॥

दिव्यवर्षसहस्रं तु दिव्यवर्षशतं तथा ।  
तपस्तसं महत्तेन भवेदत्र न संशयः ॥ ७ ॥

भवभक्तिसुपूतात्मा यद्यपि स्यात्स पापकृत् ।  
शिवलोके वसेन्नित्यं शिववत्संवृतो गणैः ॥ ८ ॥

[ कृष्णाष्टमीनक्तब्रतम् ]

कृष्णाष्टम्यां तु नक्तेन यावत्कृष्णाच्चतुर्दशी ।  
इह भोगमवाप्नोति परत्र च शिवां गतिम् ॥ ९ ॥

6 ≈ KKT 388.6    7 ≈ KKT 388.4    9 ≈ LiP 1.83.7 ≈ KKT 386.2 ≈ KKT 387.5

६c शिवानु० ] Σ, शिवैक० \$\_{67}^S • ०शीलस्य ] N^M N\_{12b}^K N\_{94}^C N\_{45}^C N\_{77}^{Ko} S\_{67}^S P\_{72}^T E^N,  
०शीलश्च N\_{82}^K, ०चित्तस्य G^K G\_{40}^L ६d ०फलं ] Σ, हल N\_{77}^{Koac}, लफ N\_{77}^{Koac} • शृणु ]  
Σ, शृणु: N^M N\_{77}^{Ko} ७a दिव्य० ] N\_{82}^K N\_{94}^C G^K E^N, दिव्यं N^M N\_{12b}^K N\_{94}^C N\_{77}^{Ko} S\_{67}^S P\_{72}^T G\_{40}^L  
• ०सहस्रं तु ] N\_{82}^K N\_{94}^C N\_{45}^C S\_{67}^S G\_{40}^L, ०शतं साग्रं N^M N\_{12b}^K, ०सहस्राणि N\_{77}^{Ko} P\_{72}^T G^K,  
०सहस्रश्च E^N ७b दिव्यवर्षशतं तथा ] G^K E^N, तपस्तसं महामुने N^M N\_{12b}^K, दिव्यं वर्षशतानि च  
तथा N\_{82}^K N\_{94}^C S\_{67}^S, दिव्यावर्षशतं तथा N\_{45}^C, दिव्यवर्षं शतं तथा तथा N\_{77}^{Ko}, दिव्यं वर्षशतानि च  
पर्वत, दिव्यं वर्षशतानि (ल) G\_{40}^L ७c तसं ] Σ, तपम् N\_{77}^{Ko}, तस G^K • महत्तेन ] N^M  
N\_{12b}^K N\_{45}^C S^E^N, मह(न्ते)न N\_{82}^K, महत्तेन N\_{94}^C, महत्तेन N\_{77}^{Koac}, महेतुतेन N\_{77}^{Koac}, महादेवे  
S\_{67}^S ७d भवेदत्र ] N\_{82}^K N\_{94}^C P\_{72}^T G\_{40}^L E^N, भवेदेवन् N^M, भवेदेव N\_{12b}^K N\_{45}^C S\_{67}^S G^K, om.  
N\_{77}^{Ko} • संशयः ] Σ, सुशयः N\_{77}^{Ko} ८a भव० ] Σ, तपो N\_{67}^S • ०भक्तिसु० ] N^M  
N\_{82}^K N\_{12b}^K N\_{94}^C S^E^N, ०भक्तिश्च N\_{45}^C, ०भक्तिषु N\_{77}^{Koac}, ०काषु N\_{77}^{Koac}, ०भक्तिसु० S\_{67}^S, ०भक्तिः  
स E^N • ०पूतात्मा ] Σ, ०पूजात्मा N\_{94}^C ८b यद्यपि ] Σ, यद्यपि N\_{77}^{Ko}, यःपि G\_{40}^L •  
स्यात्स ] Σ, स्यात्सु० N\_{12b}^K, स्वात्म० S\_{67}^S ८c वसेन्नित्यं ] N^M N\_{94}^C N\_{45}^C S\_{67}^S S^E^N, वसेत्  
न्निं० N\_{82}^K, वसे न्निं० N\_{12b}^K, वसे निक्यं N\_{77}^{Ko} ८d संवृतो ] N\_{82}^K N\_{12b}^K N\_{94}^C S\_{67}^S G^K E^N,  
संवृत्यो N^M, चंवृतो N\_{45}^C वृ० N\_{77}^{Ko}, ०संस्मृतो P\_{72}^T, सं॒स्मृतो G\_{40}^L • गणैः ] Σ, गुणैः  
P\_{72}^T ९ab कृष्णाष्टम्यां तु नक्तेन यावत्कृष्णाच्चतुर्दशी ] N^M N\_{82}^K N\_{94}^C N\_{45}^C P\_{72}^{Tpc}, कृष्णाष्टम्यां  
तु नक्तेन यावत्कृष्णाच्चतुर्दशी० N\_{12b}^K, कृष्णाष्टम्यां तु नक्तेन यावत्कृष्णाच्चतुर्दशी० N\_{77}^{Ko}, कृष्णाष्टम्यां  
चतुर्दश्यां नक्ते भुङ्गे च यो नरः० S\_{67}^S, कृष्णाष्टम्यां तु नक्तेन यावत्कृष्णाच्चतुर्दशी० P\_{72}^{Tac}, कृष्णाष्टम्यां  
तु नक्ताशी यावत्कृष्णाच्चतुर्दशी० G^K, कृष्णाष्टम्यां तु वक्तेन तावत्कृष्णाच्चतुर्दशी० G\_{40}^L, कृष्णाष्टम्यास्तु  
नक्तेन यावत्कृष्णा चतुर्दशी० E^N ९c इह ] Σ, (इह) N\_{94}^C, स सु० G\_{40}^L • भोगम० ]  
Σ, भोगान० S\_{67}^S P\_{72}^T ९d परत्र च ] N\_{82}^K N\_{12b}^K N\_{94}^C S\_{67}^S S^E^N, परत्रे च N^M, परते च N\_{45}^C  
N\_{77}^{Ko} • शिवां ] Σ, परां N^{Mac}, शुभां S\_{67}^S

यो उद्भवेकं प्रकुर्वीत नक्तं पर्वसु पर्वसु ।  
 ब्रह्मचारी जितक्रोधः शिवार्चाजपतत्परः ॥ १० ॥

संवत्सरान्ते विप्रेन्द्रान्शिवभक्तान्त्समाधिना ।  
 भोजयित्वा ततो ब्रूयात्रीयतां भगवान्शिवः ॥ ११ ॥

एवंविधिसमायुक्तः शिवलोकं स गच्छति ।  
 न च मानुष्यकं लोकमध्युवं प्राप्नुयान्नरः ॥ १२ ॥

उपवासात्परं भैक्षं भैक्षात्परमयाचितम् ।

**10** ≈ LiP 1.83.8 ≈ KKT 386.3 **10cd** ≈ BhavP 4.57.4ab **11ab** ≈ LiP 1.83.9ab

**11** ≈ KKT 386.4 **12** ≈ KKT 386.5 **13** = LiP 1.83.10 = BhavP 4.96.4 = DeviP 78.3 ≈ NārP 2.43.11

**11cd**  $G_{40}^L$  omits 11cd and 12ab. **11d**  $G^{K\bar{a}}$  adds the following text after 11d : भोजयेद्यस्तु विद्वासं कपालब्रतधारिणम् । भोजितास्तेन देवेशा ब्रह्मविष्णुमहेश्वराः ॥ कपालपूर्णमशनं भैक्षं यो यस्य गृह्णति । कुलं तस्योद्धरत्येव दशपूर्व दशापारान् ॥ पादार्घ्याचमनीयानि गन्धपुष्पैः समन्ततः । अर्चयेतिनन्दद्वा (understand अर्चयेतिनन्दद्वा) पश्चाद्द्वैक्षेण तर्पयेत् ॥ पूजितस्तैः शिवः साक्षात्पूजितो नात्र संशयः । अवमतेरवमतः स्यात्स्वयं वै परमेश्वरः ॥ श्रद्धया परया युक्तः कपाले यः प्रयच्छति । तत्स्य फलते दानं ब्रजेच्छतसहस्रथा ॥

**10a** यो उद्भवेकं ]  $\Sigma$ , एवं यस्तु  $S_{67}^S$  • प्रकुर्वीत ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T E^N$ , प्रभुज्ञीत  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^K$ , न भुज्ञीत  $G^{K\bar{a}}$ , --- वौति  $G_{40}^L$  **10b** पर्वसु पर्वसु ]  $\Sigma$ , पर्वणि पर्वणि  $S_{67}^S$

**10c** जितक्रोधः ]  $\Sigma$ , जितक्रोध  $N_{12b}^K$ , जितः क्रोध  $G_{40}^L$  **10d** शिवार्चाजप० ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C G^{K\bar{a}}$ , शिवस्यार्चन०  $N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , शिवार्चाजाप०  $N_{77}^K$  **11a** संवत्सरान्ते विप्रेन्द्रान् ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G^{K\bar{a}} E^N$ , संवत्सरान्ते विप्रेन्द्रान्  $N^M$ , संवत्सरान्ते विप्रेन्द्रं  $N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^K$ , संवत्सरान्ते विप्रेन्द्रः  $S_{67}^S$ , ए(वं) संवत्सरान्ते च  $G_{40}^L$  **11b** ○भक्तान् ]  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S E^N$ , ○भक्ता न॑  $N^M$ , ○भक्तं  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^K$ , ○हक्तः  $S_{67}^S$  • समाधिना ]  $N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^K P_{72}^T$ , समाधिना ]  $N^M$ , समाधितः  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C$ , समाधिता  $S_{67}^S$ , शदक्षिणम्  $G^{K\bar{a}}$ , समाधित  $G_{40}^L$ , समाधितान्  $E^N$  **11c** भोजयित्वा ]  $\Sigma$ , पूजयित्वा  $N^{Mac}$ , (भो)जयित्वा  $N^{Mpc}$  **11d** प्रीयतां ]  $\Sigma$ , प्रीयता  $N_{12b}^K$  • भगवान् ]  $\Sigma$ , भगवा  $N_{45}^C$  **12a** ○युक्तः ]  $\Sigma$ , ○युक्तं  $N^M$  **12b** शिवलोकं ]  $\Sigma$ , शिवलोके  $G^{K\bar{a}}$  • स गच्छति ]  $\Sigma$ , महीयते  $G^{K\bar{a}}$  **12c** लोकम् ]  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , लोकम्  $N_{82}^K N_{77}^K$ , देहं  $G^{K\bar{a}}$  **12d** अद्भुतं प्रा० ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T E^N$ , अद्भुतं प्रा०  $N_{77}^K$ , पुनः संप्रा०  $G^{K\bar{a}}$ , --- वं प्रा०  $G_{40}^L$  • नरः ]  $\Sigma$ , च सः  $P_{72}^T$  **13a** उपवासा० ]  $\Sigma$ , --- सा०  $G_{40}^L$  • भैक्षं ]  $\Sigma$ , भैक्ष्यं  $S_{67}^S$  **13b** भैक्षात् ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C P_{72}^T G^{K\bar{a}} E^N$ , भैक्षा  $N_{77}^K$ , भैक्षात्  $S_{67}^S$ , भैक्षात्  $G_{40}^L$

अयाचितात्परं नक्तं तस्मान्नक्तेन वर्तयेत् ॥ १३ ॥

देवैस्तु भुक्तं पूर्वाहे मध्याहे ऋषिभिस्तथा ।

अपराह्णे च पितृभिः सन्ध्यायां गुह्यकादिभिः ॥ १४ ॥

सर्ववेलामतिक्रम्य नक्तमुत्तमभोजनम् ।

वामाचारो महादेवो नक्तेनोद्धरते नरान् ॥ १५ ॥

हविष्यभोजनं स्नानं सत्यमाहारलाघवम् ।

अग्निकार्यमधःशश्यां नक्तभोजी समाचरेत् ॥ १६ ॥

**14** = LiP 1.83.11 ≈ BhavP 4.96.5 ≈ DevīP 78.4 ≈ NārP 2.43.9cd–10ab

**15ab** = LiP 1.83.12ab ≈ BhavP 4.96.6 ≈ NārP 2.43.10cd   **15** ≈ DevīP 78.5

≈ NārP 2.43.10cd–11ab   **16** = LiP 1.83.12cd–13ab ≈ NārP 2.43.12 ≈ BhavP

4.96.6cd–7ab ≈ DevīP 78.6

**13c** नक्ते ] Σ, नास्तिन् G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>   **13d** नक्तेन वर्तयेत् ] Σ, नक्तान्न विद्यते P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>, नक्तं समाचरेत् G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>   **14a** देवैस्तु भुक्तं ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, देवैस्तु भुक्ते N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>, देवैस्तु भुक्तं N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, देवैस्तु भुक्तं तु P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>, देवैर्युक्तं तु G<sub>40</sub><sup>K</sup>, देवैस्तु भक्तं G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> • पूर्वाहे ] Σ, पूर्व--- G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>   **14b** मध्याहे ] Σ, मध्याहे G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> • ऋषिभिं ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>S<sup>V</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, मुनिभिं N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>   **14c** अपराह्णे ] Σ, अपराह्णे G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> • च पितृभिः ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>G<sup>K</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, च-तृभिः N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, पितृश्वैव N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>, च मुनिभिः S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, च यतिभिः P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>, च पितृभिः G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>   **14d** सन्ध्यायां ] Σ, सन्ध्याया N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>   **15a** सर्ववेला० ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, सर्व वेला० N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, पर्ववेला० N<sub>45</sub><sup>K</sup>, पर्ववेला० N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>, पूर्ववेला० S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, सर्वा० वेला० S<sup>V</sup>   **15b** नक्त० ] Σ, नक्ते N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup> • ०मुत्तमभोजनम् ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, भुक्तमभोजनम् N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>, भुक्ते स भोजनम् N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, ०भक्तं सुभोजनम् S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, ०भोजनमुत्तमम् P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sup>K</sup>, ०भोज-मुत्तम् G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>   **15c** वामाचारो ] N<sup>V</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, वामदेवो S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, कामचारो G<sup>K</sup>, कुमाचारम् G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>   **15d** नरान् ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, नरः N<sup>M</sup>, नृणाम् N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, नरम् G<sup>K</sup>, नराम् G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>   **16a** हविष्य० ] Σ, हविष्यं N<sup>M</sup> • ०भोजनं ] Σ, ०भोजन N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> • स्नानं ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>G<sup>K</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, स्नानं N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, तस्य S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, स्थानं P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>, दानं G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>   **16b** सत्यमाहार० ] Σ, ह्यन्नमाहार० S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, सत्यमाघार० G<sup>K</sup>   **16c** ०मधःशश्यां ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, ०मधःशश्या N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, ०मुपस्थानं P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>, ०मधःशश्यं G<sup>K</sup>   **16d** नक्तभोजी समाचरेत् ] Σ, नक्तभोजनमाचरेत् S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>

[ कृष्णाष्टमीव्रतं प्रतिमासम् ]

कृष्णाष्टम्यां प्रयत्नेन कृत्वा नक्तं विधानतः ।  
मार्गशीर्षे शुभे मासे शङ्करं देवमर्चयेत् ॥ १७ ॥

पीत्वा शत्त्या तु गोमूत्रमनाहारो निशि स्वपेत् ।  
अतिरात्रस्य यज्ञस्य फलमष्टगुणं लभेत् ॥ १८ ॥

एवं पौषे इपि सम्पूज्य शम्भुनामानमीश्वरम् ।  
कृष्णाष्टम्यां घृतं प्राश्य वाजपेयाष्टकं लभेत् ॥ १९ ॥

माघे महेश्वरं नाम कृष्णाष्टम्यां प्रपूजयेत् ।  
यवांश्च भर्जितान्नाश्य अश्वमेघफलं लभेत् ॥ २० ॥

**17cd** ≈ BhavP 4.57.6cd **17** ≈ DevīP 78.7cd–8ab ≈ Br̄hatK 61.2    **18** = DevīP 78.8cd–9ab ; cf. BhavP 4.57.7, SauraP 14.16, Br̄hatK 61.4    **19** = DevīP 78.9cd–10ab ≈ BhavP 4.57.8 ; cf. SauraP 14.17–18ab, Br̄hatK 61.5    **19d** ≈ Br̄hatK 61.6  
**20** cf. DevīP 78.10cd–11ab, cf. BhavP 4.57.9, SauraP 14.18cd–19ab, Br̄hatK 61.7

**17a** ०ष्टम्यां ] Σ, ०ष्टम्या N<sup>M</sup><sub>82</sub>, ०ष्टम्या N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>    **17b** कृत्वा नक्तं ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>  
S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>G<sup>K</sup><sub>40</sub>, नक्तं कृत्वा N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>E<sup>N</sup>, कृत्वानन्तं P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>    **17c** मार्गशीर्षे शुभे मासे ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>  
N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>S<sup>S</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, मासस्य मार्गशीर्षस्य N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>, मासस्य मार्गशीरसः N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>, मार्गशीर्षशुभे  
मासे S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>    **17d** शङ्करं ] Σ, शंकरे N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>, शङ्करां N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub> • देवमर्चयेत् ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>G<sup>K</sup>  
E<sup>N</sup>, ये चर्मचयेत् N<sup>M</sup>, ह्येवर्मचयेत् N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>, यो इर्च्येवरः N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>, तु समर्चयेत् P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>G<sup>L</sup>  
**18a** शत्त्या तु ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>E<sup>N</sup>, शत्त्या च N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>G<sup>K</sup><sub>40</sub>, तु शत्त्या P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>  
• ०मूत्रम् ] Σ, ०मूर्त्तम् N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>, ०मूर्त्तम् N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>    **18b** निशि ] Σ, निशि P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub> • स्वपेत् ]  
Σ, यजेत् P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>    **18c** यज्ञस्य ] Σ, यज्ञस्य N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub> • लभेत् ] Σ, भवेत् P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>G<sup>L</sup>  
**19a** एवं पौषे इपि ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>E<sup>N</sup>, एवं पौष्ये पि N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>, पौष्यमासे तु N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>,  
एवं पुष्येपि P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>, एवं पुषे इपि G<sup>K</sup>    **19c** घृतं ] Σ, घृतां N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>    **19d** वाजपेयाष्टकं ]  
N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>E<sup>N</sup>, वाजपेयाष्टकां N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>, वाजपेयशतं S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>, वाजपेयफलं G<sup>K</sup>  
**20a** महेश्वरं ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>E<sup>N</sup>, महेश्वरं N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>, माहेश्वरं S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>S<sup>S</sup> • नाम ]  
Σ, नामा G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>    **20b** प्रपूजयेत् ] Σ, प्रपूजयेत् G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>    **20c** यवांश्च भर्जितान्नाश्य ] corr.,  
निशि पीत्वा तु गोक्षीरम् N<sup>M</sup>, यवांश्च भर्जितां प्राश्य N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>, यवाश्च भर्जितान्नाश्य N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>, निशि  
पीत्वा च गोक्षीरं N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>S<sup>S</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, निशि पीत्वान्तु गोक्षीरं N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>, यवांश्च भर्जित प्राश्य N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>, यवाश्च  
भर्जिताः प्राश्य S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>    **20d** अश्वमेघफलं लभेत् ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>, गोमेघाष्टकमासुयात् N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>  
N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>E<sup>N</sup>, सो इश्वमेघफलं लभेत् N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>, ह्यश्वमेघफलं लभेत् S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>, गोमेघस्य फलं लभेत् G<sup>K</sup>,  
गोमेघस्याष्टकमासुयत् G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>

फाल्गुने च महादेवं कृष्णाष्टम्यां प्रपूजयेत् ।  
त्रिशुक्लप्राशनं कृत्वा अग्निष्ठोमाष्टकं लभेत् ॥ २१ ॥

चैत्रे च स्थाणुनामानं कृष्णाष्टम्यां प्रपूजयेत् ।  
पुष्पोदकं सकृत्पीत्वा सर्वयज्ञफलं लभेत् ॥ २२ ॥

वैशाखे शिवनामानं पिबेद्रात्रौ कुशोदकम् ।  
पुरुषमेघयज्ञस्य फलमष्टगुणं लभेत् ॥ २३ ॥

ज्येष्ठे पशुपतिं पूज्य गवां शृङ्गोदकं पिबेत् ।  
गवां कोटिप्रदानस्य यत्पुण्यं तदवामुयात् ॥ २४ ॥

21 cf. DevīP 78.11cd–12ab, BhavP 4.57.10, SauraP 14.19cd–20ab, Br̄hatK 61.9  
22 ≈ BhavP 4.57.11; cf. DevīP 78.12cd–13ab, SauraP 14.20cd–21ab, Br̄hatK 61.11  
23 ≈ BhavP 4.57.12; cf. DevīP 78.13cd–14ab, SauraP 14.21cd–22ab,  
Br̄hatK 61.13    24a = Br̄hatK 61.14a    24 = DevīP 78.14cd–15ab ≈ BhavP 4.57.13; cf. SauraP 14.22cd–23

21cd N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup> omits verses 21cd–22.    22 G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> omits verses 22 and 23.

21a फाल्गुने च ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, फाल्गुणे च N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, फाल्गुण्यां च G<sup>Kā</sup>,  
फाल्गुने तु G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 21b कृष्णाष्टम्यां प्रपूजयेत् ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>, सम्पूज्य प्राशयेत्तिलान् N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>  
S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sup>Kā</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, कृष्णाष्टम्या प्रपूजयेत् N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>, संपूज् प्राशये --- न G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 21cd त्रिशुक्लप्राशनं  
कृत्वा अग्निष्ठोमाष्टकं लभेत् ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>, राजसूयस्य यज्ञस्य फलमष्टगुणं लभेत् N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>G<sup>Kā</sup>,  
वर्षलक्ष्मि महाभोगैः शिवलोके महीयते N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, राजसूयस्य हव्यस्य फलमष्टगुणं भवेत् G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>  
22a च स्थाणु० ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>G<sup>Kā</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, च रुद्र० N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>, तु स्थानु N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, तु रुद्र० N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>, तु  
स्थाणु P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> • नामानं ] Σ, नामानं G<sup>Kā</sup> 22c पुष्पोदकं सकृत्पीत्वा ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>, यवांश्च  
(भ)र्जितं प्राश्य N<sup>M</sup>, om. N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, यवांश्च भर्जितान्नाश्य N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, यवश्च भर्जितं प्राश्य  
N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, पुष्पोदकं सकृत्पीत्वा N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>, यवांश्च भर्जितान्नाश्य S<sub>67</sub><sup>Sac</sup>, यावत्सुखार्जितान् प्राश्य P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>,  
यवान्सुसंचितान्नाश्य G<sup>Kā</sup>, om. G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 22d सर्वयज्ञफलं लभेत् ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>, सोऽश्वमेघफलं  
लभेत् N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sup>Kā</sup>, साश्वमेघफलं लभेत् E<sup>N</sup> 23a शिवनामानं ] N<sup>M</sup>  
N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sup>Kā</sup>, शिवनामानं८ N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, च शिवमिद्वा N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>, शिवनामानि N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, शिवमिद्वा  
च E<sup>N</sup> 23b पिबेद् ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, इद्वा N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>G<sup>Kā</sup>, सृत्वा S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>  
23c पुरुषमेघयज्ञस्य ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, पीत्वा पुरुषमेघस्य N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>G<sup>Kā</sup>, पुरुषमेघस्य यज्ञस्य  
N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, नरमेघस्य यज्ञस्य N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> 23d ॐ गुणं ] Σ, ॐ गुणा N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> 24a पूज्य ]  
Σ, पूज N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> 24b शृङ्गो० ] Σ, (श्यगो०) N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup> • पिबेत् ] Σ, पिबेत् ज्येष्ठे पशुपतिं पूज्य  
गवां शृङ्गोदकं पिबेत् N<sup>Mac</sup> 24c कोटि० ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sup>2</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, लक्षणं N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>  
• ०प्रदानस्य ] Σ, ०सहस्रस्य S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, प्रदानेन G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 24d पुण्यं ] Σ, फलं P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>

आषाढे चोग्रनामानमिद्वा प्राश्य च गोमयम् ।  
सौत्रामणेस्तु यज्ञस्य फलमष्टगुणं लभेत् ॥ २५ ॥

श्रावणे शर्वनामानमिद्वा पिण्याकभक्षणात् ।  
वर्षकोटिशतं साग्रं रुद्रलोके महीयते ॥ २६ ॥

मासे भाद्रपदे इष्टम्यां त्र्यम्बकं नाम पूजयेत् ।  
प्राशनाद्विल्वपत्राणामनन्तं फलमाप्नुयात् ॥ २७ ॥

25 ≈ DevīP 78.15cd–16ab ≈ BhavP 4.57.14; cf. SauraP 14.24, Br̥hatK 61.15

26 ≈ DevīP 78.16cd–17ab ≈ BhavP 4.57.15; cf. SauraP 14.25, Br̥hatK 61.16

27 ≈ DevīP 78.17cd–18ab ≈ BhavP 4.57.16; cf. SauraP 14.26, Br̥hatK 61.17

**25cd**  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ , after omitting 25cd, give 26ab and 26cd in reverse order ;  $N^M$ ,  $N_{12b}^K$  and  $N_{77}^{Ko}$  then repeat 26cd ( $N^M$  and  $N_{12b}^K$  now reading शिवलोके instead of रुद्रलोके) ;  $N_{45}^C$ , instead of reading the last *pāda* (26b in our text), jumps to 29b, omitting 26b and 27–29a ;  $N_{12b}^K$  and  $N_{77}^{Ko}$  continue with 27ab. The verse order adopted here is thus that found in  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S S^{\Sigma} E^N$ .

25a चोग्र० ] Σ, चो  $N_{12b}^{Kac}$  • ०नामानम् ] Σ, ०नामानिम्  $N_{45}^C$ , ०मानेनम्  
 $G_{40}^L$  25b इद्वा ] Σ, इष्टा  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , स्यद्वा  $S_{67}^S$  25c सौत्रामणेस्तु यज्ञस्य ]  
 $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G^{Ki} E^N$ , om.  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ , सौत्रामण्यां तु यागस्य  $S_{67}^S$ , सौत्रामण्यस्य  
 $G_{40}^L$  25d फलमष्टगुणं लभेत् ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{Ka} E^N$ , om.  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ ,  
फलमष्टगुणं भवेत्  $G_{40}^L$  26ab ०नमिद्वा पिण्याकभक्षणात् ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C$ , ०नमिद्वाकन्निशि  
भक्षयेत् वर्षणान्नियुतं साग्रं शिवलोके महीयते  $N^M$ , ०नमिद्वा(नन्तं) निशि भक्षयेत् । वर्षणां नियुतं  
साग्रं शिवलोके महीयते  $N_{12b}^K$ , ०नम्  $N_{45}^C$ , ०नं पिण्याकं निशि भक्षयेत् । वर्षणां नियुतं साग्रं  
रुद्रलोके महीयते  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , ०नमिद्वान्नं निशि भक्षयेत्  $S_{67}^S$ , ०नं पिण्याकं भक्षयेन्निशि  $P_{72}^T$ , ०नं  
पिण्याकं निशि भक्षयेत्  $G^{Ki}$ , ०नां पिण्याकं भक्षयेन्निशि  $G_{40}^{Lpc}$ , ०नां पिण्याकं भक्षयेन्निशि  $G_{40}^{Loc}$ ,  
०नमिद्वा पिण्याकभक्षणात्  $E^N$  26d वर्षकोटिशतं ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{Ka} G_{40}^L E^N$ , वर्षणां  
नियुतं  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{77}^{Ko}$ , वर्षणा नियुतां  $N_{45}^C$  26d रुद्रलोके ] Σ, शिवलोके  $S_{67}^S G^{Ki}$   
27a मासे ] Σ, म---से  $G_{40}^L$  • भाद्रपदे ] Σ, भाद्रपदे  $N_{12b}^K$  27b त्र्यम्बकं ]  
Σ, होरगव्या  $S_{67}^S$  • नाम पूजयेत् ]  $N^{\Sigma} G_{40}^L E^N$ , प्रतिपूजयेत्  $S_{67}^S$ , नामकं यजेत्  $P_{72}^T$ ,  
देवमर्चयेत्  $G^{Ki}$  27c प्राशनाद्विल्वपत्राणाम् ]  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T E^N$ , प्रास(नं) विल्वपत्राणां  
 $N^M$ , प्राशनविल्वपत्राणांम्  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , प्राश्य दधि फलं त्वेकं  $S_{67}^S$ , प्राशनं विल्वपत्राणाम्  $G^{Ki} G_{40}^L$   
27d अनन्तं फलमाप्नुयात् ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C G^{Ki} G_{40}^L E^N$ , अब्दीक्षाफलं लभेत्  $N^M N_{77}^{Ko}$ , अब्दा  
दीक्षाफलं लभेत्  $N_{12b}^K$ , महादानफलं लभेत्  $S_{67}^S$ , अनन्तफलं आप्नुयात्  $P_{72}^T$

ईश्वरमाश्विने पूज्य पीत्वा वै तण्डुलोदकम् ।  
पौण्डरीकस्य यज्ञस्य फलमष्टगुणं लभेत् ॥ २८ ॥

कार्त्तिके रुद्रनामानं सम्पूज्य प्राशयेद्धिः ।  
अग्निष्ठोमस्य यज्ञस्य फलमष्टगुणं लभेत् ॥ २९ ॥

वर्षान्ते भोजयेद्विप्रान्शिवभक्तिपरायणान् ।  
पायसं मधुसंयुक्तं घृतेन सुपरिस्तुतम् ॥ ३० ॥

शक्त्या हिरण्यवासांसि भक्त्या तेभ्यो निवेदयेत् ।

28 ≈ DeviP 78.18cd–19ab BhavP 4.57.17; cf. SauraP 14.27–28ab, Br̥hatK 61.19  
 29ab = DeviP 78.19cd–19ef 29 ≈ BhavP 4.57.18; cf. SauraP 14.28cd–29ab,  
 Br̥hatK 61.20 30 ≈ DeviP 78.20 ≈ BhavP 4.57.19a–d; cf. SauraP 14.29cd–  
 30ab, Br̥hatK 61.21 31 = DeviP 78.21 31ab = BhavP 4.57.19ef

28ab ईश्वरमाश्विने पूज्य पीत्वा वै तण्डुलोदकम् ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C E^N$ , मासे चाश्वयुजे इष्टम्यां हरारव्यं प्रतिपूजयेत्  $N^M$ , मासे चाश्वयुजे इष्टम्यां हरारव्यं प्रतिपूजयेत्  $N_{12b}^K N_{77}^{Ko}$ , मतेश्वरमाश्वयुजे इद्वा प्राशेत्कलोदकम्  $S_{67}^S$ , आश्विजेश्वरनामानं पीत्वा वै तण्डुलोदकं  $P_{72}^T$ , मासे चाश्वयुजे इष्टम्यामीश्वरं नाम पूजयेत्  $G^{Ka}$ , अश्विनीश्वरनामानं पीत्वा वै तण्डुलोदकम्  $G_{40}^L$  28cd पौण्डरीकस्य यज्ञस्य फलमष्टगुणं लभेत् ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S E^N$ , पञ्चगव्यं सकृत्यीत्वा पौण्डरीकफलं लभेत्  $N^M$ , पञ्चगव्यं सकृत्यीत्वा पौण्डरीक अवाप्त्यात्  $N_{12b}^K$ , पञ्चगव्यं सकृं पीत्वा पञ्चयज्ञफलं लभेत्  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , पौण्डरीकस्य यज्ञस्य फलमष्टगुणं भवेत्  $P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$ , तण्डुलोदकमालिह्यं पौण्डरीकाष्टकं लभेत्  $G^{Ka}$  29ab कार्त्तिके रुद्रनामानं सम्पूज्य प्राशयेद्धिः ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S^\Sigma E^N$ , मासे तु कार्त्तिके इष्टम्यामीशानारव्यं प्रपूजयेत्  $N^M N_{12b}^K$ , ०नं सम्पूज्या प्राशये दद्धिम्  $N_{45}^C$ , कार्त्तिके रुद्रनामानं सपूज्य प्राशयेद्धिः  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , मासे तु कार्त्तिकाष्टम्यामीशानारव्यं प्रपूजयेत्  $S_{67}^S$  29cd अग्निष्ठोमस्य यज्ञस्य फलमष्टगुणं लभेत् ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} P_{72}^T G^{Ka} E^N$ , दद्याद्धिमलं त्वेकं पञ्चयज्ञफलं लभेत्  $N^M$ , अद्याद्धिमलं त्वेकमप्मञ्चयज्ञफलं लभेत्  $N_{12b}^K$ , पञ्चगव्यं सकृत्यीत्वा पञ्चयज्ञफलं लभेत्  $S_{67}^S$ , अग्निष्ठोमस्य यज्ञस्य फलमष्टगुणं भवेत्  $G_{40}^L$  30a भोजयेद्विप्रं  $N^M$ , भोजये विप्रान्  $N_{45}^C$  30b ०परायणान् ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C S_{67}^S S^\Sigma E^N$ , ०परायणं  $N^M$ , ०परायणात्  $N_{12b}^K$ , ०परायणम्  $N_{77}^{Ko}$  30c मधुसं० ]  $N^\Sigma S_{67}^S E^N$ , मधुना  $P_{72}^T$ , घृतसं०  $G^{Ka} G_{40}^L$  • ०युक्तं ]  $\Sigma$ , ०युक्तां  $N_{45}^C$  30d घृतेन ]  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$ , घृतेनो०  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C$ , मधुना  $G^{Ka}$ , घृतेना०  $E^N$  • सुपरिऽ ]  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C$ , ०परिसं०  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C E^N$ , ०सपरिऽ  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , च परिऽ  $S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{Ka}$ , सुरिऽ  $G_{40}^L$  31a हिरण्य० ]  $\Sigma$ , हृतं  $G_{40}^L$  31b भक्त्या तेभ्यो ]  $\Sigma$ , भुक्त्या तेभ्यो  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , भक्तेभ्यो इथ  $G_{40}^L$

निवेदयीत रुद्राय गां च कृष्णां पयस्त्विनीम् ॥ ३१ ॥

वर्षमेकं चरेदेवं नैरन्तर्येण यो नरः ।  
कृष्णाष्टमीब्रतं भक्त्या तस्य पुण्यफलं शृणु ॥ ३२ ॥

सर्वपापविनिर्मुक्तः सर्वैश्वर्यसमन्वितः ।  
वसेच्छिवपुरे नित्यं न चेहायाति कर्हिचित् ॥ ३३ ॥

पुण्योत्सवेषु सर्वेषु विषुवद्वहणादिषु ।  
दानोपवासहोमाद्यमक्षयं जायते कृतम् ॥ ३४ ॥

[ शिवब्रतं प्रतिमासम् ]

प्रतिमासं प्रवक्ष्यामि शिवब्रतमनुत्तमम् ।  
धर्मकामार्थमोक्षार्थं नरनार्यादिदेहिनाम् ॥ ३५ ॥

31 = DeviP 78.21 ; cf. SauraP 14.30cd–31 ; 31cd = BhavP 4.57.20ef 32 = BhavP 4.57.21 ≈ DeviP 78.22 33 ≈ DeviP 78.23 33ab BhavP 4.57.22ab 34 ≈ DeviP 78.24 35 ≈ LiP 1.83.13cd–14ab ≈ BhavP 1.165.1

32ab वर्ष० is lost in N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>. 32 E<sup>N</sup> omits 32 and 33.

31c निवेदयीत ] Σ, निवेदयेच्च श<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub> G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub> 31d गां च ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub> N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub> N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub> श<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub> S<sup>Σ</sup> E<sup>N</sup>, गवां N<sup>M</sup> N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub> N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub> • पयस्त्विनीम् ] Σ, प--- N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>, पयस्त्विनीम् G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub> 32a चरेदेवं ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub> N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub> N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub> S<sup>Σ</sup>, चरेदेवं N<sup>M</sup> N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub> श<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>, चरेदेवां N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub> 32b नैरन्तर्येण N<sup>M</sup>, नैरन्तर्येण N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub> 32c ०व्रतं ] Σ, ०कृतं N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub> 33b सर्वैश्वर्य० ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub> N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub> N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub> N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub> S<sup>Σ</sup>, सर्वैश्वर्य० N<sup>M</sup> N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub> श<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub> • ०न्वितः ] Σ, ०न्वितं N<sup>M</sup> 33c वसेच्छिद० ] Σ, वशैच्छिद० N<sup>C</sup>, वशे N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub> • ०पुरे ] Σ, ०पुनेन् G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub> 33d न चेहायाति कर्हिचित् ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub> N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub> श<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>, न चेहायाति कुरुति च N<sup>M</sup>, नेहायाति कदाचन N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub> N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub> P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub> G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>, न भूयो भुवि जायते G<sup>Ka</sup> 34a पुण्योत्सवेषु ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub> N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub> P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub> G<sup>Ka</sup> G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub> E<sup>N</sup>, दिनेष्वतेषु N<sup>M</sup> N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>, पुण्योश्वतेषु N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>, पुण्येष्वतेषु N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>, पुण्येष्वहस्तु श<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub> 34b विषुवद० ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub> N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub> श<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub> E<sup>N</sup>, विषुवे N<sup>M</sup> N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub> N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>, om. N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>, विष्वे P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>, विषुव G<sup>Ka</sup> G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub> • ग्रहणादिषु ] Σ, ग्रहणेदिषु N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>, ग्रहणेषु च श<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub> 34cd ०होमाद्यम० ] N<sup>M</sup> N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub> N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub> N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub> N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub> P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub> G<sup>Ka</sup> E<sup>N</sup>, ०होमाद्यै ०अ N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>, ०होमाद्यैर० श<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>, ०सर्वाद्यम० G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub> 34d ०क्षयं ] Σ, ०क्षय N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>, ०क्षर N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub> • जायते कृतम् ] N<sup>M</sup> N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub> N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub> N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub> N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub> P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub> G<sup>Ka</sup> E<sup>N</sup>, जायते क्षरम् N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>, लभते फलम् श<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>, कृतमुच्यते G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub> 35b शिव० ] Σ, इदं P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub> • ०मनुत्तमम् ] Σ, ०मिहोत्तमम् G<sup>Ka</sup> 35c धर्मकामार्थमोक्षार्थं ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub> N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub> N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub> P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub> G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub> E<sup>N</sup>, धर्मकामार्थमोक्षार्थं N<sup>M</sup> N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>, धर्मकामार्थमोगार्थं N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>, धर्मकामार्थमोक्षार्थं श<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>, धर्मार्थकाममोक्षार्थं G<sup>Ka</sup> 35d नरनार्यादिं ] Σ, न्नादारादिं श<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub> G<sup>Ka</sup>

[ पौषे ]

पौषमासे तु सम्प्राप्ते यः कुर्यान्नक्तभोजनम् ।  
सत्यवादी जितक्रोधः शालिगोधूमगोरसैः ॥ ३६ ॥

पक्षयोरेष्टमी यत्नादुपवासेन वर्तयेत् ।  
त्रिसन्ध्यमर्चयेदीशमन्त्रिकार्यं च शक्तिः ॥ ३७ ॥

भूमिशश्यां च मासान्ते पौर्णमास्यां घृतादिभिः ।  
कृत्वा स्नानं महापूजां शिवे यत्नात्मकल्पयेत् ॥ ३८ ॥

नैवेद्यं यावकप्रस्थं क्षीरसिद्धं निवेदयेत् ।

36 ≈ LiP 1.83.14cd–15ab ≈ BhavP 1.165.2; cf. Br̥hatK 61.23, 208    37ab ≈ LiP 1.83.15cd    37 ≈ BhavP 1.165.3    38 ≈ LiP 1.83.16    38ab ≈ BhavP 1.165.4  
38cd ≈ BhavP 1.165.5ab    39 ≈ LiP 1.83.17    39ab ≈ BhavP 1.165.5cd

36a पौषमासे ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S G_{40}^L E^N$ , पौषमासे  $N^M$ , पुष्यमासे  $N_{12b}^K P_{72}^T G^{Ko}$   
 • सम्प्राप्ते ]  $\Sigma$ , संप्राप्तमासे  $G_{40}^{Loc}$  36b यः कुर्यान्नक्तभोजनम् ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{Ko}$   
 $E^N$ , यः कुर्या नक्तभोजनम्  $N_{12b}^K N_{77}^{Ko}$ , यः कुर्यान्नक्तभोजनाम्  $N_{45}^C$ , नक्तभोजनमाचरेत्  $G_{40}^L$   
 36c सत्यवादी जितक्रोधः ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T E^N$ , जितेन्द्रियः सत्यवादी  $N^M N_{12b}^{Kpc} N_{45}^C S_{67}^S$   
 $G^{Ko}$ , जितेन्द्रिय सत्यवादी  $N_{12b}^{Kac} N_{77}^{Ko}$ , सत्ययाजि जितः क्रो ---  $G_{40}^L$  36d शालिं० ]  
 $\Sigma$ , --- लिं०  $G_{40}^L$  37a पक्षयोरेष्टमी ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^N N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} G_{40}^{Loc}$ , पक्षयोरेष्टमी  $N_{94}^C$   
 $P_{72}^T G^{Ko} E^N$ , अष्टम्योरुभयोर्  $S_{67}^S$ , पक्षयोरेष्टमी  $G_{40}^{Loc}$  37ab यत्नादु० ]  $\Sigma$ , यत्नादु०  
 $N_{45}^C$ , कृष्णा उ०  $G_{40}^L$  37b ०वासेन वर्तयेत् ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^N N_{94}^C S^\Sigma E^N$ , ०वासेन वर्तयेत्  
 $N_{45}^C$ , ०वासेन यापयेत्  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , ०वासीविधिं चरेत्  $S_{67}^S$  38a ०शश्यां च ]  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^N N_{94}^C$   
 $S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , ०शश्याथ  $N^M N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ , ०शशी तु  $G^{Ko}$  38b पौर्णमास्यां घृ० ]  $N^M$   
 $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^N N_{94}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S G^{Ko} E^N$ , पौर्णमास्या घृ०  $N_{45}^C$ , पौर्णमास्यक्ष०  $P_{72}^T$ , उण मास्या ---  $G_{40}^L$   
 38c स्नानं ]  $\Sigma$ , स्नान  $S_{67}^S$  38d यत्नात्म० ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^N N_{94}^C S^\Sigma E^N$ , यत्नात्म०  $N_{45}^C$ ,  
 यत्ना प्र०  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , यत्तत्प्र०  $S_{67}^S$  39a यावक० ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^N N_{94}^C S_{67}^S G^{Ko} E^N$ , यावकं  $N_{45}^C$   
 $N_{77}^{Ko} G_{40}^L$ , आढक०  $P_{72}^T$  39b ०सिद्धं ]  $\Sigma$ , ०सक्तं  $P_{72}^T$ , ०सिद्धं  $E^N$  • निवेदयेत् ]  
 $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{77}^{Ko} S^\Sigma$ , प्रकल्पयेत्  $N_{82}^K$ , प्रकल्पयेत्  $N_{94}^C N_{45}^C E^N$ , सुसंकृतम्  $S_{67}^S$

भोजयेच्च द्विजानस्तौ शिवभक्तान्सदक्षिणम् ॥ ३९ ॥

शिवे गोमिथुनं चैव कपिलं विनिवेदयेत् ।  
अलंकृत्वा सुरूपं च तस्य पुण्यफलं शृणु ॥ ४० ॥

सूर्यकोटिप्रतीकाशैर्विमानैः सार्वकामिकैः ।  
रुद्रकन्यासमाकीर्णमहावृषभसंयुतैः ॥ ४१ ॥

संगीतनृत्यवाद्याद्यैरप्सरोगणशोभितैः ।  
दोधूयमानश्वमरैः स्तूयमानः सुरासुरैः ॥ ४२ ॥

**39cd** ≈ BhavP 1.164.6 ≈ NārP 2.43.22ab; cf. Br̄hatK 61.25      **40ab** ≈ LiP 1.83.18    **40** ≈ BhavP 1.165.7; cf. Br̄hatK 61.27    **41** ≈ BhavP 1.165.8    **41** ≈ LiP 1.76.4 ≈ BhavP 4.57.26; cf. Br̄hatK 61.28    **42** ≈ BhavP 4.57.27 ≈ BhavP 1.165.9; cf. Br̄hatK 61.29

**39cd** The first available folio side of  $N_{28}^K$  is mostly illegible, thus its readings have not been reported (f. 34r, verses 10.39cd–50c).    **42ab** omitted in  $S_{67}^S$ .

**39c** भोजयेच्च ]  $N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C S_{67}^S G^K$ , भोजयेद्य  $N^M$ , भोजयीत  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , भोजये  $N_{77}^{Ko}$  • द्विजानस्तौ ]  $\Sigma$ , द्विजान्यस्तौ  $N^M$     **39d** शिवभक्तान् ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^K E^N$ , शिवभक्तिः  $N_{45}^C$ , शिवभक्तं  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , --- वभक्तान्  $G_{40}^L$  • सदक्षिणम् ]  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^K G^K$ , सदक्षिणान्  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S G_{40}^L E^N$ , सुदक्षिणान्  $P_{72}^T$     **40a** शिवे गोमिथुनं चैव ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C E^N$ , शिवायच्छङ्गमिथुनं  $N^M$ , शिवाय चे गोमिथुनं  $N_{12b}^K N_{77}^{Ko}$ , शिवाय वै गोमिथुनं  $N_{45}^C$ , शिवाय चेद्गोमिथुनं  $S_{67}^S$ , शिवाय स गोमिथुनं  $P_{72}^{Tpc}$ , शिवाय यो गोमिथुनं  $P_{72}^{Tac}$ , शिवायैव गोमिथुनं  $G^K$ , शिवे=मिऽनं चैव  $G_{40}^L$     **40b** कपिलं ]  $N_{94}^C$ , कपिलां  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$  कपिलं  $G^K E^N$  • विनिवेदयेत् ]  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C E^N$ , च निवेदयेत्  $N^M N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S \Sigma$     **40c** अलंकृत्वा ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , आलंकृतं  $N^M$ , अलङ्कृतं  $N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ , अलङ्कृत्य  $S_{67}^S G^K$  • सुरूपं ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{77}^{Ko} G^K E^N$ , स्वरूपां  $N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$     **40d** तस्य ]  $\Sigma$ , तस्याः  $S_{67}^S$  • पुण्यो ]  $\Sigma$ , पुण्यं  $G_{40}^L$     **41a** ०काशैर्विं ]  $\Sigma$ , ०काशै विं  $N_{45}^C$ , कशैर्विं  $G_{40}^L$     **41b** ०मानैः ]  $\Sigma$ , ०मानै  $N_{45}^C$ , भामिकैः  $G_{40}^L$  • ०कामिकैः ]  $\Sigma$ , ०गमिकैः  $P_{72}^T$     **41c** ०कीर्णमो ]  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S \Sigma E^N$ , ०कीर्णमो म०  $N^M N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$     **41d** ०संयुतैः ]  $\Sigma$ , ०वाहनैः  $N^M$ , संयुतै  $N_{82}^K$     **42a** ०नृत्यो ]  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} E^N$ , ०नृत्तो  $N^M S^\Sigma$     **42b** ०शामितैः ]  $\Sigma$ , ०सैवितैः  $G^K$     **42c** दोधूयमानश्वमरैः ]  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S$ , चामरैद्वूयमानं  $N_{82}^K$ , चमरैरुद्वूयमानै  $N_{94}^C$ , चामरैद्वूयमानैश  $P_{72}^T$ , चामरैद्वूयमानश्व  $G^K$ , --- चमरैस्  $G_{40}^L$ , चामरैरुद्वूयमानः  $E^N$     **42d** स्तूयमानः ]  $N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C S_{67}^S G^K E^N$ , स्तूयमान  $N^M N_{77}^{Ko}$ , स्तूयमाना  $N_{82}^K$ , स्तूयमानैः  $P_{72}^T$ , स्तूयमानैश्व स्तूयमानस्  $G_{40}^L$

त्रिनेत्रः शूलपाणिश्च शिवैर्धर्यसमन्वितः ।  
गच्छेच्छिवपुरं रम्यं यत्रास्ते शंकरः स्वयम् ॥ ४३ ॥

यावत्तद्रोमसंख्यानं तत्प्रसूतिकुलेषु च ।  
तावद्युगसहस्राणि सुखी शिवपुरे वसेत् ॥ ४४ ॥

त्रिसप्तकुलजैः सार्धं भोगान्भुत्त्वा यथेष्पितान् ।  
ज्ञानयोगं समासाद्य स तत्रैव विमुच्यते ॥ ४५ ॥

योगादुःखान्तमाप्नोति ज्ञानाद्योगः प्रवर्तते ।  
शिवधर्माद्वेज्ज्ञानं शिवधर्मः शिवार्चनात् ॥ ४६ ॥

**43** = BhavP 4.57.27; cf. BhavP 1.165.10; cf. Br̥hatK 61.29    **44** ≈ BhavP 1.165.11; cf. Br̥hatK 61.30    **45** ≈ BhavP 1.165.12; cf. ŠDhŚ 3.61 ( $N_{45}^C$  f. 4r): भुत्त्वा च विपुलान्मोगान् प्रलये समुपस्थिते । ज्ञानयोगं समासाद्य स तत्रैव विमुच्यते ॥    **45cd** ≈ LiP 1.83.19cd  
**46** ≈ BhavP 1.165.13

**43a** त्रिनेत्रः ]  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C \acute{S}_{67}^S P_{72}^T E^N$ , त्रिनेत्र  $N_{82}^K N_{45}^C$ , तुणेत्रं  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , त्रिनेत्र  $G^{Ka}$   
 $G_{40}^L$     **43b** शिवै० ]  $N^M N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} \acute{S}_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{Ka}$ , सर्वै०  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C E^N$ , शिवै०  $N_{12b}^K G_{40}^L$   
• ०समन्वितः ]  $\Sigma$ , ०समन्वितैः  $N^M G_{40}^L$     **43c** गच्छेच्छिवपुरं ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C \Sigma$   
E<sup>N</sup>, यावच्छिवपुरं  $N^M$ , यायाच्छिवपुरं  $N_{12b}^K \acute{S}_{67}^S$ , गच्छे शिवपुरं  $N_{77}^{Ko}$  • रम्यं ]  $N_{82}^K$   
 $N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C \acute{S}_{67}^S G^{Ka} G_{40}^L E^N$ , दिव्यं  $N^M N_{77}^{Ko}$ , रम्यं  $N_{94}^{Ca}$ , तत्र  $P_{72}^T$     **44a** ०ख्यानं ]  
 $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C \acute{S}_{67}^S \Sigma E^N$ , ०ख्यातं  $N^M$ , ०ख्यानं  $N_{45}^C$  ०ख्यानं  $N_{77}^{Ko}$     **44b** ०कुलेषु ]  
 $\Sigma$ , कुलस्य  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$     **44c** युग० ]  $\Sigma$ , वर्ष०  $P_{72}^T$     **44d** सुखी शिवपुरे वसेत् ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C$   
 $G^{Ka} E^N$ , रुद्रवक्तीडते स्वयम्  $N^M$ , सुख्यास्ते शिवद्वशी  $N_{12b}^K$ , सुखास्ते शिवद्वशी  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ ,  
सुखी शिवपुरे स वै  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$ , शिवलोके महीयते  $P_{72}^T$ , वसेत्प्रिवपुरे शुखी  $G_{40}^L$     **45a** त्रिसप्त० ]  
 $\Sigma$ , त्रिसप्त०  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$     **45b** भोगान् ]  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C \acute{S}_{67}^S G^{Ka} G_{40}^L E^N$ , भोगं  $N^M N_{45}^C$ , भोगा  
 $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , भुत्त्वा  $P_{72}^T$  • भुत्त्वा ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{77}^{Ko} \acute{S}_{67}^S E^N$ , भुक्ता  $N_{45}^C$ , भोगान्  $P_{72}^T$ ,  
भुक्ते  $G^{Ka}$ , भत्त्वा  $G_{40}^L$  • यथेष्पितान् ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C \acute{S}_{67}^S P_{72}^T E^N$ , यथेष्पितम्  
 $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , यथेच्छ्या  $G^{Ka}$ , मनोहरान्  $G_{40}^L$     **45d** स तत्रैव विमुच्यते ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$   
 $G^{Ka} E^N$ , तत्रैव परिमुच्यते  $N^M$ , स त्रैवापमृज्यते  $N_{12b}^K$ , स तत्र वै विमुच्यते  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$ , तत्रैव भुवि  
मुच्यते  $P_{72}^T$ , तत्रिव स विमुच्यते  $G_{40}^L$     **46a** योगादुःखान्त० ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T$   
 $G^{Ka} E^N$ , योगादुःखान्त०  $N_{45}^C$ , योगा दुःखान्त०  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , वैराग्यज्ञान०  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$ , योगादुःखान्त०  $G_{40}^L$   
**46b** ज्ञानाद्यो० ]  $\Sigma$ , ज्ञानयो०  $N^M \acute{S}_{67}^S$     **46c** ०धर्माद्वेज् ]  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$   
E<sup>N</sup>, ०धर्माद्वेजे  $N^M$ , ०धर्म भवेज्  $N_{45}^C$ , ०धर्माद्वेवे  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , ०धर्मोत्तमं  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$ , ०धर्माद्वेवं  $G^{Ka}$  •  
ज्ञानं ]  $\Sigma$ , ज्ञान  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$     **46d** शिवधर्मः ]  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C \acute{S}_{67}^S \Sigma E^N$ , शिवधर्म  $N^M$   
 $N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ , सिवधर्मं शिवधर्मं  $N_{77}^{Koac}$  • ०र्चनात् ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C \acute{S}_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{Ka}$   
E<sup>N</sup>, ०र्चनम्  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ , ०र्चनत्  $G_{40}^L$

इत्येष वः समाख्यातः संसारार्णववर्त्तिनाम् ।  
शिवमोक्षक्रमोपायः शिवाश्रमनिषेविनाम् ॥ ४७ ॥

[ माघे ]

माघमासे तु सम्प्राप्ते यः कुर्यान्नक्तभोजनम् ।  
कृसरां घृतसंयुक्तां भुजानः संयतेन्द्रियः ॥ ४८ ॥

सोपवासश्चतुर्दश्यां भवेदुभयपक्षयोः ।  
शिवाय पौर्णमास्यां वा प्रदद्याद्वृतकम्बलम् ॥ ४९ ॥

कृष्णं गोमिथुनं चात्र सुरूपं विनिवेदयेत् ।

47ab ≈ ŚDhŚ 12.98ab ( $N_{45}^C$  f. 37r): इत्येष वः समाख्यातः शिवधर्मः सनातनः 47 ≈ BhavP 1.165.14    48 ≈ LiP 1.83.20 ≈ BhavP 1.165.15 ≈ NārP 2.43.13; cf. Br̥hatK 61.186    49ab ≈ NārP 2.43.16ab    49 ≈ LiP 1.83.21 ≈ BhavP 1.165.16a-bcd ≈ Br̥hatK 61.187ab    50ab ≈ NārP 2.43.21cd; cf. BhavP 1.165.16ef    50 ≈ LiP 1.83.22 ≈ Br̥hatK 61.187cd–ef

47a एष ] Σ, एव  $N_{45}^C$  • ०ख्यातः ] Σ, ०ख्याता  $N^M N_{77}^{Ko}$  47b ०सारार्णव० ]  
Σ, ०सारार्णव०  $N_{82}^K$  47c शिवमोक्ष० ]  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S S^\Sigma$ , मोक्षोपायः  $N_{82}^K$   
 $N_{94}^C$ , मोक्षपायः  $E^N$  • ०क्रमोपायः ]  $N_{45}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{K\bar{a}}$ , ०क्रमोपाय  $N^{Mpc} N_{77}^{Ko} G_{40}^L$ ,  
०क्रमोपाया  $N^{Mac}$ , शिवो धर्मः  $N_{82}^{Kpc}$ , शिवधर्मः  $N_{82}^{Kac} N_{94}^C$  (*unmetr.*), ०ममोपायः  $N_{12b}^K$ ,  
शिवोधर्मः  $E^N$  47d ०श्रमनिषेविनाम् ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{77}^{Ko} G_{40}^L$ , ०श्रमनिषेवणम्  $N_{45}^C$   
 $G^{K\bar{a}}$ , ०श्रमनिषेवशनम्  $S_{67}^S$ , ०श्रयनिषेविणाम्  $P_{72}^T$ , ०श्रमनिषेविनाम्  $E^N$  48a माघमासे  
तु सम्प्राप्ते ] Σ, माघमासे शुभे प्राप्ते  $G^{K\bar{a}}$ , --- संप्राप्ते  $G_{40}^L$  48b नक्त० ] Σ, एक०  
 $S_{67}^S$ , भक्त०  $G^{K\bar{a}ac}$  48c कृसरां ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C E^N$ , कृसरं  $N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S S^\Sigma$  •  
०संयुक्तां ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C G_{40}^L E^N$ , ०समित्रं  $N^M$ , ०समित्रां  $N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C$ , ०समित्र  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , ०संयुक्तं  
 $S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{K\bar{a}}$  48d भुजानः ] Σ, तुज्जानः  $G^{K\bar{a}}$  • संयतेन० ] Σ, स यतेन०  
 $N_{94}^C N_{45}^C$  49a सोपवासश्चतुर्दश्यां ]  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , सोपवास चतुर्दश्यां  
 $N^M N_{45}^C$ , सोपवासश्चतुर्दश्यां  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , उपवासश्चतुर्दश्या  $G^{K\bar{a}}$  49b भवेदुभयपक्षयोः ] Σ,  
पक्षयोरुभयोरपि  $S_{67}^S$ , भवेदुभयभक्षयोः  $G_{40}^L$  49c पौर्णमास्यां वा ]  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$   
 $S_{67}^S$ , पौर्णमास्यां च  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C E^N$ , पौर्णमास्यां यः  $P_{72}^T$ , पौर्णमास्यन्ते  $G^{K\bar{a}}$ , पौर्णमास्यञ्च  $G_{40}^L$   
49d ०कम्बलम् ] Σ, ०मङ्गलम्  $S_{67}^S$  50a कृष्णं ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T E^N$ , नीलं  $N^M N_{12b}^K$   
 $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ , कृष्ण०  $S_{67}^S G^{K\bar{a}} G_{40}^L$  • गोमिथुनं चात्र ] Σ, गोमिथुनं वाथ  $S_{67}^S$ , गोमिथुनश्चात्र  
 $E^N$  50b सुरूपं ]  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C P_{72}^T G^{K\bar{a}}$ , शिवाय  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C E^N$ , स्वरूपं  $N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S G_{40}^L$   
• विनिवेदयेत् ] Σ, ---  $S_{67}^S$ , च निवेदयेत्  $P_{72}^T$

शेषं कृत्वा यथोदिष्टं पूर्वोक्तं तु फलं लभेत् ॥ ५० ॥

इन्द्रनीलप्रतीकाशैर्विमानैः शिखिसंयुतैः ।  
गत्वा शिवपुरं रम्यं भुज्ञे भोगान्यथेप्सितान् ॥ ५१ ॥

[ फाल्जुने ]

सम्प्रासे फाल्जुने मासे यः कुर्यान्नक्तमोजनम् ।

इयामाकक्षीरनीवारैर्जितक्रोधो जितेन्द्रियः ।

चतुर्दश्यामथाष्टम्यामुपवासरतो भवेत् ॥ ५२ ॥

पौर्णमास्यां महास्नानं पञ्चगव्यैर्घृतादिभिः ।

**51ab** ≈ NārP 2.43.24cd    **51** ≈ BhavP 1.165.17    **51cd** ≈ NārP 2.43.25cd  
**52** ≈ BhavP 1.165.18–19ab ≈ LiP 1.83.23cd–24 ≈ Br̄hatK 61.188    **53** ≈  
BhavP 1.165.19cd–20 ≈ Br̄hatK 61.189    **53ab** cf. LiP 1.83.25ab

**50c** शेषं कृत्वा यथोदिष्टं or the equivalent for this, and everything in this chapter before this *pāda*, is lost in  $N_{28}^K$ .    **52** ॐन्नक्तमोजनम्... ॐवासर० (in 52f) or the equivalent for this is lost in  $N_{28}^K$ .

**50d** पूर्वोक्तं ] Σ, पूर्वोक्तं  $N^M$  • तु फलं लभेत् ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C E^N$ , लभते गुणाम्  $N^M$ , लभते गुणात्  $N_{12b}^K$ , लभते गुणं  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , लभते फलम्  $S_{67}^S G^{Ko}$ , अखिलं लभेत्  $P_{72}^T$ , लभते ध्रुवं  $G_{40}^L$     **51a** इन्द्रनीलप्र० ] Σ, इन्द्रनीलप्र०  $G_{40}^L$     **51b** शिखिसंयुतैः ]  $N^M$   $N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S P_{72}^T E^N$ , शिखिसंयुतम्  $N_{82}^K$ , सवकामिकैः:  $G^{Ko}$ , शिखिसंयुतः:  $G_{40}^L$     **51c** शिवपुरं ] Σ, शिवपुरं  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , शिवपुरे  $E^N$  • रम्यं ]  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S P_{72}^T$ , दिव्यं  $N^M N_{28}^K G^{Ko}$ , रम्ये  $G_{40}^L$ , रम्ये  $E^N$     **51d** भुज्ञे भोगान् ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C E^N$ , भोगान्नुज्ञे  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S G^{Ko}$ , भुज्ञा भोगान्  $P_{72}^T$ , भुज्ञे भोग  $G_{40}^L$  • ॐसितान् ] Σ, ॐसितम्  $N_{77}^{Ko}$     **52a** फाल्जुने ] Σ, फाल्जुणे  $S_{67}^S$ , फाल्जुनी  $G_{40}^L$  • मासे ] Σ, मासं  $G_{40}^L$     **52cd** ०नीवारैर्जित० ]  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{77}^{Ko} G^{Ko} G_{40}^L E^N$ , ०नीवारै जित०  $N^M$ , ०नीवारैर्जित०  $N_{45}^C$ , ०नीवाकैर्जित०  $S_{67}^S$ , ०नीवार्वीर्जित०  $P_{72}^T$     **52d** ०कोधो ] Σ, कोधे  $N_{45}^C$     **52e** ०दश्यामथा० ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C S_{67}^S S^{\Sigma} E^N$ , दश्यां तथा०  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{77}^{Ko}$     **52f** ०रतो० ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S^{\Sigma} E^N$ , ०परो  $N^M N_{12b}^K S_{67}^S$ , --- तो  $N_{28}^K$     **53a** महा० ] Σ, मह०  $G_{40}^L$     **53b** पञ्चगव्यैर्घृतादिभिः ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K E^N$ , पञ्चगव्यैर्घृतादिभिः  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} G^{Ko}$ , पञ्चगव्यं घृतादिभिः  $N_{94}^C$ , पञ्चगव्याक्षतादिभिः  $S_{67}^S$ , पञ्चगव्यघृतादि\_  $P_{72}^T$ , पञ्चगव्यासमादिभिः  $G_{40}^L$

वल्मीकाग्रादिमृद्धिश्च गोमूत्रच्छगणादिभिः ।  
त्वग्निभश्च क्षीरवृक्षाणां धात्रीगन्धादिभिर्भवेत् ॥ ५३ ॥

द्याद्वामिथुनं भक्त्या ताम्राभं परमेष्ठिने ।  
शेषमन्यद्यथोद्दिष्टं कृत्वाप्नोति महत्कलम् ॥ ५४ ॥

पद्मरागप्रतीकाशैर्विमानैर्गजसंयुतैः ।  
गत्वा शिवपुरं दिव्यं पूर्वोक्तं लभते फलम् ॥ ५५ ॥

[ चैत्रे ]

चैत्रमासे तु सम्प्राप्ते यः कुर्यान्नक्तमोजनम् ।  
पिष्टकं पयसा युक्तं भुज्ञानः संयतेन्द्रियः ॥ ५६ ॥

54ab ≈ LiP 1.83.25cd; cf. BhavP 1.165.21ab      55 ≈ BhavP 1.165.21cd–ef  
56 ≈ BhavP 1.165.22ab–cd ≈ LiP 1.83.27 ≈ Br̥hatK 61.191

53cd omitted in  $S_{67}^S$ . 53f वेत्... महत्कलम० (in 54d) is lost in  $N_{28}^K$ . 56c सा युक्तं  
... शेषं (in 57f) or the equivalent for this is lost in  $N_{28}^K$ .

53c वल्मीकाग्रादिं ] Σ, काम्रादिं  $P_{72}^T$  • ०मृद्धिश्च ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^{Kpc} N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C$   
 $N_{45}^C S^\Sigma$ , मृद्धि  $N_{82}^{Kac}$ , ०मृद्धिश्च  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , ०भृद्धिश्च  $E^N$  53d ०मूर्त०  $N_{45}^C$ ,  
०मूर्तौ  $G^K$  • ०च्छगणा० ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{77}^{Ko}$ , ०च्छगला०  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C E^N$ , ०च्छगला०  
 $N_{12b}^K$ , ०गामया०  $P_{72}^T$ , ०गोमया०  $G^K$ , ०चरणा०  $G_{40}^L$  53e ०वृक्षाणां ] Σ, ०वृक्षान्  $G_{40}^L$   
53f धात्री० ] Σ, धात्रौ  $G^K$  • ०गन्धा० ] Σ, ०त्वग्रा०  $N_{12b}^K$  • भवेत् ]  $N^M N_{12b}^K$   
 $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S$ , भ---  $N_{28}^K$ , तथा  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , सह  $G^K$  54a द्याद्वा० ] Σ, दयां  
गो०  $N_{45}^C$ , दया गो०  $N_{77}^{Ko}$  54b ताम्राभं ] Σ, ताम्राभं  $N_{45}^C$  • परमेष्ठिने ] Σ, परमेष्ठिने  
 $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , पर्मेष्ठिनम्  $S_{67}^S$  54c शेषमन्यद्य० ] Σ, विशेषमन्य०  $S_{67}^S$  54d कृत्वाप्नोति ]  
 $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{77}^{Ko} G^K E^N$ , कृत्वाद्योति  $N_{45}^C$ , तथा कृत्वा  $S_{67}^S$ , कृत्वा प्राप्नोति  $P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$   
• महत्कलम० ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S G^K E^N$ , महाफलम्  $N_{12b}^K$ , तत्कलम्  $P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$   
55b गज० ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , गेय०  $N^M N_{77}^{Ko}$ , सार्व०  $G^K$  •  
०संयुतैः ] Σ, ०संयुतैः  $S_{67}^S$ , ०कामिकैः  $G^K$  55c दिव्यं ] Σ, रस्यं  $N_{77}^{Ko}$  55d पूर्वोक्तं  
Σ, पूर्वोक्तं  $N_{45}^C$  56a तु सम्प्राप्ते ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , शुष्मे प्राप्ते  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{77}^{Ko}$   
 $S_{67}^S G^K$  56c पिष्टकं ]  $N^S S_{67}^S G^K$ , शाल्यन्नं  $P_{72}^T$ , पैष्टिकं  $G_{40}^L$ , पिष्टकं  $E^N$  • पयसा ]  
Σ, पयु---  $N_{28}^K$ , पायसं  $N_{45}^C$  56d भुज्ञानः संयते० ]  $N_{82}^K P_{72}^T E^N$ , भुज्ञानो पि यथा०  
 $N^{Mac}$ , भुज्ञानो पि जिते०  $N^{Mpc} N_{12b}^K S_{67}^S$ , भुज्ञानस्स यतेन्द्रियः  $N_{94}^C$ , भुज्ञानन्तु  $N_{45}^C$ , भुज्ञानो  
विजिते०  $N_{77}^{Ko} G^K$ , भुज्ञानस्संयते०  $G_{40}^L$

चैत्रे ५पि रुद्रमभ्यन्व्य कुर्याद्वै नक्तभोजनम् ।  
द्याद्वोमिथुनं चात्र पाटलं समलंकृतम् ।  
शिवायातिसुरूपं च शेषं पूर्ववदाचरेत् ॥ ५७ ॥

पुष्परागप्रभैर्यनैदिव्याश्वरथसंयुतैः ।  
गच्छेच्छिवपुरं रम्यं दुष्टाप्यमकृतात्मभिः ॥ ५८ ॥

[ वैशाखे ]

वैशाखमासे सम्प्राप्ते यः कुर्यान्नक्तभोजनम् ।  
शाल्यन्नं पयसा युक्तं भुज्ञानः संयतेन्द्रियः ॥ ५९ ॥

गोष्ठशायी शिवध्यायी निशायामेकवस्त्रधृक् ।

**57cd** cf. Br̄hatK 61.192ab **57** cf. BhavP 1.165.22ef **58cd** ≈ Br̄hatK 61.192cd  
**58** ≈ BhavP 1.165.23 **59** ≈ NārP 2.43.29; cf. BhavP 1.165.24 **59ab** ≈  
LiP 1.83.29cd **59cd** ≈ BhavP 1.165.22cd ≈ LiP 1.83.27cd ≈ Br̄hatK 61.193  
**60ab** cf. LiP 1.83.28ab

**57ab** This line is missing in  $N^M N_{94}^C G^K$ . **59c** शाल्यन्नं ... नियमं च (in 60 c) or the equivalent for this is lost in  $N_{28}^K$ ; शाल्यन्नं or the equivalent for this is lost in  $N_{12b}^K$ .

**57d** पाटलं ] Σ, पाटल  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , पात्रेभ्यः  $S_{67}^S$  **57e** ०तिसुरूपं ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C$   
 $N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S G^K E^N$ , ०तिसुरूपं  $N_{45}^C$ , ०तिस्वरूपं  $P_{72}^T$ , ०तिसुरूपं  $G_{40}^L$  **57f** पूर्ववदा० ]  
Σ, पूर्वदा०  $N_{28}^K$  **58a** पुष्प० ]  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C G_{40}^L E^N$ , पुष्प०  $N^M$ , पद्म०  $N_{28}^K S_{67}^S$   
 $P_{72}^T$ , पुष्पा०  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , पुण्य०  $G^K$  • ०राग० ] Σ, ०रामाग०  $N_{77}^{Koac}$  • ०प्रभै० ] Σ,  
निमै०  $P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$  **58b** दिव्याश्वरथ० ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , दिव्याश्वर०  $N^M$   
 $N_{12b}^K$ , दिव्याश्वर०  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , दिव्यचामर०  $S_{67}^S$ , दिव्याश्वगण०  $G^K$  • ०संयुतैः ]  $N^\Sigma P_{72}^T$   
 $G_{40}^L$  ०संयुतैः  $S_{67}^S$ , ०संयुतैः  $G^K$ , ०संज्ञया  $E^N$  **58c** गच्छेच् ]  $N^{Mpc} N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C$   
 $N_{45}^C P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , यायाच्  $N^{Mac} N_{12b}^K S_{67}^S G^K$ , गच्छे  $N_{77}^{Ko}$  • ०पुरं ] Σ, ०पुरे  $N_{77}^{Ko}$  •  
रम्य० ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , सौम्यं  $N^M$ , सौम्यं  $N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{77}^{Ko}$ , सौम्ये  $N_{45}^C$ , दिव्यं  $G^K$   
**58d** दुष्टाप्यम् ]  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{77}^{Ko} E^N$ , दुःप्राप्य  $N_{28}^K$ , दुःप्राप्यम्  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C$ , दुःप्राप्यम्  $N_{45}^C$ ,  
दुष्कृतम्  $S_{67}^S$ , दुष्टाप्यम्  $S^\Sigma$  **59a** वैशाख० ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S S^\Sigma$ , वैशाखे  $N_{82}^K$   
 $N_{94}^C E^N$  • ०मासे ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S S^\Sigma$ , मासि  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C E^N$  **59c** शाल्यन्नं  
 $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S G^K G_{40}^L E^N$ , शाल्यन्नं  $N^{Mpc} N_{77}^{Ko}$ , शाल्यान्नं  $N^{Mac}$ , शाल्यान्नं  $N_{45}^C$ , पिष्टकं  $P_{72}^T$   
• पयसा० ] Σ, क्षीरसं०  $G^K$  **59d** संयतेन० ] Σ, संयतेन०  $N_{45}^C$  **60b** ०धृक् ]  
Σ, ०वृत्  $G^K$

नियमं च यथोदिष्टं सामान्यं सर्वमाचरेत् ॥ ६० ॥

वैशाखे पौर्णमास्यां च कुर्यात्स्वानं घृतादिभिः ।  
शिवायालंकृतं श्वेतं दद्याद्गोमिथुनं शुभम् ॥ ६१ ॥

हंसकुन्देन्दुवर्णाभैर्महायानैरलंकृतैः ।  
सुश्वेतवृष्टसंयुक्तैः प्रयातीश्वरमन्दिरम् ॥ ६२ ॥

सर्वातिशयरूपाभिः स्त्रीभिः सम्परिवारितः ।  
नीलोत्पलसुगन्धाभिः क्रीडते कालमक्षयम् ॥ ६३ ॥

[ ज्येष्ठे ]

ज्येष्ठमासे तु सम्प्राप्ते यः कुर्यान्नक्तभोजनम् ।

**61cd**  $\approx$  BrhatK 61.194ab **61** cf. LiP 1.83.30, LiP 1.83.28cd **62**  $\approx$  NārP 2.43.37–38ab **63cd** cf. NārP 2.43.38cd **64a**  $\approx$  NārP 2.43.42a

**62b** महाया ... सम्परिवा० (in 63b) or the equivalent for this is lost in  $N_{28}^K$ .

**60c** यथोदिष्टं ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^S P_{67}^T G^{K\bar{a}} E^N$ , यथोदिष्टं  $N_{12b}^K N_{77}^{K\bar{a}}$ , ततोदिष्टं  $G_{40}^L$   
**60d** सामान्यं सर्वमां० ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$ , सामान्यस --- वमा०  $N_{28}^K$ , सामान्यं सर्वमां०  $N_{12b}^K N_{77}^{K\bar{a}}$ , सामान्यं सर्वदा०  $S_{67}^S E^N$ , सर्वं सम्प्रक्षसमां०  $G^{K\bar{a}}$  **61a** वैशाखे ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^K P_{72}^T E^N$ , वैशाख्यां०  $N_{12b}^K G_{40}^L$ , वैशाख०  $S_{67}^S G^{K\bar{a}}$  • पौर्णमास्यां० च  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^K S_{67}^S P_{72}^T$  पौर्णमास्यां० तु  $N^M N_{12b}^K G^{K\bar{a}}$ , पौर्णमास्यां० य  $N_{82}^K E^N$ , पौर्णमास्यां० यः  $N_{94}^C$ , पौर्णमास्यां० वां  $G_{40}^L$  **61b** कुर्यात् ]  $N_{28}^M N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^K S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , सकृत्  $N^M N_{12b}^K$ , कृत्वा  $G^{K\bar{a}}$  • घृता० ]  $\Sigma$ , व्रता०  $G^{K\bar{a}}$  **61c** शिवायालंकृतं ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^K S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$ , शिवायालंकृतं  $E^N$  **61cd** श्वेतं दद्याद् ]  $\Sigma$ , दद्या श्वेतं  $G_{40}^L$  • शुभम् ]  $\Sigma$ , शिवम्  $P_{72}^T$  **62a** हंस० ]  $\Sigma$ , हिम०  $G^{K\bar{a}}$ , शंख०  $G_{40}^L$  • ०वर्णभैर् ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T E^N$ , ०वर्णभैर्  $N_{77}^{K\bar{a}}$ , ०वर्णाद्यैर्  $G^{K\bar{a}}$ , ०शंकाशैः  $G_{40}^L$  **62b** ०रलंकृतैः ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{94}^C G^{K\bar{a}}$ , ०रलंकृतम्  $N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^K S_{67}^S P_{72}^T E^N$ , सुसंयुतैः  $G_{40}^L$  **62c** वृष्ट० ]  $\Sigma$ , वस्त्र०  $S_{67}^S$ , व्रष्ट०  $G_{40}^L$  • ०संयुक्तैः ]  $\Sigma$ , ०संयुक्तं  $G_{40}^L$  **62d** प्रयातीश्वर० ]  $N^{Mac} N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^K S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{K\bar{a}}$ , स्वयातीश्वर०  $N^{Mpc}$ , स यातीश्वर०  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C E^N$ , प्रयातीश्र०  $G_{40}^L$  **63a** सर्वातिशय० ]  $\Sigma$ , सर्वार्थीशय०  $N_{45}^C$ , सर्वातिशय०  $G_{40}^L$  **63b** सम्परिवारितः ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C P_{72}^T E^N$ , संपरिवारितम्  $N_{77}^{K\bar{a}}$ , स परिवारितः  $S_{67}^S$ , च परिवारितः  $G^{K\bar{a}}$ , सुपरिवारितः  $G_{40}^L$  **63c** नीलोत्पलसु० ]  $\Sigma$ , नीलोत्पलसु० ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^K P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , शुभे प्राप्ते  $N^M N_{12b}^K S_{67}^S G^{K\bar{a}}$  **64b** नक्त० ]  $\Sigma$ , एक०  $S_{67}^S$

शाल्यन्नं पयसा धौतमाज्यक्षीरेण संयुतम् ॥ ६४ ॥

वीरासनी निशार्धं स्यादिवा गामनुगच्छति ।  
हितकारी गवां नित्यमहंकारविवर्जितः ॥ ६५ ॥

पौर्णमास्यां च पूर्वोक्तं कुर्यात्खानादिकं विधिम् ।  
देयं गोमिथुनं चात्र धूम्रवर्णमलंकृतम् ॥ ६६ ॥

नीलोत्पलदलप्रख्यैर्महायानैरनोपमैः ।

**64** ≈ Br̄hatK 61.195 ; cf. LiP 1.83.31a–32b    **65ab** ≈ LiP 1.83.32cd    **65** cf. Manu 11.111 (Olivelle's edition) : दिवानुगच्छेत्ता गास्तु तिष्ठन्नर्व रजः पिवेत । शुश्रूषित्वा नमस्कृत्य रात्रौ वीरासनं वसेत ॥    **66ab** cf. LiP 1.83.33ab    **66cd** cf. LiP 1.83.34cd    **66** cf. Br̄hatK 61.196

**65a** ०नी निशार्द्धं ... पूर्वो० (in 66a) or the equivalent for this is lost in N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>.    **66d** वर्ण० ... दल० (in 67a) or the equivalent for this is lost in G<sup>K</sup>.    **67b** Fol. 34 is missing in N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>. Thus, ०यानैरनोपमैः ... दक्षिणां दद्यात् शिं० (in 95cd) or the equivalent for this is lost in N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>.

**64c** शाल्यन्न ] N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>K</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, शाल्यन्नम् N<sup>M</sup>, शाल्यन्न N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup> • पयसा धौतम् ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, अम्पसा धौतं N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sup>K</sup>, पयसापौतं N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>, पयसा युक्तं G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>    **64d** आज्य० ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sup>E</sup>N, सद्यः N<sup>M</sup>, मध्या N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>, अद्यात् N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, मध्य० N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, om. N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>, अजाऽ S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> • ०क्षीरेण संयुतम् ] Σ, ०क्षीरविवर्जितम् G<sup>K</sup>

**65a** वीरासनी ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, वीरास -- N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>, वीरासनो S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, विरसानि G<sup>K</sup>, क्वीराम G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> • निशार्धं स्याद् ] N<sup>E</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, निशायां स्याद् S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, तु रात्रौ स्याद् G<sup>K</sup>, नीशा सुप्य G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>    **65b** दिवा गामनुगच्छति ] N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sup>E</sup>, दिवा गां समनुव्रजेत् N<sup>M</sup>, दिवा ग्रामन्न गच्छति N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>, अहर्गाः समनुव्रजेत् N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>, उहमासमन्तु व्रजेत् N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, प्रभाते गामनुव्रजेत् S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, दिवा ग्रामन्न गच्छति E<sup>N</sup>    **65c** हित० ] Σ, ऽत० G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> • गवां ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sup>E</sup>N, गवा N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>, भवेद् S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>    **65d** अहंकार० ] Σ, अहंकार० G<sup>K</sup> • ०वर्जितः ] Σ, --- N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>, ०वर्जितम् N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>    **66a** च ] Σ, तु N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> • पूर्वोक्तं ] Σ, ---क्तं N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>, पूर्वं च्युः P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>    **66b** कुर्यात् ] Σ, कुर्य G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>    **66c** देयं ] Σ, देय N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, देशे S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> • ०मिथुनं ] Σ, ०मिथुना N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> • चात्र ] Σ, चैव G<sup>K</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>    **66d** धूम्र० ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, धूम० N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, धूम्रा० N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, धुम्र० G<sup>K</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> • ०वर्णम् ] Σ, ०वणम् N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>, ०वर्णम् S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> • अलंकृतम् ] Σ, अङ्कृताम् S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>    **67a** ०प्रख्य० ] Σ, ०प्रख्ये G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>    **67b** महायानैरनोपमैः ] N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, महायानैरनोपमैः N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>, महायानैररोत्तमः N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, यानश्च सुमनोरमे० S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, असंख्यानैरनोपमैः P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>, महायानैर्मनोरमैः G<sup>K</sup>, महायानैरनोपमैः G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>, महायानैरनुत्तमैः E<sup>N</sup>

महार्सिहनिबद्धैश्च क्रीडते कालमक्षयम् ॥ ६७ ॥

[ आषाढे ]

आषाढमासे सम्प्रासे यः कुर्यान्नक्तभोजनम् ।  
भूरिखण्डाज्यसंमिश्रान् सकूनद्यात्सगोरसान् ॥ ६८ ॥

दद्याद्वोमिथुनं गौरं शिवायालंकृतं शुभम् ।  
सामान्यं च विधिं सर्वं यः कुर्यात्प्राक्प्रचोदितम् ॥ ६९ ॥

शुद्धस्फटिकसंकाशैर्यानैः सारसवाहनैः ।  
अणिमादिगुणैर्युक्तः शिववद्विचरेत्स्वयम् ॥ ७० ॥

68 cf. LiP 1.83.35, Br̄hatK 61.197    69ab = Br̄hatK 61.198ab ≈ LiP 1.83.37ab  
69 ≈ BhavP 1.165.25    70 ≈ BhavP 1.165.26    70cd ≈ Br̄hatK 61.198cd

68a आषाढ ... दद्याद् (in 69a) or the equivalent for this is lost in N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>.    69cd S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>  
omits 69cd.    70d शिववद्विंश्चरेत्स्वयम् (in 71d) or the equivalent for this is lost in  
N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>.

67c महार्सिहनिबद्धैः ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup> N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup> N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup> S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> G<sup>K</sup> G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> E<sup>N</sup>, महार्सि(इृस)रै० N<sup>M</sup>, महार्सिहनिबद्धै०  
N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>, महार्सिहनिबद्धै० N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, महार्सिहनिबद्धै० P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>    68a आषाढ० ] Σ, सुआषाढे G<sup>K</sup>  
• ०मासे ] Σ, शुभे G<sup>K</sup>    68ab सम्प्रासे यः कुर्यान्नक्तभोजनम् ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>Kpc</sup> N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup> P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> E<sup>N</sup>,  
सः कुर्या नरो नर्कं जितेन्द्रियः N<sup>M</sup>, यः कुर्यान्नक्तभोजनम् N<sub>82</sub><sup>Kac</sup>, यः कुर्यान्नरो नर्कं जितेन्द्रियः  
N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup> N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, प्राप्ते यः कुर्यान्नक्तभोजनम् G<sup>K</sup>    68c भूरिं० ] Σ, भक्ष्य N<sup>M</sup>, फुल्ल० G<sup>K</sup>  
• ०ज्यसंमिश्रान् ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup> N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup> N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup> E<sup>N</sup>, ०ज्यसंमिश्रं N<sup>M</sup> N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> G<sup>K</sup> G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>, ०स्यसंमिश्रं P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>  
68d सकूनद्यात् ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup> N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>, सकून दद्यात् N<sup>M</sup> S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, शकूनद्यात् N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup> P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>, सन्तन्कुमद्या  
N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, दद्याद्वर्कं G<sup>K</sup>, पिबेच्च निशि G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>, शकूनद्यात् E<sup>N</sup> • ०रसान् ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup> N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup> E<sup>N</sup>,  
०रसम् N<sup>M</sup> N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup> S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> Σ, ०रस N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>    69a गौरं ] Σ, धोरं G<sup>K</sup>    69c सामान्यं ]  
Σ, समन्यं G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> • विधिं ] Σ, विधि N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> • सर्वं ] N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup> N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup> N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> G<sup>K</sup>, सर्वं N<sup>M</sup>,  
कुर्यात् N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup> N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup> P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> E<sup>N</sup>    69d यः कुर्यात् ] N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup> G<sup>K</sup>, प्रकुर्यात् N<sup>M</sup>, सर्वं वा N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup> N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>  
E<sup>N</sup>, प्रकुर्यात् N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, कुर्याद्वा N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, सर्वं च P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> • ०चोदितम् ] Σ, ०चोदिताम् N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>  
70a शुद्ध० ] Σ, शुद्धः N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>    70b यानैः सारसवाहनैः ] Σ, यानैः सरथवाहनैः  
S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, विमानस्सार्वभासिकैः G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>    70c ०गुणैर्युक्तः ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup> N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup> N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup> N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> G<sup>K</sup> E<sup>N</sup>,  
०गुणैर्युक्तं N<sup>M</sup>, ०गुणैर्युक्तः N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>, ०गुणोपेतः G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>    70d शिवव० ] Σ, शिव० N<sub>94</sub><sup>Kac</sup> •  
विचरेत् ] Σ, विचरे G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> • स्वयम् ] N<sup>M</sup> N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup> N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup> P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> E<sup>N</sup>, अयम् N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup> S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> G<sup>K</sup>,  
सुखी N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>

[ श्रावणे ]

सम्प्रासे श्रावणे मासे यः कुर्यान्नक्तभोजनम् ।  
 क्षीरषष्ठिकभक्तेन सर्वभूतहिते रतः ॥ ७१ ॥  
 श्वेताग्रपादपौण्ड्रं च दद्याद्वामिथुनं शिवे ।  
 सामान्यमखिलं कुर्याद्विधानं यत्प्रकीर्तितम् ॥ ७२ ॥

स विच्चित्रैमहायानैर्विचित्राश्वनियोजितैः ।  
 गत्वा शिवपुरं दिव्यं पूर्वोक्तं लभते फलम् ॥ ७३ ॥

[ भाद्रपदे ]

प्राप्ते भाद्रपदे मासे यः कुर्यान्नक्तभोजनम् ।

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71 ≈ BhavP 1.165.27 cf. LiP 1.83.37cd–38ab    71 ≈ Br̄hatK 61.199    72ab ≈ LiP 1.83.39cd ≈ Br̄hatK 61.200ab    72 ≈ BhavP 1.165.28    73 ≈ BhavP 1.165.29  
 74 ≈ LiP 1.83.40cd–41ab    74 ≈ BhavP 1.165.30 ≈ Br̄hatK 61.201

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73c ○पुरं ... वृक्षं (in 74d) or the equivalent for this is lost in N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>.

71b नक्त० ] Σ, एक० S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> 71c ○षष्ठिक० ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, ○षष्ठिक० N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>  
 S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>G<sup>K</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, ○साष्ठिक० P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>, ○षष्ठादयिं G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 72b ○ग्रपादपौण्ड्रं च ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>E<sup>N</sup>,  
 ○ग्रपादं पौण्ड्रं च N<sup>M</sup>, ○ग्रपादपौण्णश्च N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>, ○ग्रपादं पार्श्वश्च N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, ○ग्रपादप्रोड्रं च N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, ○ननं  
 पाण्डुपादं S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, ○ग्रपादपौण्ड्रं च P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>, पादं पौण्ड्रं च G<sup>K</sup> 72b दद्याद्वा० ] Σ, दद्यां गो०  
 N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> • ○मिथुनं ] Σ, ○मिथुनं N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> • शिवे ] Σ, शुभम् G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 72c सामान्यमखिलं  
 कुर्याद् ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sup>K</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, सामान्यं च विविं कुर्यात् N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>, सामान्यमखिलं कुर्यात्  
 N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, समानं निखिलं कुर्यात् S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, शिवे सामान्यमखिलं G<sub>40</sub> 72d विधानं ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>  
 N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>G<sup>K</sup>, विधिना N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, य कुर्यात् G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> • यत् ] Σ, प्राक् S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, सं G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>  
 • प्रकीर्तितम् ] N<sup>Mpc</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sup>K</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, च कीर्तितम् N<sup>Mac</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, प्रकीर्तितम्  
 N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, प्रकीर्तिः G<sub>40</sub> 73a स विचिं ] N<sup>Σ</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, सपवि० S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, सुविचिं G<sup>K</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>  
 73b ○चित्राश्वनियोजितैः ] N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sup>K</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, ○चित्रैश्वसमन्वितैः N<sup>M</sup>  
 N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, ○चित्राश्वनियोजितैः G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 73c शिवपुरं ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>S<sup>Σ</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, शिवपुरे N<sup>M</sup>,  
 शि --- N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>, पुरवरं N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup> • दिव्यं ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, शैवे N<sup>M</sup>, गैवं N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>,  
 रस्यं S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>G<sup>K</sup> 73d पूर्वोक्तं ] Σ, पूर्वोक्ते N<sup>M</sup> • फलम् ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sup>K</sup>  
 E<sup>N</sup>, गुणम् N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, स्तम्भम् N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, शुभम् G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 74a प्राप्ते ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>S<sup>Σ</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, भद्रं N<sup>M</sup>,  
 भद्रे N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, भद्रो N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> 74b नक्त० ] Σ, एक० S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>

हुतशेषं तु भुजानो वृक्षमूलाश्रितो दिवा ॥ ७४ ॥

रात्रौ चायतने वासः सर्वभूतानुकम्पकः ।

नीलस्कन्धं वृषं गां च शिवाय विनिवेदयेत् ॥ ७५ ॥

निशाकरकरप्रख्यैर्वज्रवैदूर्यशोभितैः ।

चक्रवाकसमायुक्तैर्विमानैः सार्वकामिकैः ॥ ७६ ॥

गत्वा शिवपुरं रम्यमरासुरवन्दितः ।

प्रक्रीडते महाभोगैर्यावदाभूतसम्मुखम् ॥ ७७ ॥

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75cd ≈ LiP 1.83.42ab; cf. Br̥hatK 61.202cd 75 ≈ BhavP 1.165.31    76 ≈ BhavP 1.165.32    77 ≈ BhavP 1.165.33

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76c ०वाक ... महाभो० (in 77c) or the equivalent for this is lost in N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>.

74c ०शेषं तु भुजानो ] N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, शेषहविःपूर्णं N<sup>M</sup>, ०शेषन्तु भुजानो N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>,  
०शेषं हविपूर्णं N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, ०शेषं हवि भुक्ते N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, ०शेषहविष्ठैर् S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, ०शेषं प्रभुन्जानो G<sup>K</sup>  
74d वृक्षमूलाश्रितो दिवा ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, वृक्षमूलाश्रितो दिवि  
S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, वृक्षमूलाश्रितो दिवा G<sup>Kpc</sup>, वृक्षमूलाश्रितो युवा G<sup>Kac</sup> 75a चायतने ] Σ, चायतन०  
S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, रायतने G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> • वासः ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, शेते N<sup>M</sup>, प्रायत् N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>, सुप्यात्  
N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, सुयात् N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, वासी S<sup>Σ</sup> 75b ०कम्पकः ] Σ, ०कम्पकम् G<sup>K</sup>, ०कम्पनः  
G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 75c नीलस्कन्धं ] N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, नीलस्कन्धं N<sup>M</sup>, नीलषंद  
N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, सितस्कन्धं S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> • वृषं गां च ] Σ, वृषज्ञाश्च N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> 75d शिवाय ] Σ,  
शिवायं N<sup>M</sup>, रुद्राय P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> 76a ०प्रख्यैर्वज्रो ] Σ, ०प्रख्यैर्वज्रैर् N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, ०प्रख्यैर्वज्रैर् N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>  
76b ०वैदूर्य० ] Σ, ०वैदूर्य० E<sup>N</sup> • ०शोभितैः ] Σ, ०शोभनैः P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> 76d सार्व० ]  
Σ, सर्व० N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> • ०कामिकैः ] Σ, ०गामिकैः P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 77a ०पुरं ] Σ, ०पुरं N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> •  
रम्यम् ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, दिव्यं N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, दिव्यंम् N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup> 77b अमरासुरवन्दितः ]  
Σ, अमरासुरवन्दितम् N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, सुरासुरनमस्कृतम् S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> 77c प्रक्रीडते महाभोगैर् ] N<sup>M</sup>  
N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, --- गी N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>, क्रीडते स महायानैर् N<sub>82</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, स क्रीडति महाभोगैर् S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, क्रीडते  
विविधभैर्गैर् P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>, स क्रीडते महाभोगैर् G<sup>K</sup>, क्रीडते सुमहाभैर्गैस् G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 77d ०दाभूत० ]  
N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sup>K</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, ०दाहृत० N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>, ०दाभूमि० N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>, ०दात्मूत० G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> •  
०सम्मुखम् ] Σ, ०संख्वः N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>

[ आश्वयुजे ]

श्रीमदाश्वयुजे मासि यः कुर्यान्नक्तभोजनम् ।  
 घृताशनं प्रभुञ्जानः प्रसन्नात्मा जितेन्द्रियः ॥ ७८ ॥

वृषभं नीलकण्ठाभमुरोदेशे समुन्नतम् ।  
 विमुच्य दद्याद्ग्रुद्राय गामेकां समलंकृताम् ॥ ७९ ॥

विधिशेषं च पूर्वोक्तं यः कर्तुं समुपाचरेत् ।  
 प्राणान्ते च परं स्थानं प्रयाति शिववद्वशी ॥ ८० ॥

स्वच्छमौक्तिकसंकाशैरिन्द्रनीलोपशोभितैः ।  
 जीवंजीवकसंयुक्तैर्विमानैः सार्वकामिकैः ।

78 ≈ BhavP 1.165.34 ≈ Br̄hatK 61.203; cf. LiP 1.83.43cd–44ab      79 ≈ LiP  
 1.83.45      81 ≈ BhavP 1.165.36

79b तम् ... प्राणा० (80c) or the equivalent for this is lost in N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>.

78a श्रीमदाश्वयुजे मासि ] P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>, श्रीमान्नश्वयुजे मासे N<sup>M</sup>, श्रीमानाश्वयुजे मासि N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>, श्रीमदाश्विनमासे च N<sub>82</sub><sup>Kpc</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, श्रीमदाश्विनमासे N<sub>82</sub><sup>Kac</sup>, श्रीमानश्वयुजे मासे N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, श्रीमदाश्विनिमासे च N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>, धीमानाश्वयुजे मासि S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, प्रासे चाश्वयुजे मासे G<sup>Kā</sup> 78b नक्त० ] Σ, एक० S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> 78c घृताशनं ] N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sup>Σ</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, घृतप्रा(त्वं) N<sup>M</sup>, घृतासन N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, घृतभक्तं S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> • प्रभुञ्जानः ] Σ, स भुञ्जीत N<sup>M</sup>, प्रयुञ्जानः N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup> 78d ०न्नात्मा ] Σ, ०न्नात्मा० N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup> 79a वृषभं ] Σ, वृषभा N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> • ०कण्ठाभम् ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>०वण्णाभम् N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>, ०वर्णाभम् N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, ०कण्ठाभम् N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, ०वर्णं च G<sup>Kā</sup> 79b उरोद्देश० ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>, उरोदेशे N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>G<sup>Kā</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, ०उरोद्देश० N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, पुरोदेशे S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, उपदशे G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> • समुन्नतम् ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, ०ससमुन्नतम् N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>, उन्नतम् N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, समानतम् G<sup>Kā</sup>, समनितम् G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 79c विमुच्य दद्याद्ग्रुद्राय ] Σ, दद्याच्च र--- त वर्णा० G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 79d एकां समलंकृतां ] Σ, एकं समलंकृतम् N<sup>M</sup>, एकामप्लंकृताम् G<sup>Kā</sup> 80a विधिशेषं ] Σ, विशेषेण N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup> • च पूर्वोक्तं ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, हि यो दद्यात् N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, अशेषेण S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>G<sup>Kā</sup>, हि पूर्वोक्तं G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 80b यः कर्तुं ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>, पूर्वोक्तं N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>G<sup>Kā</sup>, यः कर्तुं G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>, यः कर्ता० E<sup>N</sup> • समुपाचरेत् ] S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>G<sup>Kā</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, हि समाचरेत् N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>, समुपाचरन् N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>, तु समाचरेत् N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, प च क्रमेत् G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 80c प्राणान्ते च परं स्थानं ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, प्राणान्ते शिवसंस्थानं N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, --- न्ते च परं स्थानं N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>, प्राणत्यागी शिवस्थाने S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, प्राणान्ते च शिवस्थानं G<sup>Kā</sup>, प्राणान्ते परमं स्थानं G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 80d प्रयाति ] Σ, प्रयाति० N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> • वशी० ] Σ, सुशी० N<sup>M</sup>G<sup>Kā</sup> 81b ०शोभितैः० ] Σ, ०शोभितम् G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 81d ०कामिकैः० ] Σ, ०गामिकैः० G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>

प्रकीडते महाभोगैर्यावदाभूतसम्मुखम् ॥ ८१ ॥

[ कार्तिके ]

सुशुभे कार्तिके मासे यः कुर्यान्नक्तमोजनम् ।  
क्षीरोदनं प्रभुञ्जानः सत्यवादी जितेन्द्रियः ॥ ८२ ॥

दद्याद्वोमिथुनं चात्र कपिलं ज्वलनप्रभम् ।  
पूर्वोक्तं च विर्धि कृत्वा शिवतुल्यबलो भवेत् ॥ ८३ ॥

कल्पानलशिवाप्रख्यैर्महायानैरनूपमैः ।  
महासिंहकृताटोपैः शिववच्चेष्टते वशी ॥ ८४ ॥

**82** ≈ LiP 1.83.46 ≈ BrhatK 61.205abcd    **83ab** ≈ BrhatK 61.205ef; cf. LiP 1.83.48ab    **83** ≈ BhavP 1.165.37    **84** ≈ BhavP 1.165.38

**81ef**  $N^M$ ,  $N_{12b}^K$  and  $S_{67}^S$  omit 81ef. **81f** ओदाभूत० ... सत्यवादी जितेऽ (in 82d) or the equivalent for this is lost in  $N_{28}^K$ .    **84cd** ओताटोपैऽ० ... युक्तं भुज० (in 85cd) or the equivalent for this is lost in  $N_{28}^K$ .

**81e** प्रकीडते ]  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$ , संकीडते  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C$ , संकीडते  $G^{K\bar{a}}$ , सुकीडते  $E^N$  •  
०भोगैर् ]  $\Sigma$ , ०भोगै  $G^{K\bar{a}}$     **81f** यावद् ]  $\Sigma$ , याव ---  $N_{28}^K$  • आभूत० ]  $N_{45}^C S^\Sigma$ ,  
आहृत०  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C$ , आभूत  $E^N$     **82a** सुशुभे ]  $\Sigma$ , प्राप्ते तु  $G^{K\bar{a}}$     **82b** नक्त० ]  $\Sigma$ , एक०  
 $S_{67}^S$     **82c** क्षीरोदनं ]  $\Sigma$ , दद्यन्नं च  $S_{67}^S$  • प्रभुञ्जानः ]  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C S_{67}^S G^{K\bar{a}}$ , प्रभुञ्जान  
 $N_{82}^K E^N$ , च भुजीत  $N_{94}^C$ , तु भुजीत  $P_{72}^T$ , च भुजीयात्  $G_{40}^L$     **82d** सत्यवादी ]  $\Sigma$ , श्रद्धात्मा  
 $S_{67}^S$  • जितेन्द्रियः ]  $\Sigma$ , --- न्द्रियः  $N_{28}^K$ , जितकामनः  $S_{67}^S$     **83a** दद्याद्वोमिथुनं चात्र ]  
 $\Sigma$ , श्वेतं च वृषभं दद्याद्  $S_{67}^S$ , दद्याद्वोमिथुनं दिव्यं  $G_{40}^L$     **83b** कपिलं ज्वलनप्रभम् ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K$   
 $N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C P_{72}^T$ , कपिलं ज्वलनप्रभाम्  $N^M E^N$  द्विजाय गामलङ्घताम्  $S_{67}^S$ , कापिलञ्ज्वलप्रभम्  
 $G^{K\bar{a}}$ , कपिलं ज्वलनप्रभम्  $G_{40}^L$     **83c** पूर्वोक्तं च विर्धि कृत्वा ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C$   
 $E^N$ , पूर्वोक्तं च विर्धि कुर्याच्  $N_{12b}^K G^{K\bar{a}} G_{40}^L$ , प्राणान्ते शिवलोके च  $S_{67}^S$ , पूर्वोक्तविधिना कृत्वा  $P_{72}^T$   
**83d** ओबलो ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C S_{67}^S G^{K\bar{a}} G_{40}^L$ , ओगुणो  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T E^N$     **84a** कल्पानल० ]  
 $\Sigma$ , कालानल०  $S_{67}^S$  • ओशिखा० ]  $\Sigma$ , ओसम०  $S_{67}^S G^{K\bar{a}}$     **84b** अनूपमैः ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C$   
 $P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$ , नरोत्तमः  $N^M$ , रनोपमैः  $N_{28}^K$ , नरोत्तमैः  $N_{12b}^K$ , अनोपमैः  $N_{45}^C$ , अनुत्तमैः  $S_{67}^S E^N$ ,  
महाबलैः  $G^{K\bar{a}}$     **84c** ओसिह० ]  $\Sigma$ , ह  $G_{40}^L$  • ओटोपैः ]  $\Sigma$ , ओभोपै  $G_{40}^L$ , ओयोगैः  $E^N$   
**84d** चेष्टते ]  $\Sigma$ , चिष्ठिते  $P_{72}^T$ , मोदते  $E^N$  • वशी ]  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C S_{67}^S E^N$ , सुखी  $N_{82}^K$   
 $N_{94}^C S^\Sigma$

[ मार्गशीर्ष ]

मार्गशीर्षं शुभे मासे यः कुर्यान्नक्तभोजनम् ।  
यवान्नं पयसा युक्तं भुज्ञानः संयतेन्द्रियः ॥ ८५ ॥  
दद्याद्वामिथुनं दिव्यं पाण्डुरं समलंकृतम् ।  
शिवाय शेषं पूर्वोक्तं विधानं समुपक्रमेत् ॥ ८६ ॥  
सितपद्मानिमैर्यानैः श्वेताश्वरथसंयुतैः ।  
गत्वा शिवपुरं दिव्यं शिवतुल्यबलो भवेत् ॥ ८७ ॥

[ साधारणा धर्माः ]

अहिंसा सत्यमस्तेयं ब्रह्मचर्यं दद्या क्षमा ।  
त्रिःस्नानं चाग्निहवनं भूशास्या नक्तभोजनम् ॥ ८८ ॥

85 ≈ LiP 1.83.49 ≈ Br̄hatK 61.206 ≈ BhavP 1.165.39    86ab ≈ Br̄hatK 61.207ab  
≈ LiP 1.83.51ab    86 ≈ BhavP 1.165.40    87 ≈ BhavP 1.165.41    87cd cf. LiP  
1.83.51cd    88 ≈ LiP 1.83.52 ≈ BhavP 1.165.42

87cd शिवपुरं ... भवेत् or the equivalent for this is lost in N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>.    88 अहिंसा ... वहवनं  
or the equivalent for this is lost in N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>.

85a मार्गशीर्षं शुभे ] Σ, शुभे मार्गशीरो S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> • मासे ] Σ, मालेस G<sub>40</sub><sup>Loc</sup>    85c यवान्नं  
Σ, शाल्यन्नं G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> • पयसा ] Σ, पयसया N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup> • युक्तं ] Σ, धौतं N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>    85d भुज्ञानः ]  
Σ, --- जानः N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>, भुज्ञान G<sup>Kā</sup> • संयते० ] Σ, स यते० N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>    86a दद्याद् ] Σ,  
दद्याज् G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> • दिव्यं ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sup>Kā</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, चात्र N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>, चैव S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, उ(तं)  
G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>    86b पाण्डुरं ] N<sup>M</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, पण्डारं N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>, कपिलं N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>, पाण्डरं N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sup>Σ</sup>  
• समलंकृतम् ] Σ, ज्वलनप्रभम् N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>    86c शिवाय शेषं ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>G<sup>Kā</sup>,  
शेषं शिवाय N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>E<sup>N</sup> • पूर्वोक्तं ] Σ, पूर्वोक्तं P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sup>Kā</sup>    86d विधानं ]  
N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, विधिना N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sup>Σ</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, विधान N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> • ०पक्रमेत् ] Σ, ०पक्रमात्  
N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> • ०पाचरेत् G<sup>Kā</sup>    87a सित० ] Σ, सिंह० S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>    87b ०श्वरथसंयुतैः ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>  
N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, ०श्वचरसंयुतैः N<sup>M</sup>, ०श्वरसंयुतैः N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>(unmetr.), ०श्वरसंयुतैः N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>G<sup>Kā</sup>,  
०श्वतरसंयुतैः S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, ०श्वरथसंयुतैः G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>    88b ब्रह्मचर्यं ] Σ, ब्रह्मचर्य N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> • दद्या क्षमा ।  
N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, क्षमाश्रयः N<sup>M</sup>, क्षमा शमः N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, क्षमा दद्या N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>, दमा दद्या G<sup>Kā</sup>  
88c त्रिःस्नानं ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>G<sup>Kā</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, त्रिस्नान N<sup>M</sup>, त्रिस्नान N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, त्रिष्काला N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>,  
त्रिस्नाना० P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> • चाग्नि० ] Σ, अग्नि० S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, ०र्चाग्नि० P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> • ०वहवनं ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sup>Σ</sup>  
E<sup>N</sup>, वहवनं N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, हुत्वा वै N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, ०यजनं S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>    88d भूशास्या ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>G<sup>Kā</sup>  
G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, उश्यान् N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>, भूशाया N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, भूशाया P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> • ०भोजनम् ] Σ, ०भोजनाम् N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>

पक्षयोरुपवासेन चतुर्दश्यष्टमी वसेत् ।  
इत्येवमादिनियममाचरेद्यः शिवब्रती ॥ ८९ ॥

[ ब्रतं शिवभक्तानां नारीणाम् ]

शिवभक्ता तु या नारी ध्रुवं सा पुरुषो भवेत् ।  
स्त्रीत्वमप्युत्तमं सा चेत्काङ्गते शृणु तद्वत्म् ॥ ९० ॥

उमामहेश्वरं नाम सदा प्रीतिविवर्धनम् ।  
अवियोगकरं शान्तं धर्मकामार्थसाधकम् ॥ ९१ ॥

पौर्णमास्याममावास्यां चतुर्दश्यष्टमीषु च ।

89 ≈ BhavP 1.165.43; cf. LiP 1.83.53 89cd ≈ BhavP 1.165.45ab 90 ≈ BhavP 1.166.1 91 ≈ BhavP 1.166.2; cf. LiP 1.84.1, SauraP 43.1, Br̄hatK 61.213  
92ab ≈ SauraP 43.2ab 92 ≈ LiP 1.84.2 ≈ CVC 2.21.1; cf. BhavP 1.166.3,  
Br̄hatK 61.216

89a This *pāda* is damaged in N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>. 90 G<sup>Kā</sup> omits verse 90. 90cd स्त्रीत्वम् ... अवियोगकरं (in 91c) or the equivalent for this is lost in N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>.

89a पक्षयो० ] Σ, पक्षये० G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> • ०वासेन ] Σ, ०वासश्च S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, वासेनन् G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>  
89b ०श्यष्टमी वसेत् ] corr., ०श्यष्टमी वसेत् N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, ०श्यष्टमी वसेत् N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>  
E<sup>N</sup>, ०श्यष्टमीद्वये S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, ०श्यष्टमीषु च P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sup>Kā</sup>, ०श्यष्टमी भवेत् G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 89c ०दिनियमम् ] N<sup>M</sup>  
N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, ०दिनियमैर् N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, ०दिनियमाम् N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, ०दिनियमान् S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, ०दिनियया  
G<sup>Kā</sup>, ॒॒मौर् G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 89d आचरेद्यः ] N<sup>Σ</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, आचरेद्ये S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, आचरेत् P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>, संचरेत्  
G<sup>Kā</sup> • शिव० ] Σ, शिवे N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>, शिवं E<sup>N</sup> • ०ब्रती ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>  
S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>, ०ब्रतम् N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>G<sup>Kā</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>E<sup>N</sup> 90a शिवभक्ता तु या ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>,  
शिवभक्ता तु यो N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>, शिवका तु N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, शिवभक्तं तु N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, शिवभक्तया S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, शिव भक्तां तु  
E<sup>N</sup> 90b ध्रुवं ] Σ, ध्रुवं N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> • सा ] Σ, सो N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup> 90c अप्युत्तमं ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>  
S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, अप्युत्तमा N<sup>M</sup>, अप्युत्तमं N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> • सा चेत् ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, कांक्षेत्  
N<sup>M</sup>, साच्चेत् N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, सा च S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>, सा तत् P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> 90d काङ्गते ] Σ, काङ्गते G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> • शृणु  
तद्वत्म् ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, शृणुः त ब्रतम् N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, स शिवब्रता S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, ब्रतं शुभम् G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>  
91b प्रीति० ] Σ, ०प्रीति० S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> 91c अवियोगकरं ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>G<sup>Kā</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, अवियोगकरं  
N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>, अयोगकरजं S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, अतियोगकरं P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>, अवियोगपरं G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> • शान्तं ] Σ, शान्तं  
N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>, कुर्याद् S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> 91d धर्म० ] Σ, सर्व० N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, न्यर्म० G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> • ०साधकम् ] N<sup>Σ</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>,  
०साधनम् S<sup>Σ</sup>E<sup>N</sup> 92a ०ममावास्यां ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sup>Σ</sup>, ०ममावास्यां० N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>E<sup>N</sup>,  
त्वमावस्यां S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> 92b ०यष्टमी० ] N<sup>Mpc</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>S<sup>Σ</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, ०यष्टमी० N<sup>Mac</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>  
N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>

नक्तमब्दं प्रकुर्वीत हविष्यैर्ब्रह्मचारिणी ॥ ९२ ॥

उमामहेशप्रतिमां हेमा कृत्वा सुशोभनाम् ।

राजतीं वापि वर्षान्ते स्नापयित्वा घृतादिभिः ॥ ९३ ॥

गन्धमाल्यैरलंकृत्य वस्त्रपुष्टैश्च शोभनैः ।

भक्ष्यभोज्यैरशेषैश्च वितानघ्वजचामरैः ॥ ९४ ॥

भोजयेच्छुवभक्तांश्च दीनानाथांश्च तर्पयेत् ।

92cd cf. SauraP 43.3ab    93 ≈ CVC 2.21.2 ≈ LiP 1.84.3; cf. BhavP 1.166.4,  
SauraP 43.3cd    94ab ≈ Br̄hatK 61.223cd 94 ≈ CVC 2.21.3 ≈ BhavP 1.166.5  
94cd ≈ Br̄hatK 61.224ab 94 cf. SauraP 43.4cd–5ab    95ab ≈ Br̄hatK 61.225ab  
95 ≈ CVC 2.21.4; cf. ŚDhU 2.123: ततः समागतान्सर्वाभ्योजयेच्छुवयोगिनः । दीनान्ध-  
कृपणाद्यांश्च दक्षयित्वा क्षमापयेत् ॥; cf. LiP 1.84.4

92c ०ब्दं ] Σ, ०ब्दे  $S_{67}^S$  92d हविष्यैर् ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K S_{67}^S$ , हविषा  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C$ , हविष्यै  
 $N_{45}^C$ , हविष्यं  $S^N$ , हविष्यो  $E^N$  • ब्रह्मचारिणी ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^K G_{40}^L E^N$ , ब्रह्मचारिण  
 $N^M$ , ब्रह्मचारिण  $N_{28}^K$ , ब्रह्मचारिणी  $N_{12b}^K$ , ब्राह्मचारिण  $N_{45}^C$  93a ०महेशप्रतिमां ]  
 $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S G^K E^N$ , ०महेश्वरं प्रव्यं  $N^M$ , ०महेश्वरप्रव्याम्  $N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K$ , ०महेश्वरप्रतिमां  $N_{45}^C$ ,  
०महेश्वरन्नाम  $P_{72}^T$ , उमामन्दिमहे प्रतिमां  $G_{40}^L$  93b हेमा कृत्वा ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G^K E^N$ ,  
अर्चा हेमां  $N^M$ , अर्चा हेमां  $N_{28}^K$ , अर्चा हेमा  $N_{12b}^K$ , कृत्वा हेमा  $N_{45}^C$ , हैर्मीं कृत्वा  $S_{67}^S$ , हेमां  
कृत्वा  $G_{40}^L$  • सुशोभनाम् ] Σ, ०श्च शोभनाम्  $N_{45}^C$ , तु शोभनाम्  $G_{40}^L$  93c राजतीं ]  $N_{82}^K$   
 $N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C S_{67}^S G^K G_{40}^L E^N$ , राजतीं  $N^M N_{28}^K$ , प्रतिमां  $P_{72}^T$  • वापि ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C G^K$   
 $G_{40}^L E^N$ , वार्षं  $N^M$ , नाथ  $N_{12b}^K$ , वाथ  $N_{45}^C$ , अथ  $S_{67}^S$ , चापि  $P_{72}^T$  • वर्षान्ते ] Σ, कुर्वीत  
 $S_{67}^S$ , सर्पाते  $G_{40}^L$  93d स्नापयित्वा ] Σ, स्नापयेत्  $S_{67}^S$  94a ०माल्यैर० ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K$   
 $N_{12b}^K S_{67}^S$ , ०पुष्टैर०  $N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , ०माल्यैर०  $N_{45}^C$ , ०मालैर०  $G^K$  94b ०पुष्टैश्च ]  $N^M$   
 $N_{28}^K P_{72}^T$ , ०युग्मैश्च  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K G^K$ , ०पूर्वैश्च  $N_{94}^C E^N$ , ०युग्मैश्च  $N_{45}^C$ , ०पुष्टेन  $S_{67}^S$ , ०माल्यैश्च  
 $G_{40}^L$  • शोभनैः ] Σ, शोभितैः  $N_{45}^C$ , भूयेत्  $S_{67}^S$  94c भक्ष्यभोज्यैरशेषैश्च ]  
 $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , भक्ष्यभोज्यैरशेषैश्च  $N_{45}^C$ , निवेदयेद्ब्रह्मभोज्य०  $S_{67}^S$ , भक्त्या  
भोज्यैरशेषैश्च  $G^K$  94d वितान० ] Σ, वित्तान०  $N_{45}^C$  • ०चामरैः ] Σ, ०चामरम्  $S_{67}^S$   
95a भोजयेच्छ० ] Σ, भोयेच्छ०  $G_{40}^L$  • ०भक्तांश्च ]  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G^K E^N$ ,  
०भक्तांस्तु  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K S_{67}^S$ , ०भक्तां  $N_{82}^{Kac}$ (unmetr.), ०भक्तानां  $N_{45}^C$ , भक्ता---  $G_{40}^L$

शक्त्या च दक्षिणां दद्यात् शिवमन्ते क्षमापयेत् ॥ ९५ ॥

ताम्रकांस्यादिपात्रं वा सितवस्त्रावगुणिठतम् ।  
कृत्वा चायतनं मध्ये प्रतिमामुपकल्पयेत् ॥ ९६ ॥

शिरसादाय तत्पात्रं वितानच्छत्रशोभितम् ।  
ध्वजशंखादिविभवैः शिवस्यायतनं नयेत् ॥ ९७ ॥

लिङ्गमूर्तौ महेशस्य व्रतस्यान्ते निवेदयेत् ।  
तद्वेद्यां स्थापयेत्पात्रमुपशोभासमन्वितम् ॥ ९८ ॥

95c = BhavP 4.121.86c = BhavP 4.127.10c 95cd ≈ SauraP 43.6ab ; cf. Br̄hatK 61.226ab 96ab ≈ Br̄hatK 61.226cd 96 ≈ CVC 2.21.5 ≈ BhavP 1.166.6 ; cf. SauraP 43.7cd–8ab 97 ≈ Br̄hatK 61.227 ≈ CVC 2.21.6 ≈ BhavP 1.166.7 ; cf. AP 61.74ab : शिरस्याधाय तत्पात्रं नारायणमनुस्मरन् 97cd cf. SauraP 43.8cd 98ab ≈ Br̄hatK 6.228ab 98 ≈ CVC 2.21.7 ≈ BhavP 1.166.8 98cd cf. SauraP 43.9ab

95c दक्षिणां ] Σ, दक्षिणं  $G_{40}^L$  • दद्यात् ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C \acute{S}_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , दत्त्वा  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C G^{Ka}$  95d शिवमन्ते क्षमापयेत् ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C G^{Ka}$ , शिवमत्रैः क्षमापयेत्  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C E^N$ , --- वमन्ते क्षमापयेत्  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , अन्ते च क्षमये शिवम्  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$ , गुरवे ज्ञानदायिने  $P_{72}^T$ , शिवमत्रै क्षमापयेत्  $G_{40}^L$  96a ताम्र० ] Σ, हेम०  $P_{72}^T$ , ताम्रं  $G_{40}^L$  • ०कांस्यादिपात्रं ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G^{Ka} E^N$ , ०पात्रादिकान्सम्बा  $N^M$ , ०कान्स्यादिपात्रं  $N_{28}^K$ , ०कांस्यादिपात्रीं  $N_{12b}^K N_{77}^{Ko}$   $\acute{S}_{67}^S$ , ०कांस्यादिपात्रां  $N_{45}^C$ , कास्यादिपत्रं वा  $G_{40}^L$  96b सितवस्त्रावगुणिठतम् ]  $N_{82}^K G^{Ka}$ , सितवस्त्रावगुणिठतम्  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C G_{40}^L$ , सितभस्मावगुणिठतम्  $N_{94}^C E^N$ , सितवस्त्रावगुणिठता  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , पीतवस्त्रावंगुणिठतम्  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$ , सितभस्मावकुणिठतम्  $P_{72}^T$  96c कृत्वा चायतनं मध्ये ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C G^{Ka} G_{40}^L$ , कृत्वा चायतमध्ये  $N^M$ , कृत्वा चायतने मध्ये  $N_{94}^C P_{72}^T$ , कृत्वा चायतन मध्ये  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , शिरसा धारयन्ती च  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$ , कृत्वा चायतने मध्ये  $E^N$  96d उप० ] Σ, एषु  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$ , सम्प०  $E^N$  97a शिरसादाय तत्पात्रं ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} E^N$ , शिरस्यादाय तत्पात्रं  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C$ , शुभे इहि तां समादाय  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$ , शिरसा धार्य  $P_{72}^T$ , धृत्वा शिरसि तत्पात्रं  $G^{Ka}$ , शर्वम् --- य पात्रस्थं  $G_{40}^L$  97b ०शोभितम् ] Σ, ०शोभिताम्  $N_{45}^C \acute{S}_{67}^S$  97c ०शंखादि० ] Σ, ०सख्यादि०  $N_{45}^C$  • ०विभवैः ] Σ, ०भिः सार्द्धं  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$  98a लिङ्गमूर्तौ महेऽ ]  $N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ , लिंगमूर्तिं महेऽ  $N^M$ , लिंगमूर्तमहेऽ  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C \acute{S}_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{Ka} G_{40}^{Lpc} E^N$ , लिंगमूर्तमहेऽ  $G_{40}^{Lac}$  98b व्रतस्यान्ते ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S^\Sigma$ , व्रतमेतनं  $N^M$ , व्रतमेतम्  $N_{12b}^K \acute{S}_{67}^S$ , व्रतमन्ते  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ , ब्रह्मरत्ना  $E^N$  98c तद्वेद्यां ] Σ, वेद्यन्ते  $G^{Ka}$  • पात्रम् ] Σ, पात्रीं  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$  98d उपशोभासमन्वितम् ] Σ, उपशोभासमन्विताम्  $N^M$ , पीतवस्त्रावगुणिठतम्  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$

प्रदक्षिणीकृत्य शिवं प्रणिपत्य क्षमापयेत् ।  
समाप्यैवं ब्रतं पुण्यं शृणु यद्यत्कलं लभेत् ॥ १९ ॥

द्वादशादित्यसंकाशैर्महायानैरनोपमैः ।  
यथेष्टमैश्वरे लोके रुद्रैः सार्धं प्रमोदते ॥ १०० ॥

कल्पकोटिसहस्राणि कल्पकोटिशतानि च ।  
तदन्ते सा महाभोगैर्विष्णुलोके महीयते ॥ १०१ ॥

ततः कर्मावशेषेण सर्वकामसमन्वितम् ।  
ब्रह्मलोकं समासाद्य परमं सुखमाप्न्यात् ॥ १०२ ॥

99ab = Br̥hatK 61.228cd; cf. SauraP 43.9cd 99 ≈ CVC 2.21.8 ≈ BhavP 1.166.9  
100ab cf. SauraP 43.10cd 100 ≈ CVC 2.21.9 ≈ BhavP 1.166.10 101 ≈  
CVC 2.21.10 ≈ BhavP 1.166.11; cf. SauraP 43.12 102 ≈ BhavP 1.166.12; cf.  
SauraP 43.13ab

99a प्रदक्षिणीकृत्य शिवं ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>S<sub>67</sub>, शिवं प्रदक्षिणीकृत्य N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>  
E<sup>N</sup>, प्रदक्षिणीकृत्य पश्चा N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, पश्चात्प्रदक्षिणीकृत्य G<sup>Ka</sup> 99b प्रणिपत्य ] Σ, प्रणिपत्य  
N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> • क्षमापयेत् ] Σ, क्षपयेत् G<sub>40</sub> 99c समाप्यैवं ] N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>, तमप्येवं  
N<sup>M</sup>, क्षमाप्य तद् N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>G<sup>Ka</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, समाप्य तद् N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>, समाप्तोवं N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, समाप्यैतद् S<sub>67</sub>,  
समाप्यक G<sub>40</sub> 99d शृणु यद्यत् ] N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, शृणुयाद्यः N<sup>M</sup>, शृणुयाद्यत् N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub>,  
शृणुयाच्च N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, शृणु यच्च N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>, शृणुयाद्य N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>, शृणु सा यत् G<sup>Ka</sup>, शृणुयात्यद् G<sub>40</sub>  
100a द्वादशादित्यसंकाशैर् ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, द्वादशादित्यसङ्काशैर्  
N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, सूर्यकोटिसमप्रव्यैर् S<sub>67</sub>, सूर्यकोटिप्रतीकाशैः G<sup>Ka</sup> 100b महायानैरनोपमैः ] N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>82</sub>  
N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>Ko</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, महायानैरनोरोत्तमैः N<sup>M</sup>, महायानै नोरोत्तमैः N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, महायानैर्मनोरमैः S<sub>67</sub>,  
महायानैरनूपमैः P<sub>72</sub>, विमानैः सर्वकामिकैः G<sup>Ka</sup>, महायानैरनोपमैः G<sub>40</sub> 100c यथेष्टम् ]  
Σ, यथेष्टम् S<sub>67</sub> • ऐश्वरे ] Σ, ऐश्वरे N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> • लोके ] Σ, ल--- G<sub>40</sub>  
100d प्रमोदते ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>S<sub>67</sub>S<sup>Σ</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, स मोदते N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>, प्रमोदिते N<sub>94</sub><sup>Cac</sup>  
101b ॐकोटिशतानि ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>S<sub>67</sub>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sup>Ka</sup>G<sub>40</sub>, ॐकोट्ययुतानि N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub>  
E<sup>N</sup> 101c सा ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>G<sup>Ka</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, स N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>S<sub>67</sub>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sub>40</sub>, सो N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup> •  
महा० ] Σ, म० N<sub>45</sub><sup>Cac</sup> 102a कर्मा० ] Σ, धर्मा० G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 102b ०समन्वितम् ] N<sup>M</sup>  
N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>S<sub>67</sub>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sup>Ka</sup>, ०समन्वित N<sub>82</sub><sup>Kpc</sup>, ०समन्विता N<sub>82</sub><sup>Kac</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, ०समन्वितः  
N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup> 102d परमं सुखमा० ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, परमं सुखमा० N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>,  
परं सुखमवा० S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>G<sup>Ka</sup>, परमं अखवा० G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>

ब्रह्मलोकात्परिभ्रष्टा श्रीमत्सुखवती भवेत् ।  
प्राजापत्यमवाप्नोति लोकालोकनमस्कृतम् ॥ १०३ ॥

भोगांस्तत्र चिरं भुत्त्वा सोमलोके वसेत्सुखम् ।  
सोमादैन्द्रं पुनर्लोकमासाद्येन्द्रं पर्ति लभेत् ॥ १०४ ॥

इन्द्रलोकाच्च गान्धर्वं सा लोकं प्राप्य मोदते ।  
गन्धर्वराजपतिना सार्धं भोगैरनेकधा ॥ १०५ ॥

**103** ≈ BhavP 1.166.13; cf. SauraP 43.13cd    **104** ≈ BhavP 1.166.14; cf. SauraP  
43.14    **105ab** ≈ BhavP 1.166.15ab; cf. SauraP 43.15ab

**103a** ०लोकात् ] Σ, लोत्  $G_{40}^L$  **103b** श्रीमत्सुखवती भवेत् ]  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ , श्रीमद्भिः  
संप्रपूजिता  $N^M$ , श्रीवत्सुखवती भवेत्  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C E^N$ , श्रीमद्भिसंप्रपूजयेत्  $N_{12b}^K$ , श्रीमत्संपरि-  
पूजिता  $S_{67}^S$ , श्रीमती परिपूजिता  $P_{72}^T G^{Ka}$ , श्रीमती सुरपूजिता  $G_{40}^L$  **103c** ०पत्यमवाप्नोति ]  
 $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S$ , ०पत्यं समासाच्य  $N_{82}^K P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , ०यमवाप्नोति  $G^{Ka}$   
**103d** लोकालोकनमस्कृतम् ] Σ, लोकपालनमस्कृता  $G^{Ka}$  **104a** भोगांस्तत्र चिरं ]  $N_{28}^K$   
 $N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C$ , भोगान्तत्र चिरं  $N^M$ , भोगांश्च सुचिरं  $N_{82}^K E^N$ , भोगांस्तु सुचिरं  $N_{94}^C P_{72}^T$ , भोगान्तत्र  
चिरं  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , भोगान्ततिचिरं  $S_{67}^S$ , भोगांश्च रुचिरान्  $G^{Ka}$ , भोगान्तसुचिपदा  $G_{40}^L$  • भुत्त्वा ]  $N^M$   
 $N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C S_{67}^S S^{\Sigma}$ , लक्ष्या  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C E^N$ , भुत्त्वा  $N_{77}^{Ko}$  **104b** वसेत्सुखम् ]  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K$   
 $N_{94}^C G_{40}^L E^N$ , वसेचिरं  $N^M$ , लभेत्सुखी  $N_{28}^K$ , लभेत्सुखम्  $N_{45}^C$ , सुखी भवेत्  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , सुखं वसेत्  
 $S_{67}^S$ , वसेत्सुखी  $P_{72}^T$ , महीयते  $G^{Ka}$  **104c** सोमादैन्द्रं ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T E^N$ ,  
सौम्यादेन्द्रं  $N_{45}^C$ , सोमादिन्द्र  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , सोमादैन्द्रे  $S_{67}^S$ , सोमलोकाद्  $G^{Ka} G_{40}^L$  • पुनर्लोकम् ]  
 $N_{45}^C$  पुनर्लोकं  $N^M$ , पुनर्लोक  $N_{28}^K$  परं लोकम्  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T E^N$ , पुनर्लोकम्  $N_{12b}^K$ , पुनर्लोकम्  
 $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , पुनर्लोके  $S_{67}^S$ , ऐन्द्रलोकं  $G^{Ka}$ , --- सुसंस्थानं  $G_{40}^L$  **104d** आसाद्येन्द्रं ]  $N_{82}^K$   
 $N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C$  आसाद्यैन्द्र  $N^M$ , सामाद्येन्द्र  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ , सोमादैन्द्रं  $S_{67}^S$ , प्रव्येयेन्द्र०  $P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$ ,  
आसाद्येन्द्र०  $G^{Ka}$ , आसाद्यैन्द्रं  $E^N$  • पर्ति ]  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} G^{Ka} G_{40}^L E^N$ , पर्तिर्  
 $N^M P_{72}^T$ , पर्ति  $N_{28}^K$ , पुरुं  $S_{67}^S$  • लभेत् ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C S_{67}^S G^{Ka} E^N$ , लभेत्  
 $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , भवेत्  $P_{72}^T$ , लवेत्  $G_{40}^{Lpc}$ , वेत्  $G_{40}^{Lac}$  **105a** ०लोकाच्च ] Σ, ०लोकाच्च  $N_{45}^C$  •  
गान्धर्वं ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{Ka} E^N$ , गन्दव्यां  $N_{45}^C$ , गान्धर्वं  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , गन्धर्वं  $G_{40}^L$   
**105b** सा लोकं प्राप्य ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C E^N$ , स्वर्लोकम्प्राप्य  $N^M N_{12b}^K$ , सालोक्यं प्राप्य  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C$   
 $S_{67}^S$ , सालोक्यं प्राप्य  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , लोकं प्राप्य च  $P_{72}^T$ , लोकं प्राप्य  $G^{Ka} G_{40}^L$  • मोदते ] Σ,  
प्रमोदते  $G^{Ka}$ , सुमोदते  $G_{40}^L$  **105c** गन्धर्वराजपतिना ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K S_{67}^S G^{Ka}$ , गन्धर्वं  
पतिमाप्नोति  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C E^N$ , गन्दवराजपतिना  $N_{45}^C$ , गन्दवराजपतिना  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , गन्धर्वपतिमाप्नोति  
 $P_{72}^T$ , गन्धर्वपतिना  $G_{40}^L$  **105d** सार्धं भोगैरनेकधा ]  $N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K$ , साद्धम् भोगां भुक्ते अनेकधा  
 $N^M$ , भोगान् भुत्त्वा यथेप्सितान्  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T E^N$ , साधं भोगैरनेकधा  $N_{45}^C$ , सार्धं भोगैरनेकधा  
 $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , भुक्ते भोगाननेकधा  $S_{67}^S$ , सर्धं भोगे वसेचिरम्  $G^{Ka}$ , सर्धं भोगान् भुत्त्वा यथेप्सितान्  $G_{40}^L$

महारत्प्रभादीसैरुपशोभितमद्भुतैः ।  
यक्षलोकमिमं प्राप्ता यथाकामं प्रमोदते ॥ १०६ ॥

यक्षलोकात्परिभ्रष्टा क्रीडते मेरुमूर्धनि ।  
स्थानानि लोकपालानां क्रमादागत्य मोदते ॥ १०७ ॥

आलोकालोकपर्यन्ते सर्वस्मिन्क्षितिमण्डले ।  
यत्र क्वचित्सुखं दिव्यं तदशेषमवाप्नुयात् ॥ १०८ ॥

एवं सा सर्वलोकेषु भोगाभ्युत्त्वा यथेष्पितान् ।  
क्रमादागत्य लोके स्मिन्नाजानं पतिमाप्नुयात् ॥ १०९ ॥

युवानं रूपसम्पन्नमशेषपृथिवीपतिम् ।  
धर्मार्थकाममोक्षज्ञमित्थमासाद्य मोदते ॥ ११० ॥

**106cd** cf. LiP 1.83.43ab    **107ab** cf. SauraP 43.15cd    **107cd** cf. SauraP 43.16ab

**106cd**  $G^{\text{Kā}}$  omits these two *pādas*.    **107**  $G^{\text{Kā}}$  omits this verse.    **108b** The top of the text in this *pāda* is damaged in  $N_{28}^K$ .    **109**  $N^M$  and  $P_{72}^T$  omit this verse.  
**110ab** omitted in  $N^M$ .

**106a** ०प्रभा० ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C \dot{S}_{67}^S S^\Sigma E^N$ , ०प्रभै०  $N_{28}^K N_{77}^{Ko}$ , ०प्रभै०  $N_{45}^C$   
**106b** ०द्भुतैः ।]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^K \dot{S}_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$ , ०द्भुतम्  $N^M N_{12b}^K G^{\text{Kā}} E^N$   
**106c** यक्ष० ]  $\Sigma$ , यक्षिं  $P_{72}^T$  • इम् ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^K \dot{S}_{67}^S G_{40}^L$ , तु सम०  
 $N^M N_{12b}^K$ , इदं  $P_{72}^T$ , अनु०  $G^{\text{Kā}}$ , इनं  $E^N$  • प्राप्ता ]  $N_{12b}^K E^N$ , प्राप्य  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S^\Sigma$ ,  
प्राप्तो  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^K \dot{S}_{67}^S$     **106d** यथाकामं ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{77}^K S^\Sigma$ , यथाकामां  
 $N_{28}^{Kac}$ , यथाकामा  $N_{45}^C$ , यथाकालं  $\dot{S}_{67}^S$ , यथा कामसं  $E^N$     **107a** ०भ्रष्टा ]  $\Sigma$ , ०भ्रष्टो  $G_{40}^L$   
**107b** मेरुमूर्धनि ]  $\Sigma$ , मेरुमूर्धनि  $\dot{S}_{67}^S$ , लमरुन्धती  $P_{72}^T$     **108a** आलोकालोक० ]  $N_{28}^K$   
 $N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^K \dot{S}_{67}^S$ , आ(लोस)लोक०  $N^M$ , सा लोकालोक०  $N_{28}^K N_{94}^C G^{\text{Kā}} E^N$ , लोकालोकस्य  
 $P_{72}^T$ , लोकं --- नि ---  $G_{40}^L$  • ०पर्यन्ते ]  $\Sigma$ , (रि)ता(श)  $G_{40}^L$     **108b** सर्वस्मिन् ]  $\Sigma$ ,  
सर्वस्मि  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , --- न  $G_{40}^L$  • ०मण्डले ]  $\Sigma$ , मंडले  $G_{40}^L$     **108c** यत्र क्वचित्सु ]  $\Sigma$ ,  
यत्र यत्र सु०  $N^M$     **108d** तदशेषम् ]  $\Sigma$ , मुपदशम्  $\dot{S}_{67}^S$     **109b** यथेष्पितान् ]  $\Sigma$ ,  
यथेष्पितं  $N_{77}^{Ko}$  • भुत्त्वा ]  $\Sigma$ , भुत्ते  $N_{12b}^K$     **109d** राजानं पतिमाप्नुयात् ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K$   
 $N_{94}^C N_{77}^K \dot{S}_{67}^S E^N$ , राजानं प्रतिमाप्नुयात्  $N_{45}^C$ , राजापतिमवाप्नुयात्  $G^{\text{Kā}}$ , प्रतिमा --- यात्  $G_{40}^L$   
**110a** युवानं ]  $\Sigma$ , यौवनं  $P_{72}^T$ , यु ---  $G_{40}^L$  • ०सम्पन्नम० ]  $\Sigma$ , ०सम्पन्नम०  $N_{77}^{Ko}$   
**110c** धर्मार्थकाम० ]  $\Sigma$ , --- काम०  $G_{40}^L$  • ०मोक्षज्ञम् ]  $\Sigma$ , ०भोगज्ञां  $N^M N_{12b}^K$   
**110d** इत्थमासाद्य मोदते ]  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^K \dot{S}_{67}^S G_{40}^L$ , ऐन्द्रं प्राप्य प्रमोदते  $N^M$ , इममासाद्य  
मोदते  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T E^N$ , चैन्द्रं प्राप्य प्रमोदते  $N_{12b}^K$ , शिवभक्तं दृढव्रतम्  $G^{\text{Kā}}$

ततो धर्मावशेषेण भवतीश्वरभाविता ।  
स्वकर्मवासनायोगात्पुनः प्रारभते शुभम् ॥ १११ ॥

शुभाच्च पुनरप्येवं योर्निं याति सहस्रशः ।  
यावन्नामोति निर्वाणं तावद्धमति कर्मणा ॥ ११२ ॥

तन्निर्वेदाच्च वैराग्यं वैराग्याज्ञानसम्भवः ।  
ज्ञानात्प्रवर्तते योगो योगाद्वःखान्तमाप्नुयात् ॥ ११३ ॥

[ अन्यत्रतम् ]

अष्टम्यां च चतुर्दश्यां नियता ब्रह्मचारिणी ।  
वर्षमेकं न भुज्ञीत महाभोगजिगीषया ॥ ११४ ॥

111 ≈ BhavP 1.166.15cd–16ab 111ab cf. ŚDhU 2.187ab : ततस्तद्धमशेषेण संप्राप्ते प्रलये तदा; cf. also SauraP 43.16cd 112 ≈ BhavP 1.166.16cd–17ab 113 ≈ BhavP 1.166.17cd–ef 114 ≈ LiP 1.84.6cd–7ab ≈ CVC 2.21.11 ≈ BhavP 1.167.1

113d After आप्नुयात्,  $G^{K\bar{a}}$  adds these ten *pādas* (cf. 117 below and CVC 2.21.15) : उमामहेश्वरं नाम ब्रतमीश्वरभाषितम् । कारुण्यात्सर्वनारीणां नराणां च विशेषतः ॥ तस्मात्सर्वप्रयत्नेन ह्युमामहेश्वरं व्रतम् । कर्तव्यं नरनारीभिः दुःखस्यान्तमवाप्नुयः । उमादेवीप्रियार्थं तु तुष्टेनैवान्तरगत्मना ॥

111a ततो धर्माव० ]  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{K\bar{a}}$ , ततः स धर्म०  $N^M$ , ततः सा धर्म०  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K$   
 $N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , ततो इसु कर्म०  $G^{K\bar{a}}$  111c ०वासनायोगात् ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K$   
 $N_{45}^C P_{72}^T G^{K\bar{a}}$ , भावनायोगात्  $N_{94}^C S_{67}^S G_{40}^L E^N$ , ०वासनायोगा  $N_{77}^{K\bar{a}}$  112a शुभाच्च ]  
 $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C G^{K\bar{a}} E^N$ , शुभां च  $N_{45}^C$ , शुभा च  $N_{77}^{K\bar{a}}$ , शुभांश्च  $S_{67}^S$ , शुभं वा  $P_{72}^T$   
 $G_{40}^L$  112b योर्निं याति ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T E^N$ , जात्यायाति  $N^M N_{12b}^K$ , योन्या याति  $N_{28}^K$   
 $N_{77}^{K\bar{a}}$ , योर्निं  $N_{94}^{Cac}$ , योन्या यान्ति  $N_{45}^C$ , यात्यायाति  $S_{67}^S$ , लोकान्याति  $G^{K\bar{a}}$ , यो न याति  $G_{40}^L$   
112c यावन्नामोति ] Σ, यावन्मामोति  $N_{77}^{K\bar{a}}$ , यावदामोति  $G^{K\bar{a}}$  • निर्वाण ]  $N^M N_{82}^K$   
 $N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{K\bar{a}} P_{72}^T E^N$ , निर्वाण  $N_{28}^K$ , मरणं  $N_{94}^C$ , निर्वेदं  $S_{67}^S G^{K\bar{a}} G_{40}^L$  113a तन्निर्वेदाच्च ]  
 $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , तन्निर्वेदाच्च  $N^M N_{28}^K$ , तं निर्वेदाच्च च  $N_{45}^C$ , तं निर्वेदा च  $N_{77}^{K\bar{a}}$ ,  
निर्वेदाच्चैव  $G^{K\bar{a}}$  • वैराग्यं ] Σ, वै ---  $G_{40}^L$  113b वैराग्याज् ] Σ, वैराग्यं  $N_{12b}^K$  •  
०सम्भवः ] Σ, ०सम्भवम्  $N_{45}^C$ , ०माप्नुयात्  $S_{67}^S$  113c योगो ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C$   
 $N_{45}^C P_{72}^T G^{K\bar{a}} E^N$ , योगा  $N_{77}^{K\bar{a}}$ , योर्निं  $S_{67}^S$ , योगात्  $G_{40}^L$  113d योगाद्वः० ] Σ, यो --- दु०  
 $G_{40}^L$  114a अष्ट० ] Σ, याष्ट०  $N_{12b}^K S_{67}^S$  • च ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{K\bar{a}} S^\Sigma E^N$ , स  $N^M$   
 $N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K$ , सा  $S_{67}^S$  114b नियता ] Σ, नियतं  $P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$  114c एकं न ] Σ, एकान्नम्  
 $S_{67}^S$ , एकं तु  $G^{K\bar{a}}$  • भुज्ञीत ] Σ, अश्रीयान्  $S_{67}^S$  114d महाभोग० ] Σ, मताभोग०  
 $S_{67}^S$ , महापुण्य०  $G^{K\bar{a}}$

वर्षान्ते प्रतिमां कृत्वा पूर्ववद्विधिमाचरेत् ।  
स्नानाद्यं तद्वतं प्राप्य पूर्वोक्तान्लभते गुणान् ॥ ११५ ॥

जम्बूनदमयैर्यानैश्वतुद्वौरैरलंकृतैः ।  
गत्वा शिवपुरं दिव्यमशेषं भोगमास्यात् ॥ ११६ ॥

शिवादिसर्वलोकेषु भोगान्मुक्त्वा यथेष्पितान् ।  
क्रमादागत्य लोके इस्मिन् राजानं पतिमास्यात् ॥ ११७ ॥

**115** ≈ CVC 2.21.12 ≈ BhavP 1.167.2    **116** ≈ CVC 2.21.13 ≈ BhavP 1.167.3  
**117** ≈ BhavP 1.167.4    **117cd** = 109cd above

**117**  $N_{94}^C$  and  $G_{40}^L$  omit verse 117, and  $P_{72}^T$  omits 117–119ab.    **117c** The lower part of ०दग० is damaged in  $N_{28}^K$ .    **117d** After आस्यात्,  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$  add these ten *pādas* (cf. 113 above and CVC 2.21.15) : उमामहेश्वरं नाम ब्रतमीश्वरभाषितम् (०भणितम्  $E^N$ ) । कारुण्यात्सर्वनारीणां नराणां च विशेषतः ॥ तस्मात्सर्वप्रयत्नेन उमामहेश्वरं ब्रतम् । कर्तव्यं नरनारीभिः सुखस्योत्तममास्यात् (दुःखस्यात्तमभीष्मिभिः  $G_{40}^{Lpc}$ , दुःखस्यात्तमभीष्मिभिः  $G_{40}^{Lac}$ , सुखस्योत्तरमास्युः  $E^Npc$ , सुखस्योत्तरमास्यात्  $E^{Nac}$ ) । उमादेवीप्रियार्थं तु तुष्टेन परमार्थतः (तुष्टैव परमार्थतः  $G_{40}^L$ , तुष्टाव परमार्थतः  $P_{72}^T$ ) ॥

**115a** प्रतिमां ] Σ, प्रतिमा  $N_{77}^{Ko}$     **115b** विधिमाचरेत् ] Σ, माच(रेक)  $G^{Ka}$ , विधिना पुणः  $G_{40}^L$     **115c** स्नानाद्यं ] Σ, स्नायं  $G_{40}^L$  • तद्वतं प्राप्य ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , तद्वतं चापि  $N^M$ , तद्वतं प्राप्तो  $N_{28}^K$ , तद्वतं चापि  $N_{12b}^K$ , तद्वतं प्राप्तो  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ , ०तद्वतस्यान्ते  $S_{67}^S$ , तद्वतं प्राप्ता  $G^{Ka}$     **115d** पूर्वोक्तान् ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S G_{40}^L E^N$ , पूर्वोक्तं  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$   $G^{Ka}$ , पूर्वोक्तांश  $P_{72}^T$  • लभते गुणान् ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S$ , च गुणान्लभेत्  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , लभते गुणम्  $N_{12b}^K$ , लभते फलम्  $G^{Ka}$     **116a** जम्बू० ]  $N^S S_{67}^S$ , जाम्बू०  $S^{\Sigma} E^N$     **116b** चतुर्द्वौ० ] Σ, चत्र्द्वौ०  $N^{Mac}$ , च---द्वा०  $G_{40}^L$  • ०रैरलङ्घैतैः ]  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C P_{72}^T G^{Ka} E^N$ , ०रैरलङ्घैतम्  $N^M N_{77}^{Ko}$ , ०रैरलङ्घैतः  $N_{28}^K$ , ०रोपशोभितैः  $S_{67}^S$ , ०रसमन्वितैः  $G_{40}^{Lpc}$ , ०रसमन्विणैः  $G_{40}^{Lac}$     **116d** ०शोषं भोग० ] Σ, ०शोषभोग  $N^M$ , ०शोषफल०  $G_{40}^L$     **117b** भोगान् ] Σ, भोगा  $N_{77}^{Ko}$  • भुक्ता ] Σ, भुक्ता  $N_{77}^{Ko}$  • यथेष्पितान् ] Σ, यथेष्पितम्  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , यथेच्छया  $G^{Ka}$     **117c** राजानं ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C S_{67}^S$ , राजान  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , राजानां  $G^{Ka}$ , यथेष्म्  $E^N$  • पतिं ] Σ, प्रति  $N_{12b}^K$ , ब्रतिं०  $N_{45}^C$

[ शालिपिष्ठप्रतिमावतम् ]

या नार्युपवसेदब्दं कृष्णामेकां चतुर्दशीम् ।  
वर्षान्ते प्रतिमां कृत्वा शालिपिष्ठमर्यां शुभाम् ॥ ११८ ॥

पीतानुलेपनैर्माल्यैः पीतवस्त्रैश्च पूजयेत् ।  
पूर्वोक्तमस्तिलं कृत्वा शिवाय विनिवेदयेत् ॥ ११९ ॥

सप्तभौमैर्महायानैस्तस्तचामीकरप्रभैः ।  
युगकोटिशतं साग्रं रुद्रलोके महीयते ॥ १२० ॥

शिवादिसर्वलोकेषु भोगान्भुत्त्वा यथेष्टितान् ।  
क्रमादागत्य लोके इस्मिन्यथेष्टं पतिमाप्नुयात् ॥ १२१ ॥

118 ≈ CVC 2.18.1 118ab cf. BhavP 1.167.5ab 118cd cf. BhavP 1.167.6ab

119 ≈ CVC 2.18.2 119 ≈ BhavP 1.167.6ef 120 ≈ CVC 2.18.3 ≈ BhavP  
1.167.7 121 ≈ CVC 2.18.4 ≈ BhavP 1.167.8

118cd  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$  adds the following line after 118cd : शिलां पिष्ठमर्यां कृत्वा शुभालङ्घारसंपुताम्

118a या नार्युपवसेदब्दं ]  $N_{12b}^K N_{77}^{Ko} \acute{S}_{67}^S G_{40}^L$ , या ना(र्य)मुपवसेदब्दं  $N^M$ , या नार्युपवशेदब्द  
 $N_{28}^K$ , नारी चैवोपवासेन  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T E^N$ , या नारूपवशेदब्दं  $N_{45}^C$ , या नार्युपवशेदकम्  
 $G^{Ka}$  118b कृष्णामेकां ]  $N_{28}^K G_{40}^L$ , कृष्णामेकं  $N^M N_{77}^{Ko}$ , अब्दं कृष्ण०  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C$   
 $G^{Ka}$ , कृष्णामेकां  $N_{12b}^K$ , कृष्णामेका  $N_{45}^C$ , सर्वा कृष्ण०  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$ , चाब्दं कृत्वा  $P_{72}^T$ , अब्दं कृष्ण०  
 $E^N$  • चतुर्दशीम् ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} \acute{S}_{67}^S P_{72}^T E^N$ , चतुर्दशी  $N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K G^{Ka} G_{40}^L$   
118d शालिपिष्ठमर्यां शुभाम् ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S^{\Sigma} E^N$ , शालिपिष्ठमर्यां शुभाम्  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C$   
 $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , पूर्ववद्विधिमाचरेत्  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$  119a पीतानु० ]  $\Sigma$ , पीतैः सु०  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$ , पीतैस्तु  $P_{72}^T$  •  
माल्यैः ]  $\Sigma$ , माल्यै  $\acute{S}_{67}^S G_{40}^L$  120a सप्त० ]  $\Sigma$ , सर्व०  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$  • ०भौमै० ]  $\Sigma$ , भूमै०  
 $N_{45}^C$  120b तप्त० ]  $N_{94}^C \acute{S}_{67}^S S^{\Sigma} E^N$ , ध्वान्त०  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C$ , सप्त०  $N_{82}^K$ , ध्वान्त०  
 $N_{77}^{Ko}$  120c युग० ]  $\Sigma$ , दिव्य०  $G_{40}^L$  • ०कोटिशतं ]  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} \acute{S}_{67}^S$   
 $G^{Ka} G_{40}^L E^N$ , कोऽऽत  $N_{28}^K$ , ०कोटिशत  $N_{82}^K$ , ०कोटिसह०  $P_{72}^T$  • साग्रं ]  $\Sigma$ , ०साग्रं  $P_{72}^T$   
120d रुद्र० ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C \acute{S}_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , ईश०  $N_{28}^K$ , ईव०  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , शिव  $G^{Ka}$   
121b भोगान् ]  $\Sigma$ , भोगा  $N_{77}^{Ko}$  • यथेष्टितान् ]  $\Sigma$ , यथेष्टितम्  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , यथेष्टितम्  $G_{40}^L$   
121c क्रमादागत्य लोके इस्मिन् ]  $\Sigma$ , रुपयौवनसम्पन्नं  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$ , क्रमादागत्य लोके इस्मिन्  $G_{40}^L$   
121d यथेष्टं पतिं० ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G^{Ka} E^N$ , राजानं पतिं०  $N_{28}^K$ , यथेष्टप्रतिं०  $N_{45}^C$ ,  
यथेष्ट पतिं०  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , यथेष्ट फल०  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$ , यथेष्ट प्रतिं०  $G_{40}^L$

[ पिष्ठशूलव्रतम् ]

यामावास्यां निराहारा भवेदेवं सुयन्त्रिता ।  
शूलं पिष्ठमयं कृत्वा वर्षान्ते विनिवेदयेत् ॥ १२२ ॥

शिवाय राजतं पद्मं सुवर्णकृतकर्णिकम् ।  
भक्त्या शिरसि विन्यस्य शेषं पूर्ववदाचरेत् ॥ १२३ ॥

कामतोऽपि कृतं पापं भ्रूणहत्यादि यद्भवेत् ।  
तत्सर्वं शूलदानेन भिद्यान्नारी न संशयः ॥ १२४ ॥

महापद्मविमानेन नरनारीसमन्विता ।  
युगकोटिशतं साग्रं शिवलोके महीयते ॥ १२५ ॥

122 ≈ CVC 2.20.1 122ab ≈ SauraP 43.19cd 122cd = SauraP 43.20ab 123 ≈ CVC 2.20.2 ≈ SauraP 43.20cd 123cd ≈ SauraP 43.21ab 124 ≈ LiP 1.8.4.13 ≈ CVC 2.20.3; cf. SauraP 43.21cd 125 ≈ CVC 2.20.4

122a यामावास्यां ] N<sup>Σ</sup>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>G<sup>K</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, यावन्तस्य N<sup>M</sup>, अमावास्या S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub> • ०हारा ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>G<sup>K</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, ०हारोदेऽN<sup>M</sup>, ०हार्या N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>, ०हारं N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>, ०हार G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>  
122b भवेदेवं ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>E<sup>N</sup>, अद्वमेकं N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>, न्वद्मेकं N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>, भवेदद्वं S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>  
G<sup>K</sup>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub> • सुयन्त्रिता ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>, सुयन्त्रितम् N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>, स्वयन्त्रिता N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>, सुयन्त्रितः  
N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>, सुयन्त्रिता: N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>, अतन्द्रिता G<sup>K</sup>, निरन्त्रिता G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>, स्ययन्त्रिता E<sup>N</sup> 122c शूलं ]  
N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>S<sup>Σ</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, शुक्रं N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>, शूलं N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub> 122d वर्षान्ते ] Σ, शिवाय  
N<sup>M</sup> • विनिवेदयेत् ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>E<sup>N</sup>, विनिवे N<sup>Kac</sup><sub>28</sub>, तु  
निवेदयेत् P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>G<sup>K</sup> 123a शिवाय ] Σ, शिवाराय G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub> • राजतं ] Σ, राजातं N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>  
123b सुवर्ण० ] Σ, अस्वर्ण० G<sup>K</sup> • ०कर्णिकम् ] Σ, ०कर्णिकः N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>, ०कर्णकम्  
G<sup>K</sup> 123c भक्त्या शिरसि विन्यस्य ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>, भक्त्या शिरसि विन्यस्त N<sup>M</sup>,  
भक्त्या च विन्यसेन्मूर्धि N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>E<sup>N</sup>, भक्त्या विन्यस्य तंमूर्धि S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>, तत्भक्ता विन्यसेन्मूर्धि P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>,  
भक्त्या विन्यस्य तन्मूर्धि G<sup>K</sup>, तत्भक्ता विन्यसोत् मूर्धी G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub> 123d शेषं ] Σ, शेषं N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>  
124a ऽपि ] Σ, वा N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub> 124b ०दि यद्भवेत् ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>G<sup>K</sup>, ०दिकं च यत्  
N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>E<sup>N</sup>, ०दि सम्भवम् N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub> 124c ०दानेन ] Σ, ०मानेन G<sup>K</sup>, ०हानेन E<sup>N</sup>  
124d भिद्यान् ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>, भिद्या N<sup>M</sup><sup>Mac</sup>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>, हत्वा N<sup>M</sup><sup>Mac</sup>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>, हित्वा N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>, हन्या  
N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>, भिन्द्यान् S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>, चिद्यान् G<sup>K</sup>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>, हन्यान् E<sup>N</sup> 125a ०मानेन ] Σ, ०मानैश्च N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>  
125b नर० ] Σ, नव० S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>, नानाऽ G<sup>K</sup> • ०समन्विता ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>S<sup>Σ</sup>  
E<sup>N</sup>, ०समन्वितः N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>, ०समन्विताः N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub> 125d शिव० ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>S<sup>S</sup>  
G<sup>K</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, रुद्र० N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>

ईशलोकादिलोकेषु भुत्तवा भोगाननेकधा ।  
इमं लोकं क्रमात्प्राप्य यथेष्टं पतिमामृयात् ॥ १२६ ॥

[ अन्यब्रतम् ]

पौर्णमास्यामुपवसेद्बद्मेकं दृढव्रता ।  
वर्षान्ते सर्वगन्धाद्यां प्रतिमां विनिवेदयेत् ॥ १२७ ॥

सुविचित्रैर्महायानैर्दिव्यगन्धवहैः शुभैः ।  
युगकोटिशतं साग्रं शिवलोके महीयते ॥ १२८ ॥

यथेष्टमैश्वरे लोके भुत्तवा भोगानशेषतः ।  
क्रमादागत्य लोके इस्मिन् राजानं पतिमामृयात् ॥ १२९ ॥

126 = CVC 2.20.5; cf. SauraP 43.22ab    127ab ≈ SauraP 43.22cd    127 ≈ CVC 2.19.1    127cd = SauraP 43.23ab ≈ LiP 1.84.17ab ≈ BhavP 1.167.10ab  
128 ≈ BhavP 1.167.11 ≈ CVC 2.19.2    129 ≈ BhavP 1.167.12 ≈ CVC 2.19.3

126 N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup> omits verses 126–128.

126a ईशलोकादिलोकेषु ] Σ, शिवलोकादिलोकेषु S<sub>67</sub>, शिवादिसर्वलोकेषु G<sup>Ka</sup>  
126b अनेकधा ] N<sup>M</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, अनेकधाः N<sup>M</sup>, अशेषतः S<sub>67</sub>, यथेष्टिसतान् G<sup>Ka</sup>  
126c इमं लोकं क्रमात्प्राप्य ] N<sup>M</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>G<sup>Ka</sup><sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>, इमां लोकां क्रमात्प्राप्य N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>, इह  
लोके क्रमात्प्राप्य N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, इमं लोकं क्रमं प्राप्य N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, इमा लोकां क्रमात्प्राप्य N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>  
127a पौर्णमास्यामुपवसेद् ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, पूर्णमास्यामुपवसेद् N<sub>45</sub>,  
पौर्णमायामावास्यां P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>, पौर्णमास्यामावास्यां G<sup>Ka</sup>    127b दृढव्रता ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>  
G<sup>Ka</sup>, सुयन्त्रिता N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, दृढव्रतः N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, सुयन्त्रितम् N<sub>94</sub>, सुयन्त्रितः S<sub>67</sub>, अदन्त्रिता  
G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>    127c ०गन्धाद्यां ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, ०गत्वाच्छां N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>, गन्धोक्तं N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>,  
गन्धोस्तु N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, ०गन्धोत्थां S<sub>67</sub>, ०गन्धाद्वं G<sup>Ka</sup>    127d प्रतिमां ] Σ, प्रतिमा N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>  
128a सुविचित्रै० ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, सविचित्रै० N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>(top of these letters are  
missing)N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, स्वविचित्रै० S<sub>67</sub>, सुपविचित्रै० G<sup>Ka</sup>, सुचित्रै० G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> • ०यानै० ] Σ, ०यानै०  
N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>    128b ०गन्धवहैः शुभैः ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>G<sup>Ka</sup>, ०गन्धविभूषितैः N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>  
E<sup>N</sup>, ०गन्धयुतैः शुभैः S<sub>67</sub>, ०गन्धविभूषितैः P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>    128c युग० ] Σ, वर्ष० G<sup>Ka</sup> •  
साग्रं ] Σ, दिव्यं सग्रं G<sup>Ka</sup>    128d शिव० ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, रुद्र० N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>  
129a ऐश्वरे ] Σ, ईश्वरे N<sub>94</sub>, ऐश्वरं N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>    129b अशेषतः ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>  
N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>G<sup>Ka</sup><sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, अनेकशः N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, विशेषतः P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>    129d राजानं ] Σ, राजाना N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>  
• पतिं० ] Σ, प्रतिं० N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> • ०ममृयात् ] Σ, ०ममृयात् G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>

[ एकभक्तव्रतम् ]

या कार्त्तिकं शुभं मासमेकभक्तेन यापयेत् ।  
क्षमार्हसादिनियमैः संयता ब्रह्मचारिणी ॥ १३० ॥

गुडाज्यमिश्रं पिण्याकं मासान्ते विनिवेदयेत् ।  
अष्टम्यां सचतुर्दश्यामुपवासरता भवेत् ॥ १३१ ॥

इन्द्रनीलप्रतीकाशैर्विमानैः सार्वकामिकैः ।  
वर्षायुतशतं साग्रं रुद्रलोके महीयते ॥ १३२ ॥

यथावत्सर्वलोकेषु भोगमासाद्य सर्वतः ।  
क्रमादागत्य लोके स्मिन्यथेष्टं पतिमाप्नुयात् ॥ १३३ ॥

**130** ≈ BhavP 1.168.1 ≈ CVC 2.28.1    **130cd** ≈ LiP 1.84.19ab    **131ab** ≈ BhavP  
1.168.2ab    **131** ≈ CVC 2.28.2    **131cd** ≈ BhavP 1.168.2cd ≈ SauraP 43.24ab  
**132** ≈ BhavP 1.168.4 ≈ CVC 2.28.3    **133** ≈ BhavP 1.168.5 ≈ CVC 2.28.4

**130a** या कार्त्तिकं शुभं ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^C N_{94}^C E^N$ , कार्त्तिके वा शुभे  $N^{Mac}$ , य कार्त्तिके वा शुभे  $N^{Mpc}$ , कार्त्तिकम्वा शुभं  $N_{12b}^K$ , या कार्त्तिकं सुभं  $N_{77}^K$ , कार्त्तिकं तु शुभं  $S_{67}^S$ , या कार्त्तिके शुभे  $P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$ , सम्मासे कार्तिके  $G^K$     **130ab** मासमेक० ]  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C S_{67}^S E^N$ , मासे एक०  $N^M N_{28}^C P_{72}^{Tpc} G_{40}^L$ , मासंमेक०  $N_{77}^K$ , मासि एक०  $P_{72}^{Tac}$ , मासे उच्चेक०  $G^K$   
**130b** ०भक्तेन ]  $\Sigma$ , ०भुक्तेन  $P_{72}^T G^K$  • यापयेत् ]  $N^\Sigma E^N$ , वाहयेत्  $S_{67}^S$ , वर्तयेत्  $P_{72}^T G^K$ , वर्तते  $G_{40}^L$     **130d** संयता ]  $N^\Sigma P_{72}^T E^N$ , सवता  $S_{67}^S$ , सम्सक्ता  $G^K$ , संयुता  $G_{40}^L$  • ब्रह्म० ]  $\Sigma$ , वर्त०  $N_{94}^C$     **131a** गुडाज्य० ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{77}^K P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , गुडाज्या०  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C$ , गुडाज्या०  $S_{67}^S$ , गुडान्य०  $G^K$  • ०मिश्रं ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^C N_{94}^C N_{45}^C S^\Sigma E^N$ , ०मिश्र०  $N_{12b}^K N_{77}^K S_{67}^S$     **131b** मासान्ते ]  $\Sigma$ , मासेन  $G^K$  • विनिवेदयेत् ]  $\Sigma$ , तु निवेदयेत्  $P_{72}^T$     **131c** सचतु० ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^K$ , च चतु०  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S S^\Sigma E^N$     **131d** ऋता० ]  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S G^K G_{40}^L E^N$ , ऋतो०  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^K P_{72}^T$   
**132a** ०काशैर् ]  $\Sigma$ , काशै०  $N_{28}^K$ , ०काशै०  $N_{77}^K$     **132b** सार्व० ]  $\Sigma$ , सर्व०  $N_{77}^K$  • ०कामिकैः ]  $\Sigma$ , ०गामिकैः  $P_{72}^T$ , भामिकैः  $G_{40}^L$     **132c** ०युतशतं ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^C N_{94}^C N_{45}^C S_{67}^S G^K G_{40}^L E^N$ , ०युतशतं  $N_{12b}^K$ , ०युतशतं  $N_{77}^K$ , ०कोटिशतं  $P_{72}^T$     **132d** रुद्र० ]  $\Sigma$ , शिव०  $S_{67}^S G^K$     **133a** यथावत्सर्वलोकेषु ]  $N^\Sigma G^K E^N$ , शिवलोकादिसर्वलोकेषु  $S_{67}^S$ , यथावद्भोगमासाद्य  $P_{72}^T$  यावत् भोगान् समासाद्य  $G_{40}^L$     **133b** भोगमासाद्य सर्वतः० ]  $N^{Mpc} N_{28}^K N_{82}^C N_{94}^C N_{45}^C E^N$ , भोगानासाद्य धर्मतः०  $N^{Mac} N_{12b}^K G^K$ , भोगमासाद्य सर्वतः०  $N_{77}^K$ , भोगानासाद्य पुष्कलान॒  $S_{67}^S$ , लोकेषु च विशेषतः०  $P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$     **133d** यथेष्ट० ]  $\Sigma$ , थेष्टम्  $G_{40}^L$  • पति�० ]  $\Sigma$ , प्रति�०  $N_{45}^C$ , फल०  $S_{67}^S$

इत्येवं सर्वमासेषु विधिस्तुल्यः प्रकीर्तिः ।  
एकभक्तोपवासस्य फलं च सदृशं विदुः ॥ १३४ ॥

[ साधारणा धर्माः ]

क्षमा सत्यं दया दानं शौचमिन्द्रियनिग्रहः ।  
शिवपूजाग्रिहवनं सन्तोषोऽस्तेयभावना ॥ १३५ ॥

सर्वव्रतेष्यं धर्मः सामान्यो दशाधा स्थितः ।  
विशेषमपि वक्ष्यामि प्रतिमासं व्रतं प्रति ॥ १३६ ॥

[ मार्गशीर्षे वृषभव्रतम् ]  
मार्गशीर्षे शुभे मासे वृषभं पिष्टनिर्मितम् ।

**134**  $\approx$  BhavP 1.168.6  $\approx$  CVC 2.28.5      **135ab**  $\approx$  LiP 1.84.22ab      **135**  $\approx$  BhavP 1.168.7  $\approx$  SauraP 43.25  $\approx$  CVC 2.28.6      **136ab**  $\approx$  LiP 1.84.22cd  $\approx$  CVC 2.28.7ab  $\approx$  SauraP 43.26      **136**  $\approx$  BhavP 1.168.8      **137**  $\approx$  BhavP 1.168.9  $\approx$  CVC 2.28.7cd–ef

**134d** The lower part of ०सदृशं विदुः is damaged in  $N_{28}^K$ .

**134a** एव ]  $\Sigma$ , एव  $N_{77}^K$ , एष  $S_{67}^S$  • ०मासेषु ]  $\Sigma$ , मासे तु  $G_{40}^L$   
**134b** विधिस्तुल्यः ]  $\Sigma$ , विधि तुल्य  $N^M$ , विधिस्तुल्य  $G_{40}^L$  • ०कीर्तिः ]  $\Sigma$ , ०कीर्तिकः  
 $N_{28}^K$  **134cd** एकभक्तोपवासस्य फलं च सदृशं विदुः ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^K P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ ,  
एकभक्तोपवासस्य फलं च सदृशं भवेत्  $N^M N_{12b}^K G^K$ , विदुः फलं च सदृशमेकभक्तोपवासस्योः  
 $S_{67}^S$  **135a** दया ]  $\Sigma$ , दयं  $N_{45}^C$  **135b** ०निग्रहः ]  $\Sigma$ , ०निग्रहम्  $N_{12b}^K$ , ०विग्रहः  $N_{94}^C$   
**135c** ०हवनं ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^K$ , ०होमश्च  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S G_{40}^L E^N$ , ०होमं च  $P_{72}^T G^K$   
**135d** सन्तोषो ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^K$ , सन्तोषां  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C G_{40}^L E^N$ , सतोसे  
 $N_{77}^K$  • ०भावना ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^K E^N$ , ०भावनम्  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{77}^K$ , ०भावन  
 $G_{40}^L$  **136a** ०घ्यं ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S$ , ०घ्यं  $N_{12b}^K E^N$ , ०(घ)यं  $N_{45}^C$ , ०घुयन्  
 $N_{77}^K$ , ०घु यद्  $P_{72}^T G^K$ , ०घु यो  $G_{40}^L$  • घमः ]  $\Sigma$ , घमं  $N_{77}^K$  **136b** स्थितः ]  
 $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C$ , स्थृतः  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S S^\Sigma E^N$ , स्थितं  $N_{77}^K$  **136d** प्रतिमासं ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K$   
 $N_{12b}^K N_{77}^K S_{67}^S G^K G_{40}^L$ , मासे मासे  $N^M$ , प्रतिमासं  $N_{94}^C$ , प्रतिमांसं  $N_{45}^C P_{72}^T$ , प्रतिमास  $E^N$   
• व्रतं प्रति ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^K S^\Sigma E^N$ , प्रति प्रति  $N^M$ , प्रति: प्रति:  $N_{12b}^K$ , यथाविधि  
 $S_{67}^S$  **137a** मासे ]  $\Sigma$ , मासि  $S_{67}^S$ , --- से  $G_{40}^L$  **137b** वृषभं पिष्टनिर्मितम् ]  $N_{28}^K$   
 $N_{45}^C N_{77}^K$ , सवृषं पिष्टनिर्मितम्  $N^M$ , वृषं पिष्टमयं शुभम्  $N_{82}^K$ , सवृषं पि । इनिर्मितम्  $N_{12b}^K$ , वृषं  
पिष्टसुनिर्मितम्  $N_{94}^C P_{72}^T E^N$ , वृषं पिष्टविनिर्मितम्  $S_{67}^S G^K$ , वृषं पुष्ट --- नर्मितम्  $G_{40}^L$

गन्धमाल्यैरलंकृत्य भवाय विनिवेदयेत् ॥ १३७ ॥

वृषयुक्तैर्महायानैरप्सरोगणसंयुतैः ।

वर्षायुतशतं सायं शिवलोके महीयते ॥ १३८ ॥

सर्वदेवनिकायेषु सम्प्राप्य विपुलं सुखम् ।

क्रमादागत्य लोके ऽस्मिन् राजानं पतिमास्तुयात् ॥ १३९ ॥

[ पौषे शूलब्रतम् ]

पौषमासे शुभे चैव शूलं कृत्वा पिनाकिने ।

गन्धपुष्पैरलंकृत्य शिवाय विनिवेदयेत् ।

ताम्रकांस्यादिपात्रं वा कृत्वा दद्यात्पिनाकिने ॥ १४० ॥

महापुष्पकयानेन दिव्यगन्धप्रवाहिना ।

138 ≈ BhavP 1.168.10 ≈ CVC 2.28.8    139 ≈ BhavP 1.168.11abcd    140 ≈

CVC 2.28.9    140cd ≈ BhavP 1.168.12ab    140ef ≈ BhavP 1.168.12cd

140ef ≈ CVC 2.28.10ab    141 ≈ CVC 2.28.10cdef    141 ≈ BhavP 1.168.13

137d The top of भवाय विनिवेदयेत् is damaged in  $N_{28}^K$ .    139  $S_{67}^S$  omits verses 139–141.    140b  $N^M$  and  $N_{12b}^K$  omit 140b.    140d  $N^M$  and  $N_{12b}^K$  omit 140d. 140ef missing in  $G^K$  and  $P_{72}^T$ .

137d भवाय ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S G_{40}^L$ , शिवाय  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G^K E^N$

138a वृष० ]  $\Sigma$ , वृषि०  $S_{67}^S$  138b अप्सरोगणसंयुतैः ]  $\Sigma$ , अप्सरोगणसेवितैः  $S_{67}^S$ , आरोहणसुशोभितैः  $G^K$  138c वर्षायुतशतं ]  $\Sigma$ , वर्षकोटिशतं  $G_{40}^{Lpc}$ , वर्षलेकाटिशतं  $G_{40}^{Lac}$

138d शिव० ]  $\Sigma$ , रुद्र०  $N^M$  • महीयते ]  $\Sigma$ , प्रमोदते  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C$  139b विपुलं सुखम् ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^{Ko}$ , सुखमुत्तमम्  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S^\Sigma E^N$  139c ०स्मिन् ]  $\Sigma$ ,

स्मि  $G_{40}^L$  • राजानं ]  $\Sigma$ , यथेष्ट  $P_{72}^T$  140a पौष० ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} E^N$ ,

पुष्प०  $N^M N_{12b}^K S^\Sigma$  • शुभे चैव ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} G_{40}^L E^N$ , तु पिण्याकं  $N^M N_{12b}^K$ ,

शुभे प्राप्ते  $P_{72}^T G^K$  140b पिनाकिने ]  $\Sigma$ , पिनाकिनः  $P_{72}^T$  140c ०पुष्प० ]  $N_{28}^K$

$N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} G^K G_{40}^L E^N$ , ०माल्यै०  $N^M N_{12b}^K P_{72}^T$  • ०कृत्य ]  $\Sigma$ , ०कृतम्  $N^M$

140e ०कांस्यादि० ]  $\Sigma$ , ०कान्स्यादि०  $N_{45}^C$ , ०पत्रादि०  $G_{40}^L$  • ०पात्रं ]  $N^M N_{28}^K$

$N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} E^N$ , ०पात्रां  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C$ , ०पत्राम्  $N_{12b}^K$ , कंकाशयं  $G_{40}^L$  141a ०पुष्पक० ]

$\Sigma$ , पुष्प ---  $G_{40}^L$  141b दिव्य० ]  $\Sigma$ , महा०  $G_{40}^L$  • ०गन्ध० ]  $\Sigma$ , गन्धः  $N_{12b}^K$

• ०वाहिना ]  $N^M G^K$ , ०वाहिनी  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ , ०भाविना  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C G_{40}^L$ , ०वासिना  $N_{12b}^K$ ,

०भावता  $P_{72}^T$ , ०भाविणा  $E^N$

वर्षायुतशतं साग्रं रुद्रलोके महीयते ॥ १४१ ॥

भुत्त्वा तु विपुलान्भोगानशेषपुरसम्भवान् ।  
सम्प्राप्यैवं क्रमाल्लोकमभीष्टं पतिमाप्नुयात् ॥ १४२ ॥

[ माघे रथव्रतम् ]

माघे रथमश्वयुतं माल्यदीपप्रशोभितम् ।  
पैष्टलिङ्गसमायुक्तं कृत्वायतनमानयेत् ॥ १४३ ॥

महारथोपमैर्यानैः श्वेताश्वरथसंयुतैः ।  
वर्षायुतशतं साग्रं रुद्रलोके महीयते ॥ १४४ ॥

142 ≈ BhavP 1.168.14    143 ≈ BhavP 1.168.15 ≈ CVC 2.28.11 ; cf. Br̥hatK  
61.48    144 ≈ BhavP 1.168.16 ≈ CVC 2.28.12

142b  $N^M$  and  $N_{12b}^K$  record the following lines after 142b : महारथोपमैर्यानैः श्वेताश्व-  
वरसंयुतैः । वर्षायुतशतं साग्रं शिवलोके महीयते । सर्वामरनिकायेषु प्राप्य भोगान्सुदुर्लभान् (०भात्  
 $N^M$ ) । (≈ 144 and 148ab).

141c साग्रं ]  $\Sigma$ , दिव्यं  $G^K G^L_{40}$  141d रुद्र० ]  $\Sigma$ , शिव०  $N_{12b}^K G^L_{40}$   
142a भुत्त्वा ]  $\Sigma$ , भुत्त्वां  $N_{45}^C$  • तु विपुलान्भोगान् ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$   
 $P_{72}^T G^K E^N$ , तु विपुलान्भोगांम्  $N_{28}^K$ , तु विपुलान्भोगाम्  $N_{45}^C$ , भोगान्स विपुलान्  $S_{67}^S$ , तु  
विविधान्भोगान्  $G^L_{40}$  142b अशेषपुरसम्भवान् ]  $\Sigma$ , शेष(त्वा)यान् पिनाकिने  $G^L_{40}$   
142c सम्प्राप्यैवं ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S G^K$ , संप्राप्ते स्मि  $N^M$ , प्राप्यैवं  $N_{28}^K$ , संप्राप्तास्मिन्  $N_{12b}^K$ ,  
प्राप्यैवं तु  $N_{45}^C$ , प्राप्यैवं तु  $N_{77}^K$ , संप्राप्यैव  $P_{72}^T E^N$ , स---(तु)  $G^L_{40}$  • क्रमाल्लोकम् ]  
 $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C$ , क्रमाल्लोके  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C G^K E^N$ , क्रमा लोकम्  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , क्रमाद्भूमिम्  $S_{67}^S$ ,  
क्रमाल्लोकान्  $P_{72}^T$ , क्रमाल्लोकात्  $G^L_{40}$  142d अभीष्टं ]  $N_{28}^K$ , यथेष्टं  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C$   
 $G^K E^N$ , अभीष्ट०  $N_{45}^C$ , आभीष्टं  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , अशेष०  $S_{67}^S$ , यथेष्टं  $P_{72}^T G^L_{40}$  • पतिम् ]  
 $\Sigma$ , प्रतिम्  $N_{45}^C$  143a माघे रथमश्वयुतं ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C$ , रथमश्वयुतं माघे  $N_{82}^K P_{72}^T$   
 $G^K$ , ---श्वयुतं माघे  $N_{94}^C$ , माघे अश्वयुतं रथं  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , रथमश्वशतों मोघे  $S_{67}^S$ , रथमश्वयुजम्माघे  
 $G^L_{40}$ , रथं चाश्वयुतं  $E^N$  143b माल्यदीपप्रशोभितम् ]  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C S_{67}^S$ , माल्यदीपसुशोभितम्  
 $N^M N_{77}^{Ko}$ , दीपमाल्यप्रशोभितम्  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C$ , दीपमाल्यासुशोभितम्  $N_{12b}^K$ , दीपमालाप्रशोभितम्  
 $P_{72}^T G^K$ , दीपमालाप्रशोभिते  $P_{72}^{Tc}$ , दिव्यमाल्यप्रशोभितम्  $G^L_{40}$ , दीपमाल्योपशोभितम्  $E^N$   
143c पैष्ट० ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{77}^{Ko} S^{\Sigma}$ , पैष्ट०  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S E^N$ , पैष्ट०  $N_{45}^C$  • लिङ्ग० ]  
 $\Sigma$ , लिंगं  $P_{72}^T G^L_{40}$  143d कृत्वा० ]  $\Sigma$ , शिवा०  $G^K G^L_{40}$  • ०नयेत् ]  $\Sigma$ , ०म्यात्  
 $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , आ---यत्  $G^L_{40}$  144a ०पमै० ]  $\Sigma$ , प्रमै०  $N_{45}^C$  • ०यानैः ]  $\Sigma$ , याणै  
 $N_{77}^{Ko}$  144b श्वेताश्वरथ० ]  $N^{\Sigma} G^{Kac} G^L_{40} E^N$ , श्वेताश्वर०  $N^M$ , श्वेताश्वर०  $S_{67}^S G^{Kac}$ ,  
श्वेतवाजीवि०  $P_{72}^T$  • ०संयुतैः ]  $\Sigma$ , ०राजितैः  $P_{72}^T$  144d रुद्र० ]  $N^{\Sigma} G^L_{40} E^N$ , शिव०  
 $S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^K$

अनुभूयातुलान्मोगानशेषपुरसम्भवान् ।  
क्रमादागत्य लोके इस्मिन् राजानं पतिमास्यात् ॥ १४५ ॥

[ फाल्नुने पैष्टप्रतिमाव्रतम् ]

फाल्नुने प्रतिमां पैष्टीं कृत्वा चरुसमन्विताम् ।  
गन्धमाल्यैरलंकृत्य स्थापयेदीश्वरालये ॥ १४६ ॥

यानैरप्रतिमैर्दिव्यैर्गयनाठ्यसमाकुलैः ।  
वर्षायुतशतं साग्रमीशलोके महीयते ॥ १४७ ॥

सर्वामरनिकायेषु प्राप्य भोगान्सुदुर्लभान् ।  
सम्प्राप्ते इस्मिन्कमालोके यथेष्टं पतिमास्यात् ॥ १४८ ॥

145 ≈ BhavP 1.168.17    146 ≈ BhavP 1.168.18 ≈ CVC 2.28.13    147 ≈ BhavP  
1.168.19 ≈ CVC 2.28.14    148 ≈ BhavP 1.168.20

145a ०यातुलान्मोगान् ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sup>K</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, ०यतुतां भोगांम् N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>,  
०यातुतान्मोगान् N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, ०यातुतां भोगांम् N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>, यातुलान्म --- G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 145d राजानं ]  
Σ, राजानां N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, अशेषं S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> • पतिम् ] Σ, प्रतिम् N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup> 146a फाल्नुने ]  
Σ, फल्नुणे G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> • पैष्टीं ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sup>K</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, पैष्टीं N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, पैष्टीं N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, पैष्टीं  
N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>, पैष्टीं S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, पैष्टीं G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 146b चरु० ] N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, चरु० N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>  
N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>, रूप० P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sup>K</sup>, चरुव० G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>, ०गुरु० E<sup>N</sup> • ०न्विताम् ] N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sup>K</sup>  
E<sup>N</sup>, ०न्वितम् N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>, ०न्विता N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup> 146c ०कृत्य ] Σ, कृत्वा N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>  
146d ईश्वरालये ] Σ, ईश्वरालयेत् N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>, शिवसन्निधौ P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> 147a यानै० ] Σ, स्थानै०  
S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> • ०प्रतिमैर्दिव्यैर् ] Σ, ०प्रतिमैर्दिव्यै N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup> 147b ०गेय० ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>KN<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>  
N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, ०सेय० N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, ०गीत० P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sup>K</sup> • ०नाठ्यसमाकुलैः ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>  
N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>, नाठ्यसमन्वितः N<sup>M</sup>, ०वाद्यसमाकुलैः N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, ०नाद्यसमाकुलैः N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, ०नृत्समाकुलैः  
S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, ०वादित्रसंकुलैः P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sup>K</sup>, ०नाठ्यादिसंकुलैः G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 147c साग्रम् ] Σ, साग्रम् N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>  
147d ईश० ] N<sup>Σ</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, शिव० S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>, रुद्र० G<sup>K</sup> 148a ०मर० ] Σ, ०कार० N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>  
148b प्राप्य भोगान् ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>G<sup>K</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, प्राप्य भोगा N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, प्राप्य  
लोकान् S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, संप्राप्य कुहम् P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> • सुदुर्लभान् ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>G<sup>K</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>E<sup>N</sup>,  
सुदुर्लभम् N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, सुदुर्लभम् N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>, मुत्तमप् P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> 148c सम्प्राप्ते इस्मिन्कमालोके ] N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>  
E<sup>N</sup>, संप्राप्तास्मिन्कमा लोके N<sup>M</sup>, संप्राप्ते तु क्रमालोके N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>, संप्राप्तास्मिन्कमालोके  
N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, संप्राप्तास्मिन्कमालोके S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, क्रमादागत्य लोके इस्मिन् P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>, संप्राप्त्यैवंक्रमालोके G<sup>K</sup>,  
संप्राप्तास्मिन्कमालोके G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 148d यथेष्टं ] N<sup>Mpc</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sup>K</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>Lpc</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, त्वभीष्टं  
N<sup>Mac</sup>, अभीष्टं N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>K</sup>, त्वभीष्टम् N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, यथेष्टं पतिष्टं पतिष्टं G<sub>40</sub><sup>Lac</sup></sup>

[ चैत्रे भवकुमारव्रतम् ]

चैत्रे भवं कुमारं च कृत्वा पैष्टमलंकृतम् ।  
स्थाप्य पात्रे यथोक्ते च आनयेच्छिवमन्दिरम् ॥ १४९ ॥

शरदिन्दुप्रतीकाशैर्विमानैः सार्वकामिकैः ।  
वर्षकोट्ययुतं साग्रं रुद्रलोके महीयते ॥ १५० ॥

कर्मक्षयादिहागत्य पुत्रपौत्रसमन्विता ।  
अभीष्टं पतिमासाद्य लभेद्वोगान्सुदुर्लभान् ॥ १५१ ॥

[ वैशाखे कैलासव्रतम् ]

तण्डुलाढकपिष्ठेन कृत्वा कैलासपर्वतम् ।

149 ≈ BhavP 1.168.21 ≈ CVC 2.28.15    150 ≈ BhavP 1.168.22 ≈ CVC 2.28.16  
151 ≈ BhavP 1.168.23    152 ≈ CVC 2.28.17

149a भवं ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$ , भव०  $N_{28}^{Kpc} G^{Ko}$ , भवनं  $N_{28}^{Kac}$ , मासे  $\$_{67}^S$ , भवं  $E^N$  • च ]  $\Sigma, om.$  149b पैष्ट० ]  $\Sigma, \$_{67}^S$  • ०मलंकृतम् ]  
 $\Sigma, ०मयं कृतम् N_{77}^{Ko}$  149c पात्रे ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G^{Ko} E^N$ , पात्रां  $N^M N_{12b}^K \$_{67}^S G_{40}^L$  पात्रा  
 $N_{28}^K$  (the top part of these letters are missing), घात्यां  $N_{45}^C$ , पात्रान्  $N_{77}^{Ko}$  • यथोक्ते  
च ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C G^{Ko} E^N$ , यथोक्तायां  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} G_{40}^L$ , यथोक्तायांम्  $N_{28}^K$  यथोक्तां च  $\$_{67}^S$ ,  
यथाप्रोक्तं  $P_{72}^T$  149d आनये० ]  $\Sigma, चानये० \$_{67}^S$  • ०मन्दिरम् ]  $\Sigma, मन्दिरे \$_{67}^S G^{Ko}$   
150a ०दिन्दु० ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C \$_{67}^S G^{Ko} G_{40}^L E^N$ , ०देन्दु०  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ , ०दीन्द्र०  
 $P_{72}^{Tpc}$ , ०दिन्द्र०  $P_{72}^{Tac}$  150ab ०काशैर्विं० ]  $\Sigma, ०काशै वि N_{77}^{Ko}$  150b विमानैः ]  
 $\Sigma, विमानैः E^N$  • सर्व० ]  $\Sigma, सर्व० N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$  • ०कामिकैः ]  $\Sigma, ०गामिकैः$   
 $P_{72}^T$ , ०भामिकैः  $G_{40}^L$  150c वर्ष० ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} \$_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{Ko} E^N$ , वर्ष०  $N^M$   
 $N_{12b}^K G_{40}^L$  • ०कोट्ययुतं ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T E^N$ , ०युतशतं  $N^M N_{12b}^K G_{40}^L$ , ०कोट्यायुतं  
 $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} \$_{67}^S$ , ०कोटियुतं  $G^{Ko}$  150d रुद्र० ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} E^N$ , शिव०  
 $N_{12b}^K \$_{67}^S \$^{\Sigma}$  151b ०गत्य ]  $\Sigma, ०गत्या G_{40}^L$  • ०पौत्र० ]  $\Sigma, ०पौत्रा० N_{45}^C$  •  
०समन्विता ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C \$_{67}^S G^{Ko} E^N$ , ०मनन्तकम्  $N^M N_{12b}^K$ , ०समन्वितः  $N_{28}^K$ , ०समन्विताः  
 $N_{45}^C$ , ०समन्वितम्  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , प्रतिष्ठितम्  $P_{72}^T$ , प्रतिष्ठिता  $G_{40}^L$  151c आसाद्य ]  $\Sigma, आसाद्या$   
 $G_{40}^L$  151d लभेद् ]  $\Sigma, भजेद् \$_{67}^S$ , लभेदे  $G_{40}^L$  • भोगान् ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K \$_{67}^S G^{Ko}$ ,  
भोगं  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{77}^{Ko} P_{72}^T$ , भोगा  $N_{45}^C$ , भोगन्  $G_{40}^L$ , भागं  $E^N$  • सुदुर्लभान् ]  $N^M N_{28}^K$   
 $\$_{67}^S \$^{\Sigma}$ , सुदुर्लभम्  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{77}^{Ko} E^N$ , च दुर्लभान्  $N_{12b}^K$ , सुदुर्लभाम्  $N_{45}^C$

ईश्वरोमासमायुक्तं सर्वधातुविभूषितम् ॥ १५२ ॥

कन्दरैर्निचितं चित्रैर्लवणप्रस्थसंयुतम् ।

सर्वरत्नसमायुक्तं स्थापयेदीश्वरालये ॥ १५३ ॥

कैलासब्रतमित्येवं वैशाख्यां या समाचरेत् ।

कैलासकल्पितैर्यनैः शिवलोके महीयते ॥ १५४ ॥

शिवादिसर्वलोकेषु भुक्त्वा भोगानशेषतः ।

क्रमादागत्य कैलासे नगेन्द्रे मोदते चिरम् ॥ १५५ ॥

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152cd ≈ LiP 1.84.32cd    152 ≈ BhavP 1.168.24    153 ≈ BhavP 1.168.25  
 ≈ CVC 2.28.18    153cd ≈ LiP 1.84.33ab    154 ≈ BhavP 1.168.26 ≈ CVC  
 2.28.19    155 ≈ BhavP 1.168.27

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152cd  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$  omits this line. 153ab  $G^{K\bar{a}}$  adds the following two lines before verse  
 153 : स्थाप्य पात्रे यथोक्ते च आनयेच्छिवमन्दिरे । शरदिन्दुप्रतीकाशैः विमानैः सार्वकामिकैः ॥ (≈  
 149cd–150ab).

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152c ईश्वरो० ]  $\Sigma$ , ईश्वरो०  $N_{82}^K$  152d ०भूषितम् ]  $\Sigma$ , ०भूषिताम्  $N_{45}^C$   
 153a कन्दरैर् ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G^{K\bar{a}} E^N$ , कन्दरै  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^K$ , कन्दरं  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$ , कन्दरेन्  
 $G_{40}^L$  • निचितं ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C \acute{S}_{67}^S E^N$ , निचितैश  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{77}^K P_{72}^T$ , विविधैश  $G^{K\bar{a}}$ ,  
 निभिसै  $G_{40}^L$  • चित्रैर् ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C \acute{S}_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{K\bar{a}} E^N$ , चित्रै  $N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^K$ , चि---  
 $G_{40}^L$  153b लवण० ]  $\Sigma$ , लवणां  $N_{45}^C$ , लवणं  $N_{77}^K$  • ०संयुतम् ]  $N^{\Sigma} \acute{S}_{67}^S G^{K\bar{a}}$   
 $E^N$ , ०संयुतैः  $N^M P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$  153c सर्वरत्न० ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^K S^{\Sigma} E^N$ , सर्वरस०  
 $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C$ , सर्वारम्भम्  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$  153d ०लये ]  $\Sigma$ , ०लयेत्  $N_{77}^K$  154a ०येवं ]  $N^{\Sigma} \acute{S}_{67}^S$   
 $E^N$ , ०युक्तं  $P_{72}^T$ , ०येतद्  $G^{K\bar{a}}$ , ०यूक्तं  $G_{40}^L$  154b वैशाख्यां ]  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$ ,  
 वैशाखां  $N^M$ , वैशाख्यां  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^K$ , वैशाखे  $\acute{S}_{67}^S G^{K\bar{a}}$ , वैशाख्यं  $E^N$  • या ]  $N_{82}^K$   
 $N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C G^{K\bar{a}} E^N$ , यां  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{77}^K$ , यः  $\acute{S}_{67}^S P_{72}^T$ , च  $G_{40}^L$  154c ०सकल्पितैर्यनैः ]  
 $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C$ , ०सकल्पसंयनैः  $N^M N_{12b}^K$ , ०सकल्पयानैः सा  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C E^N$ , ०ससदौ याणैश  $N_{77}^K$ ,  
 ०साभेमहायानैः  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$ , ०सकोमलैर्यनैः  $P_{72}^T G^{K\bar{a}}$ , ०सपच्छेते याने  $G_{40}^L$  155a ०लोकेषु ]  
 $\Sigma$ , ०लोकेस्मि  $N^M$  155cd कैलासे नगेन्द्रे ]  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C$ , कैलासै नागेन्द्रे  $N_{28}^K$ ,  
 नागेन्द्रे कैलासे  $N_{82}^K$ , नागैन्द्रैः कैलासे  $N_{94}^C$ , कैलासे नागेन्द्रे  $N_{77}^K$ , कैलासे गणेन्द्रैर्  $\acute{S}_{67}^S$ , लोके  
 ०स्मित्राजेन्द्रं  $P_{72}^T$ , लोके ०स्मित्राजानं  $G^{K\bar{a}} G_{40}^L$ , शैलेन्द्रैः कैलासे  $E^N$  155d मोदते चिरम् ]  
 $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^K \acute{S}_{67}^S E^N$ , मोदिते चिरम्  $N_{28}^K$ , पतिमासुयात्  $S^{\Sigma}$

[ ज्येष्ठे लिङ्गव्रतम् ]

लिङ्गं पिष्टमयं कृत्वा ज्येष्ठमासे सवेदिकम् ।  
पात्रं सम्पूज्य गन्त्याद्यैर्वस्त्रयुग्मेन वेष्टयेत् ॥ १५६ ॥

उपशोभाविशेषैश्च तत्र जागरमाचरेत् ।  
प्रभाते ध्वजशङ्खाद्यैर्नीत्वा चायतने न्यसेत् ॥ १५७ ॥

शुद्धस्फटिकसंकाशैर्विमानैः सार्वकामिकैः ।  
वर्षकोटिशतं साग्रं शिवलोके महीयते ॥ १५८ ॥

भुत्त्वा भोगान्यथाकाममशेषपुरसम्भवान् ।  
क्रमादागत्य लोके ८स्मिन् राजानं पतिमास्तुयात् ॥ १५९ ॥

**156** ≈ CVC 2.28.20    **157** ≈ CVC 2.28.21    **158** ≈ CVC 2.28.22

**156d** omitted in N<sup>M</sup>    **157abc** omitted in N<sup>M</sup>    **159ab** After *pādas* ab, some sources insert two extra *pādas*: क्रीडाविरक्तभावैश्च मोदते शङ्खराज्या N<sup>K<sub>pc</sub></sup>(diff. hand) N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>E<sup>N</sup>; क्रीडाभिरतिभावैश्च मोदते शंकरालये P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>, क्रीडाविशेषभावैश्च मोदते शङ्खरालये G<sup>K<sub>a</sub></sup>. The following MSS do not insert anything here: N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>K<sub>ac</sub></sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>K<sub>d</sub></sup><sub>77</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>.

**156a** लिङ्गं ] Σ, लिङ्ग N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>K<sub>d</sub></sup><sub>77</sub>    **156b** ज्येष्ठ० ] N<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>E<sup>N</sup>, ज्येष्ठे N<sup>M</sup>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>  
G<sup>K<sub>a</sub></sup> • सवेदिकम् ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>S<sup>S</sup>, च वेदिकम् N<sup>K<sub>d</sub></sup><sub>77</sub>, महेश्वरम् S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>,  
प्रयोजयेत् E<sup>N</sup>    **156c** पात्रं ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>, पात्र्या N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>, पात्र्या N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>, भत्त्वा N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>E<sup>N</sup>,  
पात्या N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>, पात्या N<sup>K<sub>d</sub></sup><sub>77</sub>    **156cd** ०द्यैर्व० ] N<sup>K<sub>d</sub></sup><sub>77</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>G<sup>K<sub>a</sub></sup>E<sup>N</sup>, ०द्यै N<sup>M</sup>, ०द्यैर्व०  
N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>, ०द्यै व० N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>, ०द्यै व० N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>    **156d** वेष्टयेत् ] Σ, वेष्टयेत् N<sup>C<sub>ac</sub></sup>  
**157a** ०विशेषैश्च ] Σ, विशेषं G<sup>K<sub>a</sub></sup>    **157b** तत्र ] Σ, त्र G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>    **157c** ध्वज० ]  
Σ, ध० N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub> • ०शङ्खाद्यैर० ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>G<sup>K<sub>a</sub></sup>E<sup>N</sup>, ०सङ्खाद्यै N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>K<sub>d</sub></sup><sub>77</sub>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>  
**157d** नीत्वा चायतने न्यसेत् ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>K<sub>d</sub></sup><sub>77</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>, शिवाय विनिवेदयेत् N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>S<sup>S</sup>  
E<sup>N</sup>    **158b** विमानैः ] Σ, विमानै N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub> • साव० ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>77</sub>E<sup>N</sup>, सर्व०  
N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>K<sub>d</sub></sup><sub>77</sub> • ०कामिकैः ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>K<sub>d</sub></sup><sub>77</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>G<sup>K<sub>a</sub></sup>E<sup>N</sup>, ०कामदैः N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>  
N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>, ०गामिकैः P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>    **158c** ०शतं ] Σ, ०युग्रं P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub> • साग्रं ] Σ, दिव्यं S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>  
**158d** शिव० ] Σ, रुद्र० N<sup>M</sup>    **159a** भोगान् ] Σ, भोगा N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub> • ०कामम् ]  
N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>S<sup>S</sup>, ०कामान् N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>E<sup>N</sup>, ०कामान् N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>, ०कामाम् N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>, ०कामन् N<sup>K<sub>d</sub></sup><sub>77</sub>  
**159b** ०सम्भवान् ] Σ, सम्भवात् N<sup>K<sub>d</sub></sup><sub>77</sub>, ०संभवम् S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>    **159c** क्रमाद् ] Σ, क्रमाद् G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>  
**159d** राजानं ] Σ, राजानाम् N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub> • पति० ] Σ, प्रतिं N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>K<sub>d</sub></sup><sub>77</sub>

[ आषाढे गृहव्रतम् ]

गृहं पिष्टमयं कुर्यादाषाढे तु त्रिभूमिकम् ।  
सर्वबीजरसैश्चापि सम्पूर्णं शुभलक्षणम् ॥ १६० ॥

गृहोपकरणैर्युक्तं मुशलोल्खलादिभिः ।  
सर्वरत्नादिगोऽश्वाद्यैर्दासीशास्याद्यलङ्कृतम् ॥ १६१ ॥

एतैः पिष्टमयैः सर्वैः प्रदीपाद्युपशोभितम् ।  
सर्वभक्ष्यसमाकीर्णं गन्धमाल्यैरलंकृतम् ॥ १६२ ॥

**160** ≈ BhavP 1.168.28 ≈ CVC 2.28.23    **160cd** ≈ LiP 1.84.39cd    **161ab** ≈  
LiP 1.84.40ab    **161** ≈ CVC 2.28.24    **162** ≈ CVC 2.28.25

**161ab**  $G^K$  adds the following after 161b : सर्वधान्यसमायुक्तं सर्वमण्डनभूषितम् । सर्वधान्य-  
समाकीर्णं सर्वरत्नोपशोभितम् ॥ (≈ 176).

<b>160a</b> गृहं ] $\Sigma$ , गृह $N_{45}^C$ , ग्रहं $P_{72}^T$ $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C S_{67}^S$ , कृत्वा आषाढे तु त्रिं <b>160b</b> आषाढे त्रिं $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C$ , सदाषाढे त्रिं $S_{67}^S$ , आषाढे सप्तं $P_{72}^T G^K$ , आषाढे त्रिं $G_{40}^L$ , आषाढेपित्रिं $E^N$ • ०भूमिकम् ] $N^{\Sigma} S_{67}^S P_{72}^T$ , ०भौमिकम् $G^K$ , ०भुषितम् $G_{40}^L$ , ०भूषणम् <b>160c</b> ०रसैश्चापि ] $\Sigma$ , ०फलैश्चै $S_{67}^S$ ०पूर्ण ] $\Sigma$ , ०पूर्ण $N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C$ • शुभ० ] $\Sigma$ , शिवं $S_{67}^S$ • ०लक्षणम् ] $\Sigma$ , ०क्षणम् $N_{12b}^{Kac}$ ०गृहोपकरणैर्यु० ] $\Sigma$ , ०गृहोपकरणे यु० $N_{45}^C$ , ०गृहोपकरणैर्यु० $P_{72}^T$ ०गृहोपकरणैर्यु० ] $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K$ $N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S G^K G_{40}^L E^N$ , मुशलोल्खव० $N^M N_{77}^K$ , सुमुशलोल्खव० $N_{45}^C$ , मुशलोल्खव० $P_{72}^T$ <b>161c</b> ०रत्नादिं ] $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G^K E^N$ , ०रत्नानि $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^K$ , ०रत्नाध० $S_{67}^S$ , ०रत्नैश्च $G_{40}^L$ • ०गोऽश्वाद्यैर् ] $N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G^K E^N$ , ०भिश्वान्त्रैर् $N^M N_{12b}^K$ , ०गोश्वाद्यैर् $N_{28}^K$ , ०गोऽश्वाद्यै $N_{82}^K$ , ०गोश्वाद्यै $N_{45}^C$ , ०गोश्वाद्यै $N_{77}^K$ , ०गोदासी० $S_{67}^S$ , ०गोभिश्व $G_{40}^L$ <b>161d</b> दासीशास्याद्यलङ्कृतम् ] $N^M N_{82}^K N_{94}^C G^K G_{40}^L E^N$ , दासीशास्यामलंकृतम् $N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K$ $N_{45}^C N_{77}^K P_{72}^T$ , ०वस्त्रशास्यरसान्वितम् $S_{67}^S$ ०वस्त्रशास्यरसान्वितम् $S_{67}^S$ ०वस्त्रशास्यरसान्वितम् $S_{67}^S$ एतैः $N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K$ , एभिः $S_{67}^S$ • ०मयैः ] $\Sigma$ , मयै $N_{77}^K$ • सर्वैः ] $\Sigma$ , सर्वैः $G_{40}^L$ <b>162b</b> प्रदीपां ] $\Sigma$ , सुदीपां $G^K$ • ०शोभितम् ] $N_{82}^K G^K E^N$ , ०शोभितैः $N^M N_{12b}^K$ $N_{45}^C N_{77}^K S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$ , ०शोभितैः $N_{28}^K$ , ०शोभितम् $N_{94}^C$ ०शोभितैः $N_{28}^K$ , ०भक्त० $P_{72}^T$ , ०भद्रैस $G_{40}^L$ • ०कीर्ण ] $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S E^N$ , ०कीर्णः $N_{28}^K$ , ०कीर्ण $N_{82}^K N_{77}^K$ , ०कीर्णः $N_{45}^C$ ०कीर्ण ] $\Sigma$ , ०कृताम् $N_{45}^C$	• कुर्याद् ] $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C E^N$ , कृत्वा आषाढे त्रिं ] $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^K$ , आषाढे पित्रिं $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C$ , सदाषाढे त्रिं $S_{67}^S$ , आषाढे सप्तं $P_{72}^T G^K$ , आषाढे त्रिं $G_{40}^L$ , आषाढेपित्रिं $E^N$ • ०भूमिकम् ] $N^{\Sigma} S_{67}^S P_{72}^T$ , ०भौमिकम् $G^K$ , ०भुषितम् $G_{40}^L$ , ०भूषणम् <b>160d</b> ०रसैश्चापि ] $\Sigma$ , ०फलैश्चै $S_{67}^S$ ०पूर्ण ] $\Sigma$ , ०पूर्ण $N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C$ • शुभ० ] $\Sigma$ , शिवं $S_{67}^S$ • ०लक्षणम् ] $\Sigma$ , ०क्षणम् $N_{12b}^{Kac}$ ०गृहोपकरणैर्यु० ] $\Sigma$ , ०गृहोपकरणे यु० $N_{45}^C$ , ०गृहोपकरणैर्यु० $P_{72}^T$ ०गृहोपकरणैर्यु० ] $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K$ $N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S G^K G_{40}^L E^N$ , मुशलोल्खव० $N^M N_{77}^K$ , सुमुशलोल्खव० $N_{45}^C$ , मुशलोल्खव० $P_{72}^T$ <b>161b</b> मुशलोल्खव० ] $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K$ , <b>161c</b> ०रत्नादिं ] $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G^K E^N$ , ०रत्नानि $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^K$ , ०रत्नाध० $S_{67}^S$ , ०रत्नैश्च $G_{40}^L$ • ०गोऽश्वाद्यैर् ] $N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G^K E^N$ , ०भिश्वान्त्रैर् $N^M N_{12b}^K$ , ०गोश्वाद्यैर् $N_{28}^K$ , ०गोऽश्वाद्यै $N_{82}^K$ , ०गोश्वाद्यै $N_{45}^C$ , ०गोश्वाद्यै $N_{77}^K$ , ०गोदासी० $S_{67}^S$ , ०गोभिश्व $G_{40}^L$ <b>161d</b> दासीशास्याद्यलङ्कृतम् ] $N^M N_{82}^K N_{94}^C G^K G_{40}^L E^N$ , दासीशास्यामलंकृतम् $N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K$ $N_{45}^C N_{77}^K P_{72}^T$ , ०वस्त्रशास्यरसान्वितम् $S_{67}^S$ ०वस्त्रशास्यरसान्वितम् $S_{67}^S$ ०वस्त्रशास्यरसान्वितम् $S_{67}^S$ एतैः $N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K$ , एभिः $S_{67}^S$ • ०मयैः ] $\Sigma$ , मयै $N_{77}^K$ • सर्वैः ] $\Sigma$ , सर्वैः $G_{40}^L$ <b>162a</b> एतैः ] $N^M N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^K S^{\Sigma} E^N$ , एतैः $N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K$ , एभिः $S_{67}^S$ • ०मयैः ] $\Sigma$ , मयै $N_{77}^K$ • सर्वैः ] $\Sigma$ , सर्वैः $G_{40}^L$ <b>162b</b> प्रदीपां ] $\Sigma$ , सुदीपां $G^K$ • ०शोभितम् ] $N_{82}^K G^K E^N$ , ०शोभितैः $N^M N_{12b}^K$ $N_{45}^C N_{77}^K S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$ , ०शोभितैः $N_{28}^K$ , ०शोभितम् $N_{94}^C$ ०शोभितैः $N_{28}^K$ , ०भक्त० $P_{72}^T$ , ०भद्रैस $G_{40}^L$ • ०कीर्ण ] $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S E^N$ , ०कीर्णः $N_{28}^K$ , ०कीर्ण $N_{82}^K N_{77}^K$ , ०कीर्णः $N_{45}^C$ ०कीर्ण ] $\Sigma$ , ०कृताम् $N_{45}^C$
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श्वेतरक्तासितैः पीतैर्ध्वजैर्वस्त्रैः सुशोभितम् ।  
चतुर्विंधेन चरुणा संयुक्तं सर्षपैस्तथा ॥ १६३ ॥

आषाढे पौर्णमास्यां वै गृहं स्थाप्य शिवाग्रतः ।  
सर्वोपकरणोपेतं प्रणिपत्य निवेदयेत् ॥ १६४ ॥

शतभौमैमहायानैर्विमानैः सार्वकामिकैः ।  
वर्षकोटिशतं साग्रं शिवलोके महीयते ॥ १६५ ॥

भुक्त्वा तु विपुलान्भोगान्सर्वलोकेष्वनुक्रमात् ।

**163** ≈ CVC 2.28.26    **164** ≈ CVC 2.28.27    **165** ≈ BhavP 1.168.29 ≈ CVC  
2.28.28    **166** ≈ BhavP 1.168.30

**163c** Between चतुर्विंधेन and चरुणा in 163c,  $G^K$  attests the following lines, which correspond to SDhS 7.40b–42ab : शर्वाय ज्ञानगन्धफलाधिकम् । क्षिर्ति ग्राह्वै रत्नानि होमाद्यं च निवेदयेत् ॥ ज्ञेयो न्नमः शिवायेति मत्रः सर्वार्थसाधकः । सर्वमत्राधिकश्चायमोङ्काराद्यः षडक्षरः ॥ शिवेनान्तर्बहिंश्वैव व्यासं सर्वं चराचरम् । **164d** omitted in  $G_{40}^L$ . **165**  $G_{40}^L$  omits सार्वकामिकैः ... वर्षकोटिशतः.

**163a** श्वेतरक्तासितैः ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S^\Sigma$ , श्वेतरक्तशितैः  $N^M N_{94}^C E^N$ , श्वेतैरक्तैस्तथा  $S_{67}^S$  • पीतैर् ]  $\Sigma$ , पद्मैर्  $N_{94}^C E^N$  **163b** ध्वजैर्वस्त्रैः सुशोभितम् ]  $N_{94}^C P_{72}^T$ , ध्वजवस्त्रोपशोभितैः  $N^M$ , ध्वजैर्वस्त्रप्रशोभितैः  $N_{28}^K$ , ध्वजैर्वस्त्रैः सुशोभितैः  $N_{82}^K E^N$ , ध्वजैर्वस्त्रोपशोभितैः  $N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} G^K$ , ध्वजवस्त्रादिशोभितैः  $S_{67}^{SpC}$ , ध्वजवस्त्रादिशोभितैः सर्वभक्ष्यस्समाकीर्ण  $S_{67}^{Sac}$ , ध्वजवस्त्रैस्सुपूजितः  $G_{40}^L$  **163cd** ०विधेन चरुणा संयुक्तं ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K G^K$ , ०विधेन संयुक्तं वलिना  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C E^N$ , ०विधेन चारुणा संयुक्तं  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ , ०विधेन चरुणा संयुक्तैः  $S_{67}^S$ , ०विधैश्च चरुणा संयुक्तं  $P_{72}^T$ , ०विधेन वलिना स्वयुक्तं  $G_{40}^L$  **163d** सर्षपैस्तथा ]  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} G^K$ , सर्षपैतथा  $N_{28}^K$ , सर्षपै तु  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C E^N$ , दर्पणेन तु  $P_{72}^T$ , प्रषभेण तु  $G_{40}^L$  **164a** आषाढे ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S S^\Sigma E^N$ , आषाढ्यं  $N_{28}^K N_{77}^{Ko}$ , आशाढ्या  $N_{45}^C$  • ०मास्यां ]  $\Sigma$ , ०मास्या  $N_{45}^C$ , ०मास्ये  $N_{77}^{Ko}$  • वै ]  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ , च  $N^M N_{12b}^K$ , वा  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S E^N$ , तु  $S^\Sigma$  **164b** गृहं ]  $\Sigma$ , शिवं  $P_{72}^T$ , गृहे  $G^K$  • शिवाग्रतः ]  $\Sigma$ , निवेदयेत  $G_{40}^L$  **164c** ०पकरणोपेतं ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C S^\Sigma E^N$ , ०प्रकरणोपेतं  $N_{12b}^K$ , ०पकरणैपेतं  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , ०पकरणसंयुक्तं  $S_{67}^S$  **165a** शत० ]  $\Sigma$ , सर्व०  $S_{67}^S$ , सप्त०  $G^K$  • ०भौमै० ]  $N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , भौगौ०  $N^M N_{45}^C$ , ०भौमै०  $N_{82}^K$ , ०भौग०  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , भूमै०  $G^K$  **165b** विमानैः सार्वकामिकैः ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S E^N$ , सर्वभोगप्रपूरितैः  $N^M N_{12b}^K$ , विमानैः सर्वकामिकैः  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ , विमानैः सार्वगामिकैः  $P_{72}^T$ , सर्वभोगसमन्वितैः  $G^K$ , विमानै  $G_{40}^L$  **165c** ०कोटिशतं ]  $\Sigma$ , ०कोट्यायुतं  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , --  $G_{40}^L$  • साग्रं ]  $\Sigma$ , दिव्यं  $S_{67}^S$  **165d** शिव० ]  $\Sigma$ , रुद्र०  $G_{40}^L$  **166a** भुक्त्वा तु विपुलान् ]  $\Sigma$ , विविधान्सुवनं  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , भुक्त्वा स विपुलान्  $S_{67}^S$  • भोगान् ]  $\Sigma$ , भोगा  $N_{45}^C$  **166b** ०लोकेष्वनु० ]  $\Sigma$ , ०लोकेषु च  $G_{40}^L$

प्राप्य तं सर्वभोगाद्यं सप्तभौमं गृहं लभेत् ॥ १६६ ॥

[ श्रावणे तिलपर्वतव्रतम् ]

सर्वधातुसमाकीर्ण विचित्रध्वजशोभितम् ।  
निवेदयीत शर्वाय श्रावणे तिलपर्वतम् ॥ १६७ ॥

स्वच्छेन्द्रनीलसंकाशैर्यानैरप्रतिमैः शुभैः ।  
वर्षकोटिशतं साग्रं शिवलोके महीयते ॥ १६८ ॥

विविधान्मुवनान्मोगानवाप्य विपुलान्दिवि ।  
क्रमालोकमिमं प्राप्य राजानं पतिमास्यात् ॥ १६९ ॥

**167** = LiP 1.84.46cd-47ab ≈ BhavP 1.168.31 ≈ CVC 2.28.29    **168** ≈ BhavP  
1.168.32 ≈ CVC 2.28.30    **169** ≈ BhavP 1.168.33

**166c** प्राप्य तं ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C E^N$ , प्राप्ता तु  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{77}^K P_{72}^T$ , प्राप्तात्तु  $N_{45}^C$ , भूलोक  
 $S_{67}^S$ , प्राप्तोति  $G_{40}^L$ , संप्राप्य  $G_{40}^L$  • ०द्यं ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^K E^N$ , ०द्यं  
 $N_{12b}^K N_{77}^K$ , ०द्यं  $N_{45}^C$ , ०द्यं  $G_{40}^L$  **166d** सप्तभौमं गृहं लभेत् ]  $N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T$   
 $G^K$ , सर्वभौमग्रहं लभेत्  $N^M$ , सप्तभौमग्रहं लभेत्  $N_{82}^K N_{77}^K E^N$ , सप्तभौमं ग्रहं लभेत्  $N_{45}^C$ , ग्रहं  
लब्ध्वा प्रमोदते  $G_{40}^L$  **167a** ०धातु० ]  $\Sigma$ , ०वीज०  $S_{67}^S$ , ०धा ---  $G_{40}^L$  • ०कीर्ण० ]  
 $\Sigma$ , ०कीर्ण०  $N_{77}^K$  **167b** विचित्र० ]  $\Sigma$ , विचित्रा०  $N_{45}^C$  • ०शोभितम्० ]  $\Sigma$ ,  
०शोभितै०  $N_{45}^C$  **167c** निवेदयीत० ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C P_{72}^T G^K E^N$ , निवेदयीत०  
 $N_{77}^K$ , निवेदयेच०  $S_{67}^S G_{40}^L$  **167d** श्रावणे० ]  $\Sigma$ , श्राव  $N_{45}^C$  **168a** स्वच्छ० ]  
 $\Sigma$ , रूचे०  $P_{72}^T$  **168b** ०र्यानैर० ]  $\Sigma$ , ०रनेक०  $G_{40}^L$  • ०प्रतिमै० ]  $\Sigma$ , ०प्रतिमै०  
 $N_{45}^C G_{40}^L$  **168c** ०कोटिशतं० ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^K E^N$ , ०कोट्याशतं  $N_{28}^K$   
 $N_{77}^K$ , ०कोट्यशतं  $N_{12b}^K$ , ०कोटि० ---  $G_{40}^L$  • साग्रं ]  $\Sigma$ , दिव्यं  $G^K$ , --- ग्रं  $G_{40}^L$   
**168d** शिव० ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^K S_{67}^S S^\Sigma$ , रुद०  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K E^N$  **169a** विविधान्० ]  
 $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{77}^K S_{67}^S P_{72}^T E^N$ , विविधा०  $N_{45}^C$ , भुत्त्वा तु  $G^K G_{40}^L$  • भुवनान्० ]  
 $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K P_{72}^T$ , योवनान्  $N_{28}^K$ , om.  $N_{82}^{Kac}$ , भुवना०  $N_{94}^C$ , भौमानां०  $N_{45}^C$ , भुवनै०  $N_{77}^K$ ,  
विपुलान्०  $S_{67}^S G^K G_{40}^L$ , भुवने०  $E^N$  **169b** अवाप्य विपुलान्दिवि० ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{77}^K E^N$ ,  
अवाप्य विमलेन्दियः०  $N^M$ , आवाप्य विपुलान्दिवि०  $N_{12b}^K$ , आवाप्य विपुलान्दिवि०  $N_{45}^C$ , अवाप्य  
विमलान्दिवि०  $S_{67}^S$ , अवाप्य विविधान्दिवि०  $P_{72}^T$ , सर्वलोकेष्वनुकमात्०  $G^K$ , सर्वान्० लोकेषु नुकमात्०  
 $G_{40}^L$  **169c** क्रमालोक० ]  $\Sigma$ , क्रमा लोके०  $N_{45}^C$ , मर्त्यलोक०  $S_{67}^S$  **169d** राजानं० ]  
 $\Sigma$ , राजानाम०  $N_{45}^C$ , राजा ---  $G_{40}^L$  • पतिमास्यात्० ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^K E^N$ , लभते०  
पतिमै०  $N^M N_{12b}^K$ , प्रतिमास्यात्०  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^K$ , --- यात्०  $G_{40}^L$

[ भाद्रे नगवतम् ]

कृत्वा भाद्रपदे मासे शोभितं शालिपर्वतम् ।  
वितानध्वजवस्त्रायैर्धातुभिश्च निवेदयेत् ॥ १७० ॥

दिवाकरकरप्रख्यैर्महायानैः सुशोभनैः ।  
वर्षकोटिसहस्राणि शिवलोके महीयते ॥ १७१ ॥

सम्प्राप्य विपुलान्भोगानशेषपुरसम्भवान् ।  
क्रमादागत्य लोके ५स्मिन् राजानं पतिमास्तुयात् ॥ १७२ ॥

[ आश्वयुजे धान्यपर्वतवतम् ]

कृत्वा चाश्वयुजे मासे विपुलं धान्यपर्वतम् ।  
सुवर्णवस्त्रसंयुक्तं शिवाय विनिवेदयेत् ॥ १७३ ॥

सुविचित्रैर्महायानैर्वरभोगसमन्वितैः ।

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**170**  $\approx$  BhavP 1.168.34  $\approx$  CVC 2.28.31    **170cd**  $\approx$  LiP 1.84.49ab    **171**  $\approx$  BhavP 1.168.35  $\approx$  CVC 2.28.32    **172**  $\approx$  BhavP 1.168.36    **173ab**  $\approx$  LiP 1.84.50cd  
**173**  $\approx$  BhavP 1.168.37  $\approx$  CVC 2.28.33    **173cd**  $\approx$  LiP 1.84.51ab    **174**  $\approx$  BhavP 1.168.38  $\approx$  CVC 2.28.34

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**170b** 170b–173a is missing in  $S_{67}^S$  and  $G^{K_6}$ .

**170a** ०पदे ]  $\Sigma$ , ०भद्रे  $G_{40}^L$  • मासे ]  $\Sigma$ , मासि  $S_{67}^S$     **170b** शोभितं ]  $N^M N_{28}^{K_{12b}} N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K$   
 $N_{94}^C N_{45}^C E^N$ , शोभि  $N_{28}^{K_{ac}}$ , शोभित  $N_{77}^{K_6}$ , शोभनं  $P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$     **170c** वितानध्वजवस्त्रायैर् ]  
 $N^M N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{77}^{K_6} P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , विमानध्वजवस्त्रायैः  $N_{28}^K$ , वितानध्वजवस्त्रायै  $N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C$   
**170d** धातुभिश्च ]  $\Sigma$ , धातुभि  $N_{82}^{K_{ac}}$     **171ab** दिवाकरकरप्रख्यैर्महायानैः सुशोभनैः ]  $N^M N_{82}^K$   
 $N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C P_{72}^T E^N$ , दिवाकरकरप्रख्यै महायानैः सुशोभनैः  $N_{28}^K$ , दिवाकरकरप्रख्यैर्महायानै  
सुशोभनैः  $N_{77}^{K_6}$ , दिवाकरकरप्रख्यैर्महा --- नैसुशोभनैः  $G_{40}^L$     **171d** शिव० ]  $N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K$   
 $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{K_6} G^{K_6} G_{40}^L$ , रुद्र०  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T E^N$     **172a** ०प्राप्य ]  $\Sigma$ , ०प्राप्ते  $N_{77}^{K_6}$  •  
विपुला० ]  $\Sigma$ , विविधा०  $N_{12b}^K$  • भोगान् ]  $\Sigma$ , भोगाम्  $N_{45}^C$     **172b** ०पुरसम्भ० ]  $\Sigma$ ,  
--- संभ०  $G_{40}^L$     **172c** क्रमा० ]  $\Sigma$ , क्रमा०  $G_{40}^L$  • लोके ५स्मिन् ]  $\Sigma$ , लोकेषुन्  $G_{40}^L$   
**173a** चाश्व० ]  $\Sigma$ , आश्व०  $N^M$  • मासे ]  $\Sigma$ , मासि  $S_{67}^S P_{72}^T$     **173b** विपुलं ]  
 $\Sigma$ , विपुलान्  $N^M G_{40}^L$  • धान्य० ]  $\Sigma$ , शालिं  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C$  • ०पर्वतम् ]  $\Sigma$ , ०पर्वतां  
 $N^M$     **173c** सुवर्णवस्त्रसंयुक्तं ]  $\Sigma$ , सुवर्णवस्त्रसंयुक्त  $N_{28}^K$ , वितानध्वजच्छत्राङ्गं  $S_{67}^S$   
**173d** शिवाय ]  $\Sigma$ , शि --- य  $G_{40}^L$     **174a** ०विचित्रैर्म० ]  $\Sigma$ , ०विचित्रै म०  $N_{45}^C$   
**174ab** यानैर्व० ]  $\Sigma$ , यानै व०  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C$     **174b** ०समन्वितैः ]  $\Sigma$ , ०समन्वितैः  $G_{40}^L$

वर्षकोटिसहस्राणि रुद्रलोके महीयते ॥ १७४ ॥

रुद्रलोकादिलोकेषु भुत्त्वा भोगान्यथेष्टितान् ।  
सम्प्राप्तस्मिन्कमाल्होके राजानं पतिमाप्नुयात् ॥ १७५ ॥

[ कार्त्तिके धान्यपर्वतब्रतम् ]

सर्वधान्यसमायुक्तं सर्वबीजरसादिभिः ।  
सर्वधातुसमायुक्तं सर्वरत्नोपशोभितम् ॥ १७६ ॥

शृङ्गश्चतुर्भिः संयुक्तं वितानच्छत्रशोभितम् ।  
गन्धैर्माल्यैस्तथा धूपैः प्रदीपैश्चापि शोभितम् ॥ १७७ ॥

विविधैर्नृत्तगीतैश्च शङ्खवीणादिभिस्तथा ।

175 ≈ BhavP 1.168.39      176 ≈ LiP 1.84.52 ≈ CVC 2.28.35      177 ≈ LiP  
1.84.53 ≈ CVC 2.28.36      178 ≈ LiP 1.84.54 ≈ CVC 2.28.37

176  $N^M$  and  $N^K_{12b}$  omit verses 176–191.  $\acute{S}_{67}$  omits 176b and c.  $G^L_{40}$  omits 176b–177a.

174c ०सहस्राणि ]  $\Sigma$ , ०शतं सायं  $G^{K\acute{S}}G^L_{40}$  174d रुद्र० ]  $N^\Sigma P^T_{72}E^N$ ,  
शिव०  $N^M \acute{S}^S_{67} G^{K\acute{S}}G^L_{40}$  175a रुद्रलोकादिलोकेषु ]  $N^M N^K_{82} N^K_{12b} N^K_{94} \acute{S}^S_{67} P^T_{72} G^{K\acute{S}}E^N$ ,  
सरुद्रकादिलोकेषु  $N^K_{28} N^C_{45} N^{K\acute{S}}_{77}$ , रुद्रलो ---  $G^L_{40}$  175b भुत्त्वा भोगान् ]  $N^M N^K_{28}$   
 $N^K_{82} N^K_{12b} N^K_{94} S^\Sigma E^N$ , भुत्त्वा भोगा  $N^C_{45} N^{K\acute{S}}_{77}$ , भोगान् भुत्त्वा  $\acute{S}^S_{67}$  • यथेष्टितान् ]  
 $N^M \Sigma$ , ०समन्वितम्  $N^{K\acute{S}}_{77}$  175c ०सास्मिन् ]  $N^M N^K_{28} N^K_{12b} N^C_{45} N^{K\acute{S}}_{77} G^{K\acute{S}}E^N$ , ०से  
इस्मिन्  $N^K_{82} N^C_{94} P^T_{72}$ , ०प्यामुः  $G^L_{40}$  • क्रमाल्होके ]  $N^M N^K_{28} N^K_{82} N^K_{12b} N^C_{94} \acute{S}^S_{67} P^T_{72} G^{K\acute{S}}$   
 $E^N$ , क्रमा लोके  $N^C_{45} N^{K\acute{S}}_{77}$ , क्रमाल्होकाद्  $G^L_{40}$  175d राजानं ]  $N^M \Sigma$ , राजाना  
 $N^C_{45}$  • पतिमा० ]  $N^M \Sigma$ , प्रतिमा०  $N^C_{45} N^{K\acute{S}}_{77}$  176a सर्व० ]  $\Sigma$ , सप्त०  $G^L_{40}$   
176b सर्वबीजरसादिभिः ]  $\Sigma$ , सर्वबीजसमन्वितम्  $G^{K\acute{S}}$  176d सर्वरत्नोपशोभितम् ]  $\Sigma$ ,  
सर्वरत्नोप(शोभितम्)  $N^{K\acute{S}}_{94}$  सर्वरत्नोपशोभितम्  $N^C_{45}$  177a चतुर्भिः ]  $\Sigma$ , चतुर्भि  $N^K_{28} N^{K\acute{S}}_{77}$   
• संयुक्तं ]  $\Sigma$ , संयुक्तैर्  $\acute{S}^S_{67}$  177b वितानच्छत्रशोभितम् ]  $\Sigma$ , वितानच्छत्रशोभितम्  
 $N^C_{45}$ , शमानच्छत्रशोभितम्  $G^L_{40}$  177c गन्धैर्माल्यैस्तथा धूपैः ]  $N^K_{28} N^K_{82} N^C_{94} N^{K\acute{S}}_{45} P^T_{72} E^N$ ,  
गन्धैर्माल्यैस्तथा धूपै  $N^{K\acute{S}}_{77}$ , गन्धैर्माल्यैश्च अलङ्कृत्य  $\acute{S}^S_{67}$ , गन्धैर्माल्यैश्च पुष्पैश्च  $G^{K\acute{S}}$ , --- स्तथा  
दीपैः  $G^L_{40}$  177d प्रदीपैश्चापि ]  $N^K_{82} N^C_{94} P^T_{72} E^N$ , प्रदीपैशोप०  $N^K_{28}$ , प्रदीपैशोप०  $N^C_{45} N^{K\acute{S}}_{77}$   
 $G^{K\acute{S}}$ , प्रदीपैश्चापि  $\acute{S}^S_{67}$ , धूपैश्चाभि सु०  $G^L_{40}$  • शोभितम् ]  $N^K_{82} N^C_{94} \acute{S}^S_{67} S^\Sigma E^N$ , ०शोभितैः  
 $N^K_{28} N^C_{45} N^{K\acute{S}}_{77}$  178a विविधैर् ]  $\acute{S}^S_{67} G^{K\acute{S}}$ , विविधै  $N^K_{28} N^C_{45} N^{K\acute{S}}_{77} G^L_{40}$ , विचित्रैर्  $N^K_{82}$   
 $N^C_{94} E^N$ , विचित्रै  $P^T_{72}$  • नृत्तगीतै० ]  $N^K_{28} N^C_{45} N^{K\acute{S}}_{77} P^T_{72} G^L_{40}$ , नृत्यगीतै०  $N^K_{82} N^C_{94} E^N$ ,  
गीतनृतै०  $\acute{S}^S_{67} G^{K\acute{S}}$  178b शङ्ख० ]  $\Sigma$ , शख०  $N^K_{28}$  • ०वीणा० ]  $\Sigma$ , ०वाद्या०  $\acute{S}^S_{67}$

ब्रह्मघोषैस्तथा पुण्यैर्मङ्गलैश्च विशेषतः ॥ १७८ ॥

महाध्वजाष्टभिर्युक्तं विचित्रकुसुमोज्ज्वलम् ।  
नगेन्द्रं मेरुनामानं त्रैलोक्याधारमुत्तमम् ॥ १७९ ॥

तस्य मूर्धि शिवं कुर्यात्सर्वदेवसमायुतम् ।  
दैत्यगन्धर्वसिद्धाश्च रक्षभूतगणास्तथा ॥ १८० ॥

विद्याधराप्सरोनागा ऋषयश्च विशेषतः ।  
शालिपिष्ठमयान्कृत्वा सर्वरूपान्विचक्षणा ॥ १८१ ॥

देवस्य दक्षिणे हस्ते शूलं त्रिदशपूजितम् ।

**179** ≈ LiP 1.84.55 ≈ CVC 2.28.38    **180ab** ≈ LiP 1.84.56ab **180** ≈ CVC  
2.28.39    **181** ≈ CVC 2.28.40    **182** ≈ CVC 2.28.41

**178d** मङ्गलैश्च ]  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} P_{72}^T G^{Ka} E^N$ , माङ्गलैश्च  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C$ , मात्पैश्वैव  $S_{67}^S$ ,  
मंगले ---  $G_{40}^L$  • विशेषतः ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S P_{72}^T E^N$ , विशेषितः  $N_{28}^K$ , निषेवितम्  
 $G^{Ka}$ , विशेषतम्  $G_{40}^L$  **179a** महाध्वजाष्टभिर् ]  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C$ , महाध्वजाष्टक०  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C$   
 $E^N$ , महाध्वजाष्टभि  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , महाध्वजसमा०  $S_{67}^S$ , महाध्वजाष्टसं०  $P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$ , अष्टभिश्च ध्वजैर्  
 $G^{Ka}$  **179b** विचित्रकुसुमोज्ज्वलम् ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , विचित्रकुसुमो---  
 $N_{94}^C$ , विचित्रकुसुमोज्ज्वलैः  $N_{45}^C$ , वितानच्छत्रशोभितम्  $G^{Ka}$  **179c** नगेन्द्रं ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^C$   
 $S_{67}^S S^\Sigma E^N$ , ---  $N_{94}^C$ , नगेन्द्र०  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$  **179d** ०लोक्याधार० ]  $\Sigma$ , ०लोक्याधार०  $N_{45}^C$ ,  
०लोक्याच्यात०  $S_{67}^S$  **180b** ०समायुतम् ]  $N^\Sigma S_{67}^S G_{40}^L$ , ०समावृतम्  $P_{72}^T$ , ०समन्वितम्  
 $G^{Ka}$ , ०नमस्कृतम्  $E^N$  **180c** ०सिद्धाश्च ]  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ , ०भूताश्च  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C G_{40}^L$ , ०सिद्धैश्च  
 $S_{67}^S$ , ०भूतांश्च  $P_{72}^T E^N$ , ०सिद्धाद्यान्  $G^{Ka}$  **180d** रक्षभूतगणा० ]  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , रक्षभूतगण०  
 $N_{28}^K$ , सिद्ध्यक्षणाण०  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C G_{40}^L$ , रक्षभूतागना०  $N_{45}^C$ , रक्षभूतगणै०  $S_{67}^S$ , सिद्ध्यक्षणै०  
 $P_{72}^T$ , रक्षभूतगण०  $G^{Ka}$ , सिद्ध्यक्षणाण०  $E^N$  **181a** ०नागा० ]  $N^\Sigma S_{67}^S$ , ०नागैः  $P_{72}^T$ ,  
०नागान्  $G^{Ka} E^N$ , ०नाग  $G_{40}^L$  **181b** ऋषयश्च विशेषतः ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C G_{40}^L$ , ऋषिमरुदणा  $N_{28}^K$   
 $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , रिविस्मरुतागणा०  $N_{45}^C$ , ऋषिभिश्चाप्यशेषतः  $S_{67}^S$ , ऋषिभिश्च विशेषतः  $P_{72}^T$ , ऋषीश्चापि  
विशेषतः  $G^{Ka}$ , ऋषीश्च सर्वदेवता॒ः  $E^N$  **181c** ०मयान् ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^{Kac} E^N$ , ०मयं  $N_{82}^{Kpc} N_{94}^C$   
 $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S^\Sigma$ , ०मयान्  $S_{67}^S$  **181cd** कृत्वा सर्वरूपान् ]  $N_{82}^K E^N$ , सर्वरूपान् कृत्वा  $N_{28}^K$ ,  
कृत्वा सर्वरूपं  $N_{94}^C$ , सर्वा॒रूपां कृत्वा  $N_{45}^C$ , सर्वारूपं कृत्वा  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , एतान्कमात् कुर्याद्  $S_{67}^S$ , सर्वा॒रूपं  
कृत्वा  $P_{72}^T G^{Ka}$ , सर्वं कृत्वा रूपं  $G_{40}^L$  **181d** विचक्षणा० ] em., विचक्षणः  $N^\Sigma S^\Sigma E^N$   
**182a** देवस्य ]  $\Sigma$ , शिवस्य  $S_{67}^S$  • हस्ते ]  $\Sigma$ , पार्श्वं  $N_{77}^{Ko}$  **182b** ०पूजितम् ]  $\Sigma$ ,  
०पूजिताम्  $N_{45}^C$

एवं सर्वेषु देवेषु कुर्यादस्त्रं यथाक्रमम् ॥ १८२ ॥

शिवस्य महतीं पूजां कृत्वा चरुसमन्विताम् ।  
पूजयेत्सर्वदेवांश्च दशादिक्षु बलिं हरेत् ॥ १८३ ॥

द्विजान्वै भोजयेत्पश्चाच्छिवभक्तान्सदक्षिणम् ।  
सर्वारभसमायुक्तं यथाविभवकल्पितम् ॥ १८४ ॥

निवेदयीत रुद्राय कार्त्तिके नगमुत्तमम् ।  
या कुर्यात्सकृदप्येवं तस्याः पुण्यफलं शृणु ॥ १८५ ॥

सर्वागमेषु यत्पुण्यं प्रस्थितं मुनिभिः पुरा ।  
तत्पुण्यं कोटिगुणितं प्रामुख्यान्नात्र संशयः ॥ १८६ ॥

183 ≈ CVC 2.28.42    184 ≈ CVC 2.28.43    185 ≈ CVC 2.28.44    186 ≈ CVC 2.28.46

**184b**  $G^{Kā}$  records the following two lines after 184b : दीक्षितान् वर्तिनश्चैवमनुगम्य च संयुगान् (em.; संगान्  $G^{Kā}$ ) | आचार्यानुगतान्सर्वान्सार्धं मेरुप्रस्थितान् ॥

**182c** देवेषु ]  $\Sigma$ , देहेषु  $G_{40}^L$     **182d** अस्त्रं य० ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{77}^{Kō} S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ ,  
अस्त्राय  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C$ , अस्त्राय०  $G^{Kā}$  • यथाक्रमम् ]  $\Sigma$ , यथोदितम्  $S_{67}^S$ , अनुक्रमात्  $G^{Kā}$

**183a** महतीं ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S S^\Sigma E^N$ , महती०  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Kō}$     **183b** चर० ]  $N_{28}^K$   
 $N_{45}^C S_{67}^S G_{40}^L E^N$ , चार०  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{77}^{Kō}$ , ०चार०  $P_{72}^T$ , चित्र०  $G^{Kā}$  • ०न्विताम् ]  $\Sigma$ ,  
०न्वितम्  $N_{77}^{Kō}$     **183c** ०देवांश्च ]  $\Sigma$ , ०देवाश्च  $N_{28}^K$ , ०देवानां  $N_{45}^C$     **183d** दश० ]  
 $\Sigma$ , दिश०  $G_{40}^L$     **184a** द्विजान्वै ]  $N_{28}^K S_{67}^S$ , व्रतिनो  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , द्विजा वै  $N_{45}^C$ ,  
द्विजाश्च  $N_{77}^{Kō}$ , विप्राश्च  $G^{Kā}$  • पश्चाच् ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S S^\Sigma$ , पश्चा  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Kō}$ , पञ्च  $E^N$

**184b** ०भक्तान् ]  $\Sigma$ , भक्तां  $N_{45}^C$ , भक्तं  $N_{77}^{Kō}$  • ०दक्षिणम् ]  $N_{45}^C G^{Kā}$ , ०दक्षिणान्  
 $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{77}^{Kō} P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , सुपूजितान्  $S_{67}^S$     **184c** ०रम्भसमाप्तम् ]  $\Sigma$ , ०लंकारसं०  
 $G^{Kā}$     **184d** यथा० ]  $\Sigma$ , महा०  $P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$     **185a** ०वेदयीत ]  $\Sigma$ , ०वेदयेत्  $S_{67}^S G_{40}^L$

**185b** कार्त्तिके ]  $\Sigma$ , कार्त्तिक्यान्  $P_{72}^T$  • नग० ]  $\Sigma$ , मासि  $S_{67}^S$ , ब्रतम्  $G_{40}^L$  •  
०मुत्तमम् ]  $\Sigma$ , ०मुत्तमाम्  $N_{45}^C$ , चोत्तमे  $S_{67}^S$     **185c** या ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C G^{Kā} E^N$ , यः  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C$   
 $N_{77}^{Kō} S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$     **185d** तस्याः ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C G^{Kā}$ , तस्य  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Kō} S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$  •  
शृणु ]  $\Sigma$ , शृणुः  $N_{45}^C$     **186a** ०गमेषु ]  $\Sigma$ , ०गमेषु  $G_{40}^L$     **186b** प्रस्थितं मुनिभिः ]  
 $N_{28}^K$ , मुनिभिः कथितं  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C G^{Kā} E^N$ , परिस्थिता मुणिभिः  $N_{45}^C$ , परिस्थितं मुनिभिः  $N_{77}^{Kō}$ , मुनिनां  
कथितं  $S_{67}^S$ , कथितं मुनिभिः  $P_{72}^T$ , कथिकं मुनिभिः  $G_{40}^L$     **186c** तत्पुण्यं कोटिगुणितं ]  $N^\Sigma$   
 $P_{72}^T E^N$ , तस्मात्कोटिगुणं पुण्यं  $S_{67}^S$ , तत्सर्वं कोटिगुणितं  $G^{Kā} G_{40}^L$     **186d** नात्र ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K$   
 $N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , सान्  $N_{45}^C$ , सन्  $N_{77}^{Kō} G^{Kā}$  • ०शयः ]  $\Sigma$ , ०शयं  $N_{45}^C$

महारत्नप्रभैर्यानैः सर्वरत्नसमन्वितैः ।  
 गीतनृत्तादिभिर्वाच्यैरप्सरोभिश्च शोभितैः ॥ १८७ ॥

सूर्यकोटिसमप्रख्यैर्विमानैर्मरुसन्निभैः ।  
 नरनारीसमाकीर्णैर्दिव्यगन्धवहैः शुभैः ॥ १८८ ॥

देवदानवगन्धवैः स्तूयमाना गणादिभिः ।  
 स्वच्छन्दा सर्वगा भूत्वा प्रयातीश्वरमन्दिरम् ॥ १८९ ॥

कल्पकोटिशतं दिव्यं मोदते सा महातपाः ।  
 एवं सर्वेषु लोकेषु भोगान्मुक्त्वा यथेष्टितान् ॥ १९० ॥

पुण्यक्षयादिहागत्य महीपालपतिर्भवेत् ।

187 ≈ CVC 2.28.47    188 ≈ CVC 2.28.48    189 ≈ CVC 2.28.49    190 ≈  
 CVC 2.28.50    191 ≈ CVC 2.28.51

187a ०रत्न० ] Σ, ०रत्नैः G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub> • ०प्रभैर् ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>45</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>G<sup>K</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, ०प्रभै N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>  
 N<sup>K</sup><sub>77</sub>, प्रभां G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub> • यानैः ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>G<sup>K</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, यानैर् N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>, याणै N<sup>K</sup><sub>77</sub>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>  
 187b ०रत्न० ] Σ, ०काम० G<sup>K</sup> 187c ०नृत्तादिभिर् ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>G<sup>K</sup><sub>40</sub>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>, ०नृत्यादि०  
 N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>E<sup>N</sup>, ०नृत्तादिभि N<sup>K</sup><sub>77</sub>०नृत्ताभिर् S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub> • वाच्यैर् ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>77</sub>G<sup>K</sup><sub>40</sub>, ०वाच्यैश्च  
 N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>E<sup>N</sup>, ०वाच्यैर् N<sup>K</sup><sub>45</sub>, ०वाच्यैश्च S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>, ०वाच्यैश्चाप्य० P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub> 187d अप्सरोभिश्च  
 शोभितैः ] Σ, अप्सरोभिः प्रपूजितैः S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>, अप्सरोगणशोभितैः G<sup>K</sup> 188a ०प्रख्यैर् ]  
 Σ, प्रख्यै N<sup>K</sup><sub>77</sub> 188b विमानैर् ] Σ, विमानै N<sup>K</sup><sub>77</sub> 188c ०समा० ] Σ, ०गणा०  
 G<sup>K</sup> • ०कीर्णैर् ] Σ, ०कीर्णै N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>77</sub> 188d दिव्यगन्धवहैः शुभैः ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>  
 N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>E<sup>N</sup>, दिव्यगन्धवहै शुभैः N<sup>K</sup><sub>77</sub>, देवगन्धर्वसेवितैः S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>, दिव्यगन्धोपशोभितैः  
 G<sup>K</sup> 189a देवदानवगन्धवैः ] Σ, जयपुण्यमदाघोषैः S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub> 189b स्तूयमाना ]  
 Σ, स्तूयमानं S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>, स्तूयमानो G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub> • गणादिभिः ] Σ, ०गणाधिष्ठैः G<sup>K</sup>, गुणादिभिः  
 E<sup>N</sup> 189c ०छन्दा ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>77</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>G<sup>K</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, ०छन्द० N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>, छन्दः P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub> •  
 सर्वगा ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>77</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>G<sup>K</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, सर्वगो N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub> • प्रयातीश्वर० ]  
 Σ, प्रयातीश्वर० P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub> 190b सा ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>G<sup>K</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, स N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>77</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub> •  
 ०तपा० ] N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>S<sup>S</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, ०तपा N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>77</sub> 190d भोगान्मुक्त्वा ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>  
 S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>, भुक्त्वा भोगान् N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>G<sup>K</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, भोगा भुक्त्वा N<sup>K</sup><sub>77</sub> • ०प्सितान् ] Σ, ०प्सितं  
 N<sup>K</sup><sub>77</sub> 191a ०यादिहागत्य ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>E<sup>N</sup>, ०यक्रमागत्य० N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>, ०यात्क्रमागत्य  
 N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>77</sub>, ०यादिहागम्य G<sup>K</sup>, ०यादिहागत्या G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub> 191b महीपालपतिर्भवेत् ] em.,  
 महीपालपति भवेत् N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>77</sub>, राजानं पतिमासुयात् N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>S<sup>S</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, महीपालपतीभवेत् N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>,  
 महेन्द्रं पतिमासुयात् S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>

सुरूपा सुभगा नित्यं रमतीश्वरभाविता ॥ १९१ ॥

यान्यान्कामान्समुद्दिश्य नरनारीनपुंसकाः ।  
पूजयन्ति शिवं भक्त्या तत्तत्कलमवाप्न्यात् ॥ १९२ ॥

[ गृहदानब्रतम् ]

मृण्मयं दारुजं शैलमैष्टकं वा सुकल्पितम् ।  
कृत्वा मठं गृहं वापि यथाविभवसम्भवम् ॥ १९३ ॥

सर्वोपकरणोपेतं सर्वधान्यप्रपूरितम् ।  
शिवायेत्थं गृहं दद्यात्सर्वकाममवाप्न्यात् ॥ १९४ ॥

192 ≈ BhavP 1.168.40cdef    193 ≈ BhavP 1.169.1    194 ≈ BhavP 1.169.2

191c सुरूपा सुभगा ]  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{Ka} E^N$ , सुभगा सुभगा  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C$ , स्वरूपसुभगा  $G_{40}^L$   
 191d रमती० ]  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ , भवती०  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , भवदी०  
 192a यान्यान् ]  $N_{28}^K G_{40}^L$ , यद्यत्  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^C N_{94}^C G^{Ka}$ , यद्य  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , यं  $S_{67}^S P_{72}^T E^N$  • कामान् ]  $N_{28}^K N_{77}^{Ko}$ , कामं  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^C N_{94}^C S_{67}^S S^E E^N$ , कामा  $N_{45}^C$   
 192b ०नपुंसकाः ]  $\Sigma$ , ०नपुंसकाम्  $S_{67}^S$  192c शिवं ]  $\Sigma$ , शिव  $N_{77}^{Ko}$  • भक्त्या ]  $\Sigma$ ,  
 भक्त्यान्  $N_{45}^C$  192d तत्तत्कलमवाप्न्यात् ]  $N_{28}^K N_{12b}^C$ , तत्तत्कलमवाप्न्यात्  $N^M$ , तत्तदेव  
 समाप्नुवन्  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C$ , तान्तृफलमवाप्न्यात्  $N_{45}^C$ , तत्कलं समवाप्न्यात्  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , तं तं क्षिप्रमवाप्न्यात्  
 $S_{67}^S$ , तं तमेवमवाप्न्यात्  $P_{72}^T$ , तत्तदेवाशु जायते  $G^{Ka}$ , तत्तदेवाशुर्घृतम्  $G_{40}^L$ , तं तमेव समाप्न्युः  
 $E^{Npc}$ , तत्तदेव समाप्न्यात्  $E^{Nac}$  193a मृण्मयं ]  $\Sigma$ , मृत्युया  $N_{45}^C$ , मृद्ययां  $G^{Ka}$  •  
 दारुजं ]  $\Sigma$ , दारवं  $S_{67}^S$  • शैलम् ]  $\Sigma$ , वापि(ण्ण)  $N^M$  193b ऐष्टकं ]  $N_{28}^K N_{12b}^C$   
 $P_{72}^T G^{Ka} E^N$ , अष्टकम्  $N^M$ , इष्टकम्  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C$ , मैष्टिक  $N_{45}^C$ , पैष्टिक  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , मष्टकं  $S_{67}^S$ , इष्टकेर्वा  
 $G_{40}^L$  • सुकल्पितम् ]  $\Sigma$ , सुकल्पिताम्  $N_{45}^C$ , प्रकल्पयेत्  $G_{40}^L$  193c मठं गृहं ]  $\Sigma$ , गृहं  
 मठं  $G^{Ka} G_{40}^L$  193d ०सम्भवम् ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^C N_{94}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , ०संयुतम्  $N^M$ ,  
 ०कल्पिताम्  $N_{45}^C$ , ०विस्तरम्  $G^{Ka}$  194a ०पकरणो० ]  $\Sigma$ , ०प्रकरणो०  $N_{12b}^C$ , ०पकरणैर्  
 $G_{40}^L$  • ०पेतं ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^C N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{Ka} E^N$ , ०पेतं  $N_{45}^C$ , ०पेत  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , युक्तं  $G_{40}^L$   
 194b ०धान्य० ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^C N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{Ka} E^N$ , ०धातु०  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ , ०धान्यो०  
 $G_{40}^L$  • ०प्रपूरितम् ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{Ka} E^N$ , ०परिषुतम्  $N^M N_{12b}^C$ , ०प्रपूरिताम्  
 $N_{45}^C$ , ०पशोभितम्  $G_{40}^L$  194c ०येत्थं ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^C N_{45}^C S_{67}^S$ , ०य तद्  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S^E E^N$ ,  
 ०येत्थं  $N_{77}^{Ko}$  • दद्यात् ]  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C$ , दद्या  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^C N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{Ka} E^N$ , दद्या  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ ,  
 दद्यात्  $G_{40}^L$  194d सर्वं ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^C N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} G_{40}^L E^N$ , सर्वान्  $S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{Ka}$   
 • कामम्० ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^C N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} G_{40}^L E^N$ , कामान०  $N^M S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{Ka}$

[ हेमन्ते शिवरथव्रतम् ]

कृत्वैकभक्तं हेमन्ते मासमेकं सुयन्त्रितः ।  
मासान्ते ऽथ रथं कुर्याच्चित्रवस्त्रोपशोभितम् ॥ १९५ ॥

श्वेतैश्वर्तुर्भिः संयुक्तं वृषभैः समलंकृतम् ।  
शोभितं ध्वजपूजाद्यैश्छत्त्वचामरदर्पणैः ॥ १९६ ॥

तण्डुलाढकपिष्ठेन लिङ्गं कृत्वा सवेदिकम् ।  
विन्यस्य रथमध्ये तु पूजयेत्कृतलक्षणम् ॥ १९७ ॥

तद्रात्रौ गजयानेन शङ्खभेर्यादिनिस्वनैः ।  
भ्रामयित्वा शनैः पश्चाच्छिवायतनमानयेत् ॥ १९८ ॥

तत्र जागरपूजाभिः प्रदीपाद्युपशोभितम् ।

195 ≈ BhavP 1.169.3 ≈ CVC 2.29.1    196 ≈ BhavP 1.169.4 ≈ CVC 2.29.2

197 ≈ BhavP 1.169.5 ≈ CVC 2.29.3    198 ≈ BhavP 1.169.6 ≈ CVC 2.29.4

195a कृत्वैक० ] Σ, कृत्वैक० N<sup>M</sup>, भृत्वैक० P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub> • ०भक्तं ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>E<sup>N</sup>, ०भक्त N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>, ०भक्त्या N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>, ०युक्ति G<sup>Ka</sup> 195b मासम् ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>G<sup>Ka</sup>, माध० N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>E<sup>N</sup>, माषाम् N<sup>Koac</sup><sub>77</sub>, मासे G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub> • एकं ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>G<sup>Ka</sup>, मासे N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>E<sup>N</sup>, आको N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub> • सुयन्त्रितः ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>G<sup>Ka</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, सुयन्त्रितम् N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>, सुयन्त्रिता S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>, समन्वितः P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>, स(श)व्रतः G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>

195c मासान्ते ऽथ ] N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>Ko<sub>77</sub>, समाप्तेश्च N<sup>M</sup>, मासान्ते च N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>G<sup>Ka</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, समाप्ते ऽश्व० N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>, मासान्ते तु S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>, मासान्ते च G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub> • रथं ] Σ, रथां N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub> • कुर्याच् ] Σ, कुर्या N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub> • ०शोभितम् ] Σ, ०शोभितैः N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub> 196a चतुर्भिः ] Σ, चतुर्भिः N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub> • ०युक्तं ] Σ, ०युक्तैः N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub> 196b वृषभैः ] Σ, वृषभैः N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub> • ०कृतम् ] Σ, ०कृतैः N<sup>M</sup> 196c शोभितं ] Σ, शोभित N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>, शोभनैर् S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub> • ध्वजपूजाद्यैश् ] N<sup>Σ</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, दीपामाल्या० S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>, ध्वजपूजाद्यै P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>, ध्वजदीपाद्यैश् G<sup>Ka</sup>, ध्वजपुष्पाद्यैश् G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub> 196d ०दर्पणैः ] Σ, ०तोरणैः S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub> 197a ०ढक० ] Σ, ०थक० P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub> 197b लिङ्गं ] Σ, शंगं S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub> 197d तु ] Σ, च N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub> • पूजयेत् ] Σ, पूजाभिः S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub> 198a रात्रौ ] Σ, रातौ N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>, रतौ N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub> • गजयानेन ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>, राजमार्गेण N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>G<sup>Ka</sup>E<sup>N</sup> 198c भ्राम० ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub>G<sup>Ka</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, भ्रम० N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub> • पश्चाच् ] Σ, पश्चा N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>, छत्त्या S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub> 199b ०शोभितम् ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>Ko</sup><sub>77</sub>G<sup>L</sup><sub>40</sub>E<sup>N</sup>, ०शोभया S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>G<sup>Ka</sup>, ०शोभितः P<sup>T</sup><sub>72</sub></sup>

प्रेक्षणीयप्रदानैश्च क्षपयीत शनैः क्षपाम् ॥ १९९ ॥

प्रभाते स्नपनं कृत्वा तद्भक्तानां च भोजनम् ।  
दीनानाथकृपणानां यथाशक्त्या च दक्षिणाम् ॥ २०० ॥

रथं शोभासमायुक्तं शिवाय विनिवेदयेत् ।  
भुत्त्वा च बान्धवैः सार्थं प्रणम्येशं गृहं व्रजेत् ॥ २०१ ॥

सर्वदानेभ्यः प्रवरमस्मिन्धर्मः समाप्यते ।  
ब्रतं शिवरथं नाम सर्वकामार्थसाधकम् ॥ २०२ ॥

199 ≈ BhavP 1.169.7 ≈ CVC 2.29.5    200 ≈ BhavP 1.169.8 ≈ CVC 2.29.6

201 ≈ BhavP 1.169.9 ≈ CVC 2.29.7    202ab ≈ SDhS 10.46cd : सर्वब्रतानां परम-  
स्मिन्धर्मः समाप्यते    202 ≈ BhavP 1.169.10 ≈ CVC 2.29.8

202d ०र्थसाधकम् ... सर्वव्रते० (in 203a) or the equivalent for this is lost in N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>.

199c प्रेक्षणीय० ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>S<sup>E</sup>, प्रेक्षणक० N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, प्रेक्षणीया० N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup> •  
०दानैश्च ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>S<sup>E</sup>N, ०दानैश्च N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>, ०दानैश्च N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup> 199d क्षपयीत ।  
N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, क्षपयेत् N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>, क्षप --- N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>, क्षपयित्वा S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>K</sup> •  
शनैः ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>S<sup>E</sup>N, शनैः N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, --- N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup> • क्षपाम् ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>  
N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, निशाम् N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sup>E</sup>N, --- N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>, क्रमात् S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> 200a प्रभाते ] Σ, प्रभाते N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> •  
स्नपनं ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>S<sup>E</sup>, स्नापनं N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>E<sup>N</sup> 200b तद्भक्तानां च भोजनम् ]  
N<sup>E</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>K</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, पयसा च घृतेन वा S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, तद्भक्तांश्वैव भोजयेत् P<sub>72</sub><sup>Tpc</sup>, तद्भक्तांश्वैव पूजयेत् P<sub>72</sub><sup>Tac</sup>,  
त --- भ --- तानाञ्च शोभनम् G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 200c दीनानाथकृपणानां ] N<sup>M</sup>, दीनानाथकृपणानां  
N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>, दीनानाथकृपणांश्च N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, दीनानाथकृपणानां च N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>K</sup>, दीनानाथकृपणाणां  
N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, दीनानाथकृपणानाथ N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>, दीनान्धकृपणादिभ्यो S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, कृपणानाथदीनानां P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>, दीनान्ध-  
कृपणान्धीनान् G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 200d यथा० ] Σ, दत्वा S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> • ०शक्त्या च ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>  
N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>K</sup>, ०भक्त्या च N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>, ०शक्त्या तु P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>, ०शक्ति स० E<sup>N</sup> • दक्षिणाम् ]  
N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>S<sup>E</sup>, दक्षिणा N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>, दक्षिणम् N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>, ०दक्षिणान् E<sup>N</sup> 201a रथं ]  
G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>K</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, रथ० N<sup>E</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> • ०शोभा० ] Σ, ०शोभो G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 201c च ] Σ, चा G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>  
• सार्थं ] Σ, सार्थं N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup> 201d प्रणम्येशं ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>Tpc</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>  
E<sup>N</sup>, प्रणांमोश्च N<sub>45</sub><sup>Cac</sup>प्रणम्येदं S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, प्रणम्येश० P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> • गृहं ] Σ, गृहं N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup> • व्रजेत् ]  
Σ, यजेत् P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> 202a सर्वदानेभ्यः प्रवरम् ] N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>, सर्वदानेभ्यः प्रवरःम् N<sup>M</sup>, प्रवरं  
सर्वदानानां N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>E<sup>N</sup>, सर्वब्रतानां नियमं N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>, सर्वदानेभ्यः प्रवरेम् N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, सर्वब्रतानां  
प्रवरं S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>K</sup>, सर्वब्रतानां परम् G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> 202b धर्मः ] N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>12b</sub><sup>K</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>K</sup>E<sup>N</sup>,  
धर्मं N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>, धर्मं N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup> • समाप्यते ] Σ, समापीते P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> 202c ब्रतं ] Σ, ब्रत  
N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup> • ०रथं ] Σ, ०ब्रतं S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>, ०नाथं G<sub>40</sub><sup>K</sup> 202d ०साधकम् ] Σ, ०साधनम् G<sub>40</sub><sup>L</sup>

सर्वव्रतेषु यत्पुण्यं सर्वयज्ञेषु यत्कलम् ।  
सर्व शिवरथेनैव तत्पुण्यं सकलं भवेत् ॥ २०३ ॥

सूर्यायुतप्रतीकाशौर्विमानैः सार्वकामिकैः ।  
त्रिसप्तकुलजैः सार्धं शिवलोके महीयते ॥ २०४ ॥

भुत्त्वा तु विपुलान्भोगान्सर्वदेवेष्वनुक्रमात् ।  
कल्पकोट्यायुतं साग्रं तस्यान्ते स महीपतिः ॥ २०५ ॥

[ शिवशास्या ]

पञ्चतूलीसमायुक्तां मृदुखद्वां सुकल्पिताम् ।

203 ≈ BhavP 1.169.11 ≈ CVC 2.29.9    204 ≈ BhavP 1.169.12 ≈ CVC 2.29.10  
205 ≈ BhavP 1.169.13    206 ≈ BhavP 1.169.14 ≈ CVC 1.13.1

204ab is damaged in  $N_{12b}^K$  except for स्सार्वकामिकैः. 205d  $G^K$  adds the following after 205d : सुरुपा सुगुणं चैव सर्वभोगसमन्वितम् । लभते कुलजं शुद्धं पर्ति सा सर्वमानयेत् ॥.

203a ०व्रतेषु ] Σ, --- षु  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , ०भूतेषु  $G^K$  • पुण्य ] Σ, पुण्य  $N_{45}^C$  203c सर्व ]  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^N N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , तत्सर्व  $N^M$ , तत्सर्व  $N_{28}^K G^K$  • ०रथेनैव ] Σ, ०रथे चैव  $S_{67}^S$ , ०नाथेनैव  $G^K$  203d पुण्य ] Σ, पुण्य  $N_{45}^C$ , पुण्य०  $G^K$  • सकलं ]  $N^\Sigma P_{72}^T E^N$ , प्रायुषात्  $S_{67}^S$ , भलभाग्  $G^K$ , नियुतं  $G_{40}^L$  • भवेत् ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^N N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$   $G^K E^N$ , लभेत्  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$ , क्षणात्  $S_{67}^S$ , शृणु  $P_{72}^{Tac}$  204a ०काशैर् ] Σ, ०काशै  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , करैर्  $G_{40}^L$  204b विमानैः ] Σ, विमानै  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$  • सार्व० ] Σ, सर्व  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$  • ०कामिकैः ] Σ, ०गामिकैः  $P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$  204c ०कुलजैः सार्धं ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^N N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$ , ०कुलजैः सार्धं  $N_{82}^K E^N$ , कुलजै सार्धं  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ , ०कुलसंयुक्तः  $S_{67}^S$ , ०कुलमुद्भूत्य  $G^K$  205a तु ] Σ, स  $S_{67}^S$  • भोगान् ] Σ, om.  $N_{82}^{Kac}$  205b ०देव० ]  $N^M N_{28}^K$   $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^N N_{94}^C N_{77}^{Ko} E^N$ , ०देव००  $N_{45}^C$ , ०लोके०  $S_{67}^S S^\Sigma$  205c ०कोट्यायुतं ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^N N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S$ , ०कोट्यायुतं  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G^K E^N$ , ०कोट्यायुतं  $S_{67}^{Sac}$ , ०कोटिशतैः  $G_{40}^L$  • साग्रं ] Σ, दिव्यं  $S_{67}^S$  205d स ] Σ, १  $N_{45}^C$ , स्यात्  $S_{67}^S$  • ०पतिः ] Σ, ०पतिः  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$  206a ०तूली० ]  $N_{45}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^K$ , ०कुली०  $N^M N_{77}^{Ko} G_{40}^L$ , ०शूली०  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^N$   $N_{12b}^E$ , ०भूतिं०  $N_{94}^C$  • ०युक्तां० ]  $N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S S^\Sigma E^N$ , ०युक्तं  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^N N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$  206b मृदु० ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S$ , मृद्वी  $N_{82}^K$ , चतुर्व०  $N_{12b}^K$ , मृद्वी  $N_{94}^C$ , मृद्वी०  $S^\Sigma E^N$  • खद्वां० ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^N N_{12b}^N N_{94}^C S^\Sigma E^N$ , खद्वा  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S$  • सुकल्पिताम् ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^N N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} G^K$ , अलंकृताम्  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , द्यलंकृताम्  $S_{67}^S$

सर्वोपकरणोपेतां शिवशश्यां प्रकल्पयेत् ॥ २०६ ॥

शिवं देवीसमायुक्तं पिष्टशश्यां निवेदयेत् ।  
शिवज्ञानार्थतत्त्वज्ञमाचार्यं विनयान्वितम् ॥ २०७ ॥

सम्पूज्य गन्धपुष्पाद्यैरस्त्रालंकारचामरैः ।  
भक्ष्यभोज्यैरशेषैश्च ततः शश्यां निवेदयेत् ॥ २०८ ॥

तत्त्वल्यां तूलवस्त्राणां परिसंख्या तु यावती ।  
तावद्वर्षसहस्राणि रुद्रलोके महीयते ॥ २०९ ॥

शिवादिसर्वलोकेषु भृत्या भोगानशेषतः ।

207 ≈ BhavP 1.169.15 ≈ CVC 1.13.2    208 = BhavP 1.169.16 = CVC 1.13.3

209 = CVC 1.13.4 ≈ BhavP 1.169.17    210 ≈ BhavP 1.169.18

207ab is damaged in  $N_{12b}^K$  except for शिवदेवी ... निवेदयेत्. 207cd  $G_{40}^L$  omits 207c–208d.

206c    ०पकरणो० ]  $\Sigma$ , ०प्रकरणो०  $N_{12b}^K$ , ०प्रकरणैर्  $G_{40}^L$  • ०पेतां० ]  $\Sigma$ , ०पेतां०  
 $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , युक्तं  $G_{40}^L$  206d    शिव० ]  $\Sigma$ , शिवं  $G_{40}^L$  • ०शश्यां० ]  $\Sigma$ , ०शश्या  $N_{45}^C$   
207a    शिवं ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^{Ko} S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{K\bar{a}} E^N$ , शिव०  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K G_{40}^L$  • देवी० ]  
 $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S G^{K\bar{a}}$ , वेदी०  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$ , देव०  $E^N$  • ०युक्तं० ]  $\Sigma$ , ०युक्तं०  
 $G_{40}^L E^N$  207b    पिष्ट० ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ , पैष्टं  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G^{K\bar{a}}$ , पैष्टं  $S_{67}^S$ , पैष्टी०  $G_{40}^L$ ,  
पैष्टी०  $E^N$  • शश्यां० ]  $N^S G_{40}^L E^N$ , पृष्ठं  $S_{67}^S$ , अस्यां०  $P_{72}^T G^{K\bar{a}}$  • निवेदयेत् ]  $\Sigma$ , निधापयेत्  
 $P_{72}^T$  207c    शिव० ]  $\Sigma$ , शिवं  $N_{28}^K$  • ०तत्त्वज्ञां० ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{K\bar{a}}$ , ०तत्त्वज्ञां०  
 $N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C$ , ०तत्त्वज्ञे  $N_{94}^C E^N$  207d    आचार्य० ]  $N^M N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{K\bar{a}}$ , आचार्य०  
 $N_{28}^K$ , आचार्यं  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K$ , आचार्ये  $N_{94}^C E^N$ , आचार्या०  $N_{45}^C$  • विनयान्वितम् ]  $N^M N_{28}^K$   
 $N_{82}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{K\bar{a}}$ , वाद्यान्वितम्  $N_{12b}^K$ , विनयान्विते  $N_{94}^C E^N$  208a    ०पूज्य० ]  
 $\Sigma$ , ०पूज्यं  $S_{67}^S$  • ०पुष्पाद्यैर् ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{K\bar{a}} E^N$ , ०पुष्पाद्यैर्  $N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C$   
 $N_{77}^{Ko}$  208b    ०चामरैः ]  $\Sigma$ , ०माचरेत्  $P_{72}^T$  208c    ०भोज्य० ]  $\Sigma$ , ०भोज्य०  $N_{12b}^K$   
• ०शेषैश्च ]  $N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} P_{72}^T G^{K\bar{a}} E^N$ , ०शेषैस्तु  $N^M N_{28}^K$ , च विविधैः  $S_{67}^S$   
208d    ततः० ]  $\Sigma$ , तथा०  $S_{67}^S$  • शश्यां० ]  $\Sigma$ , शश्या०  $N_{28}^K N_{77}^{Ko}$  209a    तत्त्वल्यां० ]  
 $N_{82}^K$ , तत्त्वल्यां०  $N^M N_{45}^C$ , तं कुल्या०  $N_{28}^K$ , तच्चूर्ण०  $N_{12b}^K$ , तदूर्ण००  $N_{94}^C G_{40}^L E^N$ , तं तुल्या०  
 $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , तत्तुला००  $S_{67}^S$ , तत्तुला००  $P_{72}^T$ , तत्तले०  $G^{K\bar{a}}$  • तूल०० ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S G_{40}^L$ ,  
०कुल००  $N_{28}^K$ , तुल००  $N_{45}^C E^N$ , ०मूल००  $P_{72}^T$ , वस्त्र००  $G^{K\bar{a}}$  • ०वस्त्राणां० ]  $\Sigma$ , ०तन्तूनां०  $P_{72}^T G^{K\bar{a}}$   
209b    परिं० ]  $\Sigma$ , तन्तु००  $S_{67}^S$  209c    ०वर्ष०० ]  $\Sigma$ , ०युग००  $S_{67}^S$  210b    भोगान्० ]  
 $\Sigma$ , भोगा०  $N_{45}^C$

क्रमादागत्य लोके इस्मिन्सहासनपतिर्भवेत् ॥ २१० ॥

[ वृषभैकादशी ]

दश गावः सवृषभा वृषभैकादशी स्मृता ।  
शिवाय विनिवेद्यैतामवधारय तत्कलम् ॥ २११ ॥

रुद्रैकादशतुल्यात्मा बलभोगादिभिर्गुणैः ।  
शिवादिसर्वलोकेषु यथेष्टं मोदते वशी ॥ २१२ ॥

कल्पकोटिसहस्राणि कल्पकोटिशतानि च ।  
भुत्त्वा तु विपुलान्मोगानशेषकुलजैः सह ॥ २१३ ॥

तदन्ते ज्ञानमासाद्य प्रसादात्परमोष्ठिनः ।  
विमुच्य मोहकलिं स्वात्मन्येवावतिष्ठते ॥ २१४ ॥

[ सवृषं गोशतम् ]

सवृषं गोशतं दत्त्वा शिवायातीव शोभनम् ।

211 ≈ BhavP 1.169.19 ≈ CVC 1.7.1    212 = CVC 1.7.2 ≈ BhavP 1.169.20

210d    ०पतिर् ]  $\Sigma$ , ०पति  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$     211a    सवृषभा ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C$   
 $P_{72}^T E^N$ , सवृषभा:  $N^M$ , वृषभा  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ , वृषश्वैक  $S_{67}^S$ , वृषश्वैको  $G^{Ko}$ , सहस्राश्व  $G_{40}^L$   
211b    वृषभैकादशी ]  $N^{\Sigma} G^{Ko} E^N$ , वृषभैकादशी  $S_{67}^S$ , वृषभैकादशा  $P_{72}^T$ , वृषभैकादशा  $G_{40}^L$   
211c    शिवाय विनिवेद्यैताम् ]  $N^M N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko}$ , शिवाय विनिवेद्यैताम्  $N_{28}^K$ , शिवाय  
विनिवेद्यैवं  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C G^{Ko}$ , विवेद्येच्छिवायैताम्  $S_{67}^S$ , शिवाय विनिवेद्यैव  $P_{72}^T E^N$ , शिवाय  
विनिवेद्याश्व  $G_{40}^L$     211d    अवधारय तत्कलम् ]  $N_{28}^M N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C S_{67}^S G^{Ko}$ , अवधारय यत्कलम्  
 $N^M$ , विशुद्धेनान्तरात्मना  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , अवधारय तत्का:  $N_{77}^{Ko}$     212a    रुद्रै० ]  
 $\Sigma$ , चद्रै०  $E^N$  • ०तुल्यात्मा ]  $\Sigma$ , ०कसमो  $S_{67}^S$ , ०तुल्याढ्यो  $G^{Ko}$     212b    ०दिमिर् ]  
 $\Sigma$ , ०दिमि  $N_{77}^{Ko}$  • गुणैः ]  $\Sigma$ , गणैः  $N_{45}^C$     212d    यथेष्टं ]  $\Sigma$ , यथेष्ट  $N_{77}^{Ko}$  • वशी ]  
 $N^{\Sigma} P_{72}^T E^N$ , सुखी  $S_{67}^S G^{Ko} G_{40}^L$     213a    ०कोटिशतानि च ]  $N^M N_{28}^M N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S S^{\Sigma}$ ,  
०कोट्ययुतानि च  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C E^N$     213c    तु ]  $\Sigma$ , स  $S_{67}^S$  • विपुलान् ]  $\Sigma$ , विपुलं  $N_{45}^C$   
213d    ०कुलजैः ]  $\Sigma$ , ०कुलजै  $N_{77}^{Ko}$  • सह ]  $\Sigma$ , सह:  $N_{12b}^K$     214b    प्रसादात् ]  
 $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G^{Ko} E^N$ , प्रसादा  $N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} G_{40}^L$     214d    ०वतिष्ठते ]  $N_{28}^K$   
 $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , ०वतिष्ठति  $N^M G^{Ko}$ , ०पतिष्ठति  $N_{12b}^K$     215a    सवृषं ]  
 $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S S^{\Sigma} E^N$ , वृषभं  $N^M N_{77}^{Ko}$ , वृषभा  $N_{45}^C$  • दत्त्वा ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C$   
 $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , दद्यात्  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S S^{\Sigma} E^N$     215b    शोभनम् ]  $\Sigma$ , शोभना:  $N_{45}^C$

त्रिसप्तकुलजैः सार्धं शृणु यत्कलमामृयात् ॥ २१५ ॥

सूर्यकोटिप्रतीकाशैः सर्वकामसमन्वितैः ।

महायानैरसंख्यातैरमरासुरपूजितैः ॥ २१६ ॥

शतरुद्रबलोपेतो वीरभद्र इवापरः ।

गत्वा शिवपुरं दिव्यमशेषाधिपतिर्भवेत् ॥ २१७ ॥

भुक्त्वा तु विपुलान्भोगान्तर्लये सर्वदेहिनाम् ।

मोहकञ्चुकमुत्सृज्य स्वकैवल्यमवामृयात् ॥ २१८ ॥

सर्वज्ञः परमः सर्वः शुद्धः स्वात्मन्यवस्थितः ।

215 ≈ BhavP 1.170.1 ≈ CVC 1.7.5      216 ≈ BhavP 1.170.2 ≈ CVC 1.7.6

217 ≈ BhavP 1.170.3 ≈ CVC 1.7.7      218 cf. BhavP 1.170.4

216cd  $N_{12b}^K$  omits this line.

215c सार्ध ] Σ, सार्ध  $N_{82}^K N_{77}^{Ko}$  215d यत् ] Σ, यात्  $P_{72}^T$

216a ०प्रतीकाशैः ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C S^{\Sigma} E^N$ , ०समप्रख्यैः  $N_{12b}^K S_{67}^S$ , ०प्रतीकाशै  $N_{77}^{Ko}$

216b सर्वकामसमन्वितैः ]  $N_{28}^M N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S G^{Ko}$ , विमानैः सार्वकामिकैः  $N^M N_{82}^K$   
 $N_{94}^C G_{40}^L E^N$ , विमानैः सार्वगामिकैः  $P_{72}^T$  216c महायानै० ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S G^{Ko}$ ,

अनेकाकाऽ  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C E^N$ , अनेन काम०  $P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$  • ०संख्यातैर० ] Σ, ०संख्यानैर०  $S_{67}^S P_{72}^T$

216d ०पूजितैः ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S E^N$ , ०पूजितः  $N_{45}^C G^{Ko}$ , ०वन्दितैः  $P_{72}^T G_{40}^L$

217a शत० ] Σ, स तु  $E^N$  217b ०भद्र इवाऽ ]  $N^M N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{Ko} S_{67}^S$   
 $P_{72}^T G^{Ko}$ , ०भद्रो इवाऽ  $N_{28}^K$ , ०भद्र यिवाऽ  $G_{40}^L$ , ०भद्रं इवाऽ  $E^N$  217cd दिव्यम० ]

$N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C S_{67}^S S^{\Sigma} E^N$ , दिव्यम०  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{45}^C$ , दिव्यन्म०  $N_{77}^{Ko}$  218a तु ] Σ, स

$S_{67}^S$  • भोगान् ] Σ, भोगा  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , om.  $G_{40}^L$  218b सर्वदेहिनाम् ] Σ, समुपस्थिते

$G^{Ko}$  218c मोह० ] Σ, मोक०  $G_{40}^L$  218d स्वकैवल्यमवामृयात् ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{77}^{Ko}$ ,

ज्ञानकैवल्यमामृयात्  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T E^N$ , स कैवल्यमवामृयात्  $N_{12b}^K G^{Ko}$ , स्वकैवल्यमवामृयात्

$N_{45}^C$ , कैवल्यमसमवामृयात्  $S_{67}^S$ , ज्ञानं कैवल्यमामृयात्  $G_{40}^L$  219a सर्वज्ञः ] Σ, सर्वज्ञः

$N_{45}^C$ , सर्वयज्ञ०  $P_{72}^T$  • परमः सर्वः ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{45}^C$ , परमः शुद्धः  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C G^{Ko}$ , सर्वपरमः

$N_{12b}^K S_{67}^S$ , परम शुद्ध  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , ०परश्शुद्धः  $P_{72}^T$ , परमः शुद्ध  $G_{40}^L$ , परम शुद्धः  $E^N$  219b शुद्धः

स्वात्मन्यवस्थितः ]  $N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K S_{67}^S$ , सुद्धा स्वात्मन्यवस्थितः  $N^M$ , स्वात्मन्येव व्यवस्थितः  $N_{82}^K$

$P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , स्वात्मन्येव व्यवस्थितः  $N_{94}^C$ , शुद्धश्वात्मन्यवस्थितः  $N_{45}^C$ , शुद्धस्वात्मन्यवस्थितः

$N_{77}^{Ko}$ , सामान्येव व्यवस्थितः  $G^{Ko}$

सर्वगः परिपूर्णश्च शिववत्पतिरव्ययः ॥ २१९ ॥

[ गोप्रदानम् ]

यो दद्यादुभयमुखीं शिवायातीव शोभनाम् ।  
सप्तद्वीपां क्षितिं दत्त्वा यत्कलं तद्वाप्नुयात् ॥ २२० ॥

पादद्वयं शिरोऽर्धं च यदा वत्सस्य दृश्यते ।  
तदा गौः पृथिवी ज्ञेया दाता तु स्याद्गहीप्रदः ॥ २२१ ॥

॥ इति शिवधर्मे नन्दिप्रोक्ते  
उपवासगोप्रदानविधिर्नामाध्यायो दशमः ॥

**219** ≈ BhavP 1.170.5    **220** ≈ BhavP 1.170.6abcd    **221ab** ≈ BhavP 1.170.6ef

**219c** सर्वगः परिपूर्णश्च ]  $N^{\Sigma} S_{67}^S E^N$ , परिपूर्णश्च शिववद्  $P_{72}^T$ , शिववत्परिपूर्णश्च  
 $G^{K\bar{a}}$ , सर्वग परिपूर्णश्च  $G_{40}^L$     **219d** शिववत्पतिर० ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C G^{K\bar{a}}$   
 $G_{40}^L E^N$ , शिववत्पतिर०  $N_{82}^K$ , शिववत्परिर०  $N_{77}^{K\bar{o}}$ , शिववत्परितो०  $S_{67}^S$ , अशेषपतिर०  
 $P_{72}^T$     **220a** यो दद्यादुभयमुखीं ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C S_{67}^S G^{K\bar{a}}$ , दद्यादुभयमुखीं गां  $N_{82}^K$   
 $N_{94}^C E^N$ , यो दद्यादुभयमुखीं  $N_{77}^{K\bar{o}}$ , गांशेभयमुखीन्दद्यात्  $P_{72}^T$ , दद्यादुभयमुखीं गान्तु  $G_{40}^L$   
**220b** शिवायातीव ]  $\Sigma$ , शिवायाजीव०  $N_{45}^C$ , गां शिवाय  $S_{67}^S$  • ०शोभनाम् ]  $N_{28}^K$   
 $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{45}^C N_{77}^{K\bar{o}} S_{67}^S G^{K\bar{a}} E^N$ , ०शोभनम्  $N^M N_{12b}^K G_{40}^L$ , ०शोभनैः  $P_{72}^T$     **220c** ०द्वीपां ]  
 $\Sigma$ , ०द्वीपां  $N_{45}^C$ , ०द्वीपा  $N_{77}^{K\bar{o}}$  • क्षितिं ]  $\Sigma$ , क्षितं  $G_{40}^L$     **220d** यत्कलं० ]  $N^M N_{28}^K$   
 $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C N_{77}^{K\bar{o}} P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , यत्कलंम्  $N_{45}^C$ , तत्कलं  $S_{67}^S$ , यत्पुण्यं  $G^{K\bar{a}}$  • तद० ]  
 $\Sigma$ , सम०  $S_{67}^S$     **221a** ०द्वयं ]  $\Sigma$ , ०द्वयां  $N_{45}^C$ , ०द्वन्द्वं  $P_{72}^T$  • शिरोऽर्धं च ]  
 $\Sigma$ , शिरश्चैव  $S_{67}^S$ , शिरोऽर्धश्च  $E^N$     **221b** वत्सस्य दृश्यते ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{45}^C N_{77}^{K\bar{o}}$ , वत्सस्य  
निर्गतम्  $N_{82}^K S_{67}^S P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , वत्सस्य निर्गता  $N_{12b}^K$ , वच्छस्य निर्गतम्  $N_{94}^C$ , वत्सो विनिर्गतः  
 $G^{K\bar{a}}$     **221c** गौः ]  $N_{28}^K N_{82}^K N_{12b}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G_{40}^L E^N$ , गौै  $N^M N_{45}^C N_{77}^{K\bar{o}}$ , सा  $S_{67}^S$ , दौै  $G^{K\bar{a}}$   
**221d** दाता तु स्याद्गहीप्रदः ]  $N_{28}^K$ , दाता तुल्यात्महीप्रदम्  $N^M$ , यावद्भू न मुचति  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C$   
 $P_{72}^T E^N$ , तद्वानात्स्यान्महीप्रदः  $N_{12b}^K$ , तन्दानस्यात् महीप्रदः  $N_{45}^C$ , दाता चास्य महीपति  $N_{77}^{K\bar{o}}$ ,  
तद्वाने स्याद्गहीप्रदः  $S_{67}^S$ , तद्वाता स्यान्महीप्रदः  $G^{K\bar{a}}$ , दाता स्यन्महीपतिैः  $G_{40}^L$

## दशमो ऋध्यायः

**Colophon:** इति ]  $\Sigma$ , om.  $N_{28}^K N_{45}^C$  • शिवधर्मे नन्दिप्रोक्ते ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{45}^C$   $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , शिवधर्मशास्त्रे नन्दिकेश्वरप्रोक्ते  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C G_{40}^L$ , शिवधर्मे  $N_{12b}^K$ , श्रीनन्दिकेश्वरसंहितायां शिवधर्मे  $S_{67}^S$ , शिवधर्मशास्त्रे  $P_{72}^T G^{Ka}$ , नन्दिकेश्वरप्रोक्ते शिवधर्मे महाशास्त्रे  $E^N$  • उपवासगोप्रदानविधिर्नाम दशमो ऋद्यायः  $N_{12b}^K S_{67}^S$ , उपवासगोप्रदानविधिर्नामाध्यायो दशमः ]  $N^M N_{28}^K N_{82}^K$ , उपवासगोप्रदानविधिर्नाम दशमो ऋद्यायः  $N_{94}^C$ , उपवासगोप्रदानविधि नामः दशमो ऋद्यायः समाप्तः  $N_{45}^C$ , उपवासगोप्रदानविधि नाम दशमो ऋद्याय परिसमाप्तः  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ , व्रतोपवासगोप्रदानविधिर्नाम सप्तशंसा नाम दशमो ऋद्यायः  $P_{72}^T$ , व्रतोपवासगोप्रदानाध्यायो नाम दशमो ऋद्यायः  $G^{Ka}$ , व्रतोपवासगोप्रदानन्नाम दशमो ऋद्यायः || शिवाय नमः  $G_{40}^L$ , उपवासगोप्रदानविधिर्नाम दशमो ऋद्यायः  $E^N$

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# Śivadharmaśāstra

[ daśamo ’dhyāyah ]  
[ Chapter Ten ]

[ *upavāsaś caturdaśyām aṣṭamyām ca —*  
Fasting on the 14th and 8th days]

*nandikeśvara uvāca |*  
*caturdaśyām athaṣṭamyām pakṣayor ubhayor api |*  
*abdam ekam na bhuñjita śivārcanarataḥ śuciḥ || 1 ||*

Nandikeśvara spoke: For a period of one year, one should refrain from eating on the fourteenth and eighth days of both halves of the lunar month, engrossed in the worship of Śiva, in a [ritually] pure state.

*yat punyam akṣayam proktam satatam sattrayājinām |*  
*satyavādiṣu yat puṇyam yat puṇyam tīrthagāminām || 2 ||*

The undecaying merit that is taught to be gained by those who perform the great Soma sacrifice (*sattra*) continuously, the merit that is the share of those who speak the truth, the merit that is the share of those who visit pilgrimage-places (*tīrtha*),

10.1 We have chosen the reading *ubbayor api* ('both [fortnights]') in *pāda* b because we think that it is possible that it was original and some of the MSS later changed it to *śuklakṛṣṇayoh* ('light and dark') in order to clarify the meaning. Otherwise, the expression *śuklakṛṣṇayoh* is frequently seen in other texts in similar contexts.

It would be possible to choose the reading *yo bdam* in *pāda* c, but we are following N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub> and N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub> by choosing *abdam ekam*, which is also echoed in 10.114c below (*varṣam ekam na bhuñjīta*). On the other hand, see 10.10a: *yo bdam ekam prakurvīta*. The passages that are parallel to this verse do not give a definite answer to our questions on this verse (see the apparatus and the appendices).

10.2 We have chosen *tīrthagāminām* ('of those who visit pilgrimage-places') in *pāda* d instead of *ṛtugāminām* ('of those who approach [their wives sexually] at the proper time'), although there is considerable support for the latter if we suppose that N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>, and possibly Š<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>, also read something similar. Thus it is not impossible that *ṛtugāminām* was the original reading, and it perhaps seemed inappropriate or out of context for those who produced the exemplars of N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>, N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>, and of those that the South Indian MSS are based on.

*agnihotṛṣu yat puṇyam yat puṇyam yajñayājinām |  
tat puṇyam sakalam tasya śivalokam sa gacchati || 3 ||*

the merit of the Agnihotṛ priests, the merit of the sacrificers of sacrifices, all those merits will be his and he will go to Śivaloka.

[*parvabhūbhājanavratam* —  
Eating from the ground on parvan days]

*yah prthvīm bhājanam kṛtvā bhuṅkte parvasu yatnataḥ |  
aborātrena caikena trirātraphalam aśnute || 4 ||*

He who eats using the ground as a plate diligently on *parvan* days will enjoy the fruits of a Three-day [sacrifice] (*trirātra*) in one day and night.

*dvayor māsasya pañcamyor dvayoh pratipador narah |  
sopavāsaḥ sugandhāṅgaḥ śayita priyayā saha || 5 ||*

On both fifth and on both first days [of the two lunar halves] of the month, a man should fast, perfume his body, and lie down with his wife.

10.4 By *parvan* days (*parvasu*) the above mentioned days, *caturdaśyām* and *aṣṭamyām* (the fourteenth and eighth days) could be meant, but see the next verse, in which the fifth and first days are mentioned.

For the practice described here, see Kane 1930–1962, vol. 5, p. 339: ‘*Parvabhūbhājana-vrata*—one should take his food served on bare earth on parva days; Śiva deity; reaps the fruit of Atirātra-sacrifice; HV II. 906 (one verse from Pad.).’ Indeed, Hemādri in the *Vratakhaṇḍa* of his *Caturvargacintāmaṇi* quotes a verse from the *Padmapurāṇa*:

*pṛthivībhājane bhuṅkte nityam parvvasu yo narah |  
atirātraphalaṁ devi aborātrena vindati ||*  
*pṛthivībhājane bhūmāv annam nidhāyety arthaḥ śivo 'tra devatā | iti padma-purāṇoktam parvabhūbhājanavratam |.*

The verse cited from the *Padmapurāṇa* is almost identical to SP 28.8, which however reads *sa trirātra-* instead of *atirātra-*. This corresponds more closely to the present verse.

The Trirātra in a śrauta context is a Soma sacrifice with three days of Soma pressing, usually consisting of an *agniṣṭoma*, an *ukhyā* and an *atirātra*, at the beginning of a ten-day festival (*daśāha*). In a gṛhya context, which in the light of verse six below may be relevant here too, it refers to three nights that a newlywed couple, who are separated on the bed by a stick made of udumbara wood, must spend in abstinence. For details and references, see Mylius 1995, 73–74.

śete niścalacittas tu ratiprītivivarjitaḥ |  
śivānusmṛtiśilasya tasya puṇyaphalam śṛṇu || 6 ||

He should rest with his mind motionless, avoiding the pleasure of sex. Listen to the meritorious rewards that he acquires while he practises meditation on Śiva.

divyavarṣasahasraṇ tu divyavarṣāśatam tathā |  
tapas taptaṁ mahat tena bhaved atra na saṃśayah || 7 ||

By this (*tena*), enormous penance will be performed for a thousand and one hundred cosmic years, no doubt about it.

bhavabhabitispūtātmā yady api syāt sa pāpakrt |  
śivaloke vasen nityam śivavat saṃvṛto gaṇaiḥ || 8 ||

Even if he has committed sins, his soul being completely purified by his devotion to Bhava [i.e. Śiva], he will dwell in Śivaloka eternally, surrounded by the Gaṇas, like Śiva.

[*kṛṣṇāṣṭamīnaktavrata* —  
The observance of eating only at night (8th–14th, dark half)]

*kṛṣṇāṣṭamyām tu naktena yāvat kṛṣṇacaturdaśī |*  
*iha bhogam avāpnoti paratra ca śivāmī gatim || 9 ||*

By [eating only at] night from the eighth to the fourteenth day of the dark lunar fortnight, he will experience joy in this world, and the auspicious path [to Śiva] in the next.

*yo 'bdam ekam prakurvīta naktam parvasu parvasu |*  
*brahmacārī jitakrodhah śivārcājapatatparah || 10 ||*

10.6 As for sexual abstinence, see our note on *trirātra* in verse four above. Note the alteration of the text in the Śāradā MS: instead of *śivānusmṛti*° ('meditation on Śiva'), it stresses the exclusiveness of Śaiva meditation by reading *śivakasmṛti*° ('meditation exclusively on Śiva').

10.9 For general details and references on the *kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrata*, see Kane 1930–1962, vol. 5, p. 289. On the version given in the present chapter and on other texts containing versions of the *kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrata*, including the *Niśvāsamukha*, the *Bhaviṣyapurāṇa*, and the *Matsyapurāṇa*, see Kafle 2019.

He who follows [the vow of eating only] at night on *parvan* days for one year, in chastity, his anger conquered, focusing on the worship of Śiva and on recitation,

*samvatsarānte viprendrān śivabhaktān samādbinā |  
bhojayitvā tato brūyāt priyatām bhagavān śivalḥ || 11 ||*

at the end of the year should feed attentively (*samādbinā*) the excellent Brahmins who are Śiva's devotees (*śivabhakta*) and then he should say: 'May Lord Śiva be satisfied!'

*evamvidhisamāyuktaḥ śivalokam sa gacchati |  
na ca mānuṣyakam lokam adhruvam prāpnuyān narah || 12 ||*

If a man follows these practices, he will go to Śivaloka and will never return to the impermanent human world.

10.10 As for what the *parvan* days refer to here exactly, we might suppose that they are again the eighth and fourteenth days, albeit now only of the dark fortnight, in contrast with the instructions in verse one, and in contrast with the fact that in the present verse, it is a period that is defined (from the eighth to the fourteenth), rather than just two days. The commentary treats verses 10–12 as an observance distinct from the one described in verse nine (*anyad vrataṁ āha yo 'bdam iti tribhiḥ*, see p. 173).

10.11 Note the significant variant *sadakṣiṇam* for *samādbinā* in *pāda* b in G<sup>Ki</sup>. *Pāda* a is a *ma-vipulā*.

The additional passage in G<sup>Ki</sup> after 11d, which is of a somewhat tantric character (see the apparatus), is also to be found in a 'Śivadharma' MS, namely in IFP transcript no. 860 (pp. 56–57), 'copied from MS R. No. 2442 belonging to G.O.M.L., Madras.' A tentative translation of this passage would read as follows:

He who feeds a sage who keeps the vow of the skull [by this also] feeds the chiefs of the gods, Brahmā, Viṣṇu, and Maheśvara. He who accepts food given as alms filled in his skull[-bowl] from somebody will deliver ten generations of his [i.e. the donor's] kinsmen from the past and ten in the future. When he sees an ascetic [of that kind], he should worship him with foot-washing water, water-offering for guests, water for sipping, with perfumes and flowers [placed] all around [him], and then he should gladden him with alms. [When] he [i.e. the ascetic] is worshipped with these, Śiva Himself is worshipped, no doubt about that. By contempt [towards ascetics], the Highest Lord Himself will be despised. He who donates into a skull[-bowl] with deep faith will have his donation yield rewards, and it [i.e. the results of the donation] will become a hundred-thousand-fold.

*upavāsāt param bhaikṣam bhaikṣāt param ayācitam |  
ayācītāt param naktam tasmān naktena vartayet || 13 ||*

Mendicancy is superior to food restrictions (*upavāsa*). [The vow to eat only] unsolicited [food] is superior to mendicancy. [Eating only] at night is superior to [the vow to eat only] unsolicited [food]. Therefore he should live following [the practice of eating only at] night.

*devais tu bhuktam pūrvāhne madhyāhne ṛṣibhis tathā |  
aparāhne ca pitṛbhīḥ sandhyāyāṁ guhyakādibhīḥ || 14 ||*

The gods eat in the morning, the Ṛṣis at noon, the ancestors in the afternoon, the Guhyakas and others in the evening.

*sarvavelām atikramya naktam uttamabhojanam |  
vāmācāro mahādevo naktenoddharate narān || 15 ||*

Overriding all prescribed hours of the day for eating (*velā*), the supreme meal is at night. Mahādeva, who is of unconventional practice, rescues men at night.

*havisyabhojanam snānam satyam āhāralāghavam |  
agnikāryam adhahsāyyāṁ naktabhojī samācaret || 16 ||*

He who follows the practice of eating only at night should eat food that is fit to be offered, should perform [ritual] bath[s], [speak] the truth, eat little food, perform fire-sacrifices, and sleep on the ground.

[*kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrataṁ pratimāsam —*  
Observances on the eighth day of the dark half month by month]

*kṛṣṇāṣṭamyāṁ prayatnena kṛtvā naktam vidhānatāḥ |  
mārgaśīrṣe śubhe māse śāṅkaram devam arcayet || 17 ||*

10.14 *Pāda a* is a *ma-vipulā*. *Pāda c* is a *na-vipulā*.

See an idea similar to what this verse conveys in Śatapathabrahmaṇa 2.4.2.8: *sa vā aparāhne dadāti | pūrvāhno vai devānām, madhyandino manusyāṇām, aparāhnaḥ pitṛṇām, tasmād aparāhne dadāti |*.

10.15 Note how the line on *vāmācāra* (10.15cd) is absent in the parallel passage in the *Liṅgapurāṇa*, and how some of the South Indian MSS and the Kashmirian one also try to avoid this expression. Our commentator (see p. 174) interprets *vāma* as ‘lovely, dear, noble,’ and glosses it with *abbirāma*.

On the eighth day of the dark half of the auspicious month of Mārgaśīrṣa, one should diligently follow the practice of eating only at night, according to the rules, and he should worship the god Śaṅkara.

*pītvā śaktyā tu gomūtram anābhāro niśi svapet |  
atirātrasya yajñasya phalam aṣṭaguṇam labhet || 18 ||*

Drinking cow's urine as much as one is capable of, one should sleep at night without having taken food. He will acquire eight times more rewards than that of an Atirātra sacrifice.

*evam pauṣe 'pi sampūjya śambhunāmānam iśvaram |  
krṣṇāṣṭamīyām ghṛtam prāśya vājapeyāṣṭakam labhet || 19 ||*

In a similar manner, worshipping the Lord called Śambhu on the eighth day of the dark half of the month of Pauṣa, he should eat ghee. He will acquire [the rewards of] eight Vājapeya [Soma] sacrifices.

*māghe maheśvarām nāma krṣṇāṣṭamīyām prapūjayet |  
yavāṁś ca bharjitān prāśya aśvamedhaphalam labhet || 20 ||*

10.17 Note that this sequence of months in verses 10.17–29 starts with Mārgaśīrṣa, similarly to *Niśvāsamukha* 3.92–105 (Kafle 2019, 347–348). See also Kafle 2019, 349: ‘The month of mārgaśīrṣa is linked to Viṣṇu’s awakening from slumber at the end of the rainy season—according to lore, Viṣṇu sleeps during the four months of the rainy season (known as cāturmāsyā) and wakes up on the eleventh day (*ekādaśī*) of mārgaśīrṣa. This is one of the months considered auspicious for commencing rites. In a broader, general sense, it is—structurally speaking—logical to begin a *vrata* in the month of mārgaśīrṣa, as it is the first month of the year in one of the more widespread Indic ritual calendars.’

Kafle (2019, 351) quotes a sequence of names of Śiva similar to what we see above in 10.17–27 in *Matyapurāṇa* 56.2–4. Also, see a similar sequence of names, this time of Kāmadeva, associated with monthly worship in *Niśvāsamukha* 3.141–145 (Kafle 2020, 294).

The commentator’s gloss of *prayatnena* is *yāvanmāśam* (‘throughout the month’, see p. 175). If we accepted this, our understanding of the course of these observances would change significantly.

10.18 The Atirātra sacrifice is ‘a rite for Indra, mainly characterized by three nightly rounds of Soma cups’ (Mylius 1995, 27).

10.19 The Vājapeya sacrifice is a one-day Soma offering. See Mylius 1995, 115.

On the eighth day of the dark half of the month of Māgha, one should worship [the god] called Maheśvara. He should eat roasted barley and thus he will acquire the rewards of an Aśvamedha sacrifice.

*phālgune ca mahādevam kṛṣṇāṣṭamyām prapūjayet |  
triśuklaprāśanām krtvā agniṣṭomāṣṭakām labhet || 21 ||*

In the month of Phālguna, one should worship Mahādeva on the eighth day of the dark fortnight. Eating three kinds of pure substance (*triśukla*), he will receive eight times the reward of an Agniṣṭoma sacrifice.

*caitre ca sthānunāmānam kṛṣṇāṣṭamyām prapūjayet |  
puṣpodakām sakṛt pītvā sarvayajñaphalam labhet || 22 ||*

In the month of Caitra, one should worship [the god] called Sthānu on the eighth day of the dark fortnight. When he drinks water boiled with flowers he will obtain the rewards of an ‘all-encompassing sacrifice.’

10.20 Note how N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup> and N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup> differ here and below; their readings have been close so far. We have decided to follow N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup> here and in the following few verses. *bharjitām* in *pāda* a in N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup> can of course be treated as an orthographical variant for the plural accusative (*bharjitān*), which then makes our correction unnecessary. There is a slight possibility that *gokṣīra* in some witnesses is the result of a corruption of *yavān* to *gavām*.

This verse is discussed and translated in Kafle 2019, 363. Kafle prefers reading *nīśi* *pītvā ca gokṣīram* and *gomedhāṣṭakam* in *pādas* c and d, respectively, and thus inevitably opts for *yavānś ca bharjitān* in 22c, and so *śvamedhaphalam* *labhet* in 22d. Both options are reasonable, and it is difficult to see which is the original one, or the one closer to the redactors’ original intention.

Since most rituals in this sequence are Soma-related, the Aśvamedha seems an exception, although it does involve Soma-pressing. See Mylius 1995, 35–36.

10.21 While support for the preferred reading in *pāda* b is minimal, we think that the alternative readings aim at avoiding the problem of introducing the term *triśukla* in *pāda* c, the meaning of which may have been unclear to some. In fact, the meaning of *triśukla* is also unclear to us. It appears in Buddhist texts in the sense of ‘three pure substances’ to be consumed, e.g., in the *Mañjuśriyamūlakalpa* (*triśuklabhoji kṣīrābhāro vā*; see Vaidya 1964, 76). Here in the *Śivadharmaśāstra* it may mean three pure food items, possibly the ones mentioned above for the previous months (note that we are in the fourth month in this sequence). See some more details on this in Kafle 2019, 364.

The Agniṣṭoma is again a form of Soma-offering. See Mylius 1995, 24–25.

10.22 Note that those manuscripts that read *triśukla* in the previous verse (N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup> and

*vaiśākhe śivanāmānam pibed rātrau kuśodakam |  
puruṣamedhayajñasya phalam aṣṭaguṇam labhet || 23 ||*

In the month of Vaiśākha, [he should worship the god] called Śiva, and at night he should drink water boiled with Kuśa grass (*kuśodaka*). He will obtain rewards eight times greater than those of a Puruṣamedha.

*jyeṣṭhe paśupatim pūjya gavāṁ śrīngodakam pibet |  
gavāṁ koṭipradānasya yat puṇyam tad avāpnuyāt || 24 ||*

In the month of Jyeṣṭha, he should worship Paśupati, and drink the ‘horn-water’ (*śrīngodaka*) of cows [at night]. He will obtain the reward that one would obtain by donating millions of cows.

$N_{77}^{K_o}$ ) are the ones that read *puṣpodaka* here in *pāda c*. The accepted reading of  $N_{82}^K$  and  $N_{77}^{K_o}$  in *pāda a* is challenged by the significant support in other MSS for the variant *yavāṁś ca bharjitān prāśya* ('eating roasted barley'). On this problem, see our note on 20cd above.

*puṣpodaka* ('water boiled with flowers') can alternatively be translated as 'water in which flowers have been soaked.'

*sarvayajña* serves as an alternative term for expressing the concept of *sarvamedha*. It is a *daśarātra* Śrauta sacrifice, as detailed in *Śatapathabrahmaṇa* 13.7.1.2. Within this particular Śrauta sacrifice, the practitioner offers everything to attain a state of being all-encompassing, as articulated in *Śatapathabrahmaṇa* 13.7.1.1. Thus, in our specific context, *sarvayajña* most probably does not refer to 'all [Śrauta] sacrifice' in general. It is called *sarvayajña* or *sarvamedha* as it grants the sacrificer supremacy over all (*Śatapathabrahmaṇa* 13.7.1.3). Furthermore, the scheme of the observance in this section (17ff.) also promises the fruit of one single Śrauta sacrifice upon the completion of the particular *vrata* prescribed for the month. In a similar vein, both preceding and succeeding sections pertain to the rewards of a single sacrifice. For instance, by fulfilling the *vrata* in Mārgaśīrṣa, the observer reaps the benefits of an Atirātra (18), and likewise for Pauṣa, the Vājapeya (19), and so forth. On *sarvamedha* as a Soma ritual, see also Mylius 1995, 131–132. Note the possible association from Soma to *puṣpodaka*.

10.23 For *kuśodaka* (or rather, *kuśavāri*), see *Manu* 11.149 (11.148 in older editions) translated by Olivelle (2005, 223) as: 'If he touches, gives, or receives according to rule an intoxicant, or drinks water left over by a Śūdra, he should drink water boiled with Kuśa grass for three days.'

Note the metrical fault of two *laghus* in *pāda c*. The hypermetrical reading of  $N_{45}^C$  in *pāda c* might be original, and  $N_{82}^K$  and  $N_{77}^{K_o}$  probably then attempt to correct it. The same hypermetrical reading might perhaps be treated as metrical with the application of syncope: *puruṣamedhaya*; syncope occurs frequently in texts with non-standard Sanskrit such as the *Brahmayāmala*, albeit exclusively in syllables containing the short vowel *a*.

The Puruṣamedha was a probably symbolic human sacrifice; see Mylius 1995, 92.

10.24 Mādhava's commentary explains the expression *gavāṁ śrīngodakaiḥ snānam*

āśādhe cogranāmānam iṣṭvā prāśya ca gomayam |  
sautrāmaṇes tu yajñasya phalam aṣṭagunam labbet || 25 ||

In the month of Āśādha, he should worship the [god] called Ugra and eat cow-dung. He will receive a reward eight times greater than that of a Sautrāmaṇī sacrifice.

śrāvaṇe śarvanāmānam iṣṭvā piṇyākabhabhakṣaṇāt |  
varṣakotiśatam sāgram rudraloke mahīyate || 26 ||

If he worships [the god] called Śarva in the month of Śrāvaṇa and eats oil-cakes (*piṇyāka*) [during this observance], he will rejoice in Rudraloka for more than ten million years.

māse bhādrapade ṣṭamyām tryambakam nāma pūjayet |  
prāśanād bilvapatatrāṇām anantam phalam āpnuyāt || 27 ||

If on the eighth day of [the dark fortnight of] the month of Bhādrapada he worships the one called Tryambaka, and eats leaves of the wood-apple tree (*bilva*), he will receive endless rewards.

in *Parāśarasṛṣṭi* 5.2ab as follows (for the Sanskrit see Islāmpurkar 1898, 63): *samarthas tu goṣṭingodakasnānādikam ācaret iti | tatra goṣṭingodakasnānām nāma goṣṭingapūriten-odakena gāyatrīyā śatavārbhimantritenā secanam |*; ‘But he who is capable should perform a ritual bath with cow-horn water. In this [instruction], “a ritual bath with cow-horn water” means sprinkling with water filled into a cow’s horn, while reciting the Gāyatrī mantra a hundred times.’ See also *Vṛṣaśārasamgraha* 19.13: *gavām śrīgodaṅkam grhya mūrdhni yo dhārayen narah | sa sarvatīrthaśnānasya phalam prāpnoti mānavah ||*; ‘If a man takes cow-horn water and applies it on his head, he will obtain the reward of bathing at all the sacred places.’

Note the significant-looking split in the variants between *koti* and *lakṣa* in *pāda c.*

10.25 There is some confusion in a number of MSS concerning 25cd–29a. N<sup>M</sup>N<sup>K</sup><sub>12b</sub> N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub>N<sup>K<sub>2</sub></sup><sub>77</sub>’s not transmitting 25cd is clearly an omission, as opposed to 25cd hypothetically being an insertion in the MSS that do transmit it, because this line is surely needed for verse 25 to make sense. For further details of repetitions and omissions here, some of which may have been triggered by eyeskips, see the apparatus to verse 25.

The Sautrāmaṇī, or Sautrāmaṇī, sacrifice is one in honour of the Vedic god Indra, whose epithet is Sutrāman (‘protector’). According to Mylius (1995, 136), this ritual is intended to atone for the overconsumption of Soma, and in general for all sins and sacrificial errors.

10.27 The variant *abdā[d] dīkṣā* or *abdādīkṣā* is significant. While discussing this verse, Kafle (2019, 369–371) remarks that ‘[t]he use of *bilva*-leaves (27c) in a ritual context, especially when worshipping Śiva, is very common. *Niśvāsamukha* 1:142, for exam-

*īśvaram āśvine pūjya pītvā vai taṇḍulodakam |  
pauṇḍarīkasya yajñasya phalam aṣṭaguṇam labhet || 28 ||*

If in the month of Āśvina he worships Īśvara, and drinks rice-water, he will obtain the rewards of eight Pauṇḍarīka [Soma]-sacrifices.

*kārttike rudranāmānam sampūjya prāśayed dadhi |  
agniṣṭomasya yajñasya phalam aṣṭaguṇam labhet || 29 ||*

If in the month of Kārttika he worships the one called Rudra, and he drinks coagulated milk, he will obtain the rewards of eight Agniṣṭoma sacrifices.

*varṣānte bhojayed vīprān śivabbaktiparāyaṇān |  
pāyasaṁ madhusaṁyuktam ghṛtena supariplutam || 30 ||*

At the end of the year, he should feed those Brahmins who focus on devotion to Śiva. He should offer them rice boiled in milk (*pāyasa*) with honey and a generous amount of ghee,

*śaktyā hiranyavāsāṁsi bhaktyā tebhyo nivedayet |  
nivedayīta rudrāya gāṁ ca kṛṣṇāṁ payasvinīm || 31 ||*

and gold and clothes as much as he can afford, with devotion. He should offer Rudra a black cow that yields milk in abundance.

*varṣam ekaṁ cared evaṁ nairantaryena yo naraḥ |  
kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrataṁ bhaktyā tasya puṇyaphalam śrnu || 32 ||*

ple, declares that an act of offering *bilva*-fruit to Śiva is the greatest of offerings: *bilva-patrāt param nāsti yena tuṣyatī saṅkarah* [...]. The meaning of *abdadikṣā* ‘a year-[long]-initiation’ is obscure. Perhaps it refers to a type of Vedic sacrifice like the Rājasūya or Sattrayāga, since the duration of their performance extends over the period of at least a year.  $N_{12a}^K N_{77}^{K_o}$  together with the printed version of the BhP [BhavP] provide an alternative reading, ‘one will partake of the fruit of the *annadikṣā*’, which is no less obscure.’

10.28 Note the metrical fault of two *lagbus* in *pāda* a, or treat the last syllable of *īśvaram* as heavy. We could have typeset this word as *īśvaram*, following Edgerton (1953, vol. 1, §2.68–69, pp. 19–20), but we seldom see the practice of adding an *anusvāra* before a vowel to signal the *gurutva* of the last syllable of a word in Nepalese MSS. See some more detail on this question in Kiss 2025 [forthcoming]. Note also the variant *mateśvaram* in the Śāradā MS: Mateśvarī was probably a local, or at least well-known, deity in Kashmir; see Sanderson 2007, 256. For information on the Pauṇḍarīka sacrifice, see, e.g., Mylius 1995, 94. Note the possible link between Soma-drinking and drinking rice-water.

10.29 On the Agniṣṭoma ritual, see our note to verse 21 above.

If a man follows this ‘observance on the eighth day of the dark half’ (*kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrata*) thus, with devotion, for a year without interruption, his rewards [will be the following], listen.

*sarvapāpaviniirmuktah sarvaiśvaryasamanvitah |  
vasec chivapure nityam na cehāyāti karhicit || 33 ||*

He will be freed of all his sins and will have all the powers (*aiśvarya*). He will live in Śivapura eternally and will never return to this world.

*pūnyotsaveṣu sarveṣu viṣuvadgrahaṇādiṣu |  
dānopavāsahomādyam akṣayam jāyate kṛtam || 34 ||*

When performed on days of any religious festivals, or on days of equinox or eclipse, etc., donations, fasting, fire sacrifices, etc. will become [i.e. will yield fruits that are] undecaying.

[*śivavrataṁ pratimāsam* —  
The observance of Śiva month by month]

*pratimāsam pravakṣyāmi śivavrataṁ anuttamam |  
dharmakāmārthamokṣārthaṁ naranāryādidehinām || 35 ||*

I shall teach you the supreme observance of Śiva month by month for the sake of religious duty, carnal pleasures, wealth, and liberation, of men, women and other beings.

[*pauṣe* —  
In Pauṣa]

*pauṣamāse tu samprāpte yaḥ kuryān naktabhojanam |  
satyavādī jitakrodhaḥ sāligodhūmagorasaīḥ || 36 ||*

10.33 *sarvaiśvarya* in *pāda b* may or may not refer to magical powers (*siddhi* or *guṇa*), traditionally eight in number. Compare with 43b, where we have chosen *śivaiśvarya*<sup>o</sup>, but could have opted for *sarvaiśvarya*<sup>o</sup> as well.

10.35 The versions of this verse found in the *Līṅgapurāṇa* and the *Bhavisyapurāṇa* (see the apparatus) may have tried to get rid of the slightly odd °ādi° in *pāda d*. On the other hand, see 192b (*naranārinapuṇṣakāḥ*), where the third category next to man and woman is the *napuṇṣaka* (‘eunuch,’ ‘gender-neutral,’ ‘person of the third gender’). This may be the intended meaning here.

He who follows the rules of eating only at night (*naktabhojana*)  
when the month of Pauṣa arrives, eating rice, wheat, and milk,  
speaking only the truth, his anger conquered,

*pakṣayor aṣṭamī yatnād upavāsenā vartayet |  
trisandhyam arcayet iśam agnikāryam ca śaktitah || 37 ||*

on the eighth days of both fortnights [of the month], should engage in fasting with effort, worship Īśa at the three junctures of the day [at dawn, noon, evening] and [perform] fire sacrifices according to his capabilities.

*bbūmiśayyām ca māsānte paurṇamāsyām ghṛtādibhib |  
kṛtvā snānam mahāpūjām śive yatnāt prakalpayet || 38 ||*

At the end of the month, at full-moon, he should sleep on the ground, bathe Śiva with ghee etc., and prepare the great worship (*mahāpūjā*) for Śiva with care.

*naivedyam yāvakaprastham kṣīrasiddham nivedayet |  
bhojayec ca dvijān aṣṭau śivabhaktān sadakṣiṇam || 39 ||*

10.36 It is not clear why the annual ritual cycle of the *śivavrata* should start with the month of *Pauṣa*, but there is possibly an allusion to the *pusyasnāna* (for which see *Atharvavedapariśiṣṭā* 5 and *Brhatsambitā* 47). The bathing of Śiva with ghee etc. mentioned in 10.38 would then be a reworking of the king's bath in ghee (cf. *Brhatsaṃhitā* 47.50–54). The *pusyasnāna* was initially performed for the king when the moon entered the Pusya constellation (*Atharvavedapariśiṣṭā* 5.4.2). The reward for the king undertaking the *pusyābbhiṣeka* is the enjoyment of the earth and, ultimately, the ascent to Indra's heaven. Here the final reward is rather the attainment of Śiva's heaven. The practice of conducting this type of ritual every month and on a full moon day is not mentioned in the *Atharvavedapariśiṣṭā*, but *Brhatsaṃhitā* 47.82 specifies that it may be repeated each month when the moon passes through the asterism of Pusya.

10.37 We could have chosen the reading *aṣṭamīm* in *pāda* a, but grammatically it would not be significantly better than accepting a stem form noun, or nominative, here. The situation is similar to that in 89b.

10.38 The fact that the text suggests that the month ends at full moon might perhaps hint at its northern origin, although this is far from decisive. See Jacobi 1892, 2: "A lunar month corresponds to one lunation. It is reckoned either from new-moon to new-moon, or from full-moon to full-moon. The first scheme is called the *amānta*, *darśānta*, or southern scheme; the latter the *pūrnimānta* or northern scheme."

He should make an offering of one *prastha* of barley cooked in milk, and should feed eight Brahmins who are devotees of Śiva and he should give them gifts,

*śive gomithunam caiva kapilam vinivedayet |  
alaṁkṛtvā surūpam ca tasya punyaphalam śrnu || 40 ||*

and having ornamented a beautiful brown pair of a bull and a cow, he should offer them to Śiva. Listen to the meritorious rewards that this brings about.

*sūryakoṭipratikāśair vimānaiḥ sārvakāmikaiḥ |  
rudrakanyāsamākīrṇair mahāvṛṣabhasamyutaiḥ || 41 ||*

On aerial chariots that shine like millions of suns and fulfil all desires, that are full of Rudrakanyās, and are drawn by great bulls,

*samgītanṛtyavādyādyair apsarogaṇaśobhitaiḥ |  
dodhūyamānaś camaraiḥ stūyamānaḥ surāsuraiḥ || 42 ||*

are adorned by groups of Apsarases, who sing, dance, play music etc., being fanned diligently with chowries and praised by gods and Asuras,

*trinetraḥ śūlapāṇiś ca śivaiśvaryasamanvitaiḥ |  
gacchec chivapuram ramyam yatrāste śāṅkarāḥ svayam || 43 ||*

10.39 The reading *prakalp[ay]et* in N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup>, N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>, N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>, and E<sup>N</sup> is probably the result of an eyeskip to 38d. A *prastha* is a unit of weight usually considered to be around 0.4–0.7 kg. For our choice of *sadakṣiṇam* (in an adverbial sense) as opposed to *sadakṣiṇān*, see, e.g., *Nāradapurāṇa* 1.22.11: *tataḥ saṃsnāpayed viṣṇum pūrvavat prayato 'rcayet | brāhmaṇān bhojayec chaktyā bhaktiyuktaḥ sadakṣiṇam ||*. This decision has led us to reject almost all witnesses against N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> in verse 184.

10.40 We consider *śive* in *pāda* a original, and we suppose that most other MSS try to ‘correct’ the form to *śivāya*. Furthermore, similarly to what we did in the previous verse, here in *pāda* b we have rejected most witnesses and chosen *kapilam*, as opposed to *kapilām*, simply for grammatical reasons. *surūpam* in verse 50 below in a similar sentence confirms this choice, as does LiP 1.83.18 (cited in the apparatus to the present verse).

For support for the choice *vinivedayet* in *pāda* b, see verses 50 and 75, and the above-mentioned verse in the *Liṅgapurāṇa*.

10.42 *Pāda* c is a *bha-vipulā*.

having three eyes, with a trident in his hand, possessing all the powers of Śiva, he will depart to beautiful Śivapura, where Śaṅkara himself dwells.

*yāvat tадromasamkhyānam tatprasūtikuleṣu ca |  
tāvad yugasahasrāṇi sukhī śivapure vaseṭ || 44 ||*

He will dwell happily in Śivapura for as many thousands of æons as is the number of their hairs [i.e., those of the cow and the bull] and the hairs of their offspring.

*trisaptakulajaiḥ sārdhaṁ bhogān bhuktvā yathespitān |  
jñānayogaṁ samāsādya sa tatraiva vimucyate || 45 ||*

Experiencing the pleasures he desires, together with his family members of three times seven generations, reaching the union [that comes from] knowledge (*jñānayoga*), he will be liberated right there [in Śivapura].

*yogaṁ duḥkhāntam āpnoti jñānād yogaiḥ pravartate |  
śivadharmād bhavej jñānam śivadharmaiḥ śivārcanāt || 46 ||*

From union, he will reach the end of suffering (*duḥkhānta*). Union comes from knowledge. Knowledge comes from the Śivadharma. The Śivadharma comes from the worship of Śiva.

*ity eṣa vaḥ samākhyātaḥ saṃsārārṇavavartinām |  
śivamokṣakramopāyaḥ śivāśramaniṣevinām || 47 ||*

Thus has been taught to you, who live in the ocean of transmigration and abide in the Śiva-āśrama, the gradual method of liberation by Śiva.

10.43 For our choice of *śivaiśvaryā*<sup>o</sup> in *pāda* b, in contrast with *sarvaiśvaryā*<sup>o</sup>, compare 33b. See a discussion and alternative translation of the slightly out of place verses 45–47, in Bisschop et al. 2021, 8–10.

10.47 The somewhat surprising *vaḥ* in *pāda* a underlines the general feeling that this and the previous two verses were perhaps not originally part of this section, although it may hint at Nandikeśvara's addressing Sanatkumāra and the Ṛṣis, which is the basic setting of the text. See a similar line in ŚDhŚ 12.98 (cited in the apparatus). The expression *śivāśrama* is also unexpected here, being its first occurrence in the *Śivadharmaśāstra*, and it seems like a borrowing from chapter 11, the *śivāśramādhyaśāya* (Bisschop et al. 2021).

[*māghe* —  
In Māgha]

*māghamāse tu samprāpte yaḥ kuryān naktabhojanam |*  
*kṛṣarāṇi ghṛtasamyuktāṇi bhuñjānah samyatendriyah || 48 ||*

He who follows the practice of eating only at night when the month of Māgha arrives, eating [only] *kṛṣarāṇi* porridge with ghee, his senses subdued,

*sopavāsaś caturdaśyāṇi bhaved ubhayapakṣayoh |*  
*śīvāya paurṇamāsyāṇi vā pradadyād ghṛtakambalam || 49 ||*

should fast on the fourteenth day of both fortnights, and (*vā*) on the day of the full moon he should perform a ‘blanket of ghee’ [coronation ceremony] (*ghṛtakambala*) for Śiva.

*kṛṣṇam gomithunam cātra surūpaṇi vinivedayet |*  
*śeṣāṇi kṛtvā yathoddīṣṭāṇi pūrvoktaṇi tu phalaṇi labhet || 50 ||*

In this case he should offer [Śiva] a beautiful pair of a black bull and a black cow. Having done the rest [i.e. the feeding of the Brahmins] as taught [before], he will obtain the aforementioned rewards.

*indranilapratikāśair vimānaiḥ śikhisamyutaiḥ |*  
*gatvā śivapuram ramyāṇi bhunkte bhogān yathepsitān || 51 ||*

10.48 *kṛṣara/kṛṣarāṇi* is a dish of sesame seeds and a mixture of rice and peas with spices, or ‘a dish made with milk, rice, and sesame seeds’ (Olivelle 2005, 278, commenting on *Manu* 5.7; verse 5.6 in older editions).

10.49 The *ghṛtakambala* is a Śrauta ritual, conducted in conjunction with *lakṣaboma* and *koṭihoma* as observed in Geslani 2018, 119. It is a royal ritual, first attested and comprehensively discussed in *Atharvavedapariśiṣṭa* 33, intended for the protection of the king (33.7). The text informs us that Bṛhaspati performed this ritual for Indra when Indra faced defeat by the Asuras. For its association with *śānti*-related rituals, see Geslani 2018, 120 and 165. For descriptions of the *ghṛtakambala*, see also *Sūkṣmāgama* chapter 31 and *Uttarakāraṇāgama* chapter 32. Kane’s summary of the *ghṛtakambala* ritual (Kane 1930–1962, vol. 5, p. 297) is the following: ‘on 14th of M[āgha]. śu[klapakṣa]. fast and on 15th a thick blanket-like plaster of ghee on Śivalinga up to the VediKA and then gift of fine pairs of dark bulls. Result—the performer lives in Sivaloka for numberless years.’ This is in fact partly based on ŚDhŚ 8.19–20 quoted in the *Caturvargacintāmaṇi*.

On aerial chariots that shine like sapphire and are drawn by peacocks, he will depart to beautiful Śivapura and experience any pleasures he pleases.

[*phālgune* —  
In Phālguna]

*samprāpte phālgune māse yaḥ kuryān naktabhojanam |*  
*śyāmākakṣīranīvārair jitakrodho jitendriyah |*  
*caturdaśyām athāṣṭamyām upavāsarato bhavet || 52 ||*

He who follows [the rules of] eating only at night when the month of Phālguna arrives, [living on] millet (*śyāmāka*), milk and wild rice, his anger conquered, his senses subdued, should fast on the fourteenth and eighth days.

*paurṇamāśyām mahāsnānam pañcagavyair ghṛtādibhiḥ |*  
*valmīkāgrādimṛdbhiś ca gomūtracchagaṇādibhiḥ |*  
*tvagbhiś ca kṣīravṛkṣānām dhātrīgandhādibhir bhavet || 53 ||*

At full moon he should perform the great bathing [of the divine image] with the five products of the cow—ghee etc.—with clay from the top of an ant-hill etc., and with cow’s urine and dried cow-dung etc., with the bark of Kṣīravṛkṣa trees, and perfumes such as of the Amla fruit.

10.52 Note the slight changes in the prescribed dates in the sequence spanning verses 36–86: *pauṣa*—8th of both fortnights; *māgha*—14th of both fortnights; *phālguna*—8th and 14th [of both fortnights?]. After this no dates are mentioned, but at the end (in verse 89) it is confirmed that the 8th and 14th of both fortnights are the focus of this observance. This may mean either that the instructions for the first two months are elliptic, or that they are introductory, slowly preparing the practitioner for the proper practice.

10.53 We are uncertain about the precise identity of *kṣīravṛkṣas* ('milk-trees'). The only other occurrence of the word in the Śivadharma corpus can be found in *Śivopanisad* 4.43, where the text discusses *kṣīravṛkṣa* as fuel, yet it remains unclear what the word signifies. In Vedic sources, a few mentions of *kṣīravṛkṣa* appear, such as in *Atharvavedapariśiṣṭā* 64.7.5 and *Baudhāyanagrhyasūtra* 3.4.2. In the *Arthaśāstra* (2.1.3), a list of *kṣīravṛkṣas* is provided and they are recommended for planting as landmarks. *Suśrutasaṃhitā* 1.2.4 gives the standard list of four *kṣīravṛkṣas*: *nyagrodha*, *udumbara*, *aśvattha*, and *madhūka*, in connection with the *homa* ritual. However, *Padmasaṃhitā* 9.68–69 considers eight milk-trees as auspicious, including the four from the standard list. Notably, the fire kin-

*dadyād gomithunam bhaktyā tāmrābhām parameṣṭhine |  
śeṣam anyad yathoddīṣṭam kṛtvāpnoti mahat phalam || 54 ||*

He should give the Highest One [i.e. Śiva] a pair of a bull and a cow of a coppery red colour with devotion. If he proceeds with the rest as prescribed, he will obtain great rewards.

*padmarāgapratīkāśair vimānair gajasamyutaiḥ |  
gatvā śivapuram divyam pūrvoktaṁ labhate phalam || 55 ||*

Riding on aerial chariots that shine like rubies and are drawn by elephants, he will depart to divine Śivapura and will obtain the aforementioned rewards.

[ *caitre* —  
In Caitra]

*caitramāse tu samprāpte yaḥ kuryān naktabhojanam |  
piṣṭakam payasā yuktam bhūñjānah samyatendriyah || 56 ||*

He who follows the rules of eating only at night when the month of Caitra arrives, should live on flour mixed in milk, his senses subdued.

*caitre 'pi rudram abhyarcya kuryād vai naktabhojanam |  
dadyād gomithunam cātra pāṭalam samalaṁkṛtam |  
śivāyatīsurūpaṁ ca śeṣam pūrvavad ācaret || 57 ||*

In the month of Caitra, he should follow the practice of eating only at night while worshipping Rudra. He should offer Śiva an ornamented and extremely beautiful pair of a bull and a cow of a rosy colour. He should proceed with the rest as before.

dled by the wood of the milk-tree is used for the *sānti* ritual (*Bṛhatsaṁhitā* 45.24). The same text also mentions that both the fruit and the leaves of the milk-tree are auspicious for religious ceremonies, particularly the *pūṣyasnāna*. Even the seat for the king to sit on during the *pūṣyasnāna* can be made from the milk-tree, referred to as *kṣirataru* (47.46). We have failed to find any source that explains how the bark of a ‘milk-tree’ is used for bathing a divine image; in a ritual context, it is always the wood of that tree that is mentioned. For further lists of, and medical details on, *kṣiravṛkṣa*, see Meulenbeld 1974, 82, n. 137. We propose that it is the extracted juice or sap of the bark of a Kṣiravṛkṣa tree (‘milk-tree’) that is used in this ritual of bathing the image.

10.57 Note the somewhat odd but potentially sensible variant *pāṭrebhyah* (‘from bowls/plates’) for *pāṭalam* (‘pink, pale red’) in the Kashmirian MS (Ś<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub>).

*puśparāgaprabhair yānair divyāśvarathasamyutaiḥ |  
gacchec chivapuraṁ ramyam dusprāpyam akṛtātmabhiḥ || 58 ||*

Riding ærial vehicles that shine like topaz and are drawn by divine chariot-horses, he will depart to beautiful Śivapura, which is difficult to attain by those whose selves are not disciplined.

[ *vaiśākhe* —  
In Vaiśākha]

*vaiśākhamāse samprāpte yaḥ kuryān naktabhojanam |  
śālyannam payasā yuktam bhuñjānaḥ samyatendriyah || 59 ||*

He who follows the rules of eating only at night when the month of Vaiśākha arrives, eating [only] rice boiled in milk, his senses subdued,

*goṣṭhaśāyi śivadhyāyī niśāyām ekavastradhṛk |  
niyamaṇ ca yathoddiṣṭam sāmānyām sarvam ācaret || 60 ||*

should rest in the cow-pen at night and meditate on Śiva, wearing only one piece of clothing. He should observe all the general rules (*niyama*) as prescribed.

*vaiśākhe paurnamāsyām ca kuryāt snānam gṛtādibhiḥ |  
śivāyālamkṛtam śvetam dadyād gomithunam śubham || 61 ||*

10.58 The interpretation of *āśvaratha* in *pāda* b is not unproblematic. Rejecting the only other plausible reading—*āśvvara* ('an excellent horse', in  $N^M$  and  $N^K_{12b}$ )—we take it as an inverted *tatpuruṣa* compound (for *rathāśva*, 'chariot horse'). See *āśvaratha* also in 87b and 144b, where the variant *āśvatara* ('a mule') also appears, and has been rejected on the ground that it seems a secondary correction.

10.59 *Pāda* a is a *ma-vipulā*.

10.60 For an observance, or penance, that involves staying in a cow-pen, see, e.g., *Manu* 11.109 (Olivelle's edition): *upapātakasamyukto goghno māsanī yavān pibet | kr̥tavāpo vased goṣthe carmaṇā tena samvṛtah ||*; 'A man guilty of a secondary sin causing loss of caste by killing a cow should drink barley gruel for a month and live in a cow pen with his hair shaved and wrapped in the skin of that cow.' (tr. Olivelle 2005, 220.)

There has been no explicit list of Niyamas mentioned so far in this chapter, but see verses 88 and 135 below. Here, in verse 60, *niyama* may not have a technical meaning; it may simply stand for the general instructions mentioned above.

At full moon in the month of Vaiśākha, he should bathe [the image of the deity] with ghee etc. He should offer Śiva a nice pair of a white bull and a white cow.

*hamṣakundenduvarṇābhair mahāyānair alamkṛtaih |  
suśvetavṛṣasamyuktaih prayatīśvara mandiram || 62 ||*

Riding on great and ornamented vehicles that shine with the colour of white geese, jasmine and the Moon, and are drawn by bulls of a bright white colour, he will depart to the palace of Īśvara.

*sarvatiśayarūpābhīḥ strībhīḥ samparivāritah |  
nilotpala sugandhābhīḥ krīdate kālam akṣayam || 63 ||*

Surrounded by women of all-surpassing beauty who smell like blue water-lilies, he will have unending pleasure.

[*jyeṣṭhe* —  
In *Jyeṣṭha*]

*jyeṣṭhamāse tu samprāpte yaḥ kuryān naktabhojanam |  
śālyannam payasā dhautam ājyakṣīreṇa samyutam || 64 ||*

When the month of *Jyeṣṭha* arrives, he should follow the rules of eating only at night by living on rice boiled in water, with clarified butter and milk added.

*vīrāsanī niśārdham syād divā gām anugacchati |  
hitakārī gavāṁ nityam abhāmkaṇavivarjitaḥ || 65 ||*

He should sleep on his haunches for half of the night and follow a cow in the daytime. He should always tend to the cows selflessly.

10.65 We take *gām* in *pāda* b as singular, but one could assume that the final *-m* is a hiatus breaker (*gā-m-anugacchati*), thus a plural is to be understood. Furthermore, although Monier-Williams' *Sanskrit-English Dictionary* gives 'sleeping out in the open air, the station of a guard or sentinel' as a possible meaning of *vīrāsana*, we have decided to follow Olivelle's interpretation of this expression in a similar context ('on his haunches,' *Manu* 11.111d, see below). There could be an element in this of imitating the position in which cows rest.

For a Dharmaśāstric penance that involves following cows and the expression *vīrāsana* (as well *vṛṣabhaikādaśā*, which comes up in 10:211), see *Manu* 11.110ff. (in Olivelle's edition; 11.109ff. in older editions), the continuation of the passage cited in our notes to 10.60. For a translation of this passage, see Olivelle 2005, 220.

*paurṇamāsyāṁ ca pūrvoktaṁ kuryāt snānādikam̄ vidhim |  
deyāṁ gomithunam̄ cātra dhūmravarṇam̄ alaṁkṛtam̄ || 66 ||*

At full moon he should perform the aforementioned rituals including bathing [the deity]. In this case, he should offer [Śiva] an ornamented smokey pair of a bull and a cow.

*nīlotpaladalaprakhyair mahāyānair anopamaīḥ |  
mahāsimhanibaddhaiś ca kriḍate kālam akṣayam || 67 ||*

Riding on great, matchless vehicles that shine like the petals of blue water-lilies, and that are drawn by powerful lions, he will have unending pleasure.

[ *āśāḍbhe* —  
In Āśāḍha]

*āśāḍhamāse samprāpte yaḥ kuryān naktabhojanam |  
bhūrikhaṇḍājyasaṁmiśrān saktūn adyāt sagorasān || 68 ||*

He who follows the rules of eating only at night when the month of Āśāḍha arrives should eat coarsely ground barley mixed with a lot of sugar and clarified butter and milk.

*dadyād gomithunam̄ gauram̄ śivāyālaṁkṛtam̄ śubham |  
sāmānyam̄ ca vidhim sarvam̄ yaḥ kuryāt prākpracoditam || 69 ||*

He should offer Śiva a nice, ornamented, white pair of a bull and a cow. He who keeps all the general rules as prescribed before,

*śuddhasphaṭikasamkāśair yānaiḥ sārasavāhanaiḥ |  
animādiguṇair yuktaḥ śivavad vicaret svayam || 70 ||*

will live like Śiva himself, [riding] vehicles that are like clear crystal and are drawn by cranes, possessing the powers of minuteness etc.

10.67 The form *anopama* (and *anūpama*, *anaupama*) for *anupama* is attested as a metrical variant in various texts, see, e.g., *Viṣṇudharma* 66.88ab: *yat tu buddheḥ parataram anākhyeyam anopamam*, and LiP 1.8.104ab: *kaivalyanam caiva nirvāṇam niḥśreyasam anūpamam*. The mention of the devotee's destination, presumably Śivaloka, is missing here. A line may have dropped out.

10.68 *Pāda* a is a *ma-vipulā*.

10.70 ‘the powers of minuteness etc.’: in other words, one will enjoy the eight *aiśvaryas*.

[śrāvaṇe —  
In Śrāvaṇa]

*samprāpte śrāvaṇe māse yaḥ kuryān naktabhojanam |  
kṣīraṣṭikabhakteṇa sarvabhūtahite rataḥ || 71 ||*

He who follows the rules of eating [only] at night when the month of Śrāvaṇa arrives, consuming ṣaṭṭika rice [boiled] with milk, focusing on the welfare of all living beings,

*śvetāgrapādapaunḍram ca dadyād gomithunam śive |  
sāmānyam akhilam kuryād vidhānam yat prakīrtitam || 72 ||*

should offer Śiva a pair of a bull and a cow that have white spots on the fore part of their legs and also white stripes on their heads. He should perform all the general procedures as they have been taught.

*sa vicitrair mahāyānair vicitrāśvaniyojitaiḥ |  
gatvā śivapuram divyam pūrvoktam labhate phalam || 73 ||*

Riding great colourful aerial vehicles drawn by many-coloured horses, he will go to divine Śivapura and will obtain the aforementioned rewards.

[bhādrapade —  
In Bhādrapada]

*prāpte bhādrapade māse yaḥ kuryān naktabhojanam |  
butaśeṣam tu bhuñjāno vṛkṣamūlāśrito divā || 74 ||*

He who follows the rules of eating [only] at night when the month of Bhādrapada arrives, living on the remnants of oblations, dwelling at the roots of a tree during daytime,

*rātrau cāyatane vāsah sarvabhūtānukampakah |  
nīlaskandham vṛṣam gām ca śivāya vinivedayet || 75 ||*

10.71 ṣaṭṭika (*Oriza sativa* Linn.) is a type of rice that ripens in about sixty days. See more details in Singh and Chunekar 1999, 419.

and at the temple ground during night-time, being compassionate towards all living beings, should offer Śiva a bull and a cow with dark-coloured backs.

*niśākarakaraprakhyair vajravaiḍūryaśobhitaiḥ |  
cakravākasamāyuktair vimānaiḥ sārvakāmikaiḥ || 76 ||*

Riding ærial vehicles shining like moon-beams, ornamented with diamonds and cat's-eye gems, drawn by Cakravāka birds, providing all objects of desires,

*gatvā śivapuram ramyam amarāsuravanditaiḥ |  
prakṛīḍate mahābhogair yāvad ābhūtasamplavam || 77 ||*

he will go to beautiful Śivapura, praised by the immortal gods and the Asuras. He will amuse himself with great pleasures till the end of the universe.

[*āśvayuje* —  
In Āśvayuja]

*śrimadāśvayuje māsi yaḥ kuryān naktabhojanam |  
ghṛtāśanam prabhūjānah prasannātmā jitendriyaḥ || 78 ||*

He who follows the rules of eating only at night in the auspicious month of Āśvayuja living on ghee, with a clear heart, his senses subdued,

*vṛṣabham nilakanṭhābham urodeśe samunnatam |  
vimucya dadyād rudrāya gām ekāṁ samalaṅkṛtām || 79 ||*

should release a dark-necked bull with a large hump, and donate a fully ornamented cow to Rudra.

*vidhiśeṣam ca pūrvoktam yaḥ kartum samupācaret |  
prāṇānte ca param sthānam prayāti śivavad vasī || 80 ||*

10.79 *Pāda c* is a *ma-vipulā*.

Letting loose of a bull is part of a number of religious observances, see, e.g., entries for *kārttika*, *nīlavṛṣadāna*, *pāśupatavrata*, *vṛṣavrata*, *vṛṣotsarga*, and *śivacaturdaśivrata* in Kane 1930–1962, vol. 5. More specifically, see, e.g., *Niśvāsamukha* 2.86cd–88ab (with additional references in Kafle 2020, 264); and *Garuḍapurāṇa* II.6 on *vṛṣotsarga*.

And he who is engaged in performing the rest of the procedure as it has been taught will go the highest world at the end of his life as a lord, like Śiva.

*svacchamauktikasamkāśair indranilopaśobhitaiḥ |  
jīvamjīvakasamyuktair vimānaiḥ sārvakāmikaiḥ |  
prakriḍate mahābhogair yāvad ābhūtasamplavam || 81 ||*

Riding ærial vehicles that shine like pure pearls, are ornamented with sapphires, drawn by peacock-pheasants, fulfilling all desires, he will amuse himself with greatly pleasureable things till the end of the universe.

[ *kārttike* —  
In Kārttika]

*suśubhe kārttike māse yaḥ kuryān naktabhojanam |  
kṣīrodanam̄ prabhūñjānah satyavādī jitendriyah || 82 ||*

In the very auspicious month of Kārttika, he who follows the rules of eating only at night, living on rice boiled with milk, always speaking the truth, his senses subdued,

*dadyād gomithunam̄ cātra kapilam̄ jvalanaprabham |  
pūrvoktam̄ ca vidhim̄ kṛtvā śivatulyabalo bhavet || 83 ||*

10.80 Our choice of reading in *pāda b* (*samupācaret*) may seem random, but we think that an optative is needed here and that what N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup> and N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup> transmit (*samupācaran*) is possibly just a minor scribal error for the most probable, and adopted, reading.

10.81 For the role of peacock-pheasants (*jīvamjīvaka*, *Polyplectron bicalcaratum*) in Sanskrit literature, see K. N. Dave, 270–274.

Note that the reading *ābhūtasamplavam* in *pāda d* (N<sub>82</sub><sup>K</sup> and N<sub>94</sub><sup>C</sup>) would also be acceptable since it is a widely attested variant of *ābhūtasamplavam*; e.g., all MSS of the *Vṛṣa-sārasamgraha* prefer *ābhūtasamplava* to *ābhūtasamplava* (VSS 2.13 and 12.151). See also verse 77 above.

The mention of the devotee's destination, presumably Śivaloka, is missing again (cf. 10.67). A line may have dropped out.

10.82 Correcting *kṣīrodana* to *kṣīraudana* (*kṣīra* + *odana*) is unnecessary since the former is widely attested; see, e.g., *Mahābhārata* 13.14.80cd: *kṣīrodanasamāyuktam̄ bhojanam̄ ca prayaccha me*.

should offer Śiva a flaming-reddish-brown pair of a bull and a cow. Then having performed the procedure taught before, he will become equal in power to Śiva.

*kalpānalaśikhāprakhyair mahāyānair anūpamaiḥ |  
mahāsimhakṛtāṭopaiḥ śivavac ceṣṭate vaśī || 84 ||*

Riding matchless grand vehicles that shine like the flames of the fire [that destroys the universe at the end] of æons, [and that] sport majestic lions, he goes about as a lord, like Śiva.

[*mārgaśīrṣe* —  
In Mārgaśīrṣa]

*mārgaśīrṣe śubhe māse yaḥ kuryān naktabhojanam |  
yavānnam payasā yuktam bhuñjānah samyatendriyah || 85 ||*

He who follows the rules of eating [only] at night in the auspicious month of Mārgaśīrṣa, living on barley [boiled] with milk, his senses subdued,

*dadyād gomithunam divyam pāṇḍuram samalamkṛtam |  
śivāya śeṣam pūrvoktam vidhānam samupakramet || 86 ||*

should offer Śiva a divine pair of a white bull and cow fully ornamented. He should carry out the rest of the procedure as taught before.

*sitapadmanibhair yānaiḥ śvetāśvarathasaṃyutaiḥ |  
gatvā śivapuram divyam śivatulyabalo bhavet || 87 ||*

[Riding] on vehicles that shine like white lotuses and are drawn by white chariot-horses, he will go to divine Śivapura and will become equal in power to Śiva.

10.84 The mention of the devotee's destination, presumably Śivaloka, is missing again (cf. 10.67 and 81 above).

10.86 In this verse, N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub> and N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>, two MSS that rarely differ in any significant way, deviate again, as in verses 20–23. *Pāda* c is a *ma-vipulā*.

10.87 For reasons for our choice of, and the problem of interpreting, *asvāratha*, see notes to 58b and 144b.

[*sādhāraṇā dharmāḥ* —  
General rules]

*abīmṣā satyam asteyam brahmacaryam dayā kṣamā |*  
*triḥsnānam cāgnihavanam bhūṣayā naktabhojanam || 88 ||*

Non-violence, speaking the truth, refraining from theft, chastity, compassion and patience, three daily baths, fire-worship, sleeping on the ground and eating [only] at night,

*pakṣayor upavāsena caturdaśyaṣṭamī vaseṭ |*  
*ityevamādiniyamam ācared yaḥ śivavrati || 89 ||*

fasting on the fourteenth and eighth days of both fortnights: he who observes the religious vows of Śiva (*śivavratin*) should follow these and other rules (*niyama*).

[*vratam śivabhaktānām nārīṇām* —  
Observance for female Śiva-devotees]

*śivabhaktā tu yaḥ nārī dhruvam sā puruṣo bhavet |*  
*strītvam apy uttamam sā cet kāṅkṣate śṛṇu tadvratam || 90 ||*

If a woman is a devotee of Śiva, she will surely become a man [in her next life]. But if she wants to achieve the ultimate womanhood, listen to the observance for her.

*umāmaheśvaram nāma sadā prītivivardhanam |*  
*aviyogakaram śāntam dharmakāmārthaśādhakam || 91 ||*

10.88 *Pāda* c is a *na-vipulā*.

10.89 Although the form *caturdaśyaṣṭamī* in *pāda* b could be original, we have decided to read *caturdaśyaṣṭamī*, to be consistent with our decision at 92b. As far as the nominative ending of this compound is concerned, a correction would be more problematic: compare 37a. *Pāda* c is a *na-vipulā*.

The commentary states that verses 88–89 give ‘the general rules for these observances’ (see p. 178).

10.90 *tadvratam* in *pāda* d could be taken as two separate words and translated as ‘that observance,’ but we prefer taking it as a *tatpuruṣa* compound, standing for *tasyā vratam* (‘the observance for her’).

It is called Umāmaheśvara [observance], which always increases joy, which prevents separation [from one's husband], makes peace [among husband and wife], and brings success in religious duties (*dharma*), carnal pleasures (*kāma*) and financial matters (*artha*).

*paurṇamāsyām amāvāsyām caturdaśyaṣṭamiṣu ca |  
naktam abdaṁ prakurvita haviṣyair brahmacārīṇi || 92 ||*

For a year, she should perform [the observance of eating only at] night at full moon and new moon, and on the fourteenth and eighth days, [eating] sacrificial food, in chastity.

*umāmaheśapratimām hemnā kṛtvā suśobhanām |  
rājatīm vāpi varṣānte snāpayitvā ghṛtādibhiḥ || 93 ||*

She should make a beautiful golden or silver image of Umāmaheśa at the end of the year, and she should bathe it with ghee and other [substances],

*gandhamālyair alamkṛtya vastrapuspaiś ca śobhanaiḥ |  
bhakṣyabhojyair aśeṣaiś ca vitānadhvajacāmaraiḥ || 94 ||*

beautify it with perfumes and garlands and nice clothes and flowers, [and she should feed Umā and Maheśa] with all kinds of solid and liquid food, and [provide them] with canopies, banners and chowries.

10.91 We take *sāntam* in *pāda* c as if *sāntikaram* were meant. This is suggested by *vardhanam*, *karam* and *sādhakam* in the other expressions in this verse. Alternatively, *sāntam* could convey the sense of a 'tranquil, gentle' observance.

See an *umāmaheśavaravrata* described in Kane 1930–1962 (vol. 5, 277), which is based on the *Caturvargacintāmaṇi*, thus ultimately on the *Śivadharmaśāstra*. For a description of another *umāmaheśavaravrata*, see SkP *Brahmottarakhanda* 18.

Note the significant omission of the fourth *puruṣārtha* (*mokṣa*).

10.92 Note the accusative form *amāvāsyām* in *pāda* a, instead of a locative, and its explanation based on *Aṣṭādhyāyī* 2.3.5 and 2.1.29, given for the second appearance of this word in 10.122, in the commentary, see p. 179. This phenomenon occurs, e.g., in *Niśvā-samukha* 3.193ab: *amāvāsyām paurnamāsyām pakṣayor ubhayor api*.

10.93 *Pāda* a is a *bha-vipulā*.

10.94 We borrow the translation of *bbakṣya-bhojya* ('solid and liquid food') from Yagi 1994.

bhojayec chivabhaktāṁś ca dīnānāthāṁś ca tarpayet |  
śaktyā ca dakṣināṁ dadyāt śivam ante kṣamāpayet || 95 ||

She should feed the Śivabhaktas and gladden the poor and the helpless [with food], and give them as many gifts as she can, and at the end ask Śiva for forgiveness.

tāmrakāṁsyādipātrām vā sitavastrāvagunṭhitam |  
kṛtvā cāyatanaṁ madhye pratiṁām upakalpayet || 96 ||

Optionally (*vā*), covering (*avagunṭhitam kṛtvā*) a vessel made of copper or brass, or some other metal, with a white cloth, she should turn it into a [small] temple and place the image inside it.

śirasādāya tat pātrām vitānacchatraśobhitam |  
dbvajaśāṁkhādivibhavaiḥ śivasyāyatanaṁ nayet || 97 ||

Putting on her head that vessel beautified with canopies and parasols, with an abundance of banners, conch-shells etc., she should carry it to the Śiva temple.

lin̄gamūrtau maheśasya vratasyānte nivedayet |  
tadvedyāṁ sthāpayet pātrām upaśobhāsamanvitam || 98 ||

At the end of the observance, she should offer it to the *lin̄ga*-image of Maheśa. She should place the vessel on the pedestal of [the *lin̄ga*] together with the decorations.

10.95 Following the sequence in the text, the observer first bathes the idol, then decorates it, but no *pūjā* is mentioned. The presence of the *kṣamāpana* here could potentially confuse readers, as it did us, regarding whether it constitutes a part of the main worship. The *kṣamāpana* ritual is featured here within the context of feeding Śiva-devotees, while it usually takes place after the completion of the main ritual worship (cf. ŚDhŚ 8.38c–39). We would normally expect a *kṣamāpana* within the framework of the worship of the image as the final part of the main ritual worship (as seen in ŚDhŚ 9.14 = *Śivapurāṇa Vājavīyasam̄bitā* 33.6ff, *Sarvajñānottara* 6.41, etc.), often expressed by the phrase *śivam ante kṣamāpayet* or *śivam cānte kṣamāpayet*.

10.97 While *śirasādāya* (*śirasā + ādāya*, lit. ‘taking with the head’) in *pāda a* is acceptable, one could argue that *śrāsy ādhāya* (‘placing it on the head’) would be smoother. The latter is what we see in N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub> and N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>, and in some of the parallel passages (see the apparatus). Cf. also 123c below. *Pāda c* is a *na-vipulā*.

*pradakṣiṇīkṛtya śivam pranipatya kṣamāpayet |  
samāpya ivam vratam puṇyam śr̥nu yad yat phalam labbet || 99 ||*

Having circumambulated Śiva, prostrating herself, she should ask [Śiva] for forgiveness. Listen to what rewards can be obtained by concluding [this] auspicious observance thus.

*dvādaśādityasamkāśair mahāyānair anopamaib |  
yat heṣṭam aiśvare loke rudraiḥ sārdham pramodate || 100 ||*

[Arriving] on great and matchless vehicles that shine like the twelve Ādityas, she will amuse herself with the Rudras in the world of Iśvara as she pleases

*kalpakoṭisahasrāni kalpakoṭisatāni ca |  
tadante sā mahābhogair viṣṇuloke mahīyate || 101 ||*

for thousands and hundreds of krores of æons. At the end of that, she will rejoice in the world of Viṣṇu experiencing greatly enjoyable things.

*tataḥ karmāvaśesena sarvakāmasamanvitam |  
brahma lokām samāsādy paramām sukham āpnuyāt || 102 ||*

Then, by her remaining karma, she will reach the world of Brahmā, [the place] that fulfils all desires, and she will obtain the highest happiness.

*brahma lokāt paribhraṣṭā śrīmatsukhavatī bhavet |  
prājāpatyam avāpnoti lokālokanamaskṛtam || 103 ||*

10.99 *Pāda* a is a *bha-vipulā*; the readings reversing the word order therein may have tried to normalise the text. Note how most MSS transmit a reading in *pāda* d that must have been the result of a simple mistake of misreading *śr̥nu yad* as *śr̥nyu yād*. Compare 215d below.

10.100 Here the notion that the devotee actually uses the aerial vehicles to get to the divine destination is only implied. On the forms *anopama*, *anūpama*, and *anaupama*, see note to verse 67b.

Having descended from Brahma-loka, she will become prosperous and happy. She will reach Prajāpati's world, which is respected by the world and beyond (*lokāloka*).

*bhogāñṣ tatra cirāñ bhuktvā somaloke vaset sukhām |  
somād aindram punar lokam āsādyendram patim labhet || 104 ||*

Having experienced enjoyable things there [in Prajāpati's world] for long, she will live in Somaloka happily. Then from Soma[’s world] she will get to Indra’s world and obtain Indra for a husband.

*indralokāc ca gāndharvam sā lokām prāpya modate |  
gandharvarājapatinā sārdham bhogair anekadhā || 105 ||*

[Descending] from Indraloka, she will reach the world of Gandharvas and rejoice in enjoyments in various ways together with the Gandharva king as her husband.

*mahāratnaprabhādīptair upaśobhitam adbhuṭaiḥ |  
yakṣalokam imām prāptā yathākāmām pramodate || 106 ||*

Reaching the world of Yakṣas, which is embellished with the wonderful brilliance of the light of huge precious stones, she will enjoy herself as she pleases.

10.103 We have chosen the well-represented *śrimat*<sup>o</sup>, as part of a *dvandva* compound, in *pāda* b in contrast with the adverbial *śrīvat* (N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>E<sup>N</sup>) which could otherwise be considered the *lectio difficilior*. With the latter, the *pāda* would translate as ‘she will become as full of pleasure as [the goddess] Śrī.’ The somewhat awkward nature of the *dvandva* compound *śrimatsukhavatī* may be the reason for some of the variations in the MSS. The word *śrimat*/*śrimān* also appears in a similar context in ŚDhŚ 8.21 (N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub> f. 24r, N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub> f. 24v): *samyak prekṣaṇakāñ kṛtvā rudralokam avāpnuyāt | surūpas subhagaḥ śrimān paribṛhaṣṭo tra (tu N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub>) jāyate ||*.

Descending, falling, or returning, from various heavens to find happiness, or an elevated status, on earth is a recurring theme in a number of texts. Within the Śivadharma corpus, in addition to the verse cited above, see, e.g., ŚDhU 12.237–241 (Yokochi 2023), *Vṛyasārasaṃgraha* 18.8 and 19.18. On the theme of descending from heaven, see also Yokochi 2021, 95–96 and Mirnig 2019, 466–467.

10.105 *Pāda* c is a *na-vipulā*.

10.106 Although *imām* in *pāda* c is slightly odd because one would usually expect *ayām lokāḥ*, *imām lokam*, *etasmin loke*, etc., to refer to the human world ([in/to] this world), the alternatives here, including *tu sam*<sup>o</sup>, seem secondary.

For the description of the world of Yakṣas characterized by its brilliance and adorned with gems and precious stones, see *Meghadūta Pūrvabhāga* 1.7, 1.63, *Meghadūta Uttarabhāga* 1ff (particularly 1, 3, and 7), and *Vāyupurāṇa* 41.1ff.

*yakṣalokāt paribhraṣṭā krīḍate merumūrdhani |  
sthānāni lokapālānām kramād āgatya modate || 107 ||*

Descending from Yakṣaloka, she will sport on the peak of Mount Meru. Coming to the domains of the Lokapālas in due order, she will rejoice.

*ālokālokaparyante sarvasmin kṣitimandale |  
yatrat kvacit sukham divyam tad aśeṣam avāpnuyāt || 108 ||*

She will obtain all the divine pleasures wherever they may be in the whole world up to the very end of the Lokāloka mountains.

*evam sā sarvalokeṣu bhogān bhuktvā yathepsitān |  
kramād āgatya loke 'smiṇ rājānaṁ patim āpnuyāt || 109 ||*

Having enjoyed pleasures thus according to her wishes in all the worlds, she will descend to this world in due order, and she will obtain a king for a husband.

*yuvānam rūpasampannam aśeṣaprthivīpatim |  
dharmārthakāmamokṣajñam ittham āśadya modate || 110 ||*

She will live happily after marrying thus a king who is young and handsome, who rules the whole world, and who is knowledgeable about religious duties (*dharma*), financial matters (*artha*), carnal pleasures (*kāma*) and liberation (*mokṣa*).

*tato dharmāvaśeṣena bhavatiśvarabhāvitā |  
svakarmavāsanāyogāt punaḥ prārabhate śubham || 111 ||*

Then with the remainder of her merits (*dharmāvaśeṣena*), she will become a devotee of Īśvara, and because of her own karmic residues (*karmavāsanā*), she again undertakes meritorious acts (*śubha*).

*śubhāc ca punar apy evam yoniṁ yāti sahasraśah |  
yāvan nāpnoti nirvāṇam tāvad bhrāmati karmaṇā || 112 ||*

10.109 See a discussion and alternative translation of verses 109–113 in Bisschop et al. 2021, 10.

And because of [undertaking] what is meritorious, she will enter the womb once again a thousand times in a similar way. She will wander [through transmigration] by the force of her karma as long as she does not obtain final cessation (*nirvāṇa*).

*tannirvedāc ca vairāgyam vairāgyāj jñānasambhavah |  
jñānāt pravartate yogo yogād duḥkhāntam āpnuyāt || 113 ||*

From disgust (*nirveda*) with that [transmigration arises] indifference (*vairāgya*), from indifference comes knowledge (*jñāna*). From knowledge comes union (*yoga*), from union she obtains the end of suffering (*duḥkhānta*).

10.112 Choosing the reading *nirvedāṇi* instead of *nirvāṇam* in *pāda* c would make sense if we presupposed that *tannirvedāt* in *pāda* a of the next verse is a *karmadhāraya* compound ('from that disgust') referring back to 112c; but this is problematic because in this way we would have to reject all Nepalese MSS. In fact, *nirvāṇam* is fully acceptable if we translate 113a as a *tatpuruṣa* compound referring to the process of transmigration hinted at in 112d instead ('from disgust with that [transmigration]'). It seems that some MSS had problems with accepting the Buddhist-sounding term *nirvāṇa* as a reading, or tried to 'correct' the text after seeing *tannirvedāt* in 113a. Bisschop et al. 2021, 10, also prefer, or at least accept, and translate, the reading *nirvāṇa*. In addition, a passage from the *Haracaritacintāmaṇi* cited in the apparatus (17.78, see Törzsök [forthcoming]), one that has demonstrably been influenced by, or partly based on, the *Śivadharmasāstra* and the *Śivadharmottara*, suggests that *tannirvedāt* in our 10.113a is to be interpreted as *samsāranirvedavaśāt* (HCC 17.78a). It is also worth recalling that the word *nirvāṇa* is not exclusively Buddhist, and that it does sometimes appear in a 'Hindu' context, e.g., in BhG 2.72, 5.24–26, and 6.15, thus its presence here in the *Śivadharmasāstra* should not be inconceivable.

10.113 See a passage in ŚDhU 2.187–189, which seems like an echo of our verses 111–113 (De Simini 2023):

*tatas taddharmaśeṣeṇa samprāpte pralaye tadā |  
jñānam utpadyate tasya rudrebyah pravicārataḥ ||  
jñānād viraktaḥ samsāre śivadhyānasamāśritah |  
svadeham tṛṇavat tyaktvā sarvaduḥkhāntam āpnuyāt ||  
samastaduḥkhanirmuktah suddhaḥ svātmāny avasthitah |  
sarvajñah paripūrṇaś ca mukta ity abhidhiyate ||.*

Here is a translation based on the one in De Simini (forthcoming): 'Then, once the dissolution [of the universe] takes place, through the remainder of his merit, knowledge arises from the Rudras for him from [his own] reflection. If, when [still] in the realm of transmigration, he was detached from knowledge [and made] stable in the meditation on Śiva, having abandoned his own material existence like a blade of grass, he will obtain the end of all sufferings. Freed from all suffering, pure, abiding only in his true Self, omniscient and accomplished, he is defined as "liberated."

[anyavratam —  
Another observance]

aṣṭamyāṁ ca caturdaśyāṁ niyatā brahmacāriṇī |  
varṣam ekāṁ na bhuñjīta mahābhoga jīgīṣayā || 114 ||

For a year, on the eighth and fourteenth days [of each month], being disciplined and in chastity, she should refrain from eating if she wishes to achieve great pleasures.

varṣānte pratiṁāṇi kṛtvā pūrvavad vidhim ācaret |  
snānādyāṁ tad vrataṁ prāpya pūrvoktān labhate guṇān || 115 ||

At the end of the year, constructing an image [of Umāmaheśvara], she should follow the instructions taught above, including bathing [the deities], and if she undertakes this observance, she will obtain the aforementioned merits.

jambūnadāmaya ir yānaiś caturdvāra ir alaṁkṛta iḥ |  
gatvā śivapuraṁ divyam aśeṣam bhogam āpnuyāt || 116 ||

Riding on golden vehicles that are embellished with four doors, she will go to divine Śivapura and will obtain all pleasures.

śivādi sarvalokeṣu bhogān bhuktvā yathepsitān |  
kramād āgatya loke 'smi n rājānam patim āpnuyāt || 117 ||

Experiencing any chosen pleasure in all the worlds beginning with Śivaloka, she will descend to this world in due order and she will obtain a king for a husband.

10.116 In *pāda* a, correcting *jambūnada*<sup>o</sup> to *jāmbūnada*<sup>o</sup> would be a minor improvement, but we have decided not to alter the text because we suppose that the form *jambūnada*<sup>o</sup> can be original.

10.117 After much deliberation, we have decided to relegate to the apparatus the passage that appears after verse 117 in  $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T G^{K_i} G_{40}^L E^N$ , and after verse 113 in  $G^{K_i}$ , our main reasons being its limited attestation in the Nepalese MSS, its possibly secondary nature, which is suggested by the sudden inclusion of men in this observance that focuses primarily on women, and also because its last two lines seem somewhat clumsy and obscure; all these point to the possibility that it was not part of the text originally (but see it appear in *Caturvargacintāmaṇi* 2.21.15). A tentative translation of the passage in question goes as follows: '[This] religious observance called Umāmaheśvara was taught by Īśvara out of compassion especially for all women and men. Therefore both men and women should perform the Umāmaheśvara observance as much as they can. [By this] one can achieve the peak of happiness. [It should be performed] by one who is fully satisfied in order to satisfy Umādevī.'

[*sālipiṣṭapratimāvratam* —  
Rice-flour-image observance]

*yā nāry upavased abdaṁ kṛṣṇām ekāṁ caturdaśīm |*  
*varṣante pratimām kṛtvā sālipiṣṭamayīm śubhām || 118 ||*

If a woman observes fasts for a year only on the fourteenth day of the dark fortnight, and at the end of the year fashions a nice image [of Umāmaheśvara] out of rice flour,

*pītānulepanair mālyaiḥ pītavastraiś ca pūjayed |*  
*pūrvoktam akhilām kṛtvā śivāya vinivedayet || 119 ||*

worships it with yellow unguents and garlands, and yellow clothes, performs all that has been taught above, and offers it to Śiva,

*saptabhaumair mahāyānais taptacāmikaraprabhaiḥ |*  
*yugakoṭisataṁ sāgram rudraloke mahīyate || 120 ||*

[arriving] on seven-storey-high gigantic ærial vehicles that shine like molten gold, she will prosper in Rudraloka for more than a thousand million æons.

*śivādisarvalokeṣu bhogān bhuktvā yathepsitān |*  
*kramād āgatyā loke 'smīn yatheṣṭam patim āpnuyāt || 121 ||*

Having experienced enjoyments according to her wishes in all the worlds beginning with that of Śiva, descending to this world in due order, she will find the husband that she desires.

10.118 The observance is now prescribed for only one day per month, presumably for an audience in need of an easier version of it.

10.120 Our choice of reading *taptacāmikara* ('molten gold') in *pāda b*, transmitted in  $N_{94}^C S_{67}^S S_{82}^\Sigma E^N$ , and potentially in  $N_{82}^K$ , is a common expression in other Sanskrit texts (see, e.g., *Bhāgavatapurāṇa* 7.8.20cd and *Svacchandatantra* 10.1146cd). Other expressions describing gold include compounds with *dhauta* ('polished', 'bright'), *dhmāta* ('inflamed'), *druta* ('melted'), and *sarva* ('all'). The relatively early  $N^M$ ,  $N_{28}^K$  and  $N_{12b}^K$ , as well as  $N_{45}^C$  (and  $N_{77}^{Ko}$ ), read a baffling *dhvānta*: but in fact, this could be a corruption from an original *dhauta*° or *dhmāta*°. Note that some MSS read *īśaloke* and *śivaloke* instead of *rudraloke* in *pāda d*.

[*pīṭaśūlavratam* —  
Flour-trident observance]

*yāmāvāsyām nirāhārā bhaved evām suyantritā |*  
*śūlam pīṭamayām kṛtvā varṣānte vinivedayet || 122 ||*

If a woman abstains from food at New Moon, and is thus strictly self-controlled, and fashions a trident out of flour and offers it to Śiva at the end of the year,

*śivāya rājatam padmam suvarṇakṛtakarnikam |*  
*bhaktyā śrasi vinyasya śeṣam pūrvavad ācaret || 123 ||*

[as well as] a silver lotus with a pericarp made of gold, placing [these] on her head, with devotion, and follows the rest [of the instructions] as before,

*kāmato 'pi kṛtam pāpam bhrūnahatyādi yad bhavet |*  
*tat sarvām śūladānena bhidyān nārī na samśayah || 124 ||*

she will, by [this] donation of a trident, transpierce all sin, even if committed intentionally, such as an abortion, without a doubt.

*mahāpadmavimānena naranārīsamānvitā |*  
*yugakośitām sāgram śivaloke mahīyate || 125 ||*

[She will travel] on an aerial palace that has the form of a grand lotus, and is full of men and women, and will prosper in Śivaloka for more than a thousand million aeons.

*īśalokādilokeṣu bhuktvā bhogān anekadhā |*  
*imām lokam kramāt prāpya yatheṣṭam patim āpnuyāt || 126 ||*

Having experienced many kinds of enjoyments in the worlds beginning with that of Īśa, reaching this world in due order, she will find the husband that she desires.

10.122 Note the accusative, instead of the expected locative, of *amāvāsyām* in *pāda a*, and see our note to verse 92, where this phenomenon first appears.

10.125 Note that some of MSS read *rudraloke* instead of *śivaloke* in *pāda d*.

10.126 In *pāda c*, we follow  $N^M S_{67}^S G^{K_i} G_{40}^L$ . The variant reading *iha loke kramāt prāpya* ( $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C P_{72}^T E^N$ ), albeit not smooth, might also be considered.

[*anyavrata* —  
Another observance]

*paurṇamāsyām upavased abdam ekam̄ dṛḍhavrataḥ |*  
*varsānte sarvagandhādhyām̄ pratimām̄ vinivedayet || 127 ||*

She should fast at Full Moon for one year, strict in her observance, and at the end of the year offer an image that has been scented with a mixture of various fragrant substances.

*suvicitrair mahāyānair divyagandhavahaiḥ śubhaiḥ |*  
*yugakotiśatam̄ sāgram̄ śivaloke mahiyate || 128 ||*

[Arriving] on colourful, beautiful aerial vehicles that trail divine scents, she will prosper in Śivaloka for more than a thousand million aeons.

*yatheṣṭam aiśvare loke bhuktva bhogān aśeṣataḥ |*  
*kramād āgatyā loke 'smīn rājānam patim āpnuyāt || 129 ||*

Fully experiencing enjoyments according to her wishes in Īśvara's world, she arrives in this world in due order and finds herself a royal husband.

[*ekabhaktavrata* —  
Observance of a single meal]

*yā kārttikam̄ śubham̄ māsam ekabhakteṇa yāpayet |*  
*kṣamāhiṇīsādiniyamaiḥ saṃyatā brahmacāriṇī || 130 ||*

She who spends the auspicious month of Kārttika with one single [daily] meal, bound by Niyama-rules such as patience and non-violence, in chastity,

*guḍājyamīśram pinyākam̄ māsante vinivedayet |*  
*aṣṭamāyām̄ sacaturdaśyām upavāsarataḥ bhavet || 131 ||*

10.127 *Pāda* a is a *na-vipulā*.

10.128 Note that some of the Nepalese MSS ( $N^M N_{28}^K N_{12b}^K N_{45}^C$ ) read *rudraloke* instead of *śivaloke* in *pāda* d.

10.130 *Pāda* c is a *na-vipulā*. For lists of Niyamas or Dharmas including *kṣamā* and/or *abīmīṣā* in this chapter, see verse 88 and especially verse 135.

should offer at the end of the month an oil-cake with sugar and clarified butter mixed in. She should engage in fasting on the eighth and fourteenth days.

*indrani laprati kāśair vimānaiḥ sārvakāmikaiḥ |  
varṣāyutaśatam sāgram rudraloke mahīyate || 132 ||*

[Travelling] on ærial vehicles that shine like sapphire and provide all desired objects, she will prosper in Rudraloka for more than a million years.

*yathāvat sarvalokeṣu bhogam āśādya sarvataḥ |  
kramād āgatya loke 'smiṇ yatheṣṭam patim āpnuyāt || 133 ||*

Experiencing enjoyments properly and fully in all the worlds, descending to this world in due order, she will find the husband that she desires.

*ity evam sarvamāsesu vidhis tulyaḥ prakīrtitaḥ |  
ekabhaktopavāsasya phalam ca sadṛśam viduh || 134 ||*

In all the [remaining] months, the method of fasting by eating one single meal a day is taught to be similar to the above; its fruit is known also to be similar.

[*sādhāraṇā dharmāḥ* —  
General rules]

*kṣamā satyam dayā dānam śaucam indriyanigrahaḥ |  
śivapūjāgnihavanam santosō 'steyabhāvanā || 135 ||*

The cultivation (*bhāvanā*) of patience, truthfulness, compassion, donation, purity, control over the senses, the worship of Śiva, fire worship, contentedness, and non-stealing

10.131 *Pāda* a is a *ma-vipulā*.

10.135 *Pāda* c is a *na-vipulā*. We interpret *bhāvanā* as if it were compounded with each item in this list. For an alternative interpretation of this verse, see Bisschop et al. 2021, 12; there *bhāvanā* is taken only with *asteya* and the resulting compound is translated as ‘not [even] thinking of stealing.’

*sarvavrateṣu ayam dharmah sāmānyo daśadhā sthitah |  
viṣeṣam api vaksyāmi pratimāsam vratam prati || 136 ||*

is the general, tenfold, religious duty (*dharma*) in the case of all observances. I shall also teach you the particulars with regards to the observances [performed] month by month.

[*mārgaśīrṣe vṛṣabhbhavratam —*  
*Mārgaśīrṣa:* the bull observance]

*mārgaśīrṣe śubhe māse vṛṣabham piṣṭanirmitam |  
gandhamālyair alamkṛtya bhavāya vinivedayet || 137 ||*

In the auspicious month of Mārgaśīrṣa, she should offer Bhava [i.e. Śiva] a bull made out of flour, embellished with scented substances and garlands.

*vṛṣayuktair mahāyānair apsarogaṇasamyutaiḥ |  
varṣāyutaśatam sāgram śivaloke mahiyate || 138 ||*

[Arriving on] gigantic aerial vehicles drawn by bulls, and populated by groups of Apsarases, she will prosper in Śivaloka for more than a million years.

*sarvadevanikāyeṣu samprāpya vipulam sukham |  
kramād āgatyā loke 'smiñ rājānam patim āpnuyāt || 139 ||*

Experiencing great happiness in all the homes of the gods, descending to this world in due order, she will find herself a royal husband.

[*pauṣe śūlavratam —*  
*Pauṣa:* the trident observance]

*pauṣamāse śubhe caiva śūlaṁ kṛtvā pinākine |  
gandhapuṣpair alamkṛtya śivāya vinivedayet |  
tāmrakāṇsyādipātram vā kṛtvā dadyāt pinākine || 140 ||*

10.138 *Pāda* d is an important locus that suggests a close relation between N<sup>K</sup><sub>82</sub> and N<sup>C</sup><sub>94</sub>: they read *pramodate* against *mahiyate* in all other MSS.

In the auspicious [month] of Pauṣa, fashioning a trident [out of flour] for Piṇākin, embellishing it with scented substances and flowers, she should offer it to Śiva. Alternatively, she can give Piṇākin a vessel that one has made of copper, brass, etc.

*mahāpuṣpakayānena divyagandhapravāhinā |  
varṣāyutaśatam sāgram rudraloke mahīyate || 141 ||*

[Arriving] on [Kubera's] grand aerial vehicle [called] Puṣpaka, which carries a divine scent, she will prosper in Rudraloka for more than a million years.

*bbuktvā tu vipulān bhogān aśeṣapurasambhavān |  
samprāpyaivam kramāl lokam abhiṣṭam patim āpnuyāt || 142 ||*

Experiencing the prodigious enjoyments that arise in all the cities [of the gods], descending to [this] world thus in due order, she will find the husband that she desires.

[*māghe rathavratam* —  
Māgha: the chariot observance]

*māghe ratham aśvayutam mālyadīpapraśobhitam |  
paistalinīgasamāyuktam kṛtvāyatanam ānayet || 143 ||*

In [the month] of Māgha, she should make a [small] horse-drawn carriage beautified with garlands and lamps, along with a *liṅga* made of flour, and she should carry these to the temple.

*mahārathopamair yānaiḥ śvetāśvarathasamāyutaiḥ |  
varṣāyutaśatam sāgram rudraloke mahīyate || 144 ||*

10.140 Although the word *piṇāka* can signify both Śiva's bow and trident (see Vallabhadeva's comment ad *Kumārasambhava* 3.10: *piṇākah śārvam dhanuh śūlam ca*), the context in the above verse makes the latter the more likely choice. Although we translate *vā* in *pāda* e as introducing an alternative, it could in fact simply describe the act of presenting the trident on a plate. This is suggested by verse 149. A line before *pādas* ef may have dropped out.

10.141 *pravāhinā* in *pāda* b is attested only in N<sup>M</sup> and G<sup>Ki</sup>, but there seems no better choice of reading available. Compare also 128b and 188d.

10.143 *Pāda* a is unmetrical.

[Arriving] on aerial carriages that resemble gigantic chariots drawn by white chariot-horses, she will prosper in Rudraloka for more than a million years.

*anubhūyātulān bhogān aśeṣapurasambhavān |  
kramād āgatya loke 'smīn rājānam patim āpnuyāt || 145 ||*

Experiencing unequalled enjoyments arising in all the cities [of the gods], descending to this world in due order, she will find herself a royal husband.

[*phālgune paīṣṭapratimāvratam* —  
Phālguna: the observance of the flour image]

*phālgune pratimām paīṣṭīm kṛtvā carusamanvitām |  
gandhamālyair alamkṛtya sthāpayed iśvarālaye || 146 ||*

In [the month of] Phālguna, she should fashion an image [of the deity] out of flour mixed with *caru*, embellish it with scented substances and garlands, and install it in the temple of Īśvara.

*yānair apratimair divyair geyanātyasamākulaiḥ |  
varṣāyutaśatam sāgram iśaloke mahīyate || 147 ||*

[Arriving on] incomparable, divine aerial vehicles that are filled with singing and dancing, she will prosper in Īśaloka for more than a million years.

*sarvāmaranikāyeṣu prāpya bhogān sudurlabbān |  
samprāpte 'smīn kramāl loke yatheṣṭam patim āpnuyāt || 148 ||*

After experiencing in the homes of all the immortal gods enjoyments that are extremely difficult to access, when she reaches this world in due order, she will find the husband that she desires.

10.144 For the reasons for our choice of, and the problem of interpreting, *aśvaratha*, see notes to 58b and 87b.

10.146 For some time we oscillated between choosing the reading *cārusamanvitām* (perhaps: ‘endowed with beauty’) or *carusamanvitām* in *pāda* b. We also considered the reading of E<sup>N</sup>, *kṛtvāgurusamanvitām* (‘fashioning [an image out of flour] mixed with Aloe’), as a *lectio difficilior*. In the end, we decided on *caru* thinking that mixing food offering into flour is not inconceivable in this context.

[ *caitre bhavakumāravrataṁ* —  
Caitra: the Bhava-Kumāra observance]

*caitre bhavaṁ kumāram ca kṛtvā paīṣṭam alamkṛtam |*  
*sthāpya pātre yathokte ca ānayec chivamandiram || 149 ||*

In [the month of] Caitra, she should fashion Bhava [i.e. Śiva] and Kumāra out of flour, embellish them, put them in a vessel of the kind mentioned above, and carry them to the temple of Śiva.

*śaradindupratīkāśair vimānaiḥ sārvakāmikaiḥ |*  
*varṣakotyayutam sāgram rudraloke mahīyate || 150 ||*

[Arriving on] aerial vehicles that shine like the autumn moon and grant all objects of desire, she will prosper in Rudraloka for more than a million years.

*karmakṣayād ihāgatya putrapautrasamanvitā |*  
*abhiṣṭam patim āsādyā labhed bhogān sudurlabhān || 151 ||*

Coming back here [to this world] due to the diminishing of [her] karma, together with children and grandchildren, finding the husband that she desires, she will experience enjoyments that only few do.

[ *vaiśākhe kailāsavratam* —  
Vaiśākha: the Kailāsa observance]

*taṇḍulāḍbhakapiṣṭena kṛtvā kailāsaparvatam |*  
*iśvaromāsamāyuktam sarvadhātuvibhūṣitam || 152 ||*

Fashioning Mount Kailāsa out of an *āḍbhaka* of rice flour, with Īśvara and Umā on top of it, embellished with all kinds of minerals,

10.151 The phrase *putrapautrasamanvitā* in *pāda b* is somewhat puzzling. We have taken it to mean that she will get many sons and grandsons after marrying her dream husband, but the Sanskrit word order rather suggests that she is accompanied by many sons and grandsons on her return to this world.

10.152 An *āḍbhaka* is a unit of weight usually considered to be four *prasthas* (see verse 39), which amounts to around 1.6–2.8 kg. As to what sort of minerals are to be

*kandarair nicitam citrair lavaṇaprasthasaṁyutam |  
sarvaratnasamāyuktam sthāpayed iśvarālaye || 153 ||*

covered with various caves, with its peak made of salt, with all kinds of gems, she should install it in the temple of Īśvara.

*kailāsavrataṁ ity evaṁ vaiśākhyāṁ yā samācaret |  
kailāsakalpitair yānaiḥ śivaloke mahīyate || 154 ||*

This is called the Kailāsa observance. She who performs it on the day of the full moon in the month of Vaiśākha, will, [arriving] on aerial vehicles resembling Mount Kailāsa, prosper in Śivaloka.

*śivādisarvalokesu bhuktvā bhogān aśeṣataḥ |  
kramād āgatyā kailāse nagendre modate ciram || 155 ||*

Having fully experienced enjoyments in all the worlds beginning with that of Śiva, descending onto Kailāsa in due order, the king of mountains, she will enjoy herself for a long time.

used here, it is not clear. Probably colourful substances are meant. What is evident is that the corresponding instruction is a hint at the Himālaya being a great source of minerals. See, e.g., *Kumārasambhava* 1.4, which is part of a description of the Himavat: *yas cāpsarovibbramamañḍanānāṁ saṁpādayitrīm śikharair bibharti | balābhakacchedavibhaktarāgām akālasamdhīyām iva dhātumattām ||* ‘And the red mineral ore he bears on his peaks, reflected red in wisps of clouds, looks like twilight and confuses the heavenly nymphs, making them put on their ornaments at the wrong time’ (tr. Smith 2005, 27).

10.153 We follow the commentary in taking *prastha* in the sense of a peak (*lavaṇaprasthasaṁyutam lavaṇamayam sānusamīyutam*), but it is also possible that *prastha* indicates the measure of salt to be added on top of the mountain. It would amount to one fourth of the *ādhaka* that forms the base of the mountain according to the prescription of the previous verse. In both interpretations, the white salt added on top conjures up the white peak of Kailāsa.

10.154 We take the feminine locative *vaiśākhyāṁ* to qualify a lunar day (*tithi*), viz. *vaiśākhyāṁ paurnamāsyāṁ*. The reading *vaiśākhe*, only found in S<sup>S</sup><sub>67</sub> and G<sup>K<sup>i</sup></sup>, is clearly secondary. While the month-by-month *vrata* that is the subject of this section (starting at 130) does not generally specify a particular day of the month, verse 164 below does include such an instruction and may serve as support for this interpretation.

10.155 In *pādas* cd, the Southern sources have introduced the recurrent theme of obtaining a king as a husband as the result of practising the observance (see, for example, 109 and 117).

[*jyeṣṭhe lingavrataṁ —  
Jyeṣṭha: the Liṅga observance*]

*lingam piṣṭamayam kṛtvā jyeṣṭhamāse savedikam |  
pātram sampūjya gandhādyair vastrayugmena veṣṭayet || 156 ||*

In the month of Jyeṣṭha, fashioning a *liṅga* out of flour, together with its pedestal, she should worship the vessel [with the *liṅga* inside] with perfumes etc., and cover it with two pieces of cloth.

*upaśobhāviśeṣaiś ca tatra jāgaram ācaret |  
prabhātē dhvajaśaṅkhādyair nītvā cāyatane nyaset || 157 ||*

She [should apply] special ornaments and keep a vigil there [next to the image]. At dawn, she should carry it together with banners, conch-shells, etc., and install it in the temple.

*śuddhasphaṭikasāṅkāśair vimānaiḥ sārvakāmikaiḥ |  
varṣakotiśatam sāgram śivaloke mahīyate || 158 ||*

[Arriving on] aerial vehicles that shine like clear crystals and fulfil all desires, she will prosper in Śivaloka for more than a million years.

*bhuktvā bhogān yathākāmam aśeṣapurasaṁbhavān |  
kramād āgatya loke 'smiṇ rājānam patim āpnuyāt || 159 ||*

Freely experiencing enjoyments arising in all the cities [of the gods], descending to this world in due order, she will find herself a royal husband.

10.157 We have adopted the reading *nītvā cāyatane nyaset* found in N<sup>M</sup>N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>126</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup>S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup>. A variant for this *pāda* found in several other manuscripts is *śivāya vinivedayet*. The textual transmission is divided and it is hard to reach a definite conclusion.

10.159 Note that after *pādas* ab, some of our sources insert two extra *pādas*, which roughly translate as follows (for the Sanskrit, see the apparatus): ‘[she] will amuse herself in states indifferent to sexual play (*kridābhiraṭa*<sup>o</sup>) / in states characterised by the pleasure of sexual play (*kridābhiraṭa*<sup>o</sup>) / in peculiar states of sexual play (*kridāviśeṣa*<sup>o</sup>), as commanded by Śaṅkara (*śaṅkarājñayā*) / in Śaṅkara’s abode (*śaṅkarālaye*).’ We do not think that this statement was originally part of the text, but it contributes significantly to the life of the text. On the one hand, it is slightly out of context, and it seems an attempt to explain away why women are allowed to, or should not, enjoy sexual pleasures in heaven. On the other hand, after mentioning that the female practitioner will freely enjoy various worlds, the text usually goes on to mention her return to the human world (see verses 133, 139, 142, 145, 148, 151, 155); this pattern would be interrupted by the insertion.

[ *āśādhe gr̥havrataṁ* —  
Āśādha: the house observance]

*gr̥ham piṣṭamayaṁ kuryād āśādhe tu tribhūmikam |*  
*sarvabījarasaīś cāpi sampūrṇam śubhalakṣaṇam || 160 ||*

She should fashion a three-storey house out of flour in [the month of] Āśādha. It should be filled with all kinds of seeds and juices and it should have auspicious signs on it.

*gr̥hopakaranair yuktam muśalolukhalādibhiḥ |*  
*sarvaratnādigo’śvādyair dāśīsāyyādyalaṅkṛtam || 161 ||*

There should be household items in it such as a pestle and a mortar, and it should be embellished with all kinds of gems etc., cows, horses etc., servant girls, beds etc.

*etaiḥ piṣṭamayaīḥ sarvaiḥ pradīpādyupaśobhitam |*  
*sarvabhakṣyasamākīrṇam gandhamālyair alaṅkṛtam || 162 ||*

[It should be] decorated with all these, made of flour, and with lamps etc., covered with all kinds of food, adorned with perfumes and garlands,

*śvetaraktaśitaiḥ pītair dhvajair vastraīḥ suśobhitam |*  
*caturvidhenā caruṇā saṃyuktam sarṣapais tathā || 163 ||*

and beautified with white, red, black, and yellow banners and cloths, and provided with four kinds of *caru*, and with mustard seeds.

*āśādhe paurnamāsyām vai gr̥ham sthāpya śivāgrataḥ |*  
*sarvopakaranopetam prañipatya nivedayet || 164 ||*

10.160 It is not clear what exactly *rasa* signifies in this context. If it is meant to be part of a *dvandva* construction, then *rasa* stands as a distinct item. However, if it is meant to be the component of a *tatpuruṣa* compound, it denotes the essence of grains. Alternatively, it may mean ‘minerals.’

10.163 *Pāda c* is a *na-vipulā*. According to the commentary the four types of *caru* are milky food, sugary food, pure food, and food with beans (*pāyasaññagulānnasudhānnamudgānnarūpeṇa*). A similar division is found also in two Pāñcarātra Āgamas: *Padmasaṃhitā* 4.25 (kevalānnam tathā maudgām pāyasañnam gulodanam | caturvidhaś carurjñeyāḥ pākaś culyām apīṣyate ||) and *Viśvāmitrasaṃhitā* 11.32 (pāyasañnam guḍānnam ca maudgām kevalam eva ca | caruṇ caturvidham kuryāt culyām vāpi pacec carum ||).

At full moon in [the month of] Āśādha, she should install [this model] house in front of Śiva [or the *linga*], with all kinds of service [of devotion], and prostrating herself, offer it [to Śiva].

*satabhaumair mahāyānair vimānaiḥ sārvakāmikaiḥ |  
varṣakoṭisataṁ sāgram śivaloke mahīyate || 165 ||*

[Arriving] on gigantic, hundred-storey aerial vehicles that fulfil all desires, she will prosper in Śivaloka for more than a thousand billion years.

*bhuktvā tu vipulān bhogān sarvalokesv anukramāt |  
prāpya tam sarvabhogaḍhyam saptabhaumam gr̥ham labhet || 166 ||*

Having experienced numerous enjoyments in each one of the [heavenly] worlds, one after the other, she will reach that [world?] which is full of all kinds of enjoyments, and will obtain a seven-storey house.

[ śrāvaṇe tilaparvatavrata —

Śrāvaṇa: the sesame seed mountain observance]

*sarvadhbatusamākīrṇam vicitradvajaśobhitam |  
nivedayīta śarvāya śrāvaṇe tilaparvatam || 167 ||*

In [the month of] Śrāvaṇa, she should offer Śarva [a model of] a mountain that is made of sesame seeds, is completely covered with all kinds of minerals, and is embellished with colourful banners.

10.164 It is possible that the original reading was *āśāḍhyām* in *pāda* a (see note on verse 154 above) as alluded by N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup>N<sub>77</sub><sup>K<sub>o</sub></sup> (*āśāḍhyām*) and N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> (*āśāḍhyā*), instead of our adopted reading *āśāḍbe*, in which case it qualifies a lunar day (*paurṇamāsyām*).

10.165 Hundred-storey aerial vehicles are not widely attested in Sanskrit sources. For a comparable occurrence (*anekaśatabhaumāni*), see MBh 13.62.47a, 13.70.22c, [App.] 13.15.3221, and the Malayalam reading (*sahasraśatabhaumaiś ca*) of ŚDhU 12.55cd (Yokochi 2023).

10.166 It is unclear what *tam* in *pāda* c refers to. It is unlikely that it refers back to Śivaloka. It is possible that a line has dropped out in transmission, causing considerable variation. We would normally expect the woman to return to earth after her long stay in various heavens and obtain a desirable husband, to which *tam* could perhaps refer. S<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> has changed the text to make it clear that she returns to the mortal world, reading *bhūlokam* instead of *prāpya tam*.

10.167 The form of Śiva as Śarva is also connected to the month of Śrāvaṇa in verse 26 above. In other texts, the sesame seed mountain features in lists of *dānas* (e.g. MatsP 87 and LiP 2.30).

*svacchendranilasamkāśair yānair apratimaiḥ śubhaiḥ |  
varṣakotisataṁ sāgṛam śivaloke mahīyate || 168 ||*

[Arriving] on beautiful, unmatched ærial chariots that shine like pure sapphires, she will prosper in Śivaloka for more than a billion years.

*vividhān bhuvanān bhogān avāpya vipulān divi |  
kramāl lokam imāṇ prāpya rājānām patim āpnuyāt || 169 ||*

Having [reached] various [divine] worlds and having experienced great pleasures in heaven, descending to this world in due order, she will find herself a royal husband.

[ *bhādṛe nagavratam* —  
Bhādra: the rice-mountain observance]

*kṛtvā bhādrapade māse śobhitam śaliparvatam |  
vitānadhvajavastrādyair dhātubhiś ca nivedayet || 170 ||*

In the month of Bhārapada, she should fashion [a model of] a mountain out of rice, decorating it with canopies, banners, cloths etc., and with minerals, and she should offer it [to Śiva].

*divākarakaraprakhyair mahāyānaiḥ suśobhanaiḥ |  
varṣakotisahasrāṇi śivaloke mahīyate || 171 ||*

[Arriving] on gigantic and very beautiful ærial chariots that shine like sunbeams, she will prosper in Śivaloka for billions of years.

*samprāpya vipulān bhogān aśeṣapurasaṁbhavān |  
kramād āgatyā loke 'smiṇ rājānām patim āpnuyāt || 172 ||*

Experiencing prodigious enjoyments arising in all the cities [of the gods], descending to this world in due order, she will find herself a royal husband.

[ *āśvayuje dhānyaparvatavrataṁ* —  
Āśvayuja: grain-mountain observance]

*kṛtvā cāśvayuje māse vipulam dhānyaparvatam |  
suvarṇavastraśaṁyuktam śivāya vinivedayet || 173 ||*

As for the month of Āśvayuja, she should fashion a huge mountain from grains, with gold and cloths on it. She should offer it to Śiva.

*suvicitrair mahāyānair varabhogasamanvitaib |  
varṣakoṭisahasrāṇi rudraloke mahīyate || 174 ||*

[Arriving] on gigantic and colourful ærial chariots provided with choice enjoyments, she will prosper in Rudraloka for billions of years.

*rudralokādilokesu bhuktvā bhogān yathepsitān |  
samprāptāsmīn kramāl loke rājānam patim āpnuyāt || 175 ||*

Having experienced all the enjoyments that she wishes for in the worlds beginning with that of Rudra, descending to this world in due order, she will find herself a royal husband.

[*kārttike dhānyaparvatavrata* —  
Kārttika: the Meru-observance]

*sarvadhbānyasamāyuktam sarvabījarasādibhiḥ |  
sarvadhbātusamāyuktam sarvaratnopasobhitam || 176 ||*

[She should fashion a model of a mountain] out of all kinds of grain, with all kinds of juices, seeds, etc., with all kinds of minerals, embellished with all kinds of gems,

*śrīgaiś caturbhiḥ saṃyuktam vitānacchatrasobhitam |  
gandhair mālyais tathā dhūpaib pradīpais cāpi śobhitam || 177 ||*

provided with four peaks, beautified with canopies and parasols, fragrant substances, garlands, incense, and lamps,

*vividhair nṛttagītais ca śāṅkhavīṇādibhis tathā |  
brahmaghoṣais tathā puṇyair mangalais ca viśeṣataḥ || 178 ||*

10.173 In *pāda* b, N<sup>K</sup><sub>28</sub> and N<sup>C</sup><sub>45</sub> introduce *sāli* grain instead of the generic *dhānya* that we have adopted. It is worth noting that in this chapter, *sāli* grain is singled out as one of the pure foods suitable for consumption during religious observances (as seen in 36, 59, and 64) and for crafting models of religious icons (118 and 181).

10.176 On the problem of the meaning of *rasa*, see note to 10.160.

10.177 *Pāda* a is a *ma-vipulā*.

and [accompanied] by various dances and songs, [the sound of] conch-shells, lutes, etc., Vedic recitation, and last but not least the declaration of an auspicious day;

*mahādhvajāśtabhir yuktam vicitrakusumojjvalam |  
nagendram merunāmānam trailokyādhāram uttamam || 179 ||*

it is endowed with eight great banners, and it is shining with colourful flowers: [this is in fact] the king of the mountains called Meru, the supreme foundation of the three worlds.

*tasya mūrdhni śivam kuryāt sarvadevasamāyutam |  
daityagandharvasiddhāś ca rakṣabhūtagaṇāś tathā || 180 ||*

She should place Śiva on top of it, together with all the [other] gods, and the Daityas, Gandharvas and Siddhas, the Rakṣases, the Bhūtas and the Gaṇas,

*vidyādharāpsaronāgā ṛṣayāś ca viśeṣataḥ |  
śālipiṣṭamayān kṛtvā sarvarūpān vicakṣaṇā || 181 ||*

the Vidyādharaś, the Apsarases, the Nāgas, and, last but not least, the Ṛṣis. The wise woman should fashion all these figures out of rice flour.

*devasya dakṣiṇe haste śūlam tridaśapūjitam |  
evam sarveṣu deveṣu kuryād astraṁ yathākramam || 182 ||*

10.178 *śāṅkhavīṇādibhiḥ* (in *pāda b*) is an elliptical expression. Š<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> has accordingly replaced *vīṇā*° ('lute') by *vādyā*° ('music/sound'). The activities listed here are most probably to be performed by others, not the individual or individuals (presumably women) who construct the model mountain.

10.179 *merudāna* is listed in other texts as one of the *dānas* (e.g., *Agnipurāṇa* 2.212).

10.181 *viśeṣataḥ* in *pāda b* may seem like a verse filler. Perhaps because of this, N<sub>28</sub><sup>K</sup> and N<sub>77</sub><sup>Ko</sup> and N<sub>45</sub><sup>C</sup> replace it with *marudgaṇāḥ* and *marutāgaṇāḥ* ('troops of Maruts'). In altering the text, some of these sources end up with a hypometrical *pāda*. Š<sub>67</sub><sup>S</sup> (*etān kramāt kuryād*, 'should make them in due sequence') seems to be trying to obviate *rūpa*, which is somewhat ambiguous here (we have translated it as 'figure').

Note that *vicakṣaṇā* in *pāda d* is our emendation against all the consulted sources, which read *vicakṣaṇāḥ*. We have been influenced by 185c, for which both masculine and feminine pronouns are transmitted, and more importantly by 191cd, where the subject is clearly a woman.

[She should place] in the right hand of the god [Śiva] the trident that is worshipped by the thirty[-three gods]. Similarly, she should attach to the gods their respective weapons in due order.

*śivasya mahatīm pūjām kṛtvā carusamanvitām |  
pūjayet sarvadevāṁś ca daśadikṣu baliṁ haret || 183 ||*

After performing the grand worship for Śiva using *caru*, she should worship all the gods, and offer food-offerings (*bali*) in the ten directions.

*dvijān vai bhojayet paścāc chivabbaktān sadakṣinām |  
sarvārambhasamāyuktām yathāvibhavakalpitam || 184 ||*

Then she should feed the Brahmins, the devotees of Śiva, giving them gifts with all possible effort and as far as her resources allow.

*nivedayīta rudrāya kārttike nagam uttamam |  
yā kuryāt sakṛd apy evam tasyāḥ punyaphalam śṛṇu || 185 ||*

In [the month of] Kārttika, she should offer the supreme mountain to Rudra. Listen to the meritorious fruits a woman receives if she acts thus, even if only once.

*sarvāgameṣu yat punyam prasthitam munibhiḥ purā |  
tat punyam kotigunitam prāpnuyān nātra samśayah || 186 ||*

10.184 We have adopted the reading *dvijān* *vai* in *pāda* a, in spite of the fact that there is strong support for the alternative reading *vratināḥ*. Brahmins, or ‘the twice-born,’ (*dvija*) do appear in our text several times in the same context, see verses 11, 30, 39, and see the discussion on Brahmins as *sivabhaktas* in Bisschop et al. 2021, 32–39.

We have adopted the reading *sadakṣinām* instead of the variant *ḍakṣinām* in *pāda* b. It functions as an adverb and lacks temporal significance (see 10.39d). The reading *sadakṣinām*, by contrast, modifies *dvijān* and would signify that one should worship the twice-born who have received the sacrificial fees. In line with its common tendency to introduce deliberate changes to the text, S<sup>SS</sup><sub>67</sub> reads *ṣupūjitān* ('honoured well') instead.

G<sup>Ki</sup> inserts four *pādas* after 184b (see the Sanskrit in the apparatus). A tentative translation of this somewhat obscure passage might be as follows: ‘Approaching them, [he should feed] the initiated ones and the ascetics (*vratin*) together, all those who follow the guru, those who are situated near [this model of] Mount Meru together.’

10.185 Against the majority of the manuscripts, we have adopted the feminine pronouns *yā* and *tasyāḥ* instead of the masculine *yāḥ* and *tasya*. The readings in 190 below show similar variation, but the results mentioned in 191 leave no doubt that the subject of this section (from 130–192) should be a woman throughout.

She will receive a merit that is ten million times greater than the merits that have been propagated before by the sages in all the religious traditions. There is no doubt about it.

*mahāratnaprabhair yānaiḥ sarvaratnasamanvitaiḥ |  
gītanṛttādibhir vādyair apsarobhiś ca śobhitaiḥ || 187 ||*

[She will arrive] on aerial chariots that shine like huge jewels and have all kinds of jewels [on them], are beautified with songs, dances, etc., musical instruments and Apsarases,

*sūryakoṭisamaprakhyaṁ vimānaiर merusannibhaiḥ |  
naranārīsamākīrṇaiर divyagandhavahaiḥ śubhaiḥ || 188 ||*

on aerial vehicles that shine like millions of suns and are as big as Mount Meru, are full of men and women, and trail divine and pleasant scents.

*devadānavagandharvaiḥ stūyamānā gaṇādibhiḥ |  
svacchandā sarvagā bhūtvā prayātīśvara mandiram || 189 ||*

She will be praised by Devas, Dānavas, Gandharvas and the Gaṇas, etc. Having become perfectly independent, going freely anywhere she desires (*sarvaga*), she will depart to the palace of Īśvara.

*kalpakoṭisataṁ divyam̄ modate sā mahātapāḥ |  
evam̄ sarveṣu lokeṣu bhogān bhuktvā yathepsitān || 190 ||*

Practising a supreme austerity, she will rejoice [there] for hundreds of *kotis* of divine æons. Experiencing any enjoyment she pleases thus in all the worlds,

*punyakṣayād ibāgatyā mahīpālapatir bhavet |  
surūpā subhagā nityam̄ ramatiśvarabbāvitā || 191 ||*

10.186 The manuscripts display significant variation in *pāda b*. We consider *prasthitam̄ munibhiḥ* to be the *lectio difficilior*. The variants *munibhiḥ kathitam* ( $N_{82}^K N_{94}^C G^{Ki}$  E<sup>N</sup>) and *muninām̄ kāthitam* ( $S_{67}^S$ ) are likely due to the fact that *prasthitam̄* is less commonly used than *kāthitam*. *Pāda c* is a *na-vipulā*.

10.187 Note the somewhat odd return to the description of the *vimānas* here.

10.190 There is significant variation again between reading a masculine or a feminine agent into this verse. For our reasons for interpreting this section as referring to female practitioners, see our notes to verses 185 and 191.

she returns due to the fact that her merits wane, and will have a king as a husband. She will be beautiful and attractive, and enjoying herself eternally, devoted to Īśvara.

*yān yān kāmān samuddiśya naranārīnapumṣakāḥ |  
pūjayanti śivam bhaktyā tat tat phalam avāpnuyāt || 192 ||*

With whatever desires men, women, and those of the third gender, worship Śiva with devotion, she will obtain all those as rewards.

[*grhadānavratam* —  
The observance of donating a house]

*mṛṇmayam dārujam śailam aiṣṭakam vā sukalpitam |  
kṛtvā maṭham gr̥ham vāpi yathāvibhavasambhavam || 193 ||*

One should make a nicely designed hut (*maṭha*) or house from clay, wood, stone, or bricks, according to the extent of one's resources,

*sarvopakaraṇopetam sarvadhbānyaprapūritam |  
śivāyettham gr̥ham dadyāt sarvakāmam avāpnuyāt || 194 ||*

equipped with all the utensils, filled with all kinds of grain, and should offer a house of this sort to Śiva. All one's desires will be fulfilled.

10.191 We interpret *mahipālapati[r]* in *pāda b* as a *bahuṛihi* compound ('she whose husband is a king'), forced by the feminine forms in *pādas cd*. The alternative reading in *pāda b* (*rājānanam/mahendram patim āpnuyāt*) is less ambiguous than the adopted one, thus it is probably a later clarification.

10.193 Note the transition, albeit unstated, to a masculine agent in this section. The shift is confirmed in 195b, where the overwhelming majority of the witnesses transmit a masculine qualifier (*suyantritah/°vrataḥ/samanvitah*). As to what the present observance really aims at, we are unsure, and we have failed to find similar passages in other texts. This is the only occurrence of the word *maṭha* in the *Śivadharmaśāstra*. We do not have the impression that a large monastic complex of the type we find in the medieval period (Sears 2014) is already intended here, but the rise of such *maṭhas* may be linked to gifts like the one promoted in this passage, although the precise nature of the gift described remains somewhat opaque.

[*hemante śivarathavrataṁ* —  
Hemanta: the observance called Śiva's chariot]

*kṛtvai kabhaktam hemante māsam ekam suyantritah |*  
*māsānte 'tha ratham kuryāc citravastropaśobhitam || 195 ||*

He should eat only once [per day] in the winter (*hemanta*) for one month, highly restrained. Then, at the end of the month, he should make a chariot and embellish it with colourful cloths.

*śvetaiś caturbhīḥ samyuktam vṛṣabhaiḥ samalamkṛtam |*  
*śobhitam dbvajapūjādyaiś chattracāmaradarpaṇaiḥ || 196 ||*

It should be adorned with four white bulls that are attached to it, and with banners and [the marks of] worship, etc., with parasols, chowries, and mirrors.

*taṇḍulāḍhakapiṣṭena lingam kṛtvā savedikam |*  
*vinyasya ratham adhye tu pūjayed kṛtalakṣaṇam || 197 ||*

Having made a *linga* and its pedestal out of an *ādhaka* of rice flour, and having installed it in the middle of the chariot with all the required elements, he should worship it.

*tad rātrau gajayānena śāṅkhabheryādini svanaiḥ |*  
*bhrāmayitvā śanaiḥ paścāc chivāyatanaṁ ānayet || 198 ||*

10.195 *Pāda* a is a *ma-vipulā*. See a very similar *vrata* described in Kane 1930–1962, vol. 5, 426: ‘Śivarathvrata—ekabhakta in Hemanta (Mārg. and P.) and M.; at end of M. make chariot decked with variegated cloth and having four white bulls yoked; place in chariot a *liṅga* made with the flour of an *ādhaka* of rice; drive chariot at night on the public road and bring to a Śiva temple, *jāgara* with illuminations and theatricals; next morning dinner to Śiva devotees and to the blind, poor and distressed; this is *ṛtuvrata*; present the chariot to Śiva; HV II. 859–60 (from Vi Dh.).’ In fact the passage that Hemādri attributes to the *Viṣṇudharmottara* in his *Caturvargacintāmaṇi* is ŚDhŚ 10.195–204 (see Appendix 2).

10.196 *Pāda* a is a *ma-vipulā*. The syntax of *pādas* ab is slightly odd. If bulls are supposed to draw the chariot, the reading *gajayānena* in 198a is problematic if it indeed means ‘on a vehicle drawn by an elephant,’ and if it is not a synonym of *nājamārgena* (‘on the main street’). In *pāda* c, ‘*pūjā*’ might hide an earlier ‘*yūpā*’.

10.197 An *āḍhaka* is a unit of weight usually considered to be four *prasthas* (see verse 39), which amounts to around 1.6–2.8 kg.

Driving it around slowly at night on a vehicle drawn by an elephant accompanied by the sound of conch-shells, kettle-drums, etc., he should bring it to the Śiva-temple.

*tatra jāgarapūjābbih pradīpādyupaśobhitam |  
prekṣaṇīyapradānaiś ca kṣapayīta śanaiḥ kṣapām || 199 ||*

There, he should maintain vigil and perform worship, using lamps etc. as embellishment, and by presenting spectacles, he should fast through the night.

*prabhāte snapanam kṛtvā tadbhaktānām ca bhojanam |  
dīnānāthakṛpaṇānām yathāśaktyā ca dakṣiṇām || 200 ||*

At dawn he should bathe [the *liṅga*], prepare food for His devotees, and give as many gifts to the miserable, the helpless, and the poor, as he can.

*rathām śobhāsamāyuktaṁ śivāya vinivedayet |  
bhuktvā ca bāndhvavaiḥ sārdham praṇamyeśāṁ gr̥haṇam vrajet || 201 ||*

One should offer Śiva the embellished chariot. Then having eaten together with his relatives, he should bow in front of the Lord (*iśa*) and go home.

*sarvadānebhyah pravarām asmin dharmāḥ samāpyate |  
vrataṁ śivarathāṇ nāma sarvakāmārthaśādhakam || 202 ||*

[This observance] is better than any donation. In it [one's] religious duties (*dharma*) are accomplished. It is called Śiva's chariot and it fulfils all desires.

*sarvavratesu yat puṇyam sarvayajñesu yat phalam |  
sarvam śivarathenaiva tat puṇyam sakalam bhavet || 203 ||*

10.198 Note the alternative reading *rājamārgeṇa* for the adopted *gajayānena* in *pāda* b, and see our note to 196. It is not impossible that the two expressions are in fact synonyms and both mean 'on the main street.'

10.200 *Pāda* c is a rare *sa-vipulā*, hence the abundance of variant readings.

10.201 Note how we are forced to reject all Nepalese MSS, and the one from Kashmir, in *pāda* a.

10.202 *Pāda* a is a defective *bha-vipulā*. The variants that read *sarvavratañām* result in a regular *bha-vipulā*.

The merit that is produced by all the observances and the fruit that is produced by all[-encompassing] sacrifices, all that merit arises in its entirety solely by [the observance called] Śiva's chariot.

*sūryāyutapratikāśair vimānaiḥ sārvakāmikaiḥ |  
trisaptakulajaiḥ sārdham śivaloke mahīyate || 204 ||*

[Arriving] on aerial chariots that shine like millions of suns and that fulfil all desires, he will prosper in Śivaloka together with his relatives of three times seven generations.

*bhuktvā tu vīpulān bhogān sarvadeveṣu anukramāt |  
kalpakotyāyutam sāgram tasyānte sa mahīpatiḥ || 205 ||*

Experiencing prodigious enjoyments with all the gods, one by one, for more than billions of aeons, he will become a king in the end.

[śivāśayyā —  
Śiva's bed]

*pañcatūlīsamāyuktām mṛdukhaṭvām sukalpitām |  
sarvopakaranopetām śivāśayyām prakalpayet || 206 ||*

One should construct a well-designed and soft couch with five-fold bedding, with all paraphernalia, to serve as Śiva's bed.

10.203 For our reasons to render *sarvayajñeṣu* as ‘all[-encompassing] sacrifices,’ see note to verse 10.22.

10.205 As in the case in 193, we take the subject to be a man here, too. Note G<sup>Ki</sup>'s somewhat confused addition after this verse, which tries to reinforce a feminine subject. It translates as follows (see the Sanskrit in the apparatus): ‘She will be beautiful and virtuous (emend *sugunām* to *sugunā*), and will obtain a husband who provides her with all possible enjoyments, who is from a noble family, who is pure, and she will bring everything [for him?].’

10.206 For supporting the reading *pañcatūlī* in *pāda* a, in contrast with the problematic *pañcasūlī*, see, e.g., LiP 2.47.25: *yajñopakaranaiḥ sarvaiḥ śivārcāyām hi bhūṣaṇaiḥ | vedimadhye mahāśayyām pañcatūlīprakalpitām ||*. We are not sure what *pañcatūlī* exactly means, but we suppose that it refers to a type of bedding made from five types of material. See *Vinayasūtra* 2.2006 (Yoshiyasu 2020) (with the most probable identifications added in our translation): *pañca tūlāni śālmalam ārkaṇ kāśamayām vaukam airakaṇ ca*; ‘The five plants [that are used to produce padding] are: the silk-cotton tree [*śālmala*, *Bombyx ceila* Linn.], crown flower [*ārka*, *Calotropis Gigantea*], wild sugarcane [*kāśa*, *Saccharum spontaneum*], vegetable hummingbird[?] [*vauka/vuka*, *Sesbania grandiflora*?], elephant grass [*eraka*, *Saccharum ravennae* or *Arundo donax*].’

śivam̄ devīsamāyuktam̄ piṣṭāśayyām̄ nivedayet |  
 śivajñānārthatattvajñām̄ ācāryam̄ vinayānvitam̄ || 207 ||

One should offer a bed made of flour to Śiva, who is together with Devī. After worshipping the guru, who is an expert of the truth of the meaning of the knowledge of Śiva, and is disciplined,

sampūjya gandhapuspādyair vastrālamkāracāmaraiḥ |  
 bhakṣyabhojyair aśeṣaiś ca tataḥ śayyām̄ nivedayet || 208 ||

with perfumes, flowers, etc., and [providing him] with clothes, ornaments and chowries, with all kinds of solid and liquid food, one should offer him the bed.

tattūlyām̄ tūlavastrāṇām̄ parisam̄khyā tu yāvati |  
 tāvad varṣasahasrāṇi rudraloke mahīyate || 209 ||

One will enjoy oneself in Rudraloka as many thousands of years as there are paddings in the cloth of the bed.

10.207 The content of this section (verses 206 to 210) is no longer an exploration of a *vrata*. The theme here is the donation of a Śiva-bed. In previous *vrata*-centred sections, the objects donated were temporary items made of flour etc., and offered to Śiva, such as a *śivalīṅga*. In the present segment, we encounter two discernible objects of donation: firstly, a ‘śiva-bed,’ a conventional bed crafted from common materials (206), and secondly, a bed made of flour (207ab), a replica of a bed. This duality seems to extend to the recipients of the donations outlined in verses 207a and 207cd, namely a human Śivācārya and the god Śiva, respectively. It is noteworthy that both recipients are governed by the same verbal form, *nivedayet*. We assume that the primary recipient in this section is the Śivācārya, as mentioned in verse 207cd. Consequently, the object of donation is understood to be a full-sized bed, aligning with the description in verse 206. 207ab appears anomalous, possibly an insertion, referencing a bed made of flour. Our suspicion about 207ab is further accentuated by verse 209, wherein the text asserts that the donor will enjoy himself in Rudraloka for as many thousands of years as there are paddings in the bed materials. That is to say, verse 209 finds coherence when the bed is construed as comprising fabric, as mentioned in verse 206, rather than being fashioned out of flour, as verse 207ab states. Further, from a grammatical point of view, the dative case *śivāya* would be smoother than the accusative *śivam̄* as an indirect object.

10.208 See our note to verse 94 on the translation of *bhakṣya-bhojya*.

10.209 In spite of our straightforward-looking translation, we are unsure as to what it is exactly that should be counted that would determine the number of years spent in Rudraloka. We take *tūlyām̄* in *tat-tūlyām̄* as a locative of *tūli* in the sense of ‘cloth.’ Another possibility would be to accept the reading *tadūrṇā°* ( $N_{94}^C G_{40}^L E^N$ ). Then the number of years to spend in Rudraloka would be ‘as many as there are its [fibres] of wool, cotton, and cloth.’

śivādisarvalokeṣu bhuktvā bhogān aśeṣataḥ |  
kramād āgatya loke 'smīn siṁhāsanapatiḥ bhavet || 210 ||

Having fully experienced enjoyments in all the worlds beginning with that of Śiva, one descends to this world in due order and becomes a throned king.

[ *vṛṣabhaikādaśī* —  
Ten cows and a bull]

daśa gāvah savṛṣabhā vṛṣabhaikādaśī smṛtā |  
śivāya viniṣedyaitām avadhāraya tatphalam || 211 ||

[A group of] ten cows and a bull is called *vṛṣabhaikādaśī*. If one offers these to Śiva, consider the rewards of that.

rudraikādaśatulyātmā balabbogādibhir guṇaiḥ |  
śivādisarvalokeṣu yatheṣṭam modate vaśī || 212 ||

Equal to the eleven Rudras as regards the qualities of strength and enjoyment, he will enjoy himself as he pleases, being a ruler, in all the worlds beginning with Śivaloka,

kalpakoṭisahasrāṇi kalpakoṭiśatāni ca |  
bhuktvā tu vipulān bhogān aśeṣakulajaiḥ saha || 213 ||

for thousands and hundreds of krores of æons. Experiencing prodigious enjoyments together with all his relatives,

tadante jñānam āśadya prasādāt parameṣṭhinab |  
vimucya mohakalilām svātmany evāvatiṣṭhate || 214 ||

he will finally obtain knowledge by the graciousness of the Highest One. Leaving behind the thicket of illusion, he will abide only in his true Self.

10.211 *Pāda a* is a *na-vipulā*. On *vṛṣabhaikādaśī*, or °śā, see Olivelle's translation of *Manu* 11.117 (Olivelle 2005, 221; cf. our notes to verse 65 above): 'After he has duly completed this observance, furthermore, he should give ten cows along with a bull or, if that is impossible, all his possessions to those who know the Veda'; (*vṛṣabhaikādaśā gāś ca dadyāt sucaritavrataḥ | avidyamāne sarvasvaṁ vedavidbhyo nivedayet ||*).

10.214 *Pāda c* is a *na-vipulā*.

[*savṛṣam gośatam* —  
A hundred cows and a bull]

*savṛṣam gośatam dattvā śivāyātīva śobhanam |*  
*trisaptakulajaiḥ sārdham śṛṇu yat phalam āpnuyāt || 215 ||*

Listen to what rewards he will obtain together with his relatives of twenty-one generations by donating to Śiva a hundred extremely beautiful cows together with one bull.

*śūryakoṭipratīkāśaiḥ sarvakāmasamanvitaiḥ |*  
*mahāyānair asamkhyātair amarāsurapūjitaḥ || 216 ||*

[Arriving] on innumerable gigantic aerial vehicles that shine like millions of suns and fulfil all desires, and that are worshipped by the immortal gods,

*śatarudrabalopeto vīrabhadra ivāparah |*  
*gatvā śivapuram divyam aśeṣādhipatir bhavet || 217 ||*

he, strong as the hundred Rudras, like another Vīrabhadra, goes to divine Śivapura, and becomes the king of the universe.

*bhuktvā tu vipulān bhogān pralaye sarvadehinām |*  
*mohakañcukam utsṛjya svakaivalyam avāpnuyāt || 218 ||*

Having experienced prodigious enjoyments, at the time of the annihilation (*pralaya*) of all living beings, he leaves behind the shell of illusion and reaches isolation within himself (*svakaivalya*).

*sarvajñah paramah sarvah śuddhaḥ svātmany avasthitah |*  
*sarvagah pariपुर्णास ca śivavat patir avyayah || 219 ||*

10.217 Note the clear shift to the masculine here, and compare our notes to verse 193 above. Vīrabhadra is sometimes the leader of the hundred Rudras, see, e.g., *Mokṣakārikā* 79: *icchayā śatarudrāṇsi ca vīrabhadrapurastarān | anugrahāya jantūnāṁ mantrāṇāṁ hi prayojakāḥ ||*, and *Ratnatrayaparikṣā* 92cd: *rudrāṇāṁ śatasamkhyānāṁ vīrabhadrasya copari*. Could this and the next verse hint at some Mantramārgic/Tantric connection?

10.218 Compare verse 4.66 of the *Śivopaniṣad*: *āpatkale 'pi yaḥ kuryāc chivāgnere manasārcanam | sa mohakañcukam tyaktvā parāṇi śāntim avāpnuyāt ||*.

[He will become] omniscient, the highest, everything, pure, established in his true Self, omnipresent, completely full, an imperishable Lord like Śiva.

[*gopradānam* —  
Donating a cow]

*yo dadyād ubhayamukhīm śivāyātīva śobhanām |  
saptadvīpām kṣitīm dattvā yat phalam tad avāpnuyāt || 220 ||*

He who donates an excessively beautiful pregnant cow to Śiva will obtain the fruits that one would obtain by donating the world with its seven islands.

*pādadvayam śiro'rdham ca yadā vatsasya dṛṣyate |  
tadā gauḥ pṛthivī jñeyā dātā tu syād mahīpradab || 221 ||*

When two feet and a half head of the calf appear, then the cow is to be known as the Earth, and the donor becomes a donor of the world.

*|| iti śivadharne nandiprokte upavāsa-gopradāna-vidhir nāmādhyāyo daśamah ||*

Here ends the tenth chapter in the Śivadharma[śāstra] taught by Nandikeśvara called Rites of Fasting and the Gift of Cattle.

10.220 The last two verses come abruptly after what seemed to be the conclusion and culmination of the observances taught in this chapter. The topic they introduce, or rather, continue teaching (see 211–219), the donation of cows, was considered important enough to be included in the colophon separately (... *upavāsa-gopradāna-vidhir nāma daśamo dhyāyah*). See this discussed in Kafle 2019, 33–34.

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*A Commentary on Śivadharmaśāstra 10*

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## Commentary

The text of this commentary was originally transcribed from a Malayalam-script MS kept in The Oriental Research Institute and Manuscripts Library in Trivandrum (No. 12766,<sup>80</sup> ff. 100v–102v), and kindly sent to us with suggestions for emendations, by S.A.S. Sarma. See a short description of this MS ( $M_{63}^{Tr}$ ) in Bisschop et al. 2021, 54 and 131. Words underlined are citations from the main text (*pratikas*). These appear between inverted commas in the translation when translated into English and in italics when left untranslated. Numbers in brackets indicate verse numbers in our critical edition of ŚDhŚ chapter ten.

व्रतान्तरमाह चतुर्दश्यामिति त्रिभिः (१–३)। किंच पृथिवीमिति (४) त्रिरात्रफलं त्रिरात्रयज्ञफलमित्यर्थः। अपि च द्व्योरिति चतुर्भिः (५–८) पापकृत् रतिप्रीतिकृदित्यर्थः। व्रतान्तरमाह कृष्णाष्टम्यामिति (९) अन्यद्व्रतमाह<sup>81</sup> यो ऽब्दमिति त्रिभिः (१०–१२)।

[Nandikeśvara] teaches another observance in the three [verses] beginning with *caturdaśyām* (1–3). Further on, in [the verse beginning with] *prthivīm* (4),<sup>82</sup> by *trirātraphala* ('fruit of three nights') the fruit of the *Trirātra* sacrifice is meant. Then, in the four [verses] beginning with *dvayor* (5–8), 'sinner' refers to 'him who enjoys the pleasure of sex' [during the observance].<sup>83</sup> [Nandikeśvara] teaches another observance in the [verse] beginning with *kṛṣṇāṣṭam्याम* (9). He teaches yet another observance in the three [verses] beginning with *yo 'bdam* (10–12).

<sup>80</sup> In earlier publications (e.g. Bisschop 2018, 195), this has been referred to as 12763, but the actual manuscript number is 12766.

<sup>81</sup> *anyad vratam āha* ] Cod.<sup>pc</sup>; *anyadrād vratam āha* Cod.<sup>ac</sup>

<sup>82</sup> In our edition, we read *yah prthivīm* but note that the Southern manuscripts indeed support *prthivīm*.

<sup>83</sup> This is not necessarily what is meant by the main text. In our translation, we do not explicitly connect *ratiprītivarjitaḥ* in 10.6b and *yady api syāt sa pāpakṛt* in 10.8b. Note that *ratiprīti* could be taken as a *dvandva* compound ('sexual pleasure, and joy'), especially if a hint to Kāmadeva's two wives, Rati and Prīti, is to be recognised here.

नक्तभोजनस्य गुणमाह उपवासादिति त्रिभिः (१३–१५)। उपवासो विशोधकोऽपि शिवचिन्तापरस्य चित्तप्रसादं बाधते। भैक्षं तु न बाधत<sup>८४</sup> इत्यत उक्तम् उपवासात्परं भैक्षमिति। अयाचितस्य त्वनिश्चितसद्बावत्वात्<sup>८५</sup> भैक्षात्परत्वम्। अयाचितात्परं नक्तं (१३)। तस्य परत्वे स्वयमेव हेतुमाह<sup>८६</sup> देवैस्तु<sup>८७</sup> भुक्तमित्यादिना (१४–१५)।

He [then] describes the virtues of eating only at night with the three verses beginning with *upavāsāt* (13–15). Even though fasting (*upavāsa*) is purificatory, it prevents one who focuses on meditation of Śiva from calming down the mind. Begging does not do so: that is why it is said [in the text]: ‘mendicancy is superior to fasting’. Since [the vow to eat only] unsolicited [food] (*ayācita*) is essentially uncertain, it is superior to mendicancy. ‘[Eating only] at night is superior to [the vow to eat only] unsolicited [food]’ (13). As regards its superiority, [Nandikeśvara] himself gives the reasons with ‘the gods eat’ etc. (14–15):

पूर्वाह्नादिकालाशननिमित्तं पुण्यं देवादय आहरेयुः (१४)। अतस्तत्कालानतिक्रम्य नक्तभोजनमुत्तमम्। किंच वामाचारोऽभिरामाचारो महादेवो नृणां नक्तेन तु तनूद्धरते<sup>८८</sup> (१५)। अतोऽपि नक्तभोजनमुत्तमम्।

The gods etc. deliver merits on account of consuming [offerings] in the morning etc. (14) Therefore, because it goes beyond those times of the day, eating [only] at night is the supreme [observance]. Furthermore, the Lord of noble practice (*vāmācāra*), i.e. affectionate practice (*abhirāmācāra*), rescues the bodies of people at night (15). Eating [only] at night is the supreme [observance] also because of this.

नक्तभोजनस्येतिकर्तव्यतामाह हविष्येति (१६)। हविष्यभोजनं क्षारलवणादिरहितं भोजनम्। स्त्रानं त्रिष्वणस्त्रानं मार्घ्यदिनस्त्रानस्य नित्यप्राप्तवेन विधानवैयर्थ्यप्रसङ्गात्। शोषं सुगमम्।

<sup>८४</sup> *bādha*<sup>o</sup> is unclear/partly lost in Cod.

<sup>८५</sup> °*sadbhāvatvāt* ] corr., °*satbhāvatvāt* Cod.

<sup>८६</sup> *hetum āha* ] em., *hatum āha* Cod.

<sup>८७</sup> *devais tu* ] em., *daivais tu* Cod.

<sup>८८</sup> Understand *tanūr uddharate*.

[Nandikeśvara] teaches the necessary actions related to eating [only] at night with [the verse] *haviṣya* etc. (16). ‘Food that is fit to be offered’ (*haviṣyabhojana*) is non-pungent [food] without salt etc. ‘[Ritual] bathing’ (*snāna*) means bathing at the three *savanas* (dawn, noon, and sunset) because bathing at [the] midday [offering] is generally prescribed and thus giving a rule [concerning only that] would prove to be useless. The rest is easy to understand.

कृष्णाष्टमीव्रतमाह कृष्णाष्टम्यामिति सप्तदशभिः (१७-३४)। व्रतप्रयोगो मार्गशीर्षे  
मासे आदित आरभ्य विधानतः नक्तभोजनोक्तविधानेन प्रयत्नेन यावन्मासं नक्तभोजनं  
कृत्वा तन्मासान्तर्गतायां कृष्णाष्टम्यां शंकरनामा शिवं सम्पूज्य (१७) निशि शत्र्या  
गोपूत्रं च प्राश्यानाहारः स्वपेत् (१८)। एवं पुष्यमासादिष्वपि नक्तभोजनं तदज्ञानि  
चानुष्ठेयानि। यथोक्तं शैवे पुराणे धर्मसंहितायामेतद्वत्विषये—

[Nandikeśvara] teaches the Kṛṣṇāṣṭamī observance in seventeen verses beginning with *kṛṣṇāṣṭamī* (17–34).<sup>89</sup> The procedure of the observance is [as follows]: first of all, starting ‘in the month of Mārgaśīrṣa,’ ‘according to the rules,’ i.e. by the aforementioned rules of eating [only] at night, ‘with effort,’ i.e. throughout the month,<sup>90</sup> ‘following the practice of [eating only] at night’ (18) on the eighth day of the dark half of the month in question, at night worshipping Śiva<sup>91</sup> by the name ‘Śaṅkara,’ consuming ‘cow’s urine as much as he can, one should sleep without having taken food’ (18). Similarly, [the observance of] eating [only] at night, and its auxiliaries, should be performed also in the month of Puṣya and in the remaining months. As it is taught in the *Dharmasamhitā* section of the *Śivapurāṇa* regarding this observance:

ब्रह्मचर्यमहिंसा च जपो मौनं<sup>92</sup> शिवार्चनम्।  
अग्निकार्यं मृदा स्थानं भूशय्या नक्तभोजनम्॥  
दया च सर्वभूतेषु सत्यं च ज्ञानपूजनम्।

<sup>89</sup> Note that in our edition this section spans eighteen verses.

<sup>90</sup> See our note on this at the translation of verse 17.

<sup>91</sup> In 10:18b, *nisi* directly precedes and specifies *svapet* (*anāhāro nisi svapet*, ‘one should sleep at night without having taken food’), rather than specifying the time of worship (*devam arcayet* in 10:17d).

<sup>92</sup> The *anusvāra* or *m* at the end of *maunam* is lost in Cod.

श्रद्धेज्या दानमनिशं शिवमन्त्रजपस्तथा ॥  
 सामान्यं सर्वमासेषु ब्रते ७स्मिन्मुनिसत्तमाः ।  
 ध्यानं च श्रवणं नित्यं शिवधर्मार्गमस्य तु ॥ इति ॥<sup>93</sup>

1 Chastity, 2 non-violence, 3 recitation, 4 observing silence, 5 the worship of Śiva, 6 fire-rituals, 7 bathing with clay, 8 sleeping on the ground, 9 eating [only] at night, 10 compassion regarding all creatures, 11 truthfulness, 12 worship through knowledge,<sup>94</sup> 13 faith, 14 sacrifice, 15 donation, and 16 the continuous recitation of Śiva's mantra. Common are in this observance in every month, O truest of sages, meditation and the continuous study of the tradition of the Śivadharma.

नामप्राशने<sup>95</sup> तु पुष्यमासादिषु<sup>96</sup> (१९) विभिन्ने । अथैतस्मिन्नव्याये ब्रतनिमित्तोपात्त-कालव्यतिरिक्तपुण्योत्सवादिकालेच्चपि शिवमुद्दिश्य<sup>97</sup> कृतमक्षयं स्यादित्याह पुण्येति (३४) । अथैतद्वक्ष्यामीत्याह<sup>98</sup> प्रतिमासमिति (३५) । तदेवाह पुष्यमास इति दशभिः (३६-४५) ।

The names [of Śiva] and [foods] to consume are different 'in the various months Puṣya etc.' Then [Nandikeśvara] states in [the verse] beginning with *pūṇya* (34) that [the fruits of any ritual] 'performed' with reference to Śiva even on days not within the range of the times given in this chapter as occasions for religious observance, such as 'religious festivals' (*pūṇyo-utsava*), 'will be undecaying.' Then he says: 'I shall teach' this 'month by month' (35). And he teaches exactly that in the ten [verses] beginning with *puṣyamāse*.<sup>99</sup>

<sup>93</sup> We have not been able to locate this passage in the *Dharmasaṃhitā* or in any other source.

<sup>94</sup> We interpret *jñānapūjanam* as a *tatpuruṣa* compound, in a sense perhaps close to *svādhyāyab*.

<sup>95</sup> The last two syllables of *nāmaprāśane* are unclear/partly lost in Cod.

<sup>96</sup> In our edition, we read *evam pauṣe pi*.

<sup>97</sup> There is an interlinear addition above <sup>०</sup>*ddiṣya*, namely *pūṇgava*, most probably referring to *munisattamāḥ* in the cited verses, correcting the latter to *munipuṇ-gava*/*pūṇgavāḥ*.

<sup>98</sup> <sup>०</sup>*vakyāmīty āha ] corr., vyakṣyāmīty āha* Cod.

<sup>99</sup> Our adopted text here reads *pauṣamāse*.

अग्निकार्यं भूमिशय्यां च प्रकल्पयेदिति सम्बन्धः (३७-३८)। पौर्णमास्यां<sup>100</sup> मासा-  
न्तत्वं सावनकूस्त्या<sup>101</sup> मन्तव्यम्। प्रसङ्गाच् छिवाश्रमनिषेविणां मोक्षोपायक्रममाह यो-  
गादिति द्वयेन (४६-४७)। योगात् मनसः शिवेन योगादात्मा दुःखान्तमाप्नोति। यो-  
स्य चोपायः शास्त्राचार्योपदेशजन्यं शिवार्थयाथात्मज्ञानं तस्य चाहृष्टः उपायः  
शिवार्चनजन्यः शिवधर्मः। एष शिवमोक्षस्य क्रमोपायः (४७) क्रमवानुपायः।

[Both] *agnikāryam* (37d) and *bhūmiśayyām* (38a) should [syntactically] be connected to *prakalpayed* (38d). The ‘end of month’ should be considered as happening ‘at full-moon’ (38) according to civil time (*sāvanaklptyā*).<sup>102</sup> Incidentally, in the two [verses] that start with *yogād* (46-47), [Nandikeśvara] describes the ‘sequential method of liberation’ for those abiding in the Śiva-āśrama. ‘By union,’ i.e. through the mind’s union with Śiva, the soul ‘reaches the end of suffering.’ ‘The method’ to reach that [i.e. *yoga*] is knowledge transmitted through the instructions given in scriptures, and by teachers, about the real nature of Śiva and other topics. The transcendent (*adṛṣṭa*) method to reach knowledge is ‘Śivadharma,’ which [in turn] is produced by the ‘worship of Śiva’. This is the ‘sequential method’ of Śiva (47), i.e. a method in steps.

अथ माघमासादिषु कर्तव्यान्विशेषानाह माघमास इत्येकचत्वारिंशद्दिः (४८-४९)।  
सर्वत्र देयगोमिथुनसमानवर्णानि विमानानि। छगणं<sup>103</sup> गोमयं (५३)। फुल्लखण्डः ख-  
ण्डविशेषः (६८)। घाषिकः सस्यविशेषः (७१)। पौष्णं पुण्ड्रयुक्तं (७२)। शिखी मयूरः  
(५१)। सारसः पुष्करारब्धः (७०)। जीवंजीवकः<sup>104</sup> चकोरः (८१)। एषां व्रतानां साधा-  
रणान्यर्मानाह अहिंसेति द्वयेन (८८-८९)।

Now, in the forty-one [verses] beginning with *māghamāse* (48-89)<sup>105</sup> [Nandikeśvara] enumerates the particulars of the duties in the month of Māgha and in the other months. In every case, the aerial chariots are of the same colour as the pair of a cow and a bull to be offered. *chagana* is

<sup>100</sup> *paurṇamāsyām* ] corr., *paurṇamāsyā* Cod.

<sup>101</sup> *“klptyā* ] corr., *“kluptyā* Cod.

<sup>102</sup> See, e.g., Renou and Filliozat 1947, 725 and 735.

<sup>103</sup> *chagaṇam* ] em., *chāṇagam* Cod.

<sup>104</sup> *jīvamjīvakah* ] em., *jīvajīvakah* Cod.

<sup>105</sup> Note that in our edition this section in fact spans forty-two verses.

cow-dung (53). *phullakhaṇḍa*<sup>106</sup> is a type of sugar (68). *sāṣṭhika*<sup>107</sup> is a type of grain (71). *pauṇḍra* means endowed with marks (*pundra*) (72). *sikhin* means peacock (51). *sārasa* is called *puṣkara*<sup>108</sup> (70). *jīvamjīvaka* means the Cakora bird (81).<sup>109</sup> With the two [verses] beginning with *ahimsā* (88–89), [Nandikeśvara] gives the general rules for these observances.

अथ नारीणां ब्रतानि वक्तुमारभते शिवभक्तेति (९०)। या नारी शिवभक्ता सा जन्मान्तरे अस्वातन्त्र्यदुःखकरं स्त्रीत्वं हित्वा पुरुषो भवेत्। अथ सा अत्युत्तमं स्त्रीत्वमेव काङ्क्षेत तस्या ब्रतं शृणु। ब्रतमेवाह उमेति (९१) पञ्चविंशत्या श्लोकैः (९१–११५)।

Now [Nandikeśvara] starts describing observances for women with [the verse] beginning with *śivabhaktā* (90). If ‘a woman is a devotee of Śiva,’ she, abandoning her womanhood that brings nothing but suffering because of a lack of independence, ‘can,’ in her next life, ‘become a man.’ Now ‘if she desires ultimate womanhood, listen to the observance’ for such a woman. [Nandikeśvara] teaches the observance itself with the twenty-five [verses] beginning with *umā*° (91–115).

सदा प्रीतिवर्धनमनुतिष्ठन्तीनाम् अवियोगकरं च भर्ता (९१)। ताम्रकांस्यादिपात्रं वा सितवस्त्रावकुण्ठितं कृत्वा तस्मिन्नात्ररूपस्यायतनस्य मध्ये प्रतिमामुपकल्पयेदित्यर्थः (९६)। महारत्नं<sup>110</sup>प्रभादीसैः महायानैरित्यनुवर्तते (१०६)। दुःखस्यान्तमवास्तुयः प्रकृता नरा नार्यश्च (११३)।

‘It always increases joy’ for those women who perform it and it ‘prevents separation’ from one’s husband (91). ‘Alternatively, covering a vessel made of copper or brass, or some other metal, with a white cloth, inside’ that temple in the form of a vessel ‘she should place the image’ (96). [The phrase] ‘with aerial chariots’ should be supplied for ‘of the brilliance of the light of

<sup>106</sup> Our adopted text here reads *bhūrikhaṇḍa*°.

<sup>107</sup> We read *sāṣṭika* in our edition.

<sup>108</sup> The *sārasa* is the Indian crane; the *puṣkara* can be identified as the Great White Crane, according to K. N. Dave 2005, 312.

<sup>109</sup> They can be identified as the peacock-pheasant and the chukar partridge, respectively, and they are in any case closely related, see K. N. Dave 2005, 279–281.

<sup>110</sup> *tnta* is unclear/lost in Cod.

huge precious stones”<sup>111</sup> (106). The men and women in question will reach the end of suffering [by this observance] (113).

व्रतान्तरमाह अष्टम्यामिति चतुर्भिः (११४-११७)। महापुण्यजिगीषया<sup>112</sup> महत्पुण्यं प्राप्तुमिच्छयेत्यर्थः (११४)। अन्यव्रतमाह या नारीति चतुर्भिः (११८-१२१)। व्रतान्तरमाह यामावास्यामिति पञ्चभिः (१२२-१२६)। अमावास्यामित्यत्यन्तसंयोगे<sup>113</sup> द्वितीया। सुवर्णकृतकर्णिके राजते पद्मे पिष्ठमयशूलं विन्यस्य शिवाय निवेदयेदिति सम्बन्धः (१२२-१२३)।

[Nandikeśvara] describes another observance in the four [verses] beginning with *aṣṭāmyām* (114–117). ‘By the desire for great merit’ means ‘by the wish to receive great merit (114).’<sup>114</sup> [Nandikeśvara] describes another observance in the four [verses] beginning with *yā nārī* (118–121), and yet another in the five [verses] beginning with *yāmāvāsyām* (122–126). The accusative case in *amāvāsyām* is for full duration.<sup>115</sup> ‘Placing a cake-trident’ in ‘a silver lotus with a golden pericarp,’ she ‘should offer it to Śiva’: this is how it should be connected (122–123).

व्रतान्तरमाह पौर्णिति त्रिभिः (१२७-१२९)। अन्यद्वत्तमाह सम्प्राप्ते<sup>116</sup> इति चतुर्भिः (१३०-१३३)। इममेव विधिं मासान्तरेष्वतिदिशति इत्येवमिति (१३४)। व्रतसाधारणान्यर्मानाह क्षमेति द्वाभ्याम् (१३५-१३६)। विशेषानाह मार्गशीर्ष इति पञ्चपञ्चाशन्दिः (१३७-१९१)।

[Nandikeśvara] describes another observance in the three [verses] beginning with *paurṇa*<sup>o</sup> (127–129). [Nandikeśvara] describes yet another observance in the four [verses] beginning with *samprāpte* (130–133). He

<sup>111</sup> Note how our translation of verse 106 interprets this differently.

<sup>112</sup> Only the *i* is visible of the syllable *ji* in Cod.

<sup>113</sup> *ity atyantasamyoge ] em., ity antasamyoge* Cod.

<sup>114</sup> All our sources except G<sup>Ki</sup> suggest the reading *mahābhoga jīgīṣayā* here instead of *mahāpunyajīgīṣayā*.

<sup>115</sup> This is a reference to *Aṣṭādhyāyī* 2.3.5: *kālādhvanor atyantasamyoge [dvitīyā]*. In Vasu’s translation (1891, 279): ‘After a word denoting time, or length, the affix of the 2nd case is employed, when denoting full duration.’ See also *Aṣṭādhyāyī* 2.1.29 (*atyantasamyoge ca*), and our note to verse 92.

<sup>116</sup> Only G<sup>Ki</sup> starts this verse with *samprāpte*.

applies the same rules to the other months in [the verse] beginning with *ity evam* (134). With the two [verses] beginning with *kṣamā* (135–136), [Nandikesvara] gives the general rules for the observance. He gives the details in the fifty-five [verses] beginning with *mārgasīrṣe* (137–191).

लवणप्रस्थसंयुतं लवणमयं सानुसंयुतम् (१५३)। सर्वभक्तसमाकीर्ण<sup>१७</sup> सर्वान्नसमा-  
कीर्णम् (१६२)। चतुर्विधेन चरुणा (१६३) पायसान्नगुलान्नशुद्धान्नमुद्धान्नरूपेण। सर्वा-  
रम्भसमायुक्तं<sup>१८</sup> (१५३) सर्वोपकरणसंयुक्तम्।

‘With a *prastha* of salt’ means with a *mountain-top* made of salt (153). ‘Covered with all *bhakta*’ means covered with all kinds of *food* (162). ‘With four kinds of *caru*’ means in the form of milky food (163), sugary food, pure food, food with beans. ‘With all undertakings’ means with all paraphernalia (153).

शिवानुभावबलात्सर्वेषां भक्तानां सर्वं सिद्धेदित्याह यद्यदिति (१९२)। गृहदानादिरूपं  
व्रतमाह मृण्मयमिति द्वयेन (१९३–१९४)। व्रतान्तरमाह कृत्वेति द्वादशमिः (१९५–  
२०५)।

In the [verse] beginning with *yad yad*<sup>१९</sup> (192) he says that everything will be successful for all the devotees because of meditation on Śiva. In the two [verses] beginning with *mṛṇmayam* (193–194) [Nandikesvara] describes the observance of donating a house etc. With the twelve [verses] beginning with *kṛtvā* (195–205),<sup>२०</sup> he teaches another observance.

अन्यव्रतमाह पञ्चतूलीति पञ्चमिः (२०६–२१०)। पञ्चविधास्तूलाः समाहृताः<sup>२१</sup>  
पञ्चतूली (२०६)। वृषभैकादशगोदानव्रतमाह दशेति चतुर्भिः (२११–२१४)। सवृषगो-  
शतदानरूपव्रतमाह सवृषमिति पञ्चमिः (२१५–२१९)। ज्ञानं कैवल्यमाप्नुयात<sup>२२</sup> ज्ञान-

<sup>१७</sup> Only P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> reads °*bhakta*°. Other MSS read °*bhakṣya*° and °*bhakṣyais*°.

<sup>१८</sup> Only P<sub>72</sub><sup>T</sup> reads *sarvārambha*°. Other MSS read *sarvaratna*° and *sarvarasa*°.

<sup>१९</sup> In our edition, we have adopted the reading *yān yān*.

<sup>२०</sup> Eleven verses in our edition.

<sup>२१</sup> *tāb* is partly lost in Cod.

<sup>२२</sup> There is a great number of alternative readings for *jñānam kaivalyam* in our sources, and in our edition we have adopted *svakaivalyam*.

रूपं कैवल्यमास्रयादित्यर्थः (२१८)। उभयमुखीदानं व्रतमाह दद्यादिति (२२०)।  
उभयमुखीलक्षणमाह पादेतीति (२२१) दशमोऽध्यायः ॥

With the five [verses] beginning with *pañcatūlī*, [Nandikeśvara] teaches another observance (206–210). Five kinds of plants (*tūla*) are collected as *pañcatūlī* (206). In the four [verses] beginning with *daśa* (211–214), [Nandikeśvara] teaches the *vṛṣabhaikādaśa* observance of donating cows. In the five [verses] beginning with *savṛṣam* (215–219), he teaches the observance corresponding to the donation of a hundred cows together with a bull. ‘One reaches wisdom, detachment’ means that one reaches detachment in the form of wisdom (218). He teaches the observance of donating a pregnant cow in the [verse] beginning with *dadyāt*<sup>123</sup> (220). He gives the characteristics of the pregnant cow in [the verse] beginning with *pāda* (221). This is the end of chapter ten.

<sup>123</sup> We read *yo dadyāt* in our edition.

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## *Appendices*

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Citations in Lakṣmīdhara’s *Kṛtyakalpataru*

**Vratakāṇḍa, tithivratāni<sup>124</sup>**

*atha nānātithivratāni*

[ *tithiyugalavrataṁ* ]

*tatrātriḥ* —

dve cāṣṭamyau ca māsasya caturdaśyau tu dve tathā |  
amāvāsyāpaurṇamāsyau saptamī dvādaśīvratam || 385.1

saṃvatsaram abhuñjānaḥ satataṁ ca jitendriyah |  
brahmacaryaphalam yac ca tad avāpnaty abhojanāt || 385.2

*iti tithiyugalavrataṁ* ||

[ *śivopāsanavrataṁ* ]

*bhavīṣyapurāṇe* —

caturdaśyāṁ tathāṣṭamyāṁ pakṣayoh śuklakṛṣṇayoh |  
yo ’bdam ekaṁ na bhūñjīta śivārcanarataḥ śuciḥ || 385.3  
yat puṇyam akṣayaṁ proktam satataṁ satrayājinām |  
tat punyam saphalam tasya śivalokam ca gacchati || 386.1

*iti śivopāsanavrataṁ* ||

[ *śivanaktavrataṁ* ]

kṛṣṇāṣṭamīṁ tu naktena tathā kṛṣṇacaturdaśīṁ |  
iha bhogān avāpnoti paratra śivam ṛcchati || 386.2  
*tathā* —

yo ’bdam ekaṁ prakurvīta naktaṁ parvaṇi parvanī |  
brahmacārī jitakrodhaḥ śivārcanarataḥ sadā || 386.3

saṃvatsarānte viprendra śivabhartā samāhitān |  
bhojayitvā tato brūyāt prīyatāṁ bhagavān prabhuh || 386.4

evaṁvidhisamāyuktah śivalokam ca gacchati |  
na ca mānuṣatāṁ loke hy adhruvāṁ prāpyate narah || 386.5

*skandapurāṇe*

*īśvarovāca* —

ŚDhŚ 10.1  
ŚDhŚ 10.2ab  
ŚDhŚ 10.3cd

ŚDhŚ 10.9

ŚDhŚ 10.10

ŚDhŚ 10.11

ŚDhŚ 10.12

<sup>124</sup> The first element in the verse numbers here indicate page numbers in Aiyangar 1953, vol. 6. (Minor corrections applied silently.) Text in italics is Lakṣmīdhara’s comments or text added by the editor of the aforementioned edition. Here and in all the appendices, we indicate approximate parallels with the ŚDhŚ to the right of the text.

## Appendix I

navamī cāṣṭamī caiva paurṇamāśī caturdaśī   yo bhuṅkte divi caiteṣu svaparvasu naraḥ samām    386.6 gaṇādhipatyam labhate aniśam yad dine dine   pr̥hivībhājane bhuṅkte sa trirātraphalam labhet    386.7 <i>aborātre vindati   ‘pr̥hivībhājane’ bhūmāv annam nidhāyety arthaḥ   </i> saṁvatsaram tu yo bhuṅkte nityam eva hy atandritaḥ   nivedya pitṛdevebhyah pr̥thivyām eva vā bhavet    387.1 <i>‘yo bhuṅkte’ pr̥thivyām evety arthaḥ   </i> [ <i>iti śivanaktavrataṁ</i> ] <i>tathā bhavisyapurāne</i> <i>āditya uvāca—</i>	ŚDhŚ 10.1ab
saptamyām ca tathāṣṭamīm pakṣayor ubhayaḥ api   yo ’bdam ekam naktabhojī niyatātmā jitendriyah    387.2 yat puṇyam paramam proktam satataṁ satrayājinām   satyavādiṣu yat puṇyam yat puṇyam ṛtugāminām    387.3 tat phalam khalu prāpyāsau mama lokam upaiti saḥ   pr̥thivīm bhājanām kṛtvā yo bhuṅkte kṣayasamḍhiṣu   ahorātreṇa caikena trirātraphalam aśnute    387.4	ŚDhŚ 10.2 ŚDhŚ 10.3cd
[ <i>iti arkavrataṁ</i> ] [ <i>sukhavrataṁ</i> ] kr̥ṣṇāṣṭamīm tu yo bhuṅkte yas tu kr̥ṣṇām ca saptamīm   ihaiava sukham āpnoti paratra ca śubham gatim    387.5 <i>iti sukhavrataṁ   </i>	ŚDhŚ 10.4 ŚDhŚ 10.9
aṣṭamīm ca navamīm ca pakṣayor ubhayaḥ api   yo ’bdam ekam na bhuñjīta caṇḍikārādhane rataḥ   sa yāti paramam sthānam yatra sā caṇḍikā sthitā    388.1 <i>iti caṇḍikāvrataṁ   </i> [ <i>sambhogavrataṁ</i> ] dve pañcamyau hi māsasya dvau ca pratipadau naraḥ   sopavāsaḥ sugandhādhyah śayīta priyayā saha    388.2	ŚDhŚ 10.1
svaganiścalacittas tu ratiprītivivarjitaḥ   samastasmṛtiśīlaś ca tasya puṇyaphalam śrenu    388.3 divyam varṣasahasram tu divyam varṣāśatam tathā   tapas taptam bhavet tena mahad eva na samśayah    388.4	ŚDhŚ 10.5 ŚDhŚ 10.6 ŚDhŚ 10.7

Citations in Hemādri's *Caturvargacintāmaṇi*

Section 1.7 (vol. 1, Dānakhaṇḍa, adhyāya 7, p. 467)<sup>125</sup>

<i>atha vṛṣabhaikādaśīdānam</i>	
<i>śivadharmāt  </i>	
daśa gāvah savṛṣabhā vṛṣabhaikādaśī smṛtā	ŚDhŚ 10.211
śivāya vinivedyaivaṇ viśuddhenāntarātmāna    1	
rudraikādaśatulyātmā balabhogādibhir guṇaiḥ	
śivādisarvalokeṣu yatheṣṭam modate vaśī    2	ŚDhŚ 10.212
...	
<i>atha vṛṣabhbādhikagośata dānam</i>	
<i>śivadharmottarāt  </i>	
vṛṣabham gośataṁ dadyāc chivāyātīva śobhanam	
triḥsaptakulajaiḥ sārddham śrenū yat phalam āpnuyāt    5	ŚDhŚ 10.215
sūryakoṭipratikāśair vimānaiḥ sārvakāmikaiḥ	
anekayānasamṛkhyānair asurāsurapūjitaīḥ    6	ŚDhŚ 10.216
śatarudrabalopeto vīrabhadra ivāparah	
gatvā śivapuram divyam aśeṣādhipatir bhavet    7	ŚDhŚ 10.217

Section 1.13 (vol. 1, Dānakhaṇḍa, adhyāya 13, p. 915)

<i>atha śivaśayyādānam</i>	
<i>śivadharmāt  </i>	
haṁsatūlīsamāyuktāṁ mṛdvīkhatvām alamkṛtāṁ	
sarvopakaraṇopetāṁ śivaśayyām nivedayet    1	ŚDhŚ 10.206
śivām devīsamāyuktaṁ pauṣṭam kṛtvā nivedayet	
<i>śivadevīrūpam tu devatādānaprakaraṇasthitā</i>	
<i>umāmaheśvaradāne draṣṭavyam</i>	
śivajñānarthatattvajñe ācārye ca dayānvite    2	ŚDhŚ 10.207

<sup>125</sup> Text based on Śiromāṇi et al. 1871–1911. (Minor corrections applied silently.) Passages in italics are comments added by Hemādri. ‘+’ marks text relegated to the apparatus in our edition.

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<p>sampūjya gandhapuṣpādyair vastrālamkāracāmaraiḥ            bhakṣyabhojyair aśeṣaiś ca tataḥ śayyām nivedayet    3          tadūrṇātūlīvastrāṇām parisamkhyā tu yāvatī            tāvad varṣasahasrāṇi rudraloke mahīyate    4</p>	ŚDhŚ 10.208 ŚDhŚ 10.209
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### Section 2.18 (vol. 2.2, Vratakhaṇḍa, adhyāya 18, p. 154)

<p>nārī copavased abdam kṛṣṇām ekāṁ caturdaśīm            varṣānte pratimāṁ kṛtvā śālipiṣṭamayīm śubhām    1          gītānulepanair mālyaiḥ pītavastraiś ca pūjayet            pūrvoktam akhilam kṛtvā śivāya vinivedayet    2  <i>pūrvoktam ity abīmṣābrahmacaryabbhūṣayanādi  </i>          saptabhūmair mahāyānais taptacāmīkaraprabhah            yugakotīṣataṁ sāgram rudraloke mahīyate    3          śivādisarvalokeṣu bhogān bhuktvā yathepsitān            kramād āgatya loke 'smin rājānaṁ patim āpnuyāt    4  <i>iti śivadharmoktam kṛṣṇacaturdaśīvrataṁ  </i></p>	ŚDhŚ 10.118 ŚDhŚ 10.119 ŚDhŚ 10.120 ŚDhŚ 10.121
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### Section 2.19 (vol. 2.2, Vratakhaṇḍa, adhyāya 19, p. 241)

<p>paurṇamāsyām upavased abdam ekāṁ suyantritah            varṣānte sarvagandhāgīm pratimām vinivedayet    1          suvicitrair mahāyānair divyagandhabibhūṣitaiḥ            yugakotīṣataṁ sāgram śivaloke mahīyate    2          yatheṣṭam aiśvare loke bhogam āśadya yatnataḥ            kramād āgatya loke 'smin rājānaṁ patim āpnuyāt    3  <i>it śivadharmoktaṁ gandhavrataṁ  </i></p>	ŚDhŚ 10.127 ŚDhŚ 10.128 ŚDhŚ 10.129
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### Section 2.20 (vol. 2.2, Vratakhaṇḍa, adhyāya 20, pp. 252–253)

<p>amāvasyām nirāhāraḥ abdam ekāṁ niyantritam            śūlapiṣṭamayaṁ kṛtvā varṣānte vinivedayet    1</p>	ŚDhŚ 10.122
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śivāya rājataṁ padmaṁ sauvarṇam kṛtavarṇikam   bhaktyā ca vinyaset mūrdhni śeṣam pūrvavad ācaren    2	ŚDhŚ 10.123
kāmato 'pi kṛtaṁ pāpaṁ bhrūṇahatyādikam ca yat   tat sarvam śūladānena hatvā nārīr na samśayah    3	ŚDhŚ 10.124
mahāpadmavimānena naro nārīsamanvitah   yugakoṭiṣataṁ sāgram śivaloke mahīyate    4	ŚDhŚ 10.125
pūrvavad iti ahīnsābrahmacaryabhūṣayana- pāṣāṇḍānālāpādikam ācared ity arthaḥ   iśalokādilokeṣu bhuktvā bhogān anekadhā	
iha loke kramāt prāpya yatheṣṭam patim āpnuyāt    5	ŚDhŚ 10.126
iti śivadharmaṁ śūlavratam	

**Section 2.21 (vol. 2.2, Vratakhaṇḍa, adhyāya 21, pp. 395–396)**

paurṇamāsyām amāvāsyām caturdaśyāṣṭamīsu ca   naktam abdaṁ tu kurvīta haviṣyair brahmacāriṇī    1	ŚDhŚ 10.92
umāmahēśapratimāṁ hemnā kṛtvā suśobhanām   rājatīm vāpi karṣārdhē snāpayitvā ghṛtādibhiḥ    2	ŚDhŚ 10.93
gandhapuṣpair alamkṛtya vastrayugmaiś ca śobhanaiḥ   bhaksyabhojyair aśeṣaiś ca vitānadhvajacāmaraiḥ    3	ŚDhŚ 10.94
bhojayec chivabhaktāṁ ca dīnānāthān pratarpayet   śaktyā ca dakṣiṇām dadyāc chivamantraiḥ kṣamāpayet    4	ŚDhŚ 10.95
tāmrakāṁsyādipātram vā sitavastrāvagunṭhitam   kṛtvā vāyatanaṁ madhye pratimām tūpakalpayet    5	ŚDhŚ 10.96
pātram evāyatanaṁ upakalpayet sthāpayet   śirasy ādhāya tat pātram śobhitam puṣpamālayā	
dhvajaśamkhyādivibhavaiḥ śivasyāyatanaṁ nayet    6	ŚDhŚ 10.97
liṅgamūrter maheśasya vratasyānte nivedayet   taddvedhām sthāpayet pātram upaśobhāsamanvitam    7	ŚDhŚ 10.98
śivam pradakṣiṇikṛtya praṇipatya kṣamāpayet   samāpyaitad vrataṁ punyam śrenu yac ca phalaṁ labhet    8	ŚDhŚ 10.99
dvādaśādityasamkāśair mahāyānair manoharaiḥ   yatheṣṭam aiśvare loke rudraiḥ sārdham pramodate    9	ŚDhŚ 10.100
kalpakoṭisahasrāṇi kalpakoṭiṣatāni ca   tadante sa mahābhogo viṣṇuloke mahīyate    10	ŚDhŚ 10.101
iti śivadharmaṁ umāmaheśvaravratam	

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aṣṭamyāṁ ca caturdaśyāṁ niyatābrahmaśārīrī   varṣam ekaṁ na bhūñjīta mahībhoga jīgaṇayā    11 varṣānte pratimāṁ kṛtvā pūrvavad vidhim ācaret   snānārghyais tad vrataṁ prāpya pūrvoktāṁs tu guṇān labhet    12	ŚDhŚ 10.114
<i>atrāpy umāmaheśvara pratimā kartavyā   pūrvavad iti pūrvavratoktavat ity arthaḥ   jāmbūnadama mayair yānaiś caturdvāra ir alaṅkṛtaih   gatvā śivapuraṁ divyam aśeṣam bhogam āpnuyāt    13 umāmaheśvaraṁ nāma vrataṁ iśvarabhāṣitam   kāruṇyāt sarvanārīṇāṁ narāṇāṁ ca viśeṣataḥ    14 tasmāt sarvaprayatnena umāmaheśvaraṁ vrataṁ   kartavyaṁ naranārībhīḥ sukham akṣayam āpnuyāt   umādevīpriyārtham tu naṣṭena paramārthataḥ    15 iti śivadvarmottaroktam aparam umāmaheśvara vrataṁ  </i>	ŚDhŚ 10.115
	ŚDhŚ 10.116
	ŚDhŚ 10.117+
	ŚDhŚ 10.117+

### Section 2.28 (vol. 2.2, Vratakhaṇḍa, adhyāya 28, pp. 848–853)

kārttike tu śubhe māse ekabhaktena varttayet   kṣamāhiṁśādiniyamaiḥ saṁyatā vratacārīrī    1	ŚDhŚ 10.130
guḍājyamiśrapiṇyākam māsānte vinivedayet   aṣṭamyāṁ ca caturdaśyāṁ upavāsarato bhavet    2	ŚDhŚ 10.131
indranīlapratikāśair vimānaiḥ sārvakāmikaiḥ   varṣāṇāṁ ayutam sāgraṁ rudraloke mahīyate    3	ŚDhŚ 10.132
yathāvat sarvalokeṣu bhogān āśadya sarvataḥ   kramād āgatyā loke 'smiṇ yatheṣṭam patim āpnuyāt    4	ŚDhŚ 10.133
ity evam sarvamāseṣu vidhis tulyaḥ prakīrtitaḥ   ekabhaktopavāsasya phalaṁ tu sadṛśam viduḥ    5	ŚDhŚ 10.134
kṣamā satyam dayā dānamā ūaucam indriyanigrahāḥ   śivapūjāgnihomaś ca santosassnehabhāṣana    6	ŚDhŚ 10.135
sarvavrateṣ ayam dharmāḥ sāmānyo daśadhā smṛtaḥ   mārgaśīrṣe śubhe māse vṛṣapṛṣṭam sunirmalam	ŚDhŚ 10.136ab
gandhamālyair alaṅkṛtya śivāya vinivedayet    7	ŚDhŚ 10.137
vṛṣayuktair mahāyānair apsarogaṇasevitaiḥ   varṣāyutaśatam sāgraṁ śivaloke mahīyate    8	ŚDhŚ 10.138
puṣye māsi pinākam ca śule kṛtvā pinākine	

gandhapuṣpair alaṅkṛtya śivāya vinivedayet    9	ŚDhŚ 10.140
tāmrakāṁsyādipātre vā dattvā dadyāt pinākine	
mahāpuṣpakayānena divyagandhaprabhāvataḥ	
varśāṇām ayutam sāgram rudraloke mahīyate    10	ŚDhŚ 10.141
rathaṁ cāśvayutaṁ māghe dīpamālāpraśobhitam	
piṣṭam liṅgasamāyuktam kṛtvāyatanam ānayet    11	ŚDhŚ 10.143
mahārathopamair yānaiḥ śvetāśvarathasamāyutaiḥ	
varśāyutaṁ śataṁ sāgram rudraloke mahīyate    12	ŚDhŚ 10.144
phālgune pratimāṁ paisṭīm kṛtvā carusamanvitām	
gandhamālyair alaṅkṛtya sthāpayed iśvarālayaṁ    13	ŚDhŚ 10.146
yānair apratimair divyair gāyanātyasamākulaiḥ	
varśāyutaśataṁ sāgram iśaloke mahīyate    14	ŚDhŚ 10.147
caitre bhavakumāram ca kṛtvā puṣpair alaṅkṛtam	
snāpya pātre yathokte ca ānayec chivamandirām    15	ŚDhŚ 10.149
śaradindupratikāśair vimānaiḥ sārvakāmikaiḥ	
varśāyutaśataṁ sāgram rudraloke mahīyate    16	ŚDhŚ 10.150
tandulāḍhakapiṣṭena kṛtvā kailāsaparvatam	
iśvaromāsamāyuktam sarvadhātuvibhūṣitam    17	ŚDhŚ 10.152
kandarair vividhaṁ citraṁ lavaṇaprasthasamāyutam	
sarvaratnasamāyuktam sthāpayed iśvarālaye    18	ŚDhŚ 10.153
kailāsavratam ity evam vaiśākhīyām yaḥ samācare	
kailāsakalpayānaiḥ sa śivaloke mahīyate    19	ŚDhŚ 10.154
liṅgapiṣṭamayaḥ kṛtvā jyeṣṭhamāse savedikam	
bhaktyā sampūjya gandhādyair vastrayugmena veṣṭayet    20	ŚDhŚ 10.156
upaśobhāvīšeṣaiḥ ca tatra jāgaram ācare	
prabhāte dhvajaśamkhādyair śivāya vinivedayet    21	ŚDhŚ 10.157
śuddhasphaṭikasaṅkāśair vimānaiḥ sārvakāmikaiḥ	
varṣakotiśataṁ sāgram śivaloke mahīyate    22	ŚDhŚ 10.158
grhaṁ piṣṭamayaḥ kṛtvā āśāḍhe pitṛbhūmikam	
sarvabijarasaiḥ cāpi sampūrṇam śubhalakṣaṇam    23	ŚDhŚ 10.160
grhopakaraṇair yuktaṁ muśalodūkhalādibhiḥ	
sarvaratnasamāyuktam dāśīsayyādyalaṅkṛtam    24	ŚDhŚ 10.161
etaiḥ piṣṭamayaīḥ sādyaiḥ pradīpādyupaśobhitam	
sarvabhaktasamākīrṇam gandhamālyair alaṅkṛtam    25	ŚDhŚ 10.162
śvetaraktaśitaiḥ pītair dhvajavastraiḥ suśobhitam	
caturvidhena samāyuktam caruṇā sarṣapeṇa tu    26	ŚDhŚ 10.163
āśāḍhe paurnamāsyām tu grhaṁ sthāpya śivāgrataḥ	

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sarvopakaraṇopetam praṇipatya nivedayet    27	ŚDhŚ 10.164
śatabhūmair mahāyānair vimānaiḥ sārvakāmikaiḥ	
varṣakoṭīśataṁ sāgraṁ rudraloke mahīyate    28	ŚDhŚ 10.165
sudhādhatusamākīrṇaṁ vicitradhvajaśobhitam	
nivedayīta sarvāya śrāvaṇe tilaparvatam    29	ŚDhŚ 10.167
svacchendranīlaśaṅkāśair yānair apratimaiḥ śubhaiḥ	
varṣakoṭīśataṁ sāgraṁ rudraloke mahīyate    30	ŚDhŚ 10.168
kṛtvā bhādrapade māse śobhitam dhānyaparvatam	
vitānadhvajacchatrādyair śivāya vinivedayet    31	ŚDhŚ 10.170
divākarakaraprakhyair mahāyānaiḥ suśobhanaiḥ	
varṣakoṭīśasahasrāṇi rudraloke mahīyate    32	ŚDhŚ 10.171
kṛtvā āśvayuje māsi vipulaṁ śikhiparvatam	
suvarṇavastraśamāyuktaṁ śivāya vinivedayet    33	ŚDhŚ 10.173
suvicitrair mahāyānair varabhogasamanvitaiḥ	
varṣakoṭīśataṁ sāgraṁ rudraloke mahīyate    34	ŚDhŚ 10.174
sarvadhānyasamāyuktaṁ sarvabijarasādibhiḥ	
sarvadhātusamāyuktaṁ sarvaratnopaśobhitam    35	ŚDhŚ 10.176
śrīngaiś caturbhīḥ samyuktaṁ vitānacchatraśobhitam	
gandhamālyais tathā dhūpaiḥ pradīpaś cātiśobhitam    36	ŚDhŚ 10.177
vicitrair nṛtyagītais ca śāṅkhavīṇādibhis tathā	
brahmagoḥais tathā puṇyair māṅgalaiś ca višeṣataḥ    37	ŚDhŚ 10.178
mahādhvajāṣṭakayutaṁ vicitrakusumojalam	
nagendramerunāmānam traīlokyādhāram uttamam    38	ŚDhŚ 10.179
tasya mūrdhni śivam kuryāt sarvadevasamāyutam	
daityagandharvabhūtāś ca siddhayakṣagaṇāś tathā    39	ŚDhŚ 10.180
vidyādhharāpsaronāgā ṣṭayaś ca višeṣataḥ	
śālipiṣṭamayaṁ liṅgam rūpam kṛtvā vicakṣaṇaḥ    40	ŚDhŚ 10.181
devyam ca dakṣiṇe haste śūlam tridaśapūjitaṁ	
evam̄ sarveṣu deveṣu kuryād astram̄ yathākramam    41	ŚDhŚ 10.182
śivasya mahatīm pūjām kṛtvā carusamanvitam	
pūjyet sarvadevāṁś ca daśadikṣu balīm haret    42	ŚDhŚ 10.183
vratānte bhojayet paścāt śivabhaktān sadakṣiṇān	
sarvārambhasamāyuktaṁ yathāvibhavakalpitaṁ    43	ŚDhŚ 10.184
nivedayīta rudrāya kārttike nagam uttamam	
yah kuryāt sakṛd apy evam̄ tasya puṇyaphalam śṛṇu    44	ŚDhŚ 10.185
devatulyaṇo bhūtvā guṇarūpasamanvitaiḥ	
śivavad vicaren nityam niścalam bhuvanam sadā    45	

sadāgameṣu yat puṇyam kathitam munibhiḥ purā	SDhŚ 10.186
tat puṇyam koṭiguṇitam prāpnuyān nātra samśayah    46	
mahāratnaprabhair yānaiḥ sarvaratnasamanvitaiḥ	
gītanṛtyādīvadyaiś ca apsarobhiḥ ca samanvitaiḥ    47	SDhŚ 10.187
sūryakoṭisamaprkhyair vimānair merusambhavaivaiḥ	
naranārīsamākīrṇair gandhvāhaiḥ śubhais tathā    48	SDhŚ 10.188
devadānavagandharvai stūyamānā gaṇādibhiḥ	
svacchandā sarvagā bhūtvā prayātīsvaramandiram    49	SDhŚ 10.189
kalpakoṭiśataṁ divyaṁ modate sā mahātapāḥ	
evaṁ sarveṣu deveṣu bhogān bhuktvā yathespitān    50	SDhŚ 10.190
puṇyakṣayād ihāgatyā rājānam patim āpnuyāt	
surūpā subhagā nityam ramatiśvarabhāvitā    51	SDhŚ 10.191
<i>iti śivadharmaṁktaṁ aparasaivamahāvrataṁ  </i>	

**Section 2.29 (vol. 2.2, Vratakhaṇḍa, adhyāya 29, pp. 859–860)**

kṛtvāikabhartam hemante māghamāse tu yantritah	SDhŚ 10.195
māghānte ca ratham kuryāc citravastropaśobhitam    1	
śvetaiś caturbhīḥ samyuktam vṛṣabhaiḥ samalaṁkṛtam	
śobhitam dhvajapūjādyaiś chatracāmaradarpaṇaiḥ    2	SDhŚ 10.196
taṇḍulāḍhakapiṭena liṅgam kṛtvā savedikam	
vinyasya rathamadhye tu pūjayet kṛtalakṣaṇam    3	SDhŚ 10.197
tad rātrau rājamārgे ca śāṅkhabheryādibhiḥ svanaiḥ	
bhrāmayitvā tataḥ paścāc chivāyatanam ānayet    4	SDhŚ 10.198
tatra jāgarapūjābhiḥ pradīpādyupaśobhitaiḥ	
prekṣaṇīyapradānaiś ca kṣapayeta śanair niśām    5	SDhŚ 10.199
prabhāte snāpanam kṛtvā tadbhaktānām ca bhojanam	
dīnānāndhakṛpaṇānām ca yathāśaktyā ca dakṣiṇām    6	SDhŚ 10.200
ratham śobhāsamāyuktam śivāya vinivedayet	
bhuktvā ca bāndhavaiḥ sārdham	
praṇamyeśam gṛham vrajet    7	SDhŚ 10.201
pravarah sarvadānānām asmin dharmah samāpyate	
vrataṁ śivaratham nāma sarvakāmārthaśādhakam    8	SDhŚ 10.202
sarvavrateṣu yat puṇyam sarvayajñeṣu yat phalam	
sarvam śivarathenaiva tat puṇyam sakalam bhavet    9	SDhŚ 10.203
sūryāyatapratīkāśair vimānaiḥ sārvakāmikaiḥ	
triḥsaptakulajaiḥ sārddham śivaloke mahīyate    10	SDhŚ 10.204
<i>iti viṣṇudharmaṁktaṁśivarathavratam</i>	

Parallel passages in the *Lingapurāṇa*

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ṛṣaya ūcuh	
vyapohanastavaṁ puṇyam̄ śrutam̄ asmābhīr̄ ādarāt	
prasāṁgāl̄ liṅgadānasya vratānyapi vadavā naḥ    1	
sūta uvāca	
vratāni vaḥ pravakṣyāmi śubhāni munisattamāḥ	ŚDhŚ 10.1ab
nandinā kathitānīha brahmaputrāya dhīmate    2	ŚDhŚ 10.1cd
tāni vyāsād upaśrutya yuṣmākam̄ pravadāmy aham	ŚDhŚ 10.4
aṣṭamyām̄ ca caturdaśyām̄ pakṣayor ubhayor api    3	ŚDhŚ 10.5ab
varṣam̄ ekaṁ tu bhuñjāno naktam̄ yaḥ pūjayec chivam	ŚDhŚ 10.9
sarvayañaphalam̄ prāpya sa yāti paramām̄ gatim    4	ŚDhŚ 10.10
pr̄thivīm̄ bhājanam̄ kṛtvā bhuktvā parvasu mānavah	ŚDhŚ 10.11ab
ahorātreṇa caikena trirātraphalam̄ aśnute    5	ŚDhŚ 10.13
dvayor māsasya pañcamyor dvayoh̄ pratipador narah	ŚDhŚ 10.14
kṣīradhārāvrataṁ kuryāt so śvamedhaphalam̄ labhet    6	ŚDhŚ 10.15ab
kṛṣṇāṣṭamyām̄ tu naktena yāvat̄ kṛṣṇacaturdaśī	ŚDhŚ 10.16ab
bhuñjan bhogān avāpnoti brahmalokam̄ ca gacchatī    7	ŚDhŚ 10.16cd
yo 'bdam̄ ekaṁ prakurvīta naktam̄ parvasu parvasu	ŚDhŚ 10.35ab
brahmācārī jitakrodhaḥ śivadhyānaparāyaṇaḥ    8	ŚDhŚ 10.35cd
sam̄vatsarānte viprendrān bhojayed vidhipūrvakam	ŚDhŚ 10.36ab
sa yāti śāmkaram̄ lokam̄ nātra kāryā vicāraṇā    9	
upavāsāt param̄ bhaikṣyām̄ bhaikṣyāt param̄ ayācitam	
āyācitāt param̄ naktam̄ tasmān̄ naktena vartayet    10	
devair bhuktam̄ tu pūrvāhne madhyāhne ṛṣibhis tathā	
aparāhne ca pitṛbhiḥ sam̄dhyāyām̄ guhyakādibhiḥ    11	
sarvavelām̄ atikramya naktabhojanam uttamam	
haviṣyabhojanam̄ snānam̄ satyam̄ āhāralāghavam    12	
agnikāryam adhahśayyām̄ naktabhojī samācaret	
pratimāsam̄ pravakṣyāmi śivavratam anuttamam    13	
dharmaṁārthamokṣarthaṁ sarvapāpaviśuddhaye	
puṣyamāse ca sampūjya yaḥ kuryān naktabhojanam    14	

<sup>126</sup> Text based on Shastri 1980, 98ff. (Minor corrections applied silently.)

satyavādī jitakrodhaḥ śāligodhūmagorasaiḥ	ŚDhŚ 10.36cd
pakṣayor aṣṭamīṁ yatnād upavāsena vartayet    15	ŚDhŚ 10.37ab
bhūmiśayyāṁ ca māsānte paurṇamāsyāṁ ghṛtādibhiḥ	
snāpya rudraṁ mahādevaṁ isampūjya vidhipūrvakam    16	ŚDhŚ 10.38
yāvakāṁ caudanāṁ dattvā sakṣīraṁ saghṛtam dvijāḥ	
bhojayed brāhmaṇāñ śiṣṭāñ japec chāntim viśeṣataḥ    17	ŚDhŚ 10.39
tathā gomithunaṁ caiva kapilaṁ vinivedayet	
bhavāya devadevāya śivāya parameṣṭine    18	ŚDhŚ 10.40
sa yāti muniśārdūla vāhneyaṁ lokam uttamam	
bhuktvā sa vipulān lokān tatraiva sa vimucyate    19	ŚDhŚ 10.45cd
māghamāse tu sampūjya yaḥ kuryān naktabhojanam	
kṛṣaram ghr̄tasamyuktaṁ bhuñjānaḥ samyatendriyah    20	ŚDhŚ 10.48
sopavāsaṁ caturdaśyāṁ bhaved ubhayapakṣayoḥ	
rudrāya paurṇamāsyāṁ tu dadyād vai ghṛtakām̄balam    21	ŚDhŚ 10.49
kṛṣṇam gomithunaṁ dadyāt pūjayec caiva śāmkaram	ŚDhŚ 10.50ab
bhojayed brāhmaṇāṁś caiva yathāvibhavavistaram    22	
yāmyam āśādyā vai lokāṁ yamena saha modate	
phālgune caiva samprāpte kuryād vai naktabhojanam    23	ŚDhŚ 10.52ab
śyāmākānnaghṛtakṣīrair jitakrodho jitendriyah	
caturdaśyāṁ athāṣṭamyāṁ upavāsaṁ ca kārayet    24	ŚDhŚ 10.52cdef
paurṇamāsyāṁ mahādevaṁ snāpya sampūjya śāmkaram	ŚDhŚ 10.53ab
dadyād gomithunaṁ vāpi tāmrābhaṁ śūlapāṇaye    25	ŚDhŚ 10.54ab
brāhmaṇān bhojayitvā tu prārthayet parameśvaram	
sa yāti candresāyujyāṁ nātra kāryā vicāraṇā    26	
caitre 'pi rudram abhyarcya kuryād vai naktabhojanam	ŚDhŚ 10.56ab
śālyannam payasā yuktam ghṛtena ca yathāsukham    27	ŚDhŚ 10.59cd
goṣṭhaśāyī muniśreṣṭāḥ kṣitau niśi bhavaṁ smaret	ŚDhŚ 10.60ab
paurṇamāsyāṁ śivam snāpya dadyād gomithunaṁ sitam    28	
brāhmaṇān bhojayec caiva nirṛteḥ sthānam āpnuyāt	
vaiśākhe ca tathā māse kṛtvā vai naktabhojanam    29	ŚDhŚ 10.59ab
paurṇamāsyāṁ bhavaṁ snāpyaṁ pañcagavyaghṛtādibhiḥ	
śvetam gomithunaṁ dattvā so 'svamedhaphalaṁ labhet    30	ŚDhŚ 10.61
jyeṣṭe māse ca deveśaṁ bhavaṁ śarvam umāpatim	ŚDhŚ 10.64ab
sampūjya śraddhayā bhaktyā kṛtvā vai naktabhojanam    31	
raktaśālyannamadhvā ca adbhiḥ pūtaṁ ghṛtādibhiḥ	
vīrāsanī niśārdhaṁ ca gavāṁ śuśrūṣaṇe rataḥ    32	ŚDhŚ 10.65ab
paurṇamāsyāṁ tu sampūjya devadevam umāpatim	ŚDhŚ 10.66ab

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snāpya śaktyā yathānyāyam carum dadyāc ca śūline    33 brāhmaṇān bhojayitvā ca yathāvibhavavistaram   dhūmraṇam gomithunam dattvā vāyuloke mahīyate    34	ŚDhŚ 10.66cd
āśādhe māsi cāpy evam̄ naktabhojanatparah   bhūrikhamḍājyasaṁmiśram saktubhiś caiva gorasam    35	ŚDhŚ 10.68
paurṇamāsyām ghṛtādyais tu snāpya pūjya yathāvidhi   brāhmaṇān bhojayitvā ca śrotriyān vedapāragān    36	
dadyād gomithunam gauraṇam vāruṇam̄ lokam āpnuyāt   śrāvaṇe ca dvijā māse kṛtvā vai naktabhojanam    37	ŚDhŚ 69ab ŚDhŚ 10.71ab
kṣiraṣṭikabhakteṇa saṁpūjya vṛṣabhadhvajam   paurṇamāsyām ghṛtādyais tu snāpya pūjya yathāvidhi    38	ŚDhŚ 10.71cd
brāhmaṇān bhojayitvā ca śrotriyān vedapāragān   śvetāgrapādaṁ pauḍraṇam ca dadyād gomithunam̄ punaḥ    39	ŚDhŚ 10.72ab
sa yāti vāyusāyujyam̄ vāyuvat sarvago bhavet   prāpte bhādrapade māse kṛtvaiṇam̄ naktabhojanam    40	ŚDhŚ 10.74ab ŚDhŚ 10.74cd
hutaśeṣam̄ ca vīprendrān vṛkṣamūlāśrito divā   paurṇamāsyām tu deveśam̄ snāpya saṁpūjya śāṁkaram    41	
nīlaskandham̄ vṛṣam̄ gām̄ ca dattvā bhaktyā yathāvidhi   brāhmaṇān bhojayitvā ca vedavedāṁgapāragān    42	ŚDhŚ 10.75cd
yakṣalokam anuprāpya yakṣarājo bhaven naraḥ   tataś cāsvayuje māsi kṛtvaiṇam̄ naktabhojanam    43	ŚDhŚ 10.106cd ŚDhŚ 10.78ab
saghṛtam̄ śāṁkaram pūjya paurṇamāsyām̄ ca pūrvavat   brāhmaṇān bhojayitvā ca śivabhaktān sadā śucīn    44	ŚDhŚ 10.78cd
vṛṣabham̄ nīlavarṇābham urodeśasam unnatam   gām̄ ca datvā yathānyāyam aīśānam̄ lokam āpnuyāt    45	
kārtike ca tathā māse kṛtvā vai naktabhojanam   kṣīrodanena sājyena saṁpūjya ca bhavaṇam̄ prabhūm    46	ŚDhŚ 10.79 ŚDhŚ 10.82
paurṇamāsyām̄ ca vidhivat snāpya dattvā carum̄ punaḥ   brāhmaṇān bhojayitvā ca yathāvibhavavistaram    47	
dattvā gomithunam̄ caiva kāpilaṇam̄ pūrvavad dvijāḥ   sūryasāyujyam̄ āpnoti nātra kāryā vicāraṇā    48	ŚDhŚ 10.83ab
mārgaśīrṣe ca māse ’pi kṛtvaiṇam̄ naktabhojanam   yavānnena yathānyāyam ājyakṣīrādibhiḥ samam    49	ŚDhŚ 10.85
paurṇamāsyām̄ ca pūrvoktaṇam̄ kṛtvā śarvāya śāṁbhave   brāhmaṇān bhojayittvā ca daridrān vedapāragān    50	
dattvā gomithunam̄ caiva pāṁḍuraṇam̄ vidhipūrvakam   somalokam anuprāpya somena saha modate    51	ŚDhŚ 10.86ab ŚDhŚ 10.87cd

ahimṣā satyam asteyaṁ brahmacaryam kṣamā dayā |  
 triḥsnānam cāgnihotram ca bhūṣayā naktabhojanam || 52    ŚDhŚ 10.88  
 pakṣayor upavāsam ca caturdaśyaṣṭamīsu ca |  
 ity etad akhilam proktam pratimāsam śivavrataṁ || 53  
 kuryād varṣam krameṇaiva vyutkrameṇāpi vā dvijāḥ |  
 sa yāti śivasāyujyam jñānayogam avāpnuyāt || 54  
 iti śrīliṅgamahāpurāṇe pūrvabhāge śivavratakathanaṁ nāma  
 tryaśītitamo 'dhyāyah

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umāmaheśvaraṁ vaksye vratam īśvarabhāṣitam   naranāryādijantūnām hitāya munisattamāḥ    1	ŚDhŚ 10.91
paurṇamāsyām amāvāsyām caturdaśyaṣṭamīsu ca   naktam abdaṁ prakurvīta haviṣyam pūjayed bhavam    2	ŚDhŚ 10.92
umāmaheśapratimām hemnā kṛtvā suśobhanām   rājatīm vātha varṣānte pratiṣṭhāpya yathāvidhi    3	ŚDhŚ 10.93
brāhmaṇān bhojayitvā ca dattvā śaktyā ca dakṣinām   rathādyair vāpi deveśam nītvā rudrālayam prati    4	ŚDhŚ 10.95
sarvātiśayasamyüktaiś chatracāmarabhūṣaṇaiḥ   nivedayed vratam caiva śivāya parameṣṭhine    5	
sa yāti śivasāyujyam nārī devyā yadi prabho   aṣṭamīyām ca caturdaśyām niyatā brahmacāriṇī    6	
varṣam ekām na bhufijati kanyā vā vidhvāpi vā   varṣānte pratimām kṛtvā pūrvoktavidhinā tataḥ    7	
pratiṣṭhāpya yathānyāyam dattvā rudrālaye punaḥ   brāhmaṇān bhojayitvā ca bhavānyā saha modate    8	
yā nāry evam cared abdaṁ kṛṣṇām ekām caturdaśīm   varṣānte pratimām kṛtvā yena kenāpi vā dvijāḥ    9	
pūrvoktam akhilam kṛtvā bhavānyā saha modate   amāvāsyām nirāhārā bhaved abdaṁ suyantritā    10	
śūlaṁ ca vidhinā kṛtvā varṣānte vinivedayet   snāpyeśānam yajed bhaktyā sahasraiḥ kamalaiḥ sitaiḥ    11	
rājataṁ kamalaṁ caiva jāmbūnadasukarṇikam   dattvā bhavāya viprebhyah pradadyād dakṣinām api    12	

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kāmato 'pi kṛtam pāpam bhrūṇahatyādikam ca yat   tat sarvam śūladānena bhindyān nārī na samśayah    13	ŚDhŚ 10.124
sāyujyam caivam āpnoti bhavānyā dvijasattamāḥ   kuryād yad vā narah so 'pi rudrasāyujyam āpnuyāt    14	
paurṇamāsyām amāvāsyām varṣam ekam atandritā   upavāsarata nārī naro 'pi dvijasattamāḥ    15	
niyogād eva tat kāryam bhartṛṇām dvijasattamāḥ   japam dānam tapaḥ sarvam asvatatrā yataḥ striyah    16	ŚDhŚ 10.127cd
varṣante sarvagandhāḍhyām prativimām saṁnivedayet   sā bhavānyāś ca sāyujyam sārūpyam cāpi suvratā    17	
labhate nātra samdehaḥ satyam satyam vadāmy aham   kārtikyām vā tu yā nārī ekabhaktena vartate    18	
kṣamāhiṁsādiniyamaiḥ samyuktā brahmacāriṇī   dadyāt kṛṣṇatilānām ca bhāram ekam atandritā    19	ŚDhŚ 10.130cd
saghṛtam saguḍam caiva odanam parameṣṭhine   dattvā ca brāhmaṇebhyaś ca yathā vibhavavistaram    20	
aṣṭamāyām ca caturdaśyām upavāsarata ca sā   bhavānyā modate sārdham sārūpyam prāpya suvratā    21	ŚDhŚ 10.135ab
kṣamā satyam dayā dānam ūaucam indriyanigrahaḥ   sarvavrateś ayaṁ dharmāḥ sāmānyo rudrapūjanam    22	ŚDhŚ 10.136ab
samāsād vaḥ pravaksyāmi prativimāsam anukramāt   mārgaśīrṣakam āsādikārttikāntam yathākramam    23	
vrataṁ suvipulaṁ puṇyam nandinā paribhāṣitam   mārgaśīrṣakamāse 'tha vṛṣam pūrṇāṅgam uttamam    24	
alaṁkṛtya yathānyāyam śivāya vinivedayet   sā ca sārdham bhavānyā vai modate nātra samśayah    25	
puṣyamāse tu vai ūlām pratiṣṭhāpya nivedayet   pūrvoktam akhilam kṛtvā bhavānyā saha modate    26	
māghamāse rathaṁ kṛtvā sarvalakṣaṇalakṣitam   dadyāt sampūjya deveśam brāhmaṇāṁś caiva bhojayet    27	
sā ca devyā mahābhāgā modate nātra samśayah   phālgune prativimām kṛtvā hirānyena yathāvidhi    28	
rājatenāpi tāmreṇa yathāvibhavavistaram   pratiṣṭhāpya samabhyarcya sthāpayec chañkarālaye    29	
sā ca sārdham mahādevyā modate nātra samśayah   caitre bhavaṁ kumāram ca bhavānīm ca yathāvidhi    30	
tāmrādyair vidhivat kṛtvā pratiṣṭhāpya yathāvidhi	

bhavānyā modate sārdhaṁ dattvā rudrāya śambhave    31	
kṛtvālayaṁ hi kauberam rājataṁ rajatena vai	
īśvaromāsamāyuktam gaṇeśaiś ca samantataḥ    32	ŚDhŚ 10.152cd
sarvaratnasamāyuktam pratiṣṭhāpya yathāvidhi	ŚDhŚ 10.153cd
sthāpayet parameśasya bhavasyāyatane śubhe    33	
vaiśākhe vai cared evam kailāsākhyam vratottamam	
kailāsaparvataṁ prāpya bhavānyā saha modate    34	
jyeṣṭhe māsi mahādevam liṅgamūrtim umāpatim	
kṛtāñjalipuṭenaiva brahmaṇā viṣṇunā tathā    35	
madhye bhavena samyuktaṁ liṅgamūrti dvijottamāḥ	
haṁseṇa ca varāheṇa kṛtvā tāmrādibhiḥ śubhām    36	
pratiṣṭhāpya yathānyāyam brāhmaṇān bhojayet tataḥ	
śivāya śivam āśadya śivasthāne yathāvidhi    37	
brāhmaṇaiḥ sahitāṁ sthāpya devyāḥ sāyujyam āpnuyāt	
āśadhe ca śubhe māse gṛham kṛtvā suśobhanam    38	
pakveṣṭakābhir vidhivad yathāvibhavavistaram	
sarvabījarasaiś cāpi sampūrṇam sarvaśobhanaiḥ    39	ŚDhŚ 10.160cd
gṛhopakaraṇaiś caiva musalolūkhalādibhiḥ	ŚDhŚ 10.161ab
dāśidāśadibhiś caiva śayanair aśanādibhiḥ    40	
sampūrṇaiś ca gṛham vastrair ācchādyā ca samantataḥ	
devam gṛtādibhiḥ snāpya mahādevam umāpatim    41	
brāhmaṇānāṁ sahasraṁ ca bhojayitvā yathāvidhi	
vidyāvinayasampannam brāhmaṇam vedapāragam    42	
prathamāśramiṇam bhaktyā sampūjya ca yathāvidhi	
kanyāṁ sumadhyamāṁ yāvat kālajīvanasamāyutām    43	
kṣetram gomithunam caiva tadgr̥he ca nivedayet	
sāyanair vividhair divyair meruparvatasannibhaiḥ    44	
golokaṁ samanuprāpya bhavānyā saha modate	
bhavānyā sadṛśibhūtvā sarvakalpeṣu sāvyayā    45	
bhavānyāś caiva sāyujyam labhate nātra samśayah	
sarvadhātusamākīrṇam vicitradhvajaśobhitam    46	ŚDhŚ 10.167ab
nivedayīta śarvāya śrāvaṇe tilaparvatam	ŚDhŚ 10.167cd
vitānadhvajavastrādyair dhātubhiś ca nivedayet    47	ŚDhŚ 10.170cd
brāhmaṇān bhojayitvā ca pūrvoktam akhilam bhavet	
kṛtvā bhādrapade māsi śobhanam śāliparvatam    48	
vitānadhvajavastrādyair dhātubhiś ca nivedayet	ŚDhŚ 10.170cd
brāhmaṇān bhojayitvā ca dāpayec ca yathāvidhi    49	

### Appendix 3

sā ca sūryāṁśusamkāśā bhavānyā saha modate	
kṛtvā cāsvayuje māsi vipulam̄ dhānyaparvatam    50	ŚDhŚ 10.173ab
suvarṇavastrasamāyuktam̄ dattvā sampūjya śaṅkaram	ŚDhŚ 10.173cd
brāhmaṇān bhojayitvā ca pūrvoktam akhilam bhavet    51	
sarvadhānyasamāyuktam̄ sarvabijarasādibhiḥ	
sarvadhātusamāyuktam̄ sarvaratnopaśobhitam    52	ŚDhŚ 10.176
śrīngaiś caturbhiḥ samyuktam̄ vitānacchatraśobhitam	
gandhamālyais tathā dhūpaīś citraiś cāpi suśobhitam    53	ŚDhŚ 10.177
vicitrair nṛtyageyaś ca śaṅkhavīṇādibhis tathā	
brahmagoṣair mahāpuṇyaṁ maṅgalaiś ca višeṣataḥ    54	ŚDhŚ 10.178
mahādhvajāṣṭasamāyuktam̄ vicitrakusumojvalam	
nagendraṁ merunāmānaṁ trailokyādhāram uttamam    55	ŚDhŚ 10.179
tasya mūrdhni śivam̄ kuryān madhyato dhātunaiva tu	ŚDhŚ 10.180ab
dakṣiṇe ca yathānyāyam̄ brahmāṇam̄ ca caturmukham    56	
uttare devadeveśam̄ nārāyaṇam anāmayam	
indrādilokapālāṁś ca kṛtvā bhaktyā yathāvidhi    57	
pratiṣṭhāpya tataḥ snāpya samabhycarya maheśvaram	
devasya dakṣiṇe haste śūlam̄ tridaśapūjitam    58	
vāme pāśam̄ bhavānyāś ca kamalam̄ hemabhūṣitam	
viṣṇoś ca śaṅkham̄ cakram̄ ca gadām abjām prayatnataḥ    59	
brahmaṇāś cākṣasūtram̄ ca kamaṇḍalum anuttamam	
indrasya vajram agneś ca śaktyākhyam paramāyudham    60	
yamasya daṇḍam̄ nirṛteḥ khadgam̄ niśicarasya tu	
varuṇasya mahāpāśam̄ nāgākhyam̄ rudram adbhetutam    61	
vāyor yaṣṭim̄ kuberasya gadām̄ lokaprapūjitām	
taṅkam̄ ceśānadevasya nivedyaivam̄ krameṇa ca    62	
śivasya mahatīm pūjām̄ kṛtvā carusamanvitām	
pūjayed sarvadevāṁś ca yathāvibhavavistaram    63	
brāhmaṇān bhojayitvā ca pūjām̄ kṛtvā prayatnataḥ	
mahāmeruvratam̄ kṛtvā mahādevyā dāpayet    64	
mahāmerum̄ anuprāpya mahādevyā pramodate	
ciram̄ sāyujyam̄ āpnoti mahādevyā na saṁśayah    65	
kārtikyām̄ api yā nārī kṛtvā devīm umām̄ śubhām	
sarvābharaṇasampūrnām̄ sarvalakṣaṇalakṣitām    66	
hematāmrādibhiś caiva pratiṣṭhāpya vidhānataḥ	
devam̄ ca kṛtvā deveśam̄ sarvalakṣaṇasamāyutam    67	
taylor agre hutāśam̄ ca sruvahastam̄ pitāmaham	

nārāyaṇam ca dātāram sarvābharaṇabhūṣitam || 68  
lokapālais tathā siddhaiḥ saṃvṛtam sthāpya yatnataḥ |  
rudrālaye vrataṁ tasmai dāpayed bhaktipūrvakam || 69  
sā bhavānyāś tanum gatvā bhavena saha modate |  
ekabhaktavrataṁ puṇyam pratimāsam anukramāt || 70  
mārgaśīrṣakam āśādikārtikāntam pravartitam |  
narānāryādijantūnām hitāya munisattamāḥ || 71  
naraḥ kṛtvā vrataṁ caiva śivasāyujyam āpnuyāt |  
nārī devyā na saṃdehaḥ śivena paribhāṣitam || 72  
iti śrīliṅgamahāpurāṇe pūrvabhāge umāmaheśvaravrataṁ nāma  
caturaśītitamo ’dhyāyah

Parallel passages in the *Devīpurāṇa*

**Devīpurāṇa Chapter 78<sup>127</sup>**

asṭasaptatitamo 'dhyāyah	
manur uvāca	
ataḥ param mahāpuṇyaṁ sarvakāmaprasādhakam	
brahmaṇā sanakādīnāṁ bhaktyā pratipāditam    1	
tad ahaṁ saṁpravakṣyāmi vratānāṁ pravaram vratam	
saṁvalokopakārāya śṛṇuṣv avahito dvija    2	
upavāsāt param bhaikṣyaṁ bhaikṣyāt param ayācitam	
ayācitāt param naktam tasmān naktena varttayet    3	ŚDhŚ 10.13
devais tu bhuktam pūrvāhne madhyāhne ḍśibhis tathā	
aparāhne pitṛbhīr bhuktam saṁdhyāyām guhyākādibhiḥ    4	ŚDhŚ 10.14
saṁvavelām atikramya nakte bhuktam abhojanam	
vāmācāro mahādevo naktenordhvare pumān    5	ŚDhŚ 10.15
haviṣyam bhojanam snānam satyam āhāralāghavam	
agnikāryam adhahśayyā naktabhojī samāharet    6	ŚDhŚ 10.16
evamvidhiḥ sadācāro devadevīprapūjakah	
kṛṣṇāṣṭamyaṁ prayatnena kṛtvā naktam vidhānataḥ    7	ŚDhŚ 10.17ab
māsasya mārgaśīrṣasya śaṁkaram devam arcayet	ŚDhŚ 10.17cd
pītvā śaktyā ca gomūtram anāhāro niśi svapet    8	ŚDhŚ 10.18ab
atirātrasya yajñasya phalam aṣṭaguṇam labhet	ŚDhŚ 10.18cd
evam pauṣe 'pi sampūjya śambhunāmānam īśvaram    9	ŚDhŚ 10.19ab
kṛṣṇāṣṭamyaṁ ghṛtam prāśya vājapeyāṣṭakam labhet	ŚDhŚ 10.19cd
māghe maheśvaram nāma kṛṣmāṣṭamyaṁ prapūjayet    10	ŚDhŚ 10.20ab
niśi pītvā tu goksīram gomedhāṣṭakam āpnuyat	ŚDhŚ 10.20cd
phālgune ca mahādevam sampūjya prāśayet tilān    11	ŚDhŚ 10.21ab
rājasūyasya yajñasya phalam aṣṭaguṇam labhet	ŚDhŚ 10.21cd
caitre tu sthāṇunāmānam kṛṣṇāṣṭamyaṁ prapūjayet    12	ŚDhŚ 10.22ab
yavāṁś ca bharjitān adyāt so 'svamedhaphalaṁ labhet	ŚDhŚ 10.22cd
vaiśākhe sīvanāmānamiṣṭvā rātrau kuśodakam    13	ŚDhŚ 10.23ab
pītvā puruṣamedhasya phalam aṣṭaguṇam labhet	ŚDhŚ 10.23cd
jyeṣṭhe paśupatim pūjya gavām śringodakam pibet    14	ŚDhŚ 10.24ab

<sup>127</sup> See Śarmā 1976, 289–290. (Minor corrections applied silently.)

gavāṁ koṭipradānasya yat puṇyam tad avāpnuyāt	ŚDhŚ 10.24cd
āśādhe cogranāmānam pañcagavyam tu prāśayet    15	ŚDhŚ 10.25ab
sautrāmaṇisahasrasya phalam aṣṭaguṇam labhet	ŚDhŚ 10.25cd
śrāvaṇe śarvanāmānam iṣṭvārkam niśi bhakṣayet    16	ŚDhŚ 10.26ab
varṣakoṭiśatam sāgram rudraloke mahīyate	ŚDhŚ 10.26cd
māse bhādrapade ṣṭamyāṁ tryambakanam nāma pūjayed    17	ŚDhŚ 10.27ab
prāśanam bilvapatrāṇāṁ mantradīkṣāphalaṁ labhet	ŚDhŚ 10.27cd
īsvaram āsvayuje māsi pūjyānte taṇḍulodakam    18	ŚDhŚ 10.28ab
pauṇḍarīkasya yajñasya phalam aṣṭaguṇam labhet	ŚDhŚ 10.28cd
kārttike rudranāmānam saṃpūjya prāśayed dadhi	ŚDhŚ 10.29ab
agniṣṭomasya yajñasya phalam aṣṭaguṇam labhet    19	ŚDhŚ 10.29cd
varṣānte bhojayed vīprān kanyakā abalās tathā	
pāyasam ghṛtasamīyuktaṁ madhunā saṃpariplutam    20	ŚDhŚ 10.30
śaktyā hiranyavāsāṁsi bhaktyā tebhyo nivedayet	
nivedayīta rudrāya gāñ ca kṛṣṇām payasvinīm    21	ŚDhŚ 10.31
varṣam ekaṁ cared bhaktyā nairantaryeṇa yo naraḥ	
kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrataṁ bhaktyā tasya puṇyaphalaṁ śṛṇu    22	ŚDhŚ 10.32
sarvapāpaviniṁmuktaḥ sarvaiśvaryasamanvitah	
vasec chivapure divyam na cehāyāti karhicit    23	ŚDhŚ 10.33
puṇyeṣv eteṣu sarveṣu viṣuvadgrahaṇādiṣu	
dānopavāsaḥomādyam akṣayam jāyate kṛtam    24	ŚDhŚ 10.34
iti śrīdevīpurāṇe kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrataṁ nāmāṣṭasaptatitamo ’dhyāyah	

Parallel passages in the *Bhaviṣyapurāṇa*

**Bhaviṣyapurāṇa Chapter 1.16<sup>4</sup><sup>128</sup>**

bhānor hi smṛtiśīlaś ca tasya puṇyaphalam śṛṇu    75cd	ŚDhŚ 10.6cd	
divyam varṣasahasram tu divyam varṣaśataṁ tathā	ŚDhŚ 10.7	
tapas taptaṁ mahat tena bhaved evam na saṁśayah    76	ŚDhŚ 10.8	
bhagabhartiprasannātmā yady api syāt sa pāpakṛt	ŚDhŚ 10.9	
bhagaloke vasen nityam bhagānucarataṁ gataḥ    77	yo 'bdam ekaṁ tu kurvīta naktaṁ bhagadine narah	ŚDhŚ 10.10
kṛṣṇām tu ṣaṣṭhīm naktena yaś ca kṛṣṇām ca saptamīm	brahmaśāraṁ jitakrodho bhagārcanaparo narah	ŚDhŚ 10.13cd
iha bhogān avāpnoti paratra ca śubhām gatim    78	ayācitāt param naktaṁ tasman nāktena vartayet    79	ŚDhŚ 10.14
yo 'bdam ekaṁ tu kurvīta naktaṁ bhagadine narah	devais tu bhuktaṁ madhyāhne pūrvāhne ḥibhis tathā	ŚDhŚ 10.15ab
bhagabhartiprasannātmā yady api syāt sa pāpakṛt	aparāhne tu pitṛbhiḥ saṁdhyāyām guhyakādibhiḥ    80	narāvā hy atikramya saurāṇām bhojanām param
bhagalokam avāpnoti sumanāḥ sumanovrataḥ	sarvā velā hy atikramya saurāṇām bhojanām param	bhuñjāno naktaṅkāle tu sūryabhaktiparāyaṇaḥ    81
bhuktvā saumanasāmṛtāṁ lokān rājā bhavati bhūtale    82	bhagabhartiprasannātmā yady api syāt sa pāpakṛt	bhagabhartiprasannātmā yady api syāt sa pāpakṛt
haviṣyabhojanām snānam āhārasya ca lāghavam	agnikāryam adhaḥśayyām naktabhojī samācaret    83	vidhivat prāśya gomūtram anāhāro niśi svapet
kṛṣṇāṣṭamīyām prayatnena kṛtvā naktaṁ vidhānataḥ	kṛṣṇāṣṭamīyām prayatnena kṛtvā naktaṁ vidhānataḥ	atirātrasya yajñasya phalam āpnoti mānavah    85
naro mārgaśire māsi amśumān iti pūjayet    84	naro mārgaśire māsi amśumān iti pūjayet    84	vidhivat prāśya gomūtram anāhāro niśi svapet
vidhivat prāśya gomūtram anāhāro niśi svapet	vidhivat prāśya gomūtram anāhāro niśi svapet	atirātrasya yajñasya phalam āpnoti mānavah    85
atirātrasya yajñasya phalam āpnoti mānavah    85	vidhivat prāśya gomūtram anāhāro niśi svapet	vidhivat prāśya gomūtram anāhāro niśi svapet
puṣye py evam sahasrāmṛtāṁ bhānumantam uśanti ca	vidhivat prāśya gomūtram anāhāro niśi svapet	vidhivat prāśya gomūtram anāhāro niśi svapet
vājapeyaphalam prāpya ghṛtam prāśya labhen narah    86	māghe divākaram nāma kṛṣṇaśāṣṭhyām narottama	vidhivat prāśya gomūtram anāhāro niśi svapet
māghe divākaram nāma kṛṣṇaśāṣṭhyām narottama	niśi pītvā tu gokṣīram gomedhaphalam āpnuyat    87	vidhivat prāśya gomūtram anāhāro niśi svapet
niśi pītvā tu gokṣīram gomedhaphalam āpnuyat    87	mārtandām phālgune māsi pūjyatvā gavām payah	vidhivat prāśya gomūtram anāhāro niśi svapet
mārtandām phālgune māsi pūjyatvā gavām payah	pibet tataḥ sūryaloke modate so 'yutāyutam    88	vidhivat prāśya gomūtram anāhāro niśi svapet
pibet tataḥ sūryaloke modate so 'yutāyutam    88	caitre māsi vivasvantam pūjyatvā subhaktimān	vidhivat prāśya gomūtram anāhāro niśi svapet
caitre māsi vivasvantam pūjyatvā subhaktimān	haviṣyāśi sūryaloke 'psarobhiḥ saha modate    89	vidhivat prāśya gomūtram anāhāro niśi svapet
haviṣyāśi sūryaloke 'psarobhiḥ saha modate    89		vidhivat prāśya gomūtram anāhāro niśi svapet

<sup>128</sup> Text based on Śrīkṛṣṇadāsa 1959 [reprint]. (Minor corrections applied silently.)

vaiśākhe caṇḍakiraṇam pūjayec ca payovrataḥ	SDhŚ 10.23
varṣāṇām ayutam sāgram modate sūryasamnidhau    90	
jyeṣṭhe divaspatiṁ pūjya gavāṁ śrīgodakam pibet	SDhŚ 10.24
gavāṁ koṭipradānasya nikhilam phalam āpnuyat    91	
āśādhe tv arkanāmānam iṣṭvā prāśya ca gomayam	
prayāty arkasalokam tu varṣāṇām ca śatamśatam    92	SDhŚ 10.25
śrāvaṇe 'ryamanāmānam pūjayitvā payah pibet	
varṣāṇām ayutam sāgram modate bhāskarālaye    93	SDhŚ 10.26
māsi bhādrapade ṣaṣṭhyām bhāskaram nāma pūjayed	
bhāskaram pañcagavyasya sarvamedhaphalam labhet   94	SDhŚ 10.27
māsi cāsvayuje ṣaṣṭhyām bhagākhyām nāma pūjayed	
palagomūtrabhuk caiva aśvamedhaphalam labhet    95	SDhŚ 10.28
māse tu kārtike ṣaṣṭhyām śakrākhyām nāma pūjayed	
dūrvāṃkuraṇi sakṛt prāśya rājasūyaphalam labhet    96	SDhŚ 10.29
varṣānte bhojayed vīprān sūryabhaktiparāyanān	
pāyasaṁ madhusamyuktam vajreṇa ca pariplutam    97	SDhŚ 10.30
śaktyā hiranayavāsāṁsi bhaktyā tebhyo nivedayet	
nivedayec ca sūryāya kṛṣṇām gām ca payasinīm    98	SDhŚ 10.31
varṣam ekaṁ ca deve vai nairantaryeṇa yo nayet	
kṛṣṇaṣaṣṭhīvrataṁ bhaktyā tasya puṇyaphalam śṛṇu    99	SDhŚ 10.32
sarvapāpaviniṁuktalḥ sarvakāmasamanvitah	
modate sūryaloke tu sa narāḥ śāśvatīḥ samāḥ   100	SDhŚ 10.33
puṇyeṣ ahaḥsu sarveṣu viṣuvadgraḥāṇādiṣu	
dānopavāsaḥomādyair akṣayam khaga jāyate    101	SDhŚ 10.34
sumantur uvāca	
ity uktavān purā bhānur aruṇāya viśāmpate	
kṛṣṇaṣaṣṭhīvrataṁ puṇyam sarvapāpabhayāpaham    102	
kṛtvedam puruṣo bhaktyā bhāskarasya mahātmanah	
prayāti paramam sthānam bhānor amitatejasah    103	
iti śrībhaviṣye mahāpurāṇe brāhmaṇe parvaṇi saptamīkalpe	
sūryaṣaṣṭhīvratavaraṇanam nāma catuhṣaṣṭyuttaraśatataṁ dhyāyah    164	

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ubhayasaptamīvaraṇanam	
sumantur uvāca	
aham te sampravakṣyāmi sūryasya vrataṁ uttamam	
dharmakāmārthamokṣāṇām pratipādanam uttamam    1	SDhŚ 10.35

## Appendix 5

pauṣamāse tu saṃprāpte yaḥ kuryān naktabhojanam	
jitendriyah satyavādī śāligodhūmagorasaiḥ    2	ŚDhŚ 10.36
pakṣayoh saptamīṇ yatnād upavāsenā yāpayet	
trisamdhym arcayed bhānum śāndileyaṁ ca suvrata    3	ŚDhŚ 10.37
adhaḥśāyī bhaven nityam sarvabhogavivarjitaḥ	
māsi pūrṇe tu saptamyām ghṛtādibhir arimda ma    4	ŚDhŚ 10.38ab
kṛtvā snānam mahāpūjām sūryadevasya bhārata	ŚDhŚ 10.38cd
naivedyaṁ modakaprasthām kṣīram siddham nivedayet    5	ŚDhŚ 10.39ab
bhojayec ca dvijān aṣṭau bhagārcām śubhalakṣaṇām	ŚDhŚ 10.39cd
gām ca dattvā mahārāja kapilām bhāskarāya tu    6	
ya evam kurute puṇyaṁ sūryasya vratam uttamam	
tasya puṇya phalaṁ vacmi sarvakāmasamanvitam    7	ŚDhŚ 10.40
sūryakoṭipratikāśair vimānaiḥ sārvakāmikaiḥ	
apsarogaṇasamākīrṇair mahāvibhavasamuyutaiḥ    8	ŚDhŚ 10.41
saṃgītanṛtyavādyādyair gandharvagaṇaśobhitaiḥ	
dodhūyamānaś camaraīḥ stūyamānah surāsuraiḥ    9	ŚDhŚ 10.42
saḥasrakiraṇābhāsah sauraiḥ sūryasamanvitaiḥ	
sa yāti paramam sthānam yatrāste ravir amśumān    10	ŚDhŚ 10.43
romasamākhyā tu yā tasyās tatprasūtiḥ kuleṣu ca	
tāvad yugasahasrāṇī sūraloke mahīyate    11	ŚDhŚ 10.44
triḥsaptakulajaiḥ sārdham bhogān bhuktvā yathepsitān	
jñānayogaṁ samāsādyā punar eva pramucyate    12	ŚDhŚ 10.45
yogād duḥkhāntam āpnoti jñānayogaṁ pravartate	
sauradharmaṁ bhavej jñānam sauradharma bhagārcanāt    13	ŚDhŚ 10.46
ityevam te samākhyātām bhavārṇavavyapohanam	
sauramokṣakramopāyam sūrāśrayaniṣevaṇam    14	ŚDhŚ 10.47
māghamāse tu saṃprāpte yaḥ kuryān naktabhojanam	
pīṇyākam ghṛtasamuyuktam bhuñjānah sa jitendriyah    15	ŚDhŚ 10.48
sopavāsaś ca saptamyām bhaved ubhayapakṣayoh	
ghṛtābhīṣekam aṣṭamyām kuryād bhānor narādhīpa	ŚDhŚ 10.49
gām ca dayād dineśāya taruṇīm nīlaśaṇībhām    16	ŚDhŚ 10.50ab
indranīlāpratikāśair vimānaiḥ śikhisaṇuyutaiḥ	
gatvādityapurāṇ ramyaṁ bhogān bhuṇkte yathepsitān    17	ŚDhŚ 10.51
rājendra phālgune māsi yaḥ kuryān naktabhojanam	
śyāmākakṣīranīvārair jitakrodho jitendriyah    18	
śaṣṭhyām vāpy atha saptamyām upavāsaparo narāḥ	ŚDhŚ 10.52
aṣṭamyām tu mahāsnānam pañcagavyaghṛtādibhiḥ    19	

valmīkajādimṛdbhiś ca gomūtraśakṛdādibhiḥ	
tvagbhiś ca kṣīravṛksaṇāṁ snāpayitvā pramārjayet    1.165.20	ŚDhŚ 10.52
saurabheyīṁ tato dadyād raktābhāṁ raktamāline	ŚDhŚ 10.54ab
padmarāgapratīkāśair vimānair hastisanyutaiḥ	
gatvādityapuram̄ ramyaṁ modate śāsvatīḥ samāḥ    21	ŚDhŚ 10.55
māsi caitre tu saṁprāpte yaḥ kuryān naktabhojanam	
śālyannām pāyasair yuktām bhuñjānaś ca jitendriyah	ŚDhŚ 10.56, 59cd
bhānave pāṭalāṁ dadyād vaiṣṇavīṁ taruṇīṁ nṛpa    22	ŚDhŚ 10.57
puṣparāgaprabhair yānair nānāhaṁsādiyāyibhiḥ	
gacchet sūryapuram̄ ramyaṁ modate śāsvatīḥ samāḥ    23	ŚDhŚ 10.58
vaiśākhe vīramāse tu yaḥ kuryān naktabhojanam	
sūrye khanḍājyasaṁmiśram sakṛd dadyān nivedanam    24	ŚDhŚ 10.59
gām̄ ca dadyān mahārāja bhāskarāya śubhānana	
sāmānyaṁ ca vidhiṁ kuryāt prayukto yo mayā tava    25	ŚDhŚ 10.69
śuddhasphaṭikasamākāśair yānair barhiṇavāhanaiḥ	
anīmādiguṇair yuktāḥ sūryavad vicared divi    26	ŚDhŚ 10.70
saṁprāpte śrāvaṇe māsi yaḥ kuryān naktabhojanam	
kṣīraṣṭākabhaktena sarvasattvahite rataḥ    27	ŚDhŚ 10.71
pītavarṇām ca gām̄ dadyād bhāskarāya mahātmane	
sāmānyaṁ akhilām kuryād vidhānaṁ yat prakīrtitam    28	ŚDhŚ 10.72
sa vicitrair mahāyānair haṁsasārasagāmibhiḥ	
gatvādityapuram̄ śrīmān pūrvoktaṁ labhate phalam    29	ŚDhŚ 10.73
vīrabhādrapade māsi yaḥ kuryān naktabhojanam	
hutaśeṣahaviṣyāśī vṛkṣamūlam upāśritāḥ    30	ŚDhŚ 10.74
svapyād āyatane rātrau sarvabhūtānukampakah	
dadyād gām̄ rohiṇīṁ śreṣṭhām bhāskarāya mahātmane    31	ŚDhŚ 10.75
niśākarakaraprakhyair vajravaidūryasannibhaiḥ	
cakravākasamāyuktair vimānaiḥ sārvakāmikaiḥ    32	ŚDhŚ 10.76
gatvādityapuram̄ ramyaṁ surāsurasuvanditam	
modate sa mahābhāgo yāvad ābhūtasamāplavam    33	ŚDhŚ 10.77
śrīmān āśvayuje māsi yaḥ kuryān naktabhojanam	
mitāśanaṁ prabhuñjāno jitakrodho jitendriyah    34	ŚDhŚ 10.78
dadyād gām̄ padmavarṇābhām bhānave mitatejase	
divyābharaṇasamāpannām taruṇīm ca payasvinīm    35	
svastimauktikasamākāśair indranīlopaśobhitaiḥ	
jīvojīvakasamāyuktavimānaiḥ sārvakāmikaiḥ	
gacched bhānusalokatvam̄ bhuñjānaḥ sa jitendriyah    36	ŚDhŚ 10.81

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divākarāya gām dadyāj jvalanārkasamaprabhām		
pūrvoktam ca vidhiṁ kuryāt sūryatulyo bhaven narah    37	SDhŚ 10.83	
kālānalaśikhaprakhyair mahāyānair nagopamaiḥ		
mahāśīṁhakṛtāropaiḥ sūryavan modate sukhī    38	SDhŚ 10.84	
mārgaśīrṣe śubhe māsi yaḥ kuryān naktabhojanam		
yac cānnam̄ payasā yuktaṁ bhuñjānah sa jitendriyah    39	SDhŚ 10.85	
prayacched gām tathā raktām̄ nānālamkārabhūṣitām		
sūryāya kuruśārdūla vidhiṁ cāpi samācaret    40	SDhŚ 10.86	
sitapadmanibhair yānaiḥ śvetāśvarathasamyutaiḥ		
gatvā tatra pure ramye prabhayā parayānvitaiḥ    41	SDhŚ 10.87	
ahimsāsatyavacanam asteyam̄ kṣāntir ājavam		
triśavaṇāgnihavanaṁ bhūśayyā naktabhojanam    42	SDhŚ 10.88	
pakṣayor ubhoyor mārge saptamyām kurunandana		
etān guṇān samāśritya kurvāṇo vratam uttamam    43	SDhŚ 10.89	
saptamyobhayavikhyātaṁ sarvapāpabhayāpaham		
sarvarogapraśamanam̄ sarvakāmaphalapradam    44		
ityevamādīn niyamāṁś caret sūryavrati sadā	SDhŚ 10.89cd	
ya icched vipulaṁ sthānam̄ bhānor amitatejasah    45		
iti śrībhaviṣye mahāpurāṇe brāhmaṇe parvaṇi saptamīkalpa		
ubhayasaptamīvarṇanam̄ nāma pañcaṣṭyuttaraśatataṁo 'dhyāyah    165		

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sauradharme nikṣubhāvratavarṇanam		
sumantur uvāca		
sūryabhaktā tu yā nārī dhruvam̄ sā puruṣo bhavet		
strī putram uttamam̄ sā cet kāmksate śrenu tadvratam    1	SDhŚ 10.90	
nikṣubhārkākhyam ākhyātaṁ sadā prītivardhanam		
avyogakaram̄ vīra dharmakāmārthasādhakam    2	SDhŚ 10.91	
saptamyām atha ṣaṣṭhyām vā samkrāntau ca raver dine		
haviṣā havir homam̄ tu sopavāsaḥ samācaret    3	SDhŚ 10.92	
nikṣubhām̄ kāmṣyaniśpannām kṛtvā svarṇamayīm śubhām		
rājatīm vātha vā varṣam̄ snāpayec ca ghṛtādibhiḥ    4	SDhŚ 10.93	
gandhamālyair alamkṛtya vastrayugmaiś ca śobhanaiḥ		
bhakṣyabhojyair aśeṣaiś ca vitānadhvajācāmaraiḥ    5	SDhŚ 10.94	
bhojayet sūryabhaktāṁś ca śuklavastrāvagunṭhitān		
kṛtvāyatanaṁadhye tu pratimām upakalpayet    6	SDhŚ 10.96	

kṛtvā śirasī tatpātram vitānacchatraśobhitam		
dhvajaśāṅkhādivibhavair bhagasyāyatanaṁ nayet    7	ŚDhŚ 10.97	
nikṣubhārkadineśasya vratam etan nivedayet		
tatpiṇḍyāṁ sthāpayet pātram upaśobhāsamavitam    8	ŚDhŚ 10.98	
pradakṣinīkṛtya raviṁ praṇipatya kṣamāpayet		
samāpya tad vratam puṇyam śreṇuyāt phalam aśnute    9	ŚDhŚ 10.99	
dvādaśādityasamāṅkāśair mahāyānair nagopamaiḥ		
yatheṣṭam bhānave loke sauraiḥ sārdham pramodate    10	ŚDhŚ 10.100	
varṣakoṭisahasrāṇi varṣakoṭiśatāni ca		
nandate 'sau mahābhāga viṣṇuloke mahīyate    11	ŚDhŚ 10.101	
tataḥ karmavīśeṣeṇa sarvakāmasamanvitam		
brahmaṇalokaṁ samāśādyā param sukham avāpnuyāt    12	ŚDhŚ 10.102	
brahmaṇalokāt paribhraṣṭaḥ śrīmān surasupūjitaḥ		
prajāpatim avāpnoti surāsuranamaskṛtaḥ    13	ŚDhŚ 10.103	
lokān iha ciraṁ bhuktvā somaloke mahīyate		
somādendram punar lokam āśadyendrapatir bhavet    14	ŚDhŚ 10.104	
indralokaḥ ca gandharvalokaṁ prāpya sa modate	ŚDhŚ 10.105ab	
tatas taddharmaśeṣeṇa bhavaty ādityabhāvitaḥ    15	ŚDhŚ 10.111ab	
svakarmabhāvanodyogāt punaḥ prārabhate śubham	ŚDhŚ 10.111cd	
śubhāc ca punar ety eha sa yāty atisahasraśaḥ    16	ŚDhŚ 10.112ab	
yāvan nāpnnoti maraṇam tāvad bhramati karmaṇā	ŚDhŚ 10.112cd	
sunirvedāt savairāgyam vairāgyāj jñānasamābhavaḥ		
jñānāt pravartate yogo yogād duḥkhāntam āpnuyāt    17	ŚDhŚ 10.113	
iti śrībhaviṣye mahāpurāṇe brāhmaṇe parvaṇi saptamīkalpe sauradharme		
nikṣubhāvratavarṇanām nāma ṣaṭṣaṭyuttaraśatatamo 'dhyāyah    166		

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nikṣubhārkavratavaraṇanam		
sumantur uvāca		
ṣaṭṣṭhyām cāpy atha saptamyām niyatā brahmacāriṇī		
varṣam ekaṁ na bhuṅkte yā mahābhāgajigīṣayā    1	ŚDhŚ 10.114	
varṣānte pratimām kṛtvā nikṣubhārketi viśrutām		
snānādyam ca vidhiṁ kṛtvā pūrvoktaṁ labhate guṇam    2	ŚDhŚ 10.115	
jāmbūnadamatayair yānaiś caturdvārair alamkṛte		
gatvādityapure ramye aśeṣam vindate phalam    3	ŚDhŚ 10.116	
saurādisarvalokeṣu bhogān bhuktvā yathepsitān		

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kramād āgatya loke 'smīn rājānam patim āpnuyāt    4 yā nāry upavased evam̄ kṛṣṇām ekām̄ tu saptamīm̄   sā gacchet paramam̄ sthānam̄ bhānor amitatejasah̄    5 varṣānte pratiṁām̄ kṛtvā śalipīṣṭamayīm̄ śubhām̄   pītānulepanair mālyaiḥ pītavastraiś ca pūjayet   pūrvoktam akhilam̄ kṛtvā bhāskarāya nivedayet    6 saptabhīmair mahāyānair danticāmīkaraprabhāiḥ   varṣakoṭīśatam̄ sāgraṁ sūryaloke mahīyate    7 sauralokādilokeṣu bhuktvā bhogān narādhipa   kramād āgatya loke 'smīn yatheṣṭam̄ vindate patim    8 sarvalakṣaṇasāmpannam̄ dhanadhānyasamanvitam̄   krṣṇapakṣe tu saptamīm̄ yā nārī tu dṛḍhavratā    9 varṣānte sarvagandhāḍhyam̄ nikṣubhārkam̄ nivedayet   suvarṇamāṇimuktābhīyam̄ bhojayitvā magāṅganām̄    10 suvicitrair mahāyānair divyagandharvaśobhitaiḥ   sā vai yugasahasrāṇī sūraloke narādhipa    11 yatheṣṭam̄ bhānave loke bhogān bhuktvā tu kṛtsnaśah̄   kramād āgatya lokesmin rājantam̄ vindate patim    12 evam̄ yā kurute rājan vrataṁ pāpabhayaḥpaham̄   nikṣubhārkam idam̄ puṇyam̄ sā yāti paramam̄ padam    13 varṣam ekam mahābāho śradddhayā parayānvitah̄   varṣānte vai bhojayed vīra dāmpatyaṁ bhojakesu vai    14 bhojayitvā tu dāmpatyaṁ bhogakānām̄ mahābalaiḥ   pūjayed gandhamālyais tu vāsobhiḥ kurunandana    15 kṛtvā tāmramaye pātre vajrapūrṇair alamkṛtam̄   nikṣubhārkam tu sauvarṇam dattvā tābhīyam tu śaktitah̄    16 nikṣubhā bhojikā jñeyā bhojako 'rkaḥ prakīrtitah̄   tasmāt tau pūjayed saurīśavaravac chradddhayānvitah̄    17 iti śrībhaviṣye mahāpurāne brāhme parvaṇi saptamīkalpe sauradharmaṁ nikṣubhārkavrataṁ nāma saptaśaṣṭyuttaraśatataṁ 'dhyāyah̄    167	ŚDhŚ 10.117 ŚDhŚ 10.118ab ŚDhŚ 10.118cd ŚDhŚ 10.119 ŚDhŚ 10.120 ŚDhŚ 10.121 ŚDhŚ 10.127cd ŚDhŚ 10.128 ŚDhŚ 10.129
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kāmapradastrīvratavarṇanam  
sumantur uvāca  
ekabhartena yā nārī kārttikam̄ kṣapayen nṛpa |

kṣamāhiṁśadiniyamaiḥ saṃyatā brahmacāriṇī    1 guḍājyamiśram śalyannaṁ bhāskarāya nivedayet   pakṣayor ubhayos tāta śraddhayā parayānvitā    2 puṣpāṇāṁ karavīrāṇāṁ guggulaṁ sājyam ādiśet   saṃtamyām tāta ṣaṭhyām vai upavāsaratir bhavet    3 indranīlapratikāśair vimānaiḥ sārvakāmikaiḥ   varṣāyutaśatām sāgraṁ sūraloke mahīyate    4 tathā ca sarvalokeṣu bhogam āśādya yatnataḥ   kramād āgatya loke 'smīn yatheṣṭam vindate patim    5 ity evam sarvayajñeṣu vidhis tulyaḥ prakīrtitaḥ   ekabhaktopavāsasya phalaṁ ca sadṛśam bhavet    6 kṣamā satyam dayā dānaṁ śaucam indriyanigrahaḥ   sūryapūjāgnihavanam saṃtoṣaḥ steyavarjanam   7 sarvavrateṣ्य ayam dharmāḥ sāmānyo daśadhā smṛtaḥ   niḥśeṣam ahaṁ vakṣyāmi māsān māsavrataṁ prati    8 mārgaśīrṣe śubhe māsi vyomaprṣṭhe vinirmitam   gandhamālyair alamkṛtya śubhānanam anaupamam   9 tāmrapātrādikaiś caivāpy apsarogaṇasevitaiḥ   sumerau daśasāhasre sūryaloke mahīyate    10 sarvadevakadambēṣu saṃprāpya vimalāṁ śriyam   kramād āgatya loke 'smīn rājānam patim āpnuyāt   puṣpair amum alamkṛtya bhānave vinivedayet    11 gandhamālyair alamkṛtya śubhānanam anaupamam   tāmrapātrādikāṁsyam vā kṛtvā tatra nivedayet    12 mahāpuṣpakayānena divyagandhapravāhinā   sumerau daśasāhasram sūryaloke mahīyate    13 bhuktvā tu vipulān bhogān sarvalokeṣu bhārata   saṃprāpyaitam kramāl lokam yatheṣṭam vindate patim    14	ŚDhŚ 10.130 ŚDhŚ 10.131ab  ŚDhŚ 10.131cd  ŚDhŚ 10.132  ŚDhŚ 10.133  ŚDhŚ 10.134  ŚDhŚ 10.135  ŚDhŚ 10.136  ŚDhŚ 10.137  ŚDhŚ 10.138  ŚDhŚ 10.139  ŚDhŚ 10.140cd ŚDhŚ 10.141ab  ŚDhŚ 10.141cdef  ŚDhŚ 10.142  ŚDhŚ 10.143  ŚDhŚ 10.144  ŚDhŚ 10.145  ŚDhŚ 10.146
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sumerau daśasāhasram sūryaloke mahīyate    19	ŚDhŚ 10.147
sarvābhimataloke' smin prāpya bhogān yathepsitān   punar etya imam̄ lokam̄ yatheṣṭam̄ vindate patim    20	ŚDhŚ 10.148
kṛtvāruṇam̄ tathā caitre gandhamālyopaśobhitam   sthāpya pātre yathokte tu bhāskarāya nivedayet    21	ŚDhŚ 10.149
śaradindupratīkāśair vimānaiḥ sārvakāmikaiḥ   varṣayutaśataṁ sāgram sūryaloke mahīyate    22	ŚDhŚ 10.150
karmakṣayād ihāgatyā putrapautrasamanvitam   abhiṣṭam̄ patim āśadya labhed bhogān sudurlabhān    23	ŚDhŚ 10.151
taṇḍulāḍhakapiṣṭena kṛtvā vai meruparvatam   nikṣubhārkasamāyuktam̄ sarvadhātuvibhūṣitam    24	ŚDhŚ 10.152
nānālām̄kārasam̄pannam̄ nānāmālyavibhūṣitam   sarvaratnasamāyuktam̄ sthāpayed bhāskarālaye    25	ŚDhŚ 10.153
mahadvyomavrataṁ hy etad vaiśākhe yaḥ samācaret   nānāvidhaiś ca yānais tu sūryaloke mahīyate    26	ŚDhŚ 10.154
saurādisarvalokeṣu bhuktvā bhogān aśeṣataḥ   kramād āgatyā loke 'smiṇ rājānaṁ patim āpnuyāt    27	ŚDhŚ 10.155
dvitīyam̄ ca tathā padmam̄ āśādhe piṣṭam̄ uttamam̄   sarvabijarasaiḥ pūrṇam̄ kṛtvā tu śubhralakṣaṇam	ŚDhŚ 10.160
nānākeśaragandhāḍhayam̄ sarvaratnavibhūṣitam    28	
etair vā haimabhir yānaiḥ sarvabhogānvitair nṛpa   varṣakotīśataṁ sāgram sūryaloke mahīyate    29	ŚDhŚ 10.165
bhuktvā tu vipulān bhogān sarvalokeṣu anukramāt   prāptā tu sarvabhogāḍhayam̄ taruṇam̄ vindate patim    30	ŚDhŚ 10.166
sarvadhātusamākīrṇam̄ vicitradhvajaśobhitam   nivedayeta sūryāya śrāvane tilaparvatam    31	ŚDhŚ 10.167
svacchandagāmibhir yānair nānāvarṇavibhūṣitaiḥ   varṣakotīśataṁ sāgram sūryaloke mahīyate    32	ŚDhŚ 10.168
samprāpya vividhān bhogān bahvāścaryasamanvitān   kramāl lokam imam̄ prāpya rājānaṁ vindate patim    33	ŚDhŚ 10.169
kṛtvā bhādrapade māsi vyoma śālimayam̄ nṛpa   vitānadhvajacchatrāḍhyam̄ nānāmālavibhūṣitam    34	ŚDhŚ 10.170
taruṇārkakaraprakhyair mahāyānaiḥ suśobhanaiḥ   varṣakotīsaḥasrāṇi sūryaloke mahīyate    35	ŚDhŚ 10.171
samprāpya vividhān bhogān sarvān nimiṣasam̄bhavān   kramād āgatyā loke 'smiṇ rājānaṁ vindate patim    36	ŚDhŚ 10.172
kṛtvā cāśvayuje māsi vipulaṁ dhānyaparvatam	

suvarṇavastragandhāḍhyam bhāskarāya nivedayet    37	ŚDhŚ 10.173
sāvitraiś ca mahāyānair varabhogasamanvitaiḥ	
varṣakoṭisahasrāṇī sūryaloke mahīyate    38	ŚDhŚ 10.174
sūryalokādilokeṣu bhuktvā bhogān yathepsitān	
asmiml loke cā samprāptā rājānam vindate patim    39	ŚDhŚ 10.175
candrāgnibhāskarāṇām tu kāntitejaḥprabhānvitam	
yam yam kāmaṁ samuddiśya naranārīnapuṁsakāḥ	
pūjayanti raviṁ bhaktyā tat sarvam prāpnuvanti hi    40	ŚDhŚ 10.192
iti śribhaviṣye mahāpurāṇe brāhmaṇe parvaṇi saptamīkalpe sauradharmaṁ kāmapradastrīvratavarṇanām nāmāṣṭa ṣaṣṭyuttaraśatatamo ’dhyāyah    168	

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sūryavratavarṇanām	
sumantur uvāca	
mṛṇmayam dārujaṁ śailaṁ pakveṣṭakam athāpi vā	
kṛtvā maṭhaṁ gṛhaṁ vāpi yathā vibhavasaṁbhavāt    1	ŚDhŚ 10.193
sarvopakaraṇopetam̄ sarvadhānyasamanvitam	
sūryāyettham̄ gṛhaṁ dadyāt sarvān kāmān avāpnuyāt    2	ŚDhŚ 10.194
kṛtvākabhaktam̄ hemante māghamāsam atandritāḥ	
māsāntena rathaṁ kuryāc citravastropaśobhitam    3	ŚDhŚ 10.195
śvetaiś caturbhiḥ samyuktam̄ turagaiḥ samalaṁkṛtam	
śvetadhvajapataṁkābhiś chatracāmaradarpaṇaiḥ    4	ŚDhŚ 10.196
tañḍulāḍhakapiṣṭena kṛtvā bhānum narādhipa	
vīnyasya tam̄ rathopasthe samjñayā saha bhūpate    5	ŚDhŚ 10.197
tam̄ rātrau rājamārgeṇa śaikhabheryādinisvanaiḥ	
bhramayitvā śanaiḥ paścāt sūryāyatanam āviśet    6	ŚDhŚ 10.198
tatra jāgarapūjābhiḥ pradīpāvaliśobhitaiḥ	
prekṣaṇīyaiḥ pradānaiś ca kṣapayitvā śanaiḥ kṣapām    7	ŚDhŚ 10.199
prabhāte snapanaṁ kṛtvā madhukṣīragṛhṛtena ca	
dīnāndhakṛpaṇebhyo ’nnam̄ yathāśaktyā ca dakṣinām    8	ŚDhŚ 10.200
rathaṁ samvāhanopetam̄ bhāskarāya nivedayet	
bhuktvā ca bāndhavaiḥ sārdham	
prañamyārkagṛhaṁ vrajet    9	ŚDhŚ 10.201
sarvavratānām̄ pravaram mantradharmānvitaiḥ sadā	
vrataṁ sūryavratam̄ nāma sarvakāmārthaśiddhaye    10	ŚDhŚ 10.202
sarvavrateṣu yat puṇyam̄ sarvayajñeṣu yat phalam	

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sarvam sūryaratheneha tat puṇyam labhate nṛpa    11	ŚDhŚ 10.203
sūryāyutapratikāśair vimānaiḥ sārvakāmikaiḥ	
trisaptakulajaiḥ sārdham sūryaloke mahīyate    12	ŚDhŚ 10.204
bhuktvā tu vipulān bhogān sarvalokeś anukramat	
kalpāyutaśataṁ sāgram tato rājā bhavet kṣitau    13	ŚDhŚ 10.205
pañcabalisamāyuktam mṛdu ṣaḍvāstukalpitam	
sarvopakaraṇopetam sūryam samjnām prakalpayet    14	ŚDhŚ 10.206
samjnādevīsamāyuktam paṇṭāśāḍhyam nivedayet	
saurajñānārthatattvajñam ācāryam udāyānvitam    15	ŚDhŚ 10.207
sampūjya gandhapuṣpādyair vastrālamkāracāmaraiḥ	
bhaksyabhojyair aśeṣaiḥ ca tataḥ śayyām nivedayet    16	ŚDhŚ 10.208
tadūrṇatūlavastrāṇām parisamkhyā tu yāvatī	
tāvad varṣasahasrāṇi sūryaloke mahīyate    17	ŚDhŚ 10.209
surādisarvalokeṣu bhuktvā bhogān aśeṣataḥ	
kāmād āgatyā loke 'smiṇ rājā bhavati dhārmikāḥ    18	ŚDhŚ 10.210
daśagobhiḥ saha vṛṣam tā vṛṣaikādaśāḥ smṛtāḥ	
sūryāya vinivedyeha yat phalam labhate śṛṇu    19	ŚDhŚ 10.211
dvādaśādityyatulyātmā aṇimādiguṇair yutah	
sarvatra modate rājan sūryasyānucaro bhavet    20	ŚDhŚ 10.212
iti śībhaviṣye mahāpurāṇe brāhmaṇe parvaṇi saptamīkalpe	
sūryavratavarṇanam nāmaikonasaptatyuttaraśatatamo 'dhyāyah    169	

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godānavarṇanam	
sumantur uvāca	
savṛṣam gośataṁ dattvā bhāskarāya narādhipa	
triḥsaptakulajaiḥ sārdham śṛṇu yat phalam āpnuyāt    1	ŚDhŚ 10.215
varakoṭipratikāśaiḥ sarvakāmasamanvitaiḥ	
mahāyānair asaṃkhyeyair amarāśurapūjītaiḥ    2	ŚDhŚ 10.216
dvādaśādityasamaṅkāśo divākara ivāparah	
gatvādityapuraṁ ramyaṁ krīḍate sūryamaṇḍape    3	ŚDhŚ 10.217
bhuktvā tu vipulān bhogān pralaye sarvadehinām	
mohakañcukam utsṛjya viśat� ādityamaṇḍale    4	ŚDhŚ 10.218
sarvajñāḥ sūraparamaḥ śuddhaḥ svātmany avasthitah	
sarvagaḥ paripūrṇatvāt sūryavad dīptimān bhavet    5	ŚDhŚ 10.219
yo dadyād ubhayamukhīm saurabhēyīm divākare	

saptadvīpāṁ mahīṁ dattvā yat phalaṁ tad avāpnuyāt |      ŚDhŚ 10.220  
 pādadvayāṁ śiro ’rdhaṁ ca saśailavanakānanā || 6      ŚDhŚ 10.221ab  
 iti śīrbhaviṣye mahāpurāṇe brāhmaṇe parvaṇi saptamīkalpe  
 godānavarṇanam nāma saptatyuttaraśatatamo ’dhyāyah || 170

**Bhaviṣyapurāṇa Chapter 4.57**

krṣṇāṣṭamīvratavaraṇanam  
 śrīkrṣṇa uvāca  
 krṣṇāṣṭamīvrataṁ pārtha śṛṇu pāpabhayāpaham |  
 dharmasamjananam loke rudraprītikaram param || 1  
 māsi mārgaśire prāpte dantadhāvanapūrvakam |  
 upavāsasya niyamaṁ kuryān naktasya vā punaḥ || 2  
 aśaktaśaktabhedena gṛhān niṣkramya bāhyataḥ |  
 krṣṇāṣṭamyāṁ varṣam ekaṁ gurum pṛṣṭvā vicakṣaṇaḥ || 3  
 brahmacārī jitakrodhāḥ śivārcanajape rataḥ |      ŚDhŚ 10.10cd  
 tato ’parāhṇasamaye snātvā nadyāṁ viśuddhadhīḥ || 4  
 śivaliṅgaṁ samabhyarcya sumanobhiḥ sugandhibhiḥ |  
 guggulum ca śubham dagdhvā dadyān naivedyam uttamam || 5  
 tato devasya purato homaṁ kuryāt tilair guru |  
 mārgaśīrṣe śubhe māsi śaṁkarāyeti pūjayed || 6      ŚDhŚ 10.17  
 gomūtraprāṣānaṁ kṛtvā svap्यād bhūmau tato niśi |  
 atirātrasya yajñasya phalam āpnoti mānavah || 7      ŚDhŚ 10.18  
 evam puṣyepi sampūjya śaṁbhūm nāma maheśvaram |  
 krṣṇāṣṭamyāṁ ghṛtam prāsyā vājapeyaphalam bhajet || 8      ŚDhŚ 10.19  
 māghe māheśvaram nāma krṣṇāṣṭamyāṁ prapūjayed |  
 niśi pītvā gavāṁ kṣīram gomedhāṣṭakam āpnuyāt || 9      ŚDhŚ 10.20  
 phālgune ca mahādevam sampūjya prāśayet tilān |  
 rājasūyasya yajñasya phalam aṣṭaguṇam bhajet || 10      ŚDhŚ 10.21  
 caitre ca sthāṇunāmānam krṣṇāṣṭamyāṁ śivam yajet |  
 yavāhāro ’svamedhhasya yajñasya phalam āpnuyāt || 11      ŚDhŚ 10.22  
 vaiśākhe śivanāmānam iṣṭvā rātrau kuśodakam |  
 pītvā puruṣamedhhasya phalam daśaguṇam bhajet || 12      ŚDhŚ 10.23  
 jyeṣṭhe paśupatiṁ pūjya gavāṁ śrīṇgodakam pibet |  
 gavāṁ lakṣapradānasya narah phalam avāpnuyāt || 13      ŚDhŚ 10.24  
 āśāḍhe cogranāmānam iṣṭvā samprāśya gomayam |  
 varṣāṇāṁ niyutaṁ sāgram rudraloke mahīyate || 14      ŚDhŚ 10.25  
 śrāvaṇe śarvanāmānam iṣṭvārkam niśi bhakṣayet |

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bahuśvarṇasya yajñasya narah phalam avāpnuyāt    15	ŚDhŚ 10.26
māsi bhādrapade 'ṣṭamyāṁ tryambakam nāma pūjayed	ŚDhŚ 10.27
bilvapatram niśi prāśya annadīkṣaphalam bhajet    16	
bhavanāmāsvine pūjyah prāśayet taṇḍulodakam	
pauṇḍarīkasya yajñasya phalam śataguṇam bhajet    17	ŚDhŚ 10.28
kārtike rudranāmānam sampūjya prāśayed dadhi	
agniṣṭomasya yajñasya phalam prāpnoti mānavah    18	ŚDhŚ 10.29
abdānte bhojayed viprāñ chivabhaktiparāyaṇān	
pāyasaṁ madhusaṁyuktaṁ ghṛtena samabhiplutam	ŚDhŚ 10.30
śakte hiraṇyavāsāṁsi bhaktyā tebhyo nivedayet    19	ŚDhŚ 10.31ab
satilā kṛṣṇakalaśā bhakṣyabhojyena saṁyutāḥ	
dvādaśātra pradātavyāś chatropānadyugānvitā	
nivedayati rudrāṇāṁ gāṁ ca kṛṣṇāṁ payasvinīṁ    20	ŚDhŚ 10.31cd
varṣam ekāṁ cared evam nairantaryyeṇa yo narah	
kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrataṁ bhaktyā tasya puṇyaphalam śṛṇu    21	ŚDhŚ 10.32
sarvapāpavīnirmuktaḥ sarvaiśvaryasamanvitāḥ	ŚDhŚ 10.33ab
modate bhūpavan nityaṁ martyaloke śataṁ samāḥ    22	
anena vidhinā devāḥ sarve devatvam āgataḥ	
devī devītvam āpannā guhaḥ skandatvam āgataḥ    23	
brahmā brahmatvam āpanno hy aham viṣṇutvam āgataḥ	
indraś ca devarājtvam gānapatyam gaṇo gataḥ    24	
nārī vā puruṣo vāpi kṛtvā kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrataṁ	
akhaṇḍitaṁ mahārāja puṇyam prāpnoty anuttamam    25	
sūryakoṭipratikāśair vimānaiḥ sarvakāmikaiḥ	
rudrakanyāsamākīrṇair haṁsasārasaṁyutaiḥ    26	ŚDhŚ 10.41
nṛtyavāditrasaṁyuktair utkṛṣṭadhvanināditaḥ	
dodhūyamānaś camaraiḥ stūyamānaḥ surāsuraiḥ    27	ŚDhŚ 10.42
trinetraḥ śūlapāṇīś ca śivaiśvaryasamanvitāḥ	
āste śivapure tāvad yāvat kalpeṣu cāṣṭakam    28	ŚDhŚ 10.43
ity etat te samākhyātāṁ pārtha kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrataṁ	
yac chrutvā sarvapāpebhyo mucyate nātra saṁśayah    29	
kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrataṁ idam śivabhāvitātmā	
satyāśanair uditanām ayutair uposya	
kṛṣṇān dadāti kalaśān satilān na yuktān	
yo 'sau prayāti padam uttamam indumauleḥ    30	
iti śrībhaviṣye mahāpurāṇa uttaraparvanī śrīkṛṣṇayudhiṣṭhirasamvāde	
kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvratavarṇanām nāma saptapañcāśattamo 'dhyāyah    57	

**Bhaviṣyapurāṇa Chapter 4.96**

śrīkṛṣṇayudhiṣṭhirasamvādavarṇanam  
 śrīkṛṣṇa uvāca  
 atha naktopavāsasya vīdhānam śṛṇu pāñdava |  
 yena vījñātamātreṇa naro mokṣam avāpnuyāt || 1  
 yeṣu teṣu ca māseṣu śuklapakṣe caturdaśīm |  
 brāhmaṇam bhojayitvā tu prārabheta tato vratam || 2  
 māsi māsi bhavanti dvāv aṣṭamayau ca caturdaśī |  
 śivārcanarato bhūtvā śivadhyānaikamānasaḥ |  
 vasudhābhājanam kṛtvā bhuñjyān naṅtabhojanam || 3      ŠDhŚ 10.4ab  
 upavāsāt param bhaikṣyam bhaikṣyāt param ayācitam |  
 ayācitāt param naṅtam tasmān naṅtena bhojayed || 4      ŠDhŚ 10.13  
 devaiś ca bhuktam pūrvāhne madhyāhne munibhis tathā |  
 aparāhne ca pitṛbhiḥ sandhyāyām guhyakādibhiḥ || 5      ŠDhŚ 10.14  
 sarvalokān atikramya naṅtabhojī sadā bhavet |  
 haviṣyabhojanam snānam satyam āhāralāghavam || 6      ŠDhŚ 10.15ab  
 agnikāryo hy adhaḥśayyo naṅtabhojī sadā bhavet |  
 evam saṁvatsarasyānte vratapūrṇasya sarpiṣā |  
 pūrṇakumbhopari sthāpya pūjayec ca suśobhane || 7      ŠDhŚ 10.16ab  
 kapilāpañcagavyena sthāpayen mṛṇmayam śivam |  
 phalam puṣpam yavakṣīram dadhi dūrvāṇkurāṁs tathā || 8      ŠDhŚ 10.16cd  
 tatkumbhānām jaloniṁśram argham aṣṭāṅgam ucyate |  
 śirasā dhārayitvā tu jānū kṛtvā mahītale || 9  
 mahādevāya dātavyam gandhapuṣpam yathākramam |  
 bhakṣyodenair baliṇi kṛtvā praṇamya parameśvarīm || 10  
 dhenuṁ vā dakṣiṇām dadyād vṛṣam vāpi dhuraṇḍharam |  
 śrotriyāya daridrāya kalpavratavidāya ca |  
 yo dadāti śive bhaktvā tasya punyaphalam śṛṇu || 11  
 vimānam arkapratimam haṁsayuktam alaṁkṛtam |  
 ārūḍho ’psarasām gītair yāti rudrālaye sukham || 12  
 sthitvā rudrasya bhavane varṣakoṭiśatatravayam |  
 iha loke nṛpaśreṣṭha grāmalakṣeśvaro bhavet || 13  
 yaś cāṣṭamīṣu ca śivāsu caturdaśīṣu  
 naṅtam samācarati śāstravidhāna dṛṣṭam |  
 svargāṅganākalaravākulitam vimānam

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āruhya yāti sa sukhena sureśalokam || 14  
iti śrībhaviṣye mahāpurāṇa uttaraparvanī śrīkrṣṇa  
yudhiṣṭhirasaṁvāde saññavatitamo'dhyāyah || 96

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**Saurapurāṇa Chapter 14<sup>129</sup>**

sūta uvāca

vratāni sampravakṣyāmi śṛṅudhvam munipuṅgavāḥ |  
 tatra kṛṣṇāṣṭamī punyā sarvapāpapraṇāśinī || 1  
 kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvratān nānyad vratam asti vibhūtidam |  
 kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrataṁ kṛtvā brahmā brahmatvam āpnuyāt || 2  
 viṣṇutvam prāptavān viṣṇuh sureśatvam śacīpatih |  
 kubero yakṣarājatvam niyantrtvam yamaḥ svayam || 3  
 candraś candratvam āpanno gaṇeśatvam gaṇādhipah |  
 skandah senāpatitvam ca tathā cānye gaṇeśvarāḥ || 4  
 kṛtvā caiśvaryam āpannāḥ saubhāgyam devavallabhāḥ |  
 vratasyāsyā prabhāvena lakṣmyāḥ patir abhūd dhariḥ || 5  
 yayātiḥ sārvabhaumatvam tathā cānye nṛpottamāḥ |  
 ṛṣayo munayaḥ siddhā gandharvāṇām ca kanyakāḥ || 6  
 kṛtvā caiva parām siddhim prāptāś ca munipuṅgavāḥ |  
 nandīsvareṇa yat proktām nāradāya mahātmane || 7  
 kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrataṁ śreṣṭham sarvakāmaphalapradam |  
 meror yad dakṣiṇām śrīngam surāsuranamaskṛtam || 8  
 tatra nandīsvaram dṛṣṭvā sarvajñām śambhuvallabham |  
 upāsyamānam munibhiḥ stūyamānam marudgaṇaiḥ || 9  
 sarvānugrahakartāram stutvā tu vividhaiḥ stavaiḥ |  
 abravīt praṇipatyātha daṇḍavan nārado munih || 10  
 nārada uvāca  
 bhagavan sarvatattvajñā sarveśām abhayaprada |  
 kena vratena cīrṇena tapovṛttih prajāyate || 11  
 saubhāgyam kāntim aiśvarvyam apatyam ca yaśas tathā |  
 śāśvatīm muktim ante ca paśupāśavimocanīm || 12  
 bhagavām tad vratam brūhi kārūṇyāc chaṅkarapriyam |  
 nandikeśvara uvāca  
 kṛṣṇāṣṭamīvrataṁ śreṣṭham asti devaṛṣe śṛṇu |

<sup>129</sup> Based on Lele 1924, 43–46. (Minor corrections applied silently.)

## Appendix 6

gaṇeśatvam̄ mayā labdham̄ yena cīrṇena nārada    13 māse mārgaśire prāpte kṛṣṇaṣṭamym̄ jitendriyah   aśvathadantakāṣṭhenā kṛtvā vai dantadhāvanam    14 snānam̄ kṛtvā ca vidhivat tarpaṇam̄ caiva nārada   āgatyā bhavaṇam̄ paścāt pūjayed chaṅkaram̄ prabhūm    15	ŚDhŚ 10.17
gomūtram̄ prāsyā vidhivad upavāsi bhaven niśi   atirātrasya yajñasya phalam̄ aṣṭaguṇam̄ bhavet    16	ŚDhŚ 10.18
sarpiṣah prāśanaṇam̄ pauṣe dantakāṣṭham̄ ca tat smṛtam̄   pūjayed chubhanāmānaṇam̄ bhagavantaṇam̄ maheśvaram    17	ŚDhŚ 10.19
vājapeyāṣṭakaphalam̄ pāpnōti śraddhayānvitah   māghe vaṭasya kathitam̄ gokṣirām̄ prāśanaṇam̄ smṛtam̄    18	ŚDhŚ 10.20
māheśvaram̄ susampūjya gomedhasyāṣṭakam̄ phalam̄   phālgune ca tad evoktaṇam̄ kāryam̄ vai prāśanaṇam̄ ca tat    19	ŚDhŚ 10.21
sampūjayan mahādevam̄ rājasūyāṣṭakam̄ phalam̄   kāṣṭham̄ audumbaraṇam̄ caitre prāśane varjītā janāḥ    20	ŚDhŚ 10.22
pūjayed sthāṇunāmānaṇam̄ aśvamedhaphalam̄ labhet   śivam̄ sampūjya vaisākhe pītvā caiva kuśodakam    21	ŚDhŚ 10.23
naramedhāṣṭakaphalam̄ prāpnōty eva hi nārada   jyeṣṭhe plākṣam̄ bhavet kāṣṭham̄ pūjyah paśupatir vibhuḥ    22	ŚDhŚ 10.24
gavām̄ śringodakam̄ prāsyā svaped devasya saṁnidhau   gavām̄ koṭipradānasya yat puṇyam̄ tad avāpnu�āt    23	ŚDhŚ 10.25
āśādhe cogranāmānaṇam̄ iṣṭvā prāsyā ca gomayam̄   sautrāmaṇyās tu yajñasya phalam̄ aṣṭaguṇam̄ bhaved    24	ŚDhŚ 10.26
pālāṣam̄ śrāvaṇe proktam̄ śarvam̄ sampūjya nārada   prāśayitvākapatrāṇi kalpam̄ śivapure vase    25	ŚDhŚ 10.27
māse bhādrapade ḫṭamym̄ tryambakam̄ samprapūjyet   prāśanaṇam̄ bilvapatrasya sarvadīkṣāphalam̄ bhavet    26	ŚDhŚ 10.28
āśvine jambuvṛkṣasya dantakāṣṭham̄ udīritam̄   iśvaraṇam̄ pūjayed bhaktyā prāśayet taṇḍulodakam    27	ŚDhŚ 10.29
pauṇḍarīkasya yajñasya phalam̄ aṣṭaguṇam̄ labhet   māse tu kārtike ḫṭamym̄ iśānākhyam̄ prapūjyet    28	ŚDhŚ 10.30
pañcagavyam̄ sakṛt pītvā agniṣṭomaphalam̄ labhet   varṣānte bhojayed vīprāṇi śivabhaktiparāyaṇān    29	ŚDhŚ 10.31
pāyasaṇam̄ madhusaṇyuktam̄ ghṛtena supariputam̄   śaktyā hiraṇyam̄ vāsāṁsi bhaktyā tebhyo nivedayet    30	
devāya dadyād dadhyannaṇam̄ vitānadhvajacāmaram̄   kṛṣṇam̄ payasvinīṇi gām̄ ca ghaṇṭām̄ kañcukavāsasī    31	

saratnām tāmrakalaśīm gām alamkṛtya nārada |  
 alamkāram ca vastram ca dakṣiṇām ca svaśaktitah || 32  
 kalpakoṭiśatam sāgram śivaloke mahīyate |  
 krṣṇāṣṭamīvrataṁ samyak prāptam devarṣe mayā || 33  
 yad uktam devadevena devyai viśvasrjā purā || 34  
 sūta uvāca  
 evam nandīśvarāc chrutvā nārado munipuṅgavāḥ |  
 krṣṇāṣṭamīvrataṁ puṇyam yayau badarikāśramam || 35  
 vratasyāya prabhāvam yaḥ paṭhed vā śṛṇuyād api |  
 atisatrasya yajñasya phalam prāpnaty anuttamam || 36 || 325  
 iti śrībrahmapurāṇopapurāṇe śrīsaure sūtaśaunakasamvāde  
 krṣṇāṣṭamīvrataṁ nāma caturdaśo 'dhyāyah || 14

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sūta uvāca

anyad vrataṁ pāpaharam dharmakāmārthamokṣadam	ŚDhŚ 10.91
umāmaheśvaraṁ nāma vrataṁ trailokyaviśrutam    1	ŚDhŚ 10.92ab
paurṇamāsyām amāvāsyām caturdaśy aştamī tathā	
kāryam etāsu titiṣu naktam etad dvijottamāḥ    2	
brahmačārī haviṣyāśī satyavādī susam्यamī	ŚDhŚ 10.92cd
varṣante pratimā kāryā hemnā vā rajatena ca    3	ŚDhŚ 10.93
pañcāmṛtais tu saṃsnāpya pūjayed vidhivad dvijāḥ	
vastraīḥ puṣpair alamkṛtya bhakṣyair nānāvidhaiḥ śubhaiḥ    4	
dhvajair vitānaiś camaraɪr yathāśobhām prakalpayet	ŚDhŚ 10.94
ācāryam pūjayed bhaktyā vastrālamkārabhūṣaṇaiḥ    5	
bhaktyā ca dakṣiṇām dadyāc chivabhaktāṁś ca bhojayet	ŚDhŚ 10.95cd
śaivam ekam tu saṃbhojya śatabhojyaphalaṁ labhet    6	
satyam satyam punaḥ satyam devasya vacanam yathā	
pratimām pūjītām paścāt tāmrāpātre sunirmale    7	
nidhāya sitavastreṇa saṃchādyā śirasā namet	ŚDhŚ 10.96
śaṅkhātūryādinirghoṣaiḥ śivasyāyatanaṁ mahat    8	ŚDhŚ 10.97
punar vedyām susamsthāpya vrataṁ śaṃbhor nivedayet	
śivam pradakṣiṇīkṛtya paścād devam kṣamāpayet    9	ŚDhŚ 10.98–99ab
śraddhayā yaḥ karotīdam vrataṁ tridaśapūjītam	

<sup>130</sup> Based on Lele 1924, 157–157.

## Appendix 6

sūryāyutapratīkāśam vimānam sārvakāmikam    10	ŚDhŚ 10.100ab
āruhya strīsahasraś ca ganair nānāvidhair vṛtaḥ	
yāti māheśvaraṁ sthānaṁ yatra gatvā na śocati    11	
tatra māheśvarān bhogān bhuktvā kalpaśatatravay	
tadante vaiṣṇavān bhogān bhuñkte viṣṇoḥ samīpataḥ    12	ŚDhŚ 10.101
paścād bhogasamāyukto brahma-loke mahīyate	
brahma-lokāt paribhraṣṭaḥ prajāpatyān samaśnute    13	ŚDhŚ 10.102–103
tasmāl lokāc cyutaḥ paścāt sarvalokanamaskṛtaḥ	
soma-lokaṁ samāśadya bhuktvā bhogān yathespitān    14	ŚDhŚ 10.104ab
somaḍ devendragandharvayakṣalokaṁ anuttamam	
bhuktvā tatra mahābhogaṁ tadante merumūrdhani    15	ŚDhŚ 10.104cd–107ab
tadante lokapālānām lokān āśadya modate	
tataḥ karmāvaśeṣena pṛthivyām ekarāḍ bhavet    16	ŚDhŚ 10.107cd–111ab
umāmaheśvaraṁ nāma vrataṁ sarvasukhapradam	
śaṅkareṇa purā gītaṁ pārvatyāḥ ṣaṇmukhaṣya ca    17	
agastyaḥ ṣaṇmukhaḥ labdhvā prāptavān me gurus tataḥ	
dvaipāyanān munivarāt prāptavān aham uttamam    18	
anyac chūlavratām nāma śṛṇudhvām munipuṇgavāḥ	
amāvāsyām nirāhāro bhaved abdaṁ sasamyaṁī    19	ŚDhŚ 10.122ab
śūlaṁ piṣṭamayaṁ kṛtvā varṣānte vinivedayet	
śivāya rājataṁ padmaṁ suvarṇaṁ kṛtakarṇikam    20	ŚDhŚ 10.122cd–123ab
bhaktyā tu vīnyasen mūrdhni sarvam anyac ca pūrvavat	
brahma-hatyādibhiḥ pāpair mukto yāti parāṁ gatim    21	ŚDhŚ 10.123cd–124
lokān pūrvoditān prāpya tadante pṛthivīpatiḥ	ŚDhŚ 10.126
pūrṇamāsyām amāvāsyām abdaṁ ekāṁ dṛḍhavrataḥ    22	ŚDhŚ 10.127ab
varṣānte sarvagandhāḍhyām pratimām vinivedayet	ŚDhŚ 10.127cd
pūrvavat phalam āpnoti vratenānena vai dvijāḥ    23	
āṣṭamyaṁ ca caturdaśyām upavāsi jitendriyah	ŚDhŚ 10.131cd
sarvabhoga-samāyuktaḥ śivaloke mahīyate    24	
kṣamā satyaṁ dayā dānaṁ śaucam indriyanigrahah	
śivapūjāgnihavanam samtoṣo 'steyatā tathā    25	ŚDhŚ 10.135
sarvavrateś ayam dharmah sāmānyo daśadhā smṛtaḥ    26	ŚDhŚ 10.136ab

Parallel passages in the *Nāradapurāṇa*

<b>Nāradapurāṇa Chapter 2.43<sup>131</sup></b>	
vasiṣṭha uvāca	
vasor vacanam ākarṇya gaṅgāmāhātmyasūcakam	SDhŚ 10.14ab
punaḥ papraccha rājendra taṁ vipraṁ svapurohitam    1	SDhŚ 10.14cd
mohiny uvāca	SDhŚ 10.15ab
śrutam vipra mayā sarvam godānādi śubhāvaham	
adhunā śrotum icchāmi gaṅgāvratam anuttamam    2	
gaṅgādinām pūjanam ca sthāpanam tatra vā dvija	
kim phalam vada sarvajña tvām aham śaraṇam gatā    3	
adhunā gatidātā tvam varjitāyāś ca bandhubhiḥ	
patyā virahitā cāham putrahīnā vidām vara    4	
tvām eva śaraṇam praptā pitur vacanagauravā	
tad bhavān praṇatāyā me gaṅgāmāhātmyasamyutam	
devatārādhanaṁ brūhi yac chrutvā mucyate hy aghāt    5	
vasiṣṭha uvāca	
tač chrutvā mohinīvākyam vasur vipraḥ pratāpavān	
sabhājya mohinīm bhūpa prāha vedavidām varāḥ    6	
vasur uvāca	
sādhu pṛṣṭam tvayā devi lokānām hitakāmyayā    7	
gaṅgāmāhātmyam akhilām mahāpāpaprāṇāśanam	
vṛṣadhvajena kathitām śivena dayayā purā    8	
prītyā devyābhīpṛṣṭena gaṅgātīranivāsinā	
devais tu bhuktam pūrvāhne madhyāhne ṛṣibhis tathā    9	SDhŚ 10.13
aparāhne ca pitṛbhiḥ śarvaryām guhyakādibhiḥ	SDhŚ 10.16
sarvā velā atikramya naktabhojanam uttamam    10	
upavāsād varām bhaikṣyām bhaikṣyād varam ayācitam	
ayācitād varam naktaṁ tasmān naktaṁ samācaret    11	
haviṣyabhojanam snānam satyam āhāralāghavam	
agnikāryam adhaḥśayyām naktaśī ṣaṭ samācaret    12	
gaṅgātīre māghamāse yaḥ kuryān naktabhojanam	

<sup>131</sup> Text based on Singh 2002, 295. (Minor corrections applied silently.)

## *Appendix 7*

śivāyatana pārśve tu kṛṣṇam ghṛta samyutam    13	ŚDhŚ 10.48
naivedyaṁ ca nivedyaiva kṛṣṇānnaṁ śivasya tu	
kāṣṭha maunena bhuñjāno jihvālulyaṁ vivarjayet    14	
palāśapatre bhuñjānah śivam smṛtvā jitendriyah	
dharma rājasya devyāś ca pṛthak piṇḍam prakalpayet    15	
sopavāsaś caturdaśyāṁ bhaved ubhayapakṣayoḥ	
paurṇamāsyāṁ tu gandhaiś ca gaṅgāyāḥ salilais tathā    16	
śivam saṃsnāpya payasā madhvājyadadhībhīḥ pṛthak	
tathaiva hemapuṣpam ca liṅgamūrdhni vinikṣipet    17	
tato dadyāt tu śaktai vāpūpañ ca ghṛta pācitam	
tilādīhakam pragṛhyātha śivaliṅgopari kṣipet    18	
nīlotpalaiś ca sarveśam pūjayet pañkajair api	
tadalābhe tu sauvarṇaiḥ pañkajaiḥ pūjayed dharam    19	
pāyasam cātra madhvaktam ghṛtayuktam ca guggulam	
ghṛtadīpam tathā caiva candanādyair vilepanam    20	
dadyād bhaktyā maheśyā tathā patraphalāni ca	
kṛṣṇagomithunaṁ caiva sarūpam ca nivedayet    21	ŚDhŚ 10.50ab
bhojayed brāhmaṇān aṣṭau māsānte tu sadakṣiṇān	ŚDhŚ 10.39cd
varjayen madhu māṁsam ca tam māṁsam brahma caryavān    22	
evam kṛtvā yathoddīṣṭam ekavāram idam vratam	
yamaiś ca niyamair yuktaḥ śraddhābhakti parāyanah    23	
iha bhogaṁ avāpnoti pretya cānuttamām gatim	
indra niślaprati kāśair vimānaiḥ śikhisa myukta iḥ    24	ŚDhŚ 10.51ab
divyaratna mayaiś caiva divya bhoga samanvitaiḥ	
gatvā śivapuram ramyam sarva svakula samyutah    25	ŚDhŚ 10.51cd
suhṛdbhir vividhaiś caiva vividhān apy abhīpsitān	
bhuktvā bhogaṁ aśeṣamś ca yāvad ābhūta samplavam    26	
tato bhavati dharmātmā jambūdvīpapati s tathā	
tatra bhuñkte samastāmś ca bhogaṁ vigata kalmaṣah    27	
surūpah subhagaś caiva tathā vihitāśasanah	
sarvarogavinirmuktaḥ so 'py etat phala bhāg bhavet    28	
vaiśākhe śuklapakṣe vā caturdaśyāṁ samāhitaḥ	
śālyannam kṣīrasa myuktaṁ yaḥ kuryān na ktabhojanam    29	ŚDhŚ 10.59
śivam saṃpūjya puṣpādyair bhojyaṁ tu saṃnivedya ca	
kāṣṭha maunena bhuñjāno vaṭkāṣṭena vai tathā    30	
maunena prayato bhūtvā kuryād vai danta dhāvanam	
śivaliṅga samāipe tu gaṅgātīre niśi svapet    31	

paurṇamāsyāṁ prabhāte tu gaṅgāyāṁ vidhinā tathā |  
 snātvopavāsaṁ saṁkalpya kuryāj jāgaranām niśi || 32  
 liṅgam gṛtena saṁsnāpya puṣpagandhādibhis tathā ||  
 naivedyadhūpadīpaś ca sampūjya vṛṣabhaṁ śubham || 33  
 suśvetapuṣpavastrādyair hāridraiś candanais tathā |  
 alaṁkṛtya vidhānena śivāya vinivedayet || 34  
 brāhmaṇāṁś ca yathāśakti pāyasena tu bhojayet |  
 evam sakṛc ca yo bhaktyā karoti śraddhayānvitah || 35  
 labhate daivapādonayugānāṁ dvisahasrakam ||  
 tapaḥ kṛtvā tu niyamād yat puṇyām tad asaṁśayam || 36  
 haṁsakundaprabhāyuktair vimānaiś candraśannibhaiḥ |  
 suśvetavṛṣayuktais ca muktājālavibhūṣitaiḥ || 37  
 svakīyapitṛbhiḥ sārddhaṁ prayātīsvaramandiram |  
 nīlotpalasugandhābhiḥ surūpābhiḥ samantataḥ || 38  
 kāntābhir divyarūpābhir bhuktvā bhogān anekaśah |  
 anantakālam aiśvaryayukto bhūtvā tato bhuvi || 39  
 jāyate sa mahīpālah kīrtyaiśvaryasamanvitah |  
 ekacchatreṇa sa mahīm pālayat yajñayā saha || 40  
 ante vairāgyasampanno gaṅgām sa labhate punaḥ |  
 sa tayā śraddhayā yukto gaṅgāyāṁ maraṇām labhet || 41  
 tathā tatra smṛtiṁ labdhvā mokṣam āpnoti sa dhruvam |  
 jyeṣṭe māsi site pakṣe daśamyāṁ hastasamyute || 42

ŚDhŚ 10.62  
 ŚDhŚ 10.63cd  
 ...  
 ŚDhŚ 10.64a

Parallel passages in the *Bṛhatkālottara*

**Bṛhatkālottara Chapter 61 (vratapaṭala)<sup>132</sup>**

kārttikeya uvāca	
vratāni saviśeṣena māsi māsi vada prabho	
yāvad vai vatsaram kṛtsnam prāṇinām snehavatsala    1	
īśvara uvāca	
kṛṣṇāṣṭamyaṁ mārgaśīrṣe naktabhojī yadā bhavet	
śāṃkaram nāma vai rudram bhavānyā saha pūjayed    2	ŚDhŚ 10.17
iha rabindunā devīm mahāśaṅkaranāmataḥ	
svamantrapari pūjām tu viśeṣeṇaiva kārayet    3	
īśvarām bindunā devīm mahāśaṅkaranāmataḥ	
agniṣṭomasya yajñasya phalam śataguṇam labhet	
gomūtraculukam pītvā haviṣyānnam tu kārayet    4	ŚDhŚ 10.18
śambhurudram ca śarvānyā pauṣe sampūjya pūrvavat	
śivabhaktāṁ tu sampūjya kṛṣṇāṣṭamyaṁ śikhidhvaja    5	ŚDhŚ 10.19
ācāryapūjām nirvartya goghṛtam tripalam pibet	
haviṣyānnam tato bhuktvā vājapeyaphalam labhet    6	ŚDhŚ 10.19d
māghe māseśvaram nāma kṛṣṇāṣṭamyaṁ prapūjayed	
ambikāsaḥasamyuktam pūrvavan mantrasamyutam    7	ŚDhŚ 10.20
śaivācāryān pūjyatvā kṣīram prāśya palatrayam	
gomedaḥāsatapunyam tu prāpnuyād vidhinā suta    8	
phālgunasyāśitāṣṭamyaṁ mahādevam samarcayet	
mālinīsaḥasamyuktam nityakṛtyād anantaram    9	ŚDhŚ 10.21
śivabhaktāya bhūr deyā tilān sampṛāśayet palam	
rājasūyāyutaphalam labhante śivayoginah    10	
caitre sthānum indrāṇīm ca kṛṣṇāṣṭamyaṁ prapūjayed	
śivabhaktam viśeṣena pratyāṣṭamyaṁ prapūjayed    11	ŚDhŚ 10.22
suvarṇavastre bhūmyādye vittasāṭhyam vinā tataḥ	
īśaddagdhām yavam prāśya aśvamedhaphalam labhet    12	

<sup>132</sup> Preliminary edition by Nirajan Kafle, based on MSS NGMPP A 24/29 and NGMPP A 43/1 (apparatus here omitted). Cruces (†...†) embrace text that we find difficult to interpret at the moment.

vaiśākhe śivanāmānam śaktyā saha samarcayet	
pūrvoktena vidhānena śivabhaktam sadārcayet	
kuśodakam ca śamprāśya naramedhaphalam labhet    13	ŚDhŚ 10.23
jyeṣṭhe paśupatim pūjya pārvat� sahitam sadā	ŚDhŚ 10.24a
nityam nirvartya tatraiva śampūjya vidhinā suta	
goviṣāṇodakam prāśya gomedhaphalam āpnuyāt    14	
āśāḍhe cograrudram tu manonmanyā sahārcayet	
kuśodakam tu śamprāśya rājyasūyaphalam labhet    15	ŚDhŚ 10.25
śrāvaṇe sarvanāmānam vāmaśaktyā sahārcayet	
padmodakam tu śamprāśya sarvajñaphalam labhet    16	ŚDhŚ 10.26
māsi bhādrapade ḍṭamyaṁ tryambakam nāma pūjyet	
jyeṣṭhāśaktisamāyuktam prāguktena vidhānataḥ    17	ŚDhŚ 10.27
prāśayed bilvapatram tu gurupūjād anantaram	
samyak kratuśatam tena kṛtam bhavati nānyathā    18	
māsi āśvayuje pūjya iśvaraṁ kāntayā saha	
ratnodakam tu śamprāśya pauṇḍarīkāyutam labhet    19	ŚDhŚ 10.28
kārttike rudranāmānam manonmanyā sahārcayet	
gurum śampūjya vidhivat prāśayet tu tathā dadhi	
agniṣṭomāyutam tena iṣṭam bhavati ṣaṇmukha    20	ŚDhŚ 10.29
varṣante bhojayed viprān śivabhaktiparāyaṇān	
bhūmikuṇjarapānaṁ ca ratnadraviṇavistaraiḥ    21	ŚDhŚ 10.30
pūjyet parayā bhaktyā vratānām yo gurur bhavet	
vittasāṭhyān mahāseṇa na tatphalam avāpnuyāt    22	
pauṣamāse tu śamprāpte pakṣayor ubhayoh suta	
caturdaśyām athāṣṭamām pūrṇamāsyām athāpi vā    23	ŚDhŚ 10.36
nityam nirvartya vidhivat tataḥ kāmyam samācaret	
višeṣapūjā tatraiva kartavyā śuddhacetasā    24	
naivedya yāvakaprastham khanḍakṣirādisaṁskṛtam	
rudrasaṁkhyā tu vai viprān bhojayec caiva dakṣayet    25	ŚDhŚ 10.39
vitastiṁtraprakṛtim yavāṣṭakavinirmitām	
saśringakhuralāṅgulāṁ kṛtabhūṣām tu kāreyet    26	
śivāya tu pradātavyā kapilā gurave tataḥ	
savāhanasamāyuktā vrata puṇyam ataḥ śṛṇu    27	ŚDhŚ 10.40
sūryakoṭipratikāśair vimānaiḥ sārvakāmikaiḥ	
rudravṛndasamākīrṇaiḥ rudrakanyasamāvṛttaiḥ    28	ŚDhŚ 10.41
vṛṣabhasyandanair yuktam nānāgītaravānvitam	
trisaptakulasamāyuktam yāty asau yatra śamkarah    29	ŚDhŚ 10.42–43

## *Appendix 8*

yāvāt tadromasām̄khyānām̄ tatprasūtikuleṣu ca |  
tāvadyugasahasrāṇī rudraloke mahīyate |  
samīpam̄ tu samāsādya sāyojyaṁ yāti cāntataḥ || 30  
anena vidhinā māghe khaḍgam̄ piṣṭamayam̄ śive |  
samarpya ca vidhānena cakravartipadam̄ labhet || 31  
phālgune tu yathā vajram̄ nivedyendrapadam̄ labhet || 32  
caitre śruvam̄ piṣṭamayam̄ nivedya ca śivāgrataḥ |  
mucyate brahmahatyāyāḥ śivalokam̄ avāpnuyāt || 33  
vaiśākhe māsi daṇḍāstraṁ śivasyāgre nivedayet |  
hastārddham̄ piṣṭakam̄ kāryam̄ pūjānte vinivedayet |  
mucyate pañcapāpebhyo rudraloke mahīyate || 34  
jyeṣṭhe piṣṭamayam̄ cakram̄ śivāya vinivedayet |  
mucyate tu kṛtaghnatvād̄ rudralokaṁ ca gacchati || 35  
āśādhe piṣṭajam̄ pāśam̄ śivāya vinivedayet |  
mucyate duṣkṛtaih̄ sarvair ihajanmāny asañcitaḥ || 36  
dhvajam̄ piṣṭamayam̄ yas tu śivasyāgre nivedayet |  
śrāvaṇe tu vidhānena so 'kṣayam̄ mokṣam̄ āpnuyāt || 37  
māsi bhādrapade yas tu gadām̄ piṣṭamayīm̄ dadet |  
nidhīśatvam̄ tu samprāpya śivaloke mahīyate || 38  
māsi āśvayuje śūlaṁ hastārddham̄ piṣṭasambhavam̄ |  
śivāya purato deyam̄ bhrūṇahatyām̄ vyapohati || 39  
kārttike tu yadā cakram̄ śivasyāgre samarpayet |  
saptajanmakṛtam̄ pāpam̄ dahaty agnir ivendhanam̄ || 40  
māsi vai mārgaśīrṣe tu kamalam̄ piṣṭasambhavam̄ |  
śivāya vinivedyaivam̄ sarvaiśvaryam̄ avāpnuyāt || 41  
sarvesām̄ caiva naktam̄ tu vratānām̄ kīrtitam̄ mayā |  
nityapūjām̄ tu nirvartya kāmyapūjām̄ tu kāreyet || 42  
māsi māsi groh̄ pūjā kartavyā tu pratigrham̄ |  
mahāpūjā vatsarānte kartavyā tu vidhānataḥ || 43  
guravo dakṣitavyās tu hemavastrānnavāhanaiḥ |  
tataḥ phalam iyāt pūrṇam̄ yathoktam̄ kṛttikāsuta |  
vittasāthyān mahāseṇa iṣṭāpūrtair viyujyate || 44  
aśvam̄ vai mārgaśīrṣe tu yaś ca piṣṭamayam̄ dadet |  
śivam̄ sampūjya vidhivat sūryaloke mahīyate |  
divyam̄ varṣasahasram̄ tu tadante syān mahīpatih̄ || 45  
pausye piṣṭamayau dantau śivasyāgre nivedayet |  
trisaptakulasamyuktaḥ śivaloke mahīyate || 46

divyam varśasahasram tu tadante syān mahīpatih |  
 cakravartī mahāvīrah sarvaiśvaryasamanvitah || 47  
 māghe cāśvarathaṁ yas tu śivāya vinivedayet |  
 uddharet so hi narakāt pitaraū rauravāditaḥ || 48  
 śivaloke tu vasate divyam varśāyatratrayam |  
 tadante tu mahīm kṛtsnām navakhaṇḍapatiḥ bhavet || 49  
 phālgune vṛṣayūtham tu piṣṭottham rudrasaṅkhyayā |  
 nivedya tu śirasīgre trailokyādhipatiḥ bhavet |  
 divyam varśasahasram tu tadante syān mahīpatih || 50  
 caitre gr̥ham ikṣumayaṁ dāsadāśīsamanvitam |  
 gr̥hopakaraṇair yuktam vicitrāttālacarcitam || 51  
 pūjānte parayā bhaktyā śivāya vinivedayet |  
 divyam varṣāsatāny aṣṭau rudraloke mahīyate |  
 jātismaras tadante tu cakravartipadam iyāt || 52  
 māsi vaiśākhasaṁjñē tu saptavrīhiśarāvakān |  
 śivāya purato dadyāt pūjānte prīticetasā || 53  
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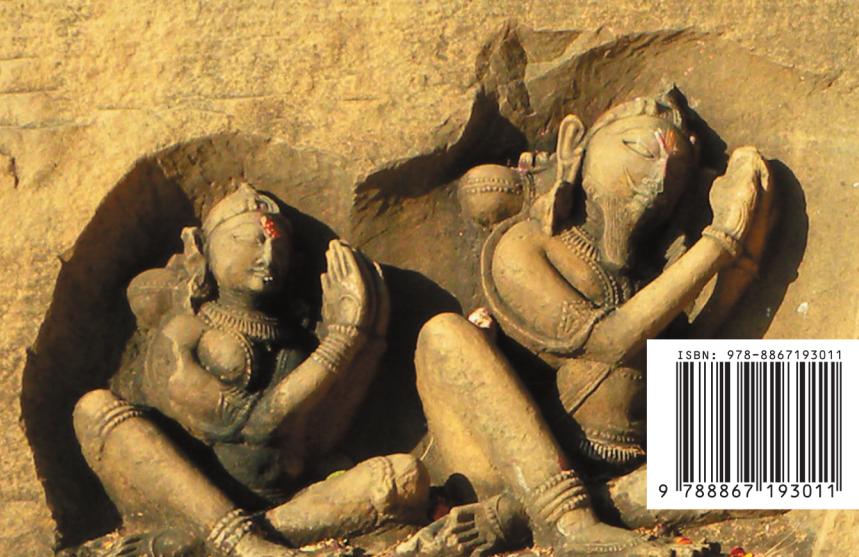
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