

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

nAma kusuma-zrIrAgaM

In the kRti ‘nAma kusumamulacE’ – rAga zrIrAgaM, zrI tyAgarAja exhorts his mind to worship the Lord in the altar of mind.

- P nAma kusumamulacE pUjiJcE
nara janmamE janmanu manasA
- A zrIman-mAnasa kanaka pITHamuna
celaga jEsukoni vara ziva rAma (nAma)
- C nAda svaram(a)nE vara nava ratnapu
vEdikpai sakala lIIA
vinOduni parmAtmuni zrI rAmuni
pAdamulanu tyAgarAja hRt-bhUSaNuni (nAma)

Gist

O My Mind! That human birth is indeed a birth in which, having made the Lord to shine in the beautiful golden pedestal of mind, one worships with flowers of best and auspicious name of ‘rAma’.

That human birth is indeed a birth in which one worships, on the holy altar of precious jewels called nAda and svara, the feet of the Supreme Lord zrI rAma who plays all the Sports, the Lord who adorns the heart of this tyAgarAja, with the flowers of His names.

Word-by-word Meaning

P O My Mind (manasA)! That human (nara) birth (janmanE) is indeed a birth (janmamu) in which one worships (pUjiJcE) with the flowers (kusumamulacE) of names (nAma) of Lord.

A O My Mind! That human birth is indeed a birth in which –
having made (jEsukoni) the Lord to shine (celaga) in the beautiful (zrIman) golden (kanaka) pedestal (pITHamuna) of mind (mAnasa),
one worships with flowers of best (vara) and auspicious (ziva) name of ‘rAma’.

C O My Mind! That human birth is indeed a birth in which one worships,
 on the holy (vara) altar (vEdikapai) of precious jewels (nava ratnapu)
 called (anE) nAda and svara (svaramanE),
 the feet (pAdamulanu) of the Supreme Lord (paramAtmuni) zrI rAma
 (rAmuni) who plays (vinOda) (vinOduni) all (sakala) the Sports (III A),
 the Lord who adorns (bhUSaNuni) the heart (hRt) (hRt-bhUSaNuni) of
 this tyAgarAja,
 with the flowers of His names.

Notes –

A – jEsukoni – It has been given as ‘jEsikoni’ in all the books. However, in my humble opinion, this should be ‘jEsukoni’. This needs to be checked. Any suggestions ???

A – ziva rAma – In the books of CR and TSV/AKG, the word ‘ziva’ has been taken to mean ‘Lord ziva’. In my opinion, the word qualifies ‘Lord rAma’; therefore, the meaning derived is ‘auspicious’. Any suggestions ???

Devanagari

- प. नाम कुसुममुलचे पूजिञ्चे
नर जन्ममे जन्ममु मनसा
- अ. श्रीमन्मानस कनक पीठमुन
चेलग जेसुकोनि वर शिव राम (ना)
- च. नाद स्वर(म)ने वर नव रत्नपु
वेदिकपै सकल लीला
विनोदुनि परमात्मुनि श्री रामुनि
पादमुलनु त्यागराज हृद्भूषणुनि (ना)

English with Special Characters

- pa. nāma kusumamulacē pūjiñcē
nara janmamē janmamu manasā
- a. śrīmanmānasa kanaka pīthamuna
celaga jēsukoni vara śiva rāma (nā)
- ca. nāda svara(ma)nē vara nava ratnapu
vēdikapai sakala līlā
vinōduni paramātmuni śrī rāmuni
pādamulanu tyāgarāja hṛdbhūṣaṇuni (nā)

Telugu

ప. నామ కుసుమములచే పూజించ్చ
 నర జన్మమే జన్మము మనసా
 అ. శ్రీమన్మానస కనక హీరమున
 చెలగ జేసుకొని వర శివ రామ (నా)
 చ. నాద స్వరమును వర నవ రత్నపు
 వేదిక్కపై సకల లీలా
 వినోదుని పరమాత్మని శ్రీ రాముని
 పాదములను త్యాగరాజ హృద్యాషణని (నా)

Tamil

ப. நாம குஸாமமுலசே பூஜிஞ்சே
 நர ஜன்மமே ஜனமமு மனஸா
 அ. ஸ்ரீமண்-மானஸ கனக பீட²முன
 செலக³ ஜேஸாகொனி வர ஸிவ ராம (நாம)
 ச. நாத³ ஸ்வரம்)னே வர நவ ரத்னபு
 வேதிக்கபை ஸகல லீலா
 வினோது³னி பரமாத்மனி ஸ்ரீராமுனி
 பாதமுலனு த்யாகராஜ ஹ்ருத பூ⁴ஷணுனி (நாம)

நாமமெனும் மலர்கொடு வழிபடும்
 மனிதப் பிறவியே பிறவியாகும், மனமே!

உயர் மனமெனும் பொற்பீடத்தினில் (இறைவனை)
 ஒளிரச்செய்து, புனித, மங்களமான இராம
 நாமமெனும் மலர்கொடு வழிபடும்
 மனிதப் பிறவியே பிறவியாகும், மனமே!

நாதம், சுரமெனும் சிறந்த, நவரத்தின
 வேதிகையின்மீது, அனைத்து திருவிளையாடல்கள்
 புரிவோனின், பரம்பொருளின், தியாகாராசனின்
 இதயத்தினை அவங்கரிப்போனின், இராமனின் திருவடிகளை
 (அவனது) நாமமெனும் மலர்கொடு வழிபடும்
 மனிதப் பிறவியே பிறவியாகும், மனமே!

வேதிகை - பீடம்

Kannada

ప. నామ సుసుమములచే ప్రోజెక్షన్
 నర జన్మమే జన్మము మనసా

- ଓ. ත්‍රීමෙනු නස් කෙනක හිංතමුන
ස්ථිලග සීසුක්කොනි වර තීව රාම (නා)
ඡ. නාද සුර(ම)නේ වර නව රත්තුප්පේ
වේදිකප්පේ සේල එලා
විනෝදුනි පරමාත්මානි ත්‍රී රාමුනි
පාදමුලන් තුළග්‍රාජ කුදුංශුලානි (නා)

Malayalam

- പ. നാമ കുസുമമുലചേ പുജിതേ
നര ജനമേ ജനമു മനസാ
അ. ശ്രീമഹാനസ കനക പീംമുന
ചെലഗ ജേസുകോനി വര ശിവ രാമ (നാ)
ച. നാദ സ്വര(മ)നേ വര നവ രത്നപു
വേദികപൈ സകല ലീലാ
വിനോദുനി പരമാത്മുനി ശ്രീ രാമുനി
പാദമുലനു ത്യാഗരാജ ഹൃദയുഷണുനി (നാ)

Assamese

- প. නାମ କୁସୁମମୁଲଚେ ପୂଜିଥେ
ନର ଜନମେ ଜନମୁ ମନସା
অ. ଶ୍ରୀମନ୍ୟାନସ କନକ ପିଠମୁନ
ଚେଲଗ ଜେସୁକୋନି ରବ ଶିର ବାମ (ନା)
ଚ. ନାଦ ଶ୍ଵର(ମ)ନେ ରବ ନର ବନ୍ଧପୁ
ରେଦିକପୈ ସକଳ ଲୀଲା
ରିନୋଦୁନି ପରମାତ୍ମାନି ଶ୍ରୀ ବାମୁନି
ପାଦମୁଲନୁ ଆଗବାଜ ହତ୍ତ୍ଵଶଗୁନି (ନା)

Bengali

- প. නାମ କୁସୁମମୁଲଚେ ପୂଜିଥେ
ନର ଜନମେ ଜନମୁ ମନସା
অ. ଶ୍ରୀମନ୍ୟାନସ କନକ ପିଠମୁନ

ચેલગ જેસુકોનિ બર શિવ રામ (ના)

ચ. નાદ સ્વર(મ)ને બર નવ રત્નપુ

વેદિકાપૈ સકળ લીલા

વિનોદુનિ પરમાત્માનિ શ્રી રામુનિ

પાદમૂલનુ આગરાજ હંકૃષણુનિ (ના)

Gujarati

પ. નામ કુસુમમુલયે પૂજિયે

નર જ્યમે જ્યમુ મનસા

અ. શ્રીમન્માનસ કનક પીઠમુન

થેલગ જેસુકોનિ વર શિવ રામ (ના)

થ. નાદ સ્વર(મ)ને વર નવ રત્નપુ

વેદિકાપૈ સકળ લીલા

વિનોદુનિ પરમાત્માનિ શ્રી રામુનિ

પાદમૂલનુ ત્યાગરાજ હંકૃષણુનિ (ના)

Oriya

પ. નામ કુશુમમૂલદે પૂજિશે

નર જન્મને જન્મમુ મનસા

અ. શ્રીમન્નાનસ કનક પાઠમૂન

ચેલગ જેસુકોનિ ખર શ્રી રામ (ના)

ચ. નાદ સ્વર(મ)ને ખર નહિ રત્નપુ

ખેદિકાપૈ પકળ લીલા

ખિનોદુનિ પરમાત્માનિ શ્રી રામુનિ

પાદમૂલનુ ત્યાગરાજ હંકૃષણુનિ (ના)

Punjabi

ਪ. નામ કુસુમમુલદે પૂજિછે

નર જનમદે જનમમુ મનસા

ਅ. ਸ੍ਰੀਮਨਮਾਨਸ ਕਨਕ ਪੀਠਮੁਨ

ਚੇਲਗ ਜੇਸੁਕੋਨਿ ਵਰ ਸ਼ਿਵ ਰਾਮ (ਨਾ)

ਚ. ਨਾਦ ਸੂਰ(ਮ)ਨੇ ਵਰ ਨਵ ਰਤਨਪੁ

ਵੇਦਿਕਪੈ ਸਕਲ ਲੀਲਾ

ਵਿਨੈਦੁਨਿ ਪਰਮਾਤਮੁਨਿ ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਰਾਮੁਨਿ

ਪਾਦਮੁਲਨੁ ਤਜਾਗਾਰਾਜ ਹਿੰਦੁਭੂਸ਼ਣੁਨਿ (ਨਾ)