

CHANAKYA NEETHI - CHAPTER 11

dātṛtvam priyavaktṛtvam dhīratvamuchitajñatā □
abhyāsēna na labhyantē chatvāraḥ sahajā guṇāḥ □ 01 □

ātmavargaṃ parityajya paravargaṃ samāśrayēt □
svayamēva layaṃ yāti yathā rājānyadharmataḥ □ 02 □

hastī sthūlatanuḥ sa chāṅkuśavaśaḥ kiṃ hastimātrō'ṅkuśō
dīpē prajvalitē praṇasyati tamaḥ kiṃ dīpamātram tamaḥ □
vajrēṇāpi hatāḥ patanti girayaḥ kiṃ vajramātram nagā-
stējō yasya virājatē sa balavānsthūlēṣu kaḥ pratyayaḥ □ 03 □

kalau daśasahasrāṇi haristyajati mēdinīm □
tadardham jāhnavītōyaṃ tadardham grāmadēvatāḥ □ 04 □

gṛhāsaktasya nō vidyā nō dayā māṃsabhōjinaḥ □
dravyalubdhasya nō satyaṃ straiṇasya na pavitratā □ 05 □

na durjanaḥ sādharmaśāmupaiti
bahuprakārairapi śikṣyamāṇaḥ □
āmūlasiktaḥ payasā ghṛtēna
na nimbavṛkṣō madhuratvamēti □ 06 □

antargatamalō duṣṭastīrthasānāśatairapi □
na śudhyati yathā bhāṇḍam surāyā dāhitam cha sat □ 07 □

na vētti yō yasya guṇaprakarṣam
sa tam sadā nindati nātra chitram □
yathā kirātī karikumbhalabdhām
muktām parityajya bibharti guṅjām □ 08 □

yē tu saṃvatsaram pūrṇam nityam maunēna bhuñjatē □
yugakōṭīśahasram taiḥ svargalōkē mahīyatē □ 09 □

kāmakrōdhau tathā lōbham svāduśaṅgārakautukē □
atinidrātisēvē cha vidyārthī hyaṣṭa varjayēt □ 10 □

akṛṣṭaphalamūlēna vanavāsarataḥ sadā □
kurutē'harahaḥ śrāddhamṣirvipraḥ sa uchyatē □ 11 □

ĕkĕhĕrĕᅇa santuᅇᅇaᅇ ᅇaᅇkarmanirataᅇ sadĕ 12

laukikĕ karmaᅇi rataᅇ paᅇᅇnĕm paripĕlakaᅇ 13

lĕkᅇaditailanĕlĕnĕm kausumbhamadhusarpiᅇĕm 14

parakĕryavihantĕ cha dĕmbhikaᅇ svĕrthasĕdhakaᅇ 15

vĕpĕkĕpataᅇĕĕgĕnĕmĕrĕmasuravĕᅇmanĕm 16

dĕvadravaᅇm gurudravaᅇm paradĕrĕbhimarᅇanam 17

dĕyaᅇm bhĕjyadhanaᅇm dhanam sukᅇtibhirnĕ saᅇchayastasya vai
ᅇrĕkarᅇasya balĕᅇcha vikramapatĕradyĕpi kĕrtiᅇ sthitĕ 18