

## Transliteration–Telugu

Transliteration as per 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 G  
c ch j jh J (jn – as in jnAna)  
T Th D Dh N  
t th d dh n  
p ph b bh m  
y r l L v  
z S s h

### ElarA zrI kRSNA-kAmbhOji

In the kRti 'ElarA zrI kRSNA' – rAga kAmbhOji, zrI tyAgaraja prays to Lord kRSNa to have mercy on him.

(As per remarks available in the book of TKG, this kRti is believed to be not written by zrI tyAgarAja, but sung by certain lineage of disciples of zrI tyAgarAja.) (This kRti is available only in the book of TKG.)

- P ElarA zrI kRSNA nAtO  
calamu(y)ElarA kRSNA nIk(Ela)
- A ElarA I bAdha tALA  
jAlarA daya jUDa nIk(Ela)
- C1 zrI ramA lOla nannu brOva  
bhAramA ninnu nammina nApai  
nEramA(y)iTu mamm(e)JcitE  
dUramA nIku gambhIramA nIk(Ela)
- C2 rAga rahita rAga rasika  
yAga yOga bhOga phalada  
nAga zayana nAga ripu nuta  
tyAgarAja kar(A)rcita nIk(Ela)

#### Gist

O Lord kRSNA! O Beloved of lakSmI! O Lord bereft of attachments! O Connoisseur of music! O bestower of fruits of sacrificial oblations, asceticism and Enjoyment! O Recliner on the couch of zESa! O Lord praised by garuDa! O Lord worshipped by the very hands of this tyAgarAja!

Why this obstinacy with me in showing grace? I am unable to bear this trouble; is it a burden to protect me? is there any fault on me who has believed You? is it any distance if You consider me this way? is it majestic for You?

#### Word-by-word Meaning

P Why (ElarA), O Lord kRSNA! Why (ElarA) this obstinacy (calamu) (calamuyElarA) with me (nAtO)? O Lord kRSNA!

A Why (ElarA)? I am unable (jAlarA) to bear (tALa) this (I) trouble (bAdha);

why, O Lord kRSNA! why do You (nIku) have this obstinacy with me in showing (jUDA) grace (daya)? O Lord kRSNA!

C1 O Beloved (lOlA) (literally enamoured) of lakSmI (zrI ramA)! Is it a burden (bhAramA) to protect (brOva) me (nannu)? Is there any fault (nEramA) on me (nApai) who has believed (nammina) You (ninnu)?

Is it any distance (dUramA) if You consider (eJcitE) me (mammu) (literally us) (mammeJcitE) this way (iTU) (nEramAyiTU)? Is it majestic (gambhIramA) (literally depth) for You (nIku)?

why, O Lord kRSNA! why do You (nIku) have this obstinacy with me? O Lord kRSNA!

C2 O Lord bereft (rahita) of attachments (rAga)! O Connoisseur (rasika) of music (rAga) (literally allay tune)! O bestower of fruits (phalada) of sacrificial oblations (yAga), asceticism (yOga) and Enjoyment (bhOga)!

O Recliner (zayana) on the couch of zESa – the serpent (nAga)! O Lord praised (nutA) by garuDa – the enemy (ripu) of serpents (nAga)! O Lord worshipped (arcita) by the very hands (kara) (karArcita) of this tyAgarAja!

why, O Lord kRSNA! why do You (nIku) have this obstinacy with me? O Lord kRSNA!

Notes –

C2 – yAga yOga bhOga phalada – there is some doubt about these wordings, because bhOga is indeed the fruit of yAga and yOga; therefore, what is the fruit of bhOga? Any suggestions ???

## Devanagari

प. एलरा श्री कृष्णा नातो

चलमु(ये)लरा कृष्णा नी(केलरा)

अ. एलरा ई बाध ताळ

जालरा दय जूड नी(केलरा)

च1. श्रीरमा लोल नन्हु ब्रोव

भारमा निन्हु नम्मिन नापै

नेरमा(यि)टु म(म्मे)ञ्चिते

दूरमा नीकु गम्भीरमा नी(केल)

च2. राग रहित राग रसिक

याग योग भोग फलद

नाग शयन नाग रिपु नुत

त्यागराज क(रा)चित नी(केल)

## **English with Special Characters**

pa. ēlarā śrī kṛṣṇā nātō

calamu(yē)larā kṛṣṇā nī(kēlarā)

a. ēlarā ī bādha tāla

jālarā daya jūḍa nī(kēlarā)

ca1. śrīramā lōla nannu brōva

bhāramā ninnu nammina nāpai

nēramā(yi)ṭu ma(mme)ñcitē

dūramā nīku gambhīramā nī(kēla)

ca2. rāga rahita rāga rasika

yāga yōga bhōga phalada

nāga śayana nāga ripu nuta

tyāgarāja ka(rā)rcita nī(kēla)

## **Telugu**

ప. ఏలరా శ్రీ కృష్ణా నాతో

వలము(యే)లరా కృష్ణా నీ(కేలరా)

అ. ఏలరా ఈ బాధ తాళ

జాలరా దయ జూడ నీ(కేలరా)

చ1. శ్రీరమా లోల సన్ను బ్రోవ

భారమా నిన్ను సమ్మిన నాటై

నేరమా(యి)టు మ(మ్మె)జ్ఞితే

దూరమా నీకు గమ్మిరమా నీ(కేల)

చ2. రాగ రహిత రాగ రసిక

యాగ యోగ భోగ ఫలద

నాగ శయన నాగ రిపు నుత

త్యాగరాజ క(రా)రిచుత నీ(కేల)

## **Tamil**

ப. ஏலரா ஸ்ரீ க்ருஷ்ணா நாதோ

சலமு(யே)லரா க்ருஷ்ணா நீ(கேலரா)

அ. ஏலரா ஈ பா<sup>3</sup>த<sup>4</sup> தாள

- ಜ್ಞಾಲರಾ ತಂತ್ಯ ಜ್ಞಾಲ್ತಂತ್ಯ ನೀ(ಕೇಲರಾ)
- ಚ1. ಶ್ರೀರಮಾ ಲೋಲ ನನ್ನನು ಪ್ರಾರೋವ  
ಪಾರಮಾ ನಿನ್ನನು ನಮ್ಮಿನ ನಾಬೆ  
ನೇರಮಾ(ಯಿ)ಡು ಮಮ(ಮೆ)ಂಕಿತೆ  
ತೂರಮಾ ನೀಕು ಕಂಪ್ರೆರಮಾ ನೀ(ಕೇಲ)
- ಚ2. ರಾಕ್ ರಖಿತ ರಾಕ್ ರಳಿಕ  
ಯಾಕ್ ಯೋಕ್ ಪೋಕ್ ಪಲತ್  
ನಾಕ್ ಸಾಯನ ನಾಕ್ ರಿಪು ನುತ  
ತಯಾಕ್ರಾಜ್ ಕರಾರ್ಸಿತ ನೀ(ಕೇಲ)

ಉನಕೆನಯ್ಯಾ ಎನ್ನಿಟಮ್  
ಪಿಧಿವಾತಮೆನಯ್ಯಾ? ಕನ್ನಣಾ

ಎನಯ್ಯಾ! ಇತ್ತುಯರಮ ತಾಳ  
ವಿಯಲೇಂ; ತಯೆ ಚೆಯ್ಯ  
ಉನಕೆನಯ್ಯಾ ಎನ್ನಿಟಮ್  
ಪಿಧಿವಾತಮೆನಯ್ಯಾ? ಕನ್ನಣಾ!

1. ಇಲಕ್ಕುಮಿ ಕೇಂವಾ! ಎನ್ನೆನಕ ಕಾತ್ತಲ್  
ಪಗ್ನುವಾ? ಉನ್ನನೆ ನಮ್ಮಿನ ಎನ್ಮೀತು  
ಗುರ್ರಮಾ? ಇವವನ್ನಾಮ ಎಮ್ಮೆದೆಯನ್ನಿನಾಲ್  
ತೂರಮಾ? ಉನಕ್ಕುಪ ಪೆರುಂತನ್ನಮಯಾ?  
ಉನಕೆನಯ್ಯಾ ಎನ್ನಿಟಮ್  
ಪಿಧಿವಾತಮೆನಯ್ಯಾ? ಕನ್ನಣಾ!
2. ಇಂಚೆಕಳಾರ್ಥ್ರೋಣೆ! ಇಂಚ ನುಕರ್ವೋಣೆ!  
ವೇಂಬಿ, ಯೋಕಮ, ಇಂಪಂಕಳೆನ್ನುಮ ಪಯನರುಂವೋಣೆ!  
ಅರವಣಾತ ತುಪಿಲವೋಣೆ! ಕರ್ನುಟನಾಲ ಪೋರ್ರಪ ಪೆರ್ಥ್ರೋಣೆ!  
ತಿಯಾಕರಾಕಣಿಲ ಕರಂಕಳಾಲ ತೊழ್ಘಪಿಪರ್ಥ್ರೋಣೆ!  
ಉನಕೆನಯ್ಯಾ ಎನ್ನಿಟಮ್  
ಪಿಧಿವಾತಮೆನಯ್ಯಾ? ಕನ್ನಣಾ!

## Kannada

ಪ. ಏಲರಾ ಶ್ರೀ ಶ್ರೀಷ್ಟಾ ನಾತೋ

ಚೆಲಮು(ಯೀ)ಲರಾ ಶ್ರೀಷ್ಟಾ ನೀ(ಕೇಲರಾ)

ಅ. ಏಲರಾ ಈ ಭಾಧ ತಾಳ

ಜಾಲರಾ ದಯ ಜೂಡ ನೀ(ಕೇಲರಾ)

ಚಗ. ಶ್ರೀರಮಾ ಲೋಲ ನನ್ನ ಬ್ರೋಹೆ

ಭಾರಮಾ ನಿನ್ನ ನಮ್ಮಿನ ನಾಬೈ

ನೇರಮಾ(ಯಿ)ಟು ಮ(ಮೈ)ಜ್ಞಾತೀ

ଦୂରମ୍ବା ନୀକୁ ଗମ୍ଭୀରମ୍ବା ନୀ(ଶେଳ)

ଜେ. ରାଗ ରହିତ ରାଗ ରଶିକ

ଯାଗ ଯୋଗ ଭୋଗ ଫଲଦ

ନାଗ ଶୟନ ନାଗ ରିପୁ ନୁତ

ତୃଗୀରାଜ କରାରିଷ୍ଟ ନୀ(ଶେଳ)

### **Malayalam**

പ. ഏലരാ ശ്രീ കൃഷ്ണാ നാതോ  
ചലമു(യേ)ലരാ കൃഷ്ണാ നീ(കേലരാ)

ഒ. ഏലരാ ഇന ബാധ താള  
ജാലരാ ദയ ജുധ നീ(കേലരാ)

ച1. ശ്രീരമാ ലോല നന്ന ഭേവാവ  
ഭാരമാ നിന്ന നമ്മിന നാപൈ  
സേരമാ(യി)ടു മ(മെ)ഞ്ചിതേ  
ദുരമാ നീകു ശമ്ഭീരമാ നീ(കേല)  
ച2. രാഗ രഹിത രാഗ രസിക  
യാഗ യോഗ ഭോഗ പലദ  
നാഗ ശയന നാഗ റിപു നുത  
തୃഗୀരାଜ കରାରିଷ୍ଟ നീ(കേല)

### **Assamese**

প. এলৰা শ্ৰী কৃষ্ণা নাতো

চলমু(য়ে)লৰা কৃষ্ণা নী(কেলৰা)

অ. এলৰা দৈ বাধ তাল

জালৰা দয় জূড নী(কেলৰা)

চ1. শ্ৰীৰমা লোল নমু ব্ৰোৱ

ভাৰমা নিমু নম্মিন নাপৈ

নেৰমা(য়ি)টু ম(স্মে)ঞ্চিতে

দূৰমা নীকু গত্তীৰমা নী(কেল)

চ2. ৰাগ ৰহিত ৰাগ ৰসিক

য়াগ যোগ ভোগ ফলদ

নাগ শয়ন নাগ ৰিপু নুত

આગરાજ કરોડિત ની(કેલ)

### **Bengali**

প. এলরা শ্রী কৃষ্ণ নাতো

চলমু(য়ে)লরা কৃষ্ণ নী(কেলরা)

অ. এলরা ঈ বাধ তাল

জালরা দয় জূড নী(কেলরা)

চ১. শ্রীরমা লোল নমু ঝোব

ভারমা নিমু নমিন নাপৈ

নেরমা(যি)টু ম(ম্যে)ঞ্চিতে

দূরমা নীকু গন্তীরমা নী(কেল)

চ২. রাগ রঞ্জিত রাগ রসিক

য়াগ যোগ ভোগ ফলদ

নাগ শয়ন নাগ রিপু নুত

আগরাজ করো(ডি)চিত নী(কেল)

### **Gujarati**

પ. અલરા શ્રી કૃષ્ણા નાતો

ચલમુ(થે)લરા કૃષ્ણા ની(કેલરા)

અ. અલરા ઈ બાધ તાળ

જાલરા દય જૂડ ની(કેલરા)

ચ૧. શ્રીરમા લોલ નજ્જુ બ્રોવ

ભારમા નિજ્જુ નમિન નાપૈ

નેરમા(થિ)ટુ મ(મું)ચિચ્યતે

દૂરમા નીકુ ગમભીરમા ની(કેલ)

ચ૨. રાગ રહિત રાગ રસિક

યાગ યોગ ભોગ ફલદ

નાગ શયન નાગ રિપુ નુત

ત્યાગરાજ ક(રા)ચિત ની(કેલ)

## **Oriya**

ପ. ଏଲରା ଶ୍ରୀ କୃଷ୍ଣ ନାତେ  
 ଚଲମୁ(ଯେ)ଲରା କୃଷ୍ଣ ନୀ(କେଲରା)  
 ଅ. ଏଲରା ଛ ବାଧ ତାଳ  
 ଜାଲରା ଦୟ କୁଡ଼ ନୀ(କେଲରା)  
 ୭୧. ଶ୍ରୀରମା ଲୋଳ ନନ୍ଦ ବ୍ରୋହି  
 ଭାରମା ନିନ୍ଦ ନନ୍ଦିନ ନାପୈ  
 ନେରମା(ଯେ)ତୁ ମମେ(ଷିତେ)  
 ଦୂରମା ନୀକୁ ଗମ୍ଭୀରମା ନୀ(କେଲ)  
 ୭୨. ରାଗ ରହିତ ରାଗ ରସିକ  
 ଯାଗ ଯୋଗ ଭୋଗ ଫଳଦ  
 ନାଗ ଶିଥିନ ନାଗ ରିପୁ ନୁଡ  
 ତ୍ୟାଗରାଜ କରା(ରିତ ନୀ(କେଲ))

## **Punjabi**

ਪ. ਏਲਰਾ ਸ੍ਰੀ ਕ੍ਰਿਸ਼ਨ ਨਾਤੇ  
 ਚਲਮੁ(ਯੇ)ਲਰਾ ਕ੍ਰਿਸ਼ਨ ਨੀ(ਕੇਲਰਾ)  
 ਅ. ਏਲਰਾ ਈ ਬਾਧ ਤਾਲ  
 ਜਾਲਰਾ ਦਯ ਜੂਡ ਨੀ(ਕੇਲਰਾ)  
 ਚ੧. ਸ੍ਰੀਰਮਾ ਲੋਲ ਨੱਨ ਬੋਵ  
 ਭਾਰਮਾ ਨਿਨ੍ਦ ਨਨਦਿਨ ਨਾਪੈ  
 ਨੇਰਮਾ(ਯੇ)ਤੁ ਮਮੇ(ਵਿਚਤੇ)  
 ਦੂਰਮਾ ਨੀਕੁ ਗਮ੍ਭੀਰਮਾ ਨੀ(ਕੇਲ)  
 ਚ੨. ਰਾਗ ਰਹਿਤ ਰਾਗ ਰਸਿਕ  
 ਯਾਗ ਯੋਗ ਭੋਗ ਫਲਦ  
 ਨਾਗ ਸ਼ਿਥਿਨ ਨਾਗ ਰਿਪੁ ਨੂਡ  
 ਤ੍ਯਾਗਰਾਜ ਕਰਾ(ਰਿਤ ਨੀ(ਕੇਲ))  
 ਚ੩. ਰਾਗ ਰਹਿਤ ਰਾਗ ਰਸਿਕ  
 ਯਾਗ ਯੋਗ ਭੋਗ ਫਲਦ  
 ਨਾਗ ਸ਼ਿਥਿਨ ਨਾਗ ਰਿਪੁ ਨੂਡ  
 ਚ੪. ਸ੍ਰੀਰਮਾ ਲੋਲ ਨੱਨ ਬੋਵ  
 ਭਾਰਮਾ ਨਿਨ੍ਦ ਨਨਦਿਨ ਨਾਪੈ  
 ਨੇਰਮਾ(ਯੇ)ਤੁ ਮਮੇ(ਵਿਚਤੇ)  
 ਦੂਰਮਾ ਨੀਕੁ ਗਮ੍ਭੀਰਮਾ ਨੀ(ਕੇਲ)  
 ਚ੫. ਰਾਗ ਰਹਿਤ ਰਾਗ ਰਸਿਕ  
 ਯਾਗ ਯੋਗ ਭੋਗ ਫਲਦ  
 ਨਾਗ ਸ਼ਿਥਿਨ ਨਾਗ ਰਿਪੁ ਨੂਡ

ਤਜਾਰਾਜ ਕ(ਰਾ)ਰਿਚਤ ਨੀ(ਕੇਲ)