

Transliteration–Telugu

Transliteration as per Modified Harvard-Kyoto (HK) Convention
(including Telugu letters – Short e, Short o) -

a A i I u U
R RR IR IRR
e E ai o O au M (H or :)

(e – short | E – Long | o – short | O – Long)

k kh g gh n/G
c ch j jh n/J
T Th D Dh N
t th d dh n
p ph b bh m
y r l L v
S sh s h

(jn – as in jnAna)

brOva bhAramA-bahudAri

In the kRti ‘brOva bhAramA’ – rAga bahudAri, SrI tyAgarAja asks whether it is a burden for the Lord – the protector of the Universe – to protect him.

P brOva bhAramA raghu rAma
bhuvanam(e)lla nIvai nann(o)kani (brOva)

A SrI ¹vAsu dEva aNDa kOTla
²kukshini(y)uncukO lEdA nannu (brOva)

C kalaS(A)mbudhilO dayatOn-
³(a)marulakai(y)adi gAkA
⁴gOpikalakai koNDal(e)tta lEdA
karuNAkara tyAgarAjuni (brOva)

Gist
O Lord raghu rAma! O Lord SrI vAsu dEva! O Merciful Lord!

You being in and as entire Universe, is protecting me alone, a burden to You?
Aren’t You keeping crores of Universes in Your stomach?

Didn’t You, out of compassion, lift mountains – (once) in the Ocean of Milk for the sake of celestials, and again, for the sake of gOpis?

You being in and as entire Universe, is protecting this tyAgarAja alone a burden to You?

Word-by-word Meaning

P O Lord raghu rAma! You being in and as (nIvai) entire (ella) Universe (bhuvanamu) (bhuvanamella), is protecting (brOva) me (nannu) alone (okani) (nannokani), a burden (bhAramA) to You?

A O Lord SrI vAsu dEva! Aren't (lEdA) You keeping (uncukO) crores (kOTla) of Universes (aNDa) in Your stomach (kukshini) (kukshiniyuncukO)? therefore,

O Lord raghurAma! You being in and as entire Universe, is protecting me (nannu) alone, a burden to You?

C Didn't (lEdA) You, out of compassion (dayatOnu), lift (etta) mountains (koNDalu) (koNDaletta) –

(once) in the Ocean (ambudhilO) of Milk – from where pitcher of nectar (kalaSa) (kalaSAmbudhilO) emerged - for the sake of celestials (amarulakai), and again (adi gAka) (literally further) (dayatOnamarulakaiyadi), for the sake of gOpis (gOpikalakai)?

O Merciful Lord (karuNAkara)! O Lord raghu rAma! You being in and as entire Universe, is protecting this tyAgarAja (tyAgarAjuni) alone a burden to You?

Notes –

Variations –

References –

¹ – vAsudEva – vishNu sahasra nAma (332) – Please refer to website for meaning of the word -

<http://www.ecse.rpi.edu/Homepages/shivkuma/personal/music/vishnu-sahasranamam-meanings.htm>

² – kukshiniyuncukO lEdA – Please refer to SrImad-bhAgavataM, Book 3, Chapter 33 – (dEvahUti's prayer to Lord) –

sa tvam bhRtO mE jatharENa natha
katham nu yasyOdara etad-asIt ||
viSvam YugantE vaTa patra ekaH SEtE sma
mayA-SiSur-anghri-pAnaH || 4 ||

"As the Supreme Personality of Godhead, You have taken birth from my abdomen. O my Lord, how is that possible for the supreme one, who has in His belly all the cosmic manifestation? The answer is that it is possible, for at the end of the millennium You lie down on a leaf of a banyan tree, and just like a small baby, You lick the toe of Your lotus foot." - <http://vedabase.net/sb/3/33/en>

Also refer to episode of child kRshNa showing to His mother – yaSOda - the whole universe in his mouth – SrImad bhAgavataM, Book 10, Chapter 8 and SrImad-bhagavad-gItA – Chapter 11 – viSva rUpa darSana.

For description by vaishNava saints regarding the Lord having all the universes in His stomach, refer to –

<http://www.ibiblio.org/sripedia/oppiliappan/archives/nov05/msg00183.html>

³ – amarulakai – Refers to kUrmAvatAra of the Lord when He bore the mandara mountain on His back to enable churning of the Milk Ocean.

⁴ – gOpikalakai – Refers to lifting of the gOvardhana hillock to protect the gopis from the deluge of rain as a result of anger of indra.

Comments -

Devanagari

- प. ब्रोव भारमा रघु राम
भुवन(मे)ल नीवै न(न्नो)कनि (ब्रोव)
- अ. श्री वासु देव अण्ड कोट्ल
कुक्षिनि(यु)ञ्चुको लेदा नन्नु (ब्रोव)
- च. कल(शा)म्बुधिलो दयतो-
(न)मरुलकै(य)दि गाक
गोपिकलकै कोण्ड(ले)त्त लेदा
करुणाकर त्यागराजुनि (ब्रोव)

English with Special Characters

- pa. brōva bhāramā raghu rāma
bhuvana(me)lla nīvai na(nno)kani (brōva)
- a. śrī vāsu dēva aṇḍa kōṭla
kuksini(yu)ñcukō lēdā nannu (brōva)
- ca. kala(sā)mbudhilō dayatō-
(na)marulakai(ya)di gāka
gōpikalakai koṇḍa(le)tta lēdā
karuṇākara tyāgarājuni (brōva)

Telugu

- ప. బ్రోవ భారమా రఘు రామ
భువన(మె)ల్ల నీవై న(నొ)కని (బ్రోవ)
- అ. శ్రీ వాసు దేవ అణ్డ కోట్ల
కుక్షిని(యు)ఞ్చుకో లేదా నన్ను (బ్రోవ)
- చ. కల(శా)మ్బుధిలో దయతో-
(న)మరులకై(య)ది గాక
గోపికలకై కోణ్డ(లె)త్త లేదా
కరుణాకర త్యాగరాజుని (బ్రోవ)

Tamil

- ப. ப்ரோவ பாரமா ரகு⁴ ராம
புவன(மெ)ல்ல நீவை நன்(னொ)கனி (ப்ரோவ)

அ. ஸ்ரீ வாஸா தேவ அண்ட³ கோடல
 குக்ஷினி(யு)ஞ்சகோ லேதா³ நன்னு (ப்³ரோவ)
 ச. கல(ஸா)ம்புதி⁴லோ த³யதோ-
 (ன)மருலகைய)தி³ கா³க
 கோபிகலகை கொண்ட³(லெ)த்த லேதா³
 கருணாகர த்யாக³ராஜானி (ப்³ரோவ)

என்னொருவனைக் காத்தலுனக்கு பளுவா, இரு ராமா?
 புவனமெல்லாம் நீயாகவிருக்க

வாச தேவா! கோடிக்கணக்கான அண்டங்களை
 (உனது) வயிற்றினில் (நீ) கொள்ளவில்லையா?
 என்னைக் காத்தலுனக்கு பளுவா, இரு ராமா?
 புவனமெல்லாம் நீயாகவிருக்க

பாற்கடவில், தயையுடன்
 அமரருக்காகவும், மேலும்
 கோபியருக்காகவும், மலைகளைச் சுமக்கவில்லையா?
 கருணாகரா! தியாகராசனைக்
 காத்தலுனக்கு பளுவா, இரு ராமா?
 புவனமெல்லாம் நீயாகவிருக்க

வாச தேவன் - யாவற்றிலும் உள்ளுறைவோன்
 அமரருக்காக - ஆமையாக, மந்தர மலையைச் சுமந்தது
 கோபியருக்காக - கண்ணனாக, கோவர்த்தன மலையைச் சுமந்தது

Kannada

ப. சீலேவ ஭ாரமூ ரஃபு ராமே
 ஜ்வன(மீ)ல் நீவீ ந(நீல)க்னி (சீலேவ)
 அ. ஶ்ரீ வாஸு ஦ீவ அண் கீலேட்டு
 குக்ஷிந(யு)ஜூகீ லீடா நந்து (சீலேவ)
 ச. கெல(ஶா)ம்புதிலீ தயக்கீ-
 (ந)முருலக்கீ(ய)டி காக
 கீலீக்கெலக்கீ(லீ)த் லீடா
 க்ருணாகர தாராஜனி (சீலேவ)

Malayalam

ப. ஷேவாவ டோமா ரஹ்மா ராம
 டூவந(மெ)ல் நீவை ந(கொ)க்னி (ஷேவாவ)
 அ. ஶ்ரீ வாஸு தேவ அன்றை கோக்ல

কুক্ষিনি(যু)ঐবুকে লেও নন্দা (ভেবাব)
চ. কল(শা)ঘৰুয়িলো ওয়তো-
(ন)মরুলকে(য)তি গাক
গোপীকলকে কেৱলৰ লেদা নন্দা (ভেবাব)
কুক্ষিনি(যু)ঐবুকে লেদা নন্দা (ভেবাব)

Assamese

প. ৱোৱ ভাৰমা রঘু বাম
ভুবন(মে)ল্ল নীৰে ন(মো)কনি (ৱোৱ)
অ. শ্ৰী বাসু দেৱ অণু কোট্ট
কুক্ষিনি(যু)ঐবুকে লেদা নন্দা (ৱোৱ)
চ. কল(শা)স্বধিলো দয়তো-
(ন)মৰুলকে(য)তি গাক
গোপীকলকে কোণ(লে)ত লেদা
কৰণাকৰ আগৱাজুনি (ৱোৱ)

Bengali

প. ৱোৱ ভাৰমা রঘু রাম
ভুবন(মে)ল্ল নীৰে ন(মো)কনি (ৱোৱ)
অ. শ্ৰী বাসু দেৱ অণু কোট্ট
কুক্ষিনি(যু)ঐবুকে লেদা নন্দা (ৱোৱ)
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গোপীকলকে কোণ(লে)ত লেদা
কৰণাকৰ আগৱাজুনি (ৱোৱ)

Gujarati

પ. બ્રોવ ભારમા રધુ રામ
ભુવન(મે)લ્લ નીવૈ ન(જ્ઞાં)કનિ (બ્રોવ)
અ. શ્રી વાસુ દેવ અણુ ક્રૈટ્લ
કુક્ષિનિ(ધુ)અણુકી લેદા નજ્ઞુ (બ્રોવ)

ચ. કલ(શા)મ્બુધિલો દયતો-
(ન)મરાલકે(ય)દિ ગાડક
ગોપિકલકે કોણદ(લે)ત લેદા
કરાણાકર ત્યાગરાજુનિ (બ્રોવ)

Oriya

પ. બ્રોષ ભારતા રઘુ વામ
ભૂખન(મો)લ્લ ન16ઝે ન(નો)કનિ (બ્રોષ)
અ. શ્રી ખાસુ દેખિ અણ કોણું
કૂષિનિ(યુ)થુંકો લેદા નન્ન (બ્રોષ)
ચ. કલ(શા)મૃધિલો દયતો-
(ન)મરૂલકે(ય)દિ ગાલ
ગોપિકલકે કોણિ(લે)ઓ લેદા
કરૂણાકર ત્યાગરાજુનિ (બ્રોષ)

Punjabi

ਪ. ਬੋਵ ਭਾਰਮਾ ਰਘੁ ਰਾਮ
ਭੁਵਨ(ਮੇ)ਲਲ ਨੀਵੈ ਨ(ਨੌ)ਕਨਿ (ਬੋਵ)
ਅ. ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਵਾਸੁ ਦੇਵ ਅਣਡ ਕੋਟਲ
ਕੁਕਿਸ਼ਨਿ(ਯੁ)ਵਚੁਕੋ ਲੇਦਾ ਨੱਨ (ਬੋਵ)
ਚ. ਕਲ(ਸ਼ਾ)ਮਥੁਰਿਲੋ ਦਯਤੋ-
(ਨ)ਮਰੁਲਕੈ(ਯ)ਦਿ ਗਾਕ
ਗੋਪਿਕਲਕੈ ਕੋਣਿ(ਲੇ)ਤਤ ਲੇਦਾ
ਕਰੁਣਾਕਰ ਤ੍ਯਾਗਰਾਜੁਨਿ (ਬੋਵ)