

kāla bhairavāṣṭakam

devarāja sevyamāna pāvanāṅghri pañkajaṃ
vyālayajña sūtramindu śekharaṃ kṛpākaram |
nāradādi yogibṛnda vanditaṃ digambaraṃ
kāśikāpurādhinātha kālabhairavaṃ bhaje || 1 ||

bhānukoṭi bhāsvaraṃ bhavabdhitāraṃ paraṃ
nīlakaṇṭha mīpsitārdha dāyakaṃ trilocanam |
kālakāla mambujākṣa mastaśūnya makṣaraṃ
kāśikāpurādhinātha kālabhairavaṃ bhaje || 2 ||

śūlaṭaṅka pāsadaṇḍa pāṇimādi kāraṇaṃ
śyāmakāya mādideva makṣaraṃ nirāmayam |
bhīmavikramaṃ prabhuṃ vicitra tāṇḍava priyaṃ
kāśikāpurādhinātha kālabhairavaṃ bhaje || 3 ||

bhukti mukti dāyakaṃ praśastacāru vighraṃ
bhaktavatsalaṃ sthitaṃ samastaloka vighram |
nikvaṇan-manojña hema kiñkiṇī lasatkaṭiṃ
kāśikāpurādhinātha kālabhairavaṃ bhaje || 4 ||

dharmasetu pālakaṃ tvadharmamārga nāśakaṃ
karmapāśa mocakaṃ suśarma dāyakaṃ vibhum |
svarṇavarṇa keśapāśa śobhitāṅga nirmalaṃ
kāśikāpurādhinātha kālabhairavaṃ bhaje || 5 ||

ratna pādukā prabhābhirāma pādayugmaṃ
nitya madvitīya miṣṭa daiyataṃ nirañjanam |
mṛtyudarpa nāśanaṃ karāḷadaṃṣṭra bhūṣaṇaṃ
kāśikāpurādhinātha kālabhairavaṃ bhaje || 6 ||

aṭṭahāsa bhinna padmajāṇḍakośa santatiṃ
drṣṭipāta naṣṭapāpa jālamugra śāsanam |
aṣṭasiddhi dāyakaṃ kapālamālikā dharaṃ
kāśikāpurādhinātha kālabhairavaṃ bhaje || 7 ||

bhūtasāṅgha nāyakaṃ viśālakīrti dāyakaṃ
kāśivāsi loka puṇyapāpa śodhakaṃ vibhum |
nītimārga kovidaṃ purātaṃ jagatpatiṃ
kāśikāpurādhinātha kālabhairavaṃ bhaje || 8 ||

kālabhairavāṣṭakaṃ paṭhanti ye manoharaṃ
jñānamukti sādhaṃ vicitra puṇya vardhanam |
śokamoha lobhadainya kopatāpa nāśanaṃ
te prayānti kālabhairavāṅghri sannidhiṃ dhruvam ||

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