७७। वितः क्रेंगः चैतः त्यामाने सः सर्हेनः पत्यायः स्री ।

The Treasury of Blessings

A Practice of Buddha Śākyamuni

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Namo guru śākyamunaye!

हीयन्तर्यः नियः सुः हो स्वर्धः स्वरं स्

In the Samādhirāja Sūtra it is said: 'Those who, while walking, sitting, standing, or sleeping, recollect the moon-like Buddha, will always be in Buddha's presence and will attain the vast nirvāṇa.' And: 'His pure body is the colour of gold, beautiful is the Protector of the World. Whoever visualizes him like this practises the meditation of the bodhisattvas.' In keeping with this, we should practise remembering our incomparable teacher, the Lord of Sages, in the following way:

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sangye chö dang tsok kyi chok nam la In the Buddha, the Dharma and the Supreme Assembly

चिरः ख्रुवः वरः दुः वर्गाः देः श्रुवसः सुः सक्री ।

changchub bardu dak ni kyab su chi I take refuge until I attain enlightenment.

यन्गानी स्रुव सेंग्रम्य पश्चिम यदि पर्सेन् क्रम्य शुमा

dak gi jin sok gyipé sönam kyi

Through the merit of practising generosity and so on,

तर्गे लायदा ध्रीर सरस मुस त्युव पर र्वेग

dro la pen chir sangye drubpar shok

May I attain buddhahood for the benefit of all beings.

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Recite this verse three times

र्कर् सेर् प्रेन प्रति प्रसें सार्थे सार् प्रेन प्राप्त हो।

Then cultivate the four immeasurables by saying:

श्रेश्वराष्ट्रवाच्या स्थापा स्यापा स्थापा स्यापा स्थापा स्

semchen tamché dewa dang dewé gyu dang denpar gyur chik

May all sentient beings enjoy happiness and the causes of happiness!

र्स्ना नर्स्य नर्स्य नर्स्य मु मु न्य न्य मु न

dukngal dang dukngal gyi gyu dang dralwar gyur chik

May they be free from suffering and the causes of suffering!

सूगा नस्या से रायते पर्ने पर्ने पर्ने प्रस्था प्रस्था पर्मा सुरा से ग

dukngal mepé dewa dang mindralwar gyur chik

May they never be separated from the sacred happiness devoid of suffering!

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nyering chakdang nyi dang dralwé tang nyom tsemepa la nepar gyur chik

And may they dwell in boundless equanimity that is free from attachment and aversion!

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Bringing to mind how all phenomena appear and yet lack inherent existence, recite the following:

षाः श्चे'सेन सेंन्य छेन नर हेव प्रमुर मी

ah, kyemé tongpanyi dang tenjung gi

Āh! As the union of unborn emptiness and the ceaseless

मूर-पारमामाओर बुरायह्मा श्रुपार्थ स्त्री

nangwa gakmé zungjuk gyumé tsul

Appearances of interdependence, magically there appears

रटासर्वात्रस्यायम् सर्हेन् ह्येत् मु सर्हेते न्त्रस्

rang dün namkhar chötrin gyatsö ü

Before me in the sky, amidst vast clouds of offerings,

रेव केव सेट खें यन है ज्ञु नदे हेट ।

rinchen sengtri pé nyi dawé teng

On a jewelled lion throne, and lotus, sun and moon disc seats,

क्रेंबरमामर्द्धरमामेदानुगुरमेदानो दी

tönpa tsungmé shakya sengé ni

The incomparable teacher, Lion of the Śākyas.

ग्रें र मुं अर्दे ग्र उद अर्कद र र र से मुर ख़्दा

ser gyi dokchen tsen dang pejé den

His body the colour of gold, adorned with major and minor marks.

क्रिंश में अप्राचार्स्य में स्टें हें ही त्या मुद्रा प्राची में में स्टें से स्टें से स्टें से स्टें से स्टें

chögö sum sol dorjé kyiltrung zhuk

Clad in the three Dharma robes, he sits in vajra posture.

स्वा नायमान्य मित्र स्वा मु त्ये नाम प्रमानमान्य स्वा ।

chak yé sa nön chakgya lek kyang shing

His right hand gracefully poised in the earth-touching mudrā,

ध्रमामार्थेद्रायक्ष्याचलमाचतुन् द्वेदेःखूनःचन्नेन् च्यूयया ।

chak yön nyamzhak dütsi lhungzé nam

And his left hand is in the gesture of meditation, holding an alms-bowl full of nectar.

ग्रेर ग्रेर सूर ग्रेड पहेर प्रथा प्रवर प्र

ser gyi ri tar ziji pal barwa

Like a mountain of gold, magnificent, he shines in splendour,

थे'मेश'र्देर'बेर'इ'चश्रायत'र्द्वीरश्राख्या

yeshe özer drawé khaying khyab

Spreading beams of wisdom light across the whole expanse of space.

nyewé sé gyé neten chudruk sok

The Eight Close Sons, Sixteen Elders and the like—

तस्त्राक्षःक्ष्याक्षःक्ष्यःकष्ट्रियःवर्ष्यःच्याक्ष्यःक्ष्यःवर्ष्यःच

pak tsok gyatsö khor gyi yong kor zhing

A vast, ocean-like retinue of noble beings encircles him all around.

इब्रन्य र्स्य मुक्ष श्रेन् विदे सम्बद माद्वेश यथ।

drenpa tsam gyi sizhi ta nyi lé

Simply think of him and he grants the glory of the highest bliss:

इस में या परे पा में में प्राप्त के मार्ची प्राप्त के स्वार्थ के स्वार्थ के स्वार्थ के स्वार्थ के स्वार्थ के स

namdrol dewa chok gi pal tsolwa

Liberation from saṃsāra and nirvāṇa, the two extremes.

श्चित्रशागुद्रायतुषायदे यत्वा केत्र केदार्ये र गाया

kyab kündüpé daknyi chenpor sal

He is the Great Being, perfect embodiment of every source of refuge.

Visualize the form of the Buddha in this way, and imagine that he is actually there, in front of you. The instant that you generate this thought—as the buddhas' wisdom body is not constrained by limits like time or location—he will certainly be there. One of the sūtras says: Should anyone think of the Buddha, he is there, right in front of them, constantly granting his blessings and freedom from all harm. The merit gained through visualizing the Buddha is inexhaustible; it is a source of virtue that will never go to waste. As it says in the Avataṃsaka Sūtra: By seeing, hearing or offering to the buddhas, a boundless store of merit is amassed. Till we are rid of all the destructive emotions and the suffering of saṃsāra, this compounded merit will never go to waste. Also, whatever prayers of aspiration we make before the Buddha will be fulfilled.

As it says in the Teaching on the Qualities of Mañjuśrī's Pure Land: Everything is circumstantial and depends entirely on our aspiration. Whatever prayers of aspiration we make the results we will gain accordingly. Generate firm conviction in these statements, and recite the following:

क्रैट्र हे के दर्भिया र्रेट्र ख़्द्र क्रेग्निया यदि लिटा ।

nyingjé chenpö tsöden nyikmé zhing

With your great compassion, you embraced this turbulent and degenerate world,

चर्चर.ष्यार्श्चेष.जत्राकुष.त्र.कं.चमै.चरेचा

zung né mönlam chenpo ngabgya tab

And made five hundred mighty aspirations.

pekar tar ngak tsen tö chir mindok

You are as exalted as the white lotus; whoever hears your name shall never return to samsāra—

क्रूंब या मुजार हे उब ता मुजार के वा वें

tönpa tukjé chen la chaktsal lo

Most compassionate teacher, to you I pay homage!

पर्गाम्बदः र्स्से म्सुसः र्मे र्केष्म र्यो र्से स्थान

dakzhen go sum gé tsok longchö ché

All my own and others' virtues of body, speech and mind, together with all our possessions,

गुरु नवर अर्केन पति श्वेर नु न सेग्र मार स्थापन्य ।

kunzang chöpé trin du mik né bul

Visualized like Samantabhadra's offering clouds, I offer to you.

र्वेग से द र वया यया या से गा सु र स्था त्यु या या

tokmé né sak diktung malüpa

All the harmful actions and transgressions I have committed throughout beginningless time,

क्षेट्रात्र्यातर्में द्रायाद्रया र्येश्वर्शे स्ट्राय्यवाया ।

nying né gyöpa drakpö sosor shak

Each and every one I now confess, with intense and heartfelt regret.

तयग्रथः इटः शें शेंदेः श्रुः चेंदेः दगे च श्री

pak dang sosö kyewö gewa ni

In all virtuous actions, of the noble ones and ordinary beings,

तुषामासुसायसम्बाद्यायः हेषासुःधीः स्टार्टे।

dü sum sak la jesu yi rang ngo

Accumulated throughout the past, present and future, I rejoice.

चन'डेर'कु'के'र्केश'ग्री'तर्वेर'र्वेते'र्कुवा

zab ching gyaché chö kyi khorlö tsul

Turn the Wheel of the profound and vast Dharma teachings,

र्धेणयान्तुरःकृत्राधीयकृतः सरामर्भेरःतुःगर्येता ।

chok chur gyün michepar kor du sol

Ceaselessly and in every direction, I pray!

ब्रिंट् वी व्यायायत है। येपुरा भी वा

khyö ni namkha tabü yeshe ku

Your wisdom body is like space

रुषाम्बुयादर्षाद्यस्यात्र्यात्र्यात्र्यम्यावत्र्यम्यात्र्यम्

dü sum pogyur mepar zhuk mö kyi

And remains changeless throughout past, present and future.

गर्जा मुत्र मुर्देर भ्री तहेग र्स्त भ्री तहेग र्स्त गुरा ।

duljé nang ngor kyé jik tsul tön kyang

Yet in the perception of those to be guided, you go through the display of birth and death;

श्चितारायुःमञ्जामाः भुःहमाः हुः सूरः चरः अर्हेत्।

trulpé zukku taktu nangwar dzö

Even so, let your form body continue always to appear.

नन्याः वीसः तुसः यासुसः नसयासः भवेः नयोः र्केवासः ग्रीसा

dak gi dü sum sakpé gé tsok kyi

Through all the virtues I have accumulated in the past, am accumulating now and will accumulate in the future,

अप्ययः ख्रिचः यर्चे चः गुत्रः यः यत्रः श्रुनः नु।

khakhyab drowa kün la pen ledu

For the sake of benefitting all beings, who are as infinite as space,

र्केशःग्रीःकुवःभेंःहम्'हुःसहेशःग्रेन्'वेदः।

chö kyi gyalpo taktu nyé jé ching

May you, the sovereign of Dharma, be forever pleased,

क्र्याहे मुलानते में तयर में नयर में म

chöjé gyalwé gopang tobpar shok

And may all attain the state of the victorious one, the Lord of Dharma.

यन्गारुगार्श्वेग्रायायदे दर्शे प्राचार्यात्र सेन् स्राया

dakchak nyikmé drowa gönmé nam

Living beings like us, adrift in this degenerate age, have no guidance and protection.

ध्रम्थःहेशःभ्रम्।यरःचत्रुरःचत्रःचम्।वःद्वेतःयश्र

tukjé lhakpar zungwé kadrin lé

Because of your kindness, caring for us with surpassing compassion,

बिट-८८-८४-१८६ स. इंत. कुष. मंत्रा मंत्रुय मी

zhing dang dü dir rinchen nam sum gyi

Every manifestation, in this world now, of the Three Jewels

यूर'न'है'क्रेर'खेर'ग्रै'सेव'०रू'केरी ।

nangwa jinyé khyé kyi trinlé nyi

Is your enlightened activity.

ने स्थिर स्मुनमा मर्केना मर्केना स्युद्ध में से स्याप्त में स्याप्त में स्थापत

dechir kyab chok tsungmé chikpu ru

You are then our only refuge, incomparable, supreme;

धेन केशन्न पश्चिम सुनित्व साम्या स्थित केशन्त ।

yiché depé nying né soldeb na

So from our hearts we pray, with total confidence and faith:

र्थेव मी न्याप्य कर केव में साम हैया पर

ngön gyi damcha chenpo manyelwar

Do not neglect the great promises you made in times gone by.

चिर-क्वानर-तुःश्वग्रथाहेश्राहेश्रादिद्वासर्हित्।

changchub bardu tukjé jedzin dzö

But hold us, until we attain enlightenment, with your compassion.

डेबाची केवाची प्रतास्था केवाची केवाची

With the strongest possible confidence and faith, consider that the Buddha is actually there, in front of you. Concentrate one-pointedly on his form. And recite the following as many times as you can:

मुल्लास्त्र प्राप्त स्वाप्त प्राप्त स्वाप्त स्वापत स्वाप्त स्

lama tönpa chomdendé dezhin shekpa drachompa yangdakpar dzokpé sangye pal gyalwa shakya tubpa la chak tsal lo chö do kyab su chi o

Supreme teacher, bhagavan, tathāgata, arhat, complete and perfect Buddha, glorious conqueror, Śākyamuni Buddha, to you I pay homage! To you I make offerings! In you I take refuge!

लेशक्तित्वाचार्या व्याप्तान्त्राच्यात्

Then, as a means of invoking his wisdom mind, recite as many times as you can the following dhāraṇī, which is taught in the abridged Prajñāpāramitā:

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teyata om muné muné maha munayé soha

tadyathā oṃ mune mune mahāmunaye svāhā

लेखाउँ देग्राबाद्या

Then recite, as many times as possible, the same mantra from om onwards:

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om muné muné maha munayé soha

om mune mune mahāmunaye svāhā

During all this, bring to mind the Buddha's qualities and, with a mind full of devotion, concentrate one-pointedly on the clear visualization of his form. Then, through the power of uttering the names of the Buddha and reciting his dhāraṇī, imagine that:

क्ष्रॅब्रायते भ्रुप्यसाये भ्रेषा ग्रीप्रंत् । बेरास्रार्केषायायते स्रूराया केवार्यसायत् मात्रा प्राप्त । स्रीप ग्रीः भ्रीयाया व्यवसाय विदा

tönpé ku lé yeshe kyi özer natsokpé nangwa chenpö dak dang semchen tamché kyi dribpa tamché sal zhing

From the Buddha's body there emanates a great radiance, of multi-coloured rays of wisdom light, dispelling all our own and others' obscurations,

वेग्'य'केंब्'येंदे'यम'ग्री'र्थेब्'न्व'र्द्य्य'यबेंब्'न्'नेंश्रीम'ने'श्रीम'से'येंग्'यदे'म'र्वेब्'यम'^{प्यस्य}

tekpa chenpö lam gyi yönten tsulzhin du kyé té chirmidokpé sa nönpar gyur And causing all the genuine qualities of the Mahāyāna path to arise within us, so that we attain the level of perfection from which we will never return again to saṃsāra.

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Diligently apply yourself to this practice, as much as you can. In between sessions, practise maṇḍala offering, and recite, to the best of your ability, whichever sūtras you prefer, such as the Praises of the Buddha, White Lotus of Compassion, Lalitavistara, Jātaka Tales, or The One Hundred and Eight Names of the Tathāgatas. Dedicate your sources of virtue towards unsurpassable awakening and recite prayers of aspiration.

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deshek sé ché kün gyi tukkyé dang

Like all the buddhas and their heirs — in enlightened intention,

सर्दर्'य'र्क्केत्'यस'सष्डित'पर्रे'त्र्य'यदि'र्क्वा

dzepa mönlam khyen tsé nüpé tsul

And in activity, aspiration, wisdom, love and capacity,

त्रुः ये ५ त्ये ४ त्रुष्ठाः त्र्युषः द्वे त्य ५ त्य ।

lamé yeshe gyutrul chindrawa

In these and all the ways unsurpassable wisdom manifests —

ने तर विष्य निर्मा के विषय विष्य निर्मा

dendra khonar dak sok gyurwar shok

May I and every other being too come to be exactly as they are!

मुक्षेत्र त्यम् त्यम् । अर्थत् व्यामि स्मित्यामुत्र मुक्षेत्र पार्केत् । अर्थत् व्याप्त प्रमित्य प्रमित्य । अर्थत् व्याप्त । अर्थत् । अर्थत् व्याप्त । अर्थत् । अर्थत् व्याप्त । अर्थत् व्यापत । अर्थत् । अर्यत् । अर्थत् । अर्थत् । अर्थत् । अर्थत् । अर्यत् । अर्यत् । अर्यत् । अर्थत् । अर्यत् । अर्य

स्वास्त्रस्ति स्वास्ति स्वास्ति स्वास्त्र स्व

In general, whatever you are doing, whether it is moving, walking, sleeping or sitting, you should constantly remember the Buddha. Even at night, when you go to sleep, consider that the radiance of the Buddha's form illuminates the whole of space in every direction, lighting it up as brightly as during the day. At all times, emulate the buddha's actions from the moment he first generated the mind of awakening, and follow the example of the buddhas and great bodhisattvas of the past, present and future. Maintaining your commitment to precious bodhicitta, without ever allowing it to waver, exert yourself as much as possible in the bodhisattvas' conduct in general, and in the practices of samatha and vipasyanā in particular, so as to make meaningful the freedoms and advantages of this human existence. It is said in several sūtras that merely hearing the name of our teacher, the Buddha, ensures that one will gradually progress along the path to great enlightenment, without ever falling back. It is also said that the dhāraṇī revealed above is the source of all the buddhas. It was through the force of discovering this dhāraṇī that the King of Śākyas himself attained enlightenment, and that Avalokiteśvara became the supreme of all the bodhisattvas. Through simply hearing this dhāranī, a vast accumulation of merit will easily be gained and all karmic obscurations will be purified, and when it is recited, obstacles will not occur. This has been taught in the Abridged Prajñāpāramitā. Other teachings say that by reciting this dhāranī only once, all the harmful actions you have committed throughout eight hundred billion kalpas will be purified. They say that it possesses boundless qualities such as these and is the sacred heart-essence of Buddha Śākyamuni. The ways to generate faith and exert oneself in the practices of samatha and vipasyanā are explained elsewhere.

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The intention to compose this text first arose due to the persistent encouragement of $\ddot{O}n$ Orgyen Tenzin Norbu, who is a holder of the treasury of threefold training, and who accompanied his request with the offering of auspicious

substances. More recently, the same Ön Rinpoche sent Tulku Jikmé Pema Dechen, with gifts of gold and other auspicious substances, saying, "Please finish it quickly." At the urging of these two great masters, I, Mipham Jamyang Gyatso, a follower of Śākyamuni with unshakeable faith in the supreme teacher and is a Dharma teacher in name only during this final age, composed this at Phuntsok Norbüi Ling at the foot of Mount Dza Dorje Penchuk. It was completed on the eighth day of the Month of Miracles in the Iron Rat year. ²

May this benefit the teachings and beings continuously, without interruption, on a marvellous scale, and may all who see, hear, think of, or come into contact with it in any way, truly receive the incomparable blessings of our teacher, the Lord of Sages.

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- 1. ↑ These four lines are not part of the original text but are added here in most recent editions
- 2. ↑ i.e., 1900. This would mean he only completed the text in the year of Orgyen Tenzin Norbu's death.



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