

## kāla bhairavāṣṭakam

devarāja sevyamāna pāvanāṅghri paṅkajaṃ  
 vyālayajña sūtramindu śekharaṃ kṛpākaram |  
 nāradādi yogibr̥nda vanditaṃ digambaram  
 kāśikāpurādhinātha kālabhairavaṃ bhaje || 1 ||

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

śūlaṭaṅka pāśadaṇḍa 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 kiṅkiṇī lasatkaṭiṃ  
 kāśikāpurādhinātha kālabhairavaṃ bhaje || 4 ||

dharmasetu pālakaṃ tvadharmamārga nāśakaṃ  
 karmaṇāśa mocakaṃ suśarma dāyakaṃ vibhum |

svarṇavarṇa keśapāśa śobhitāṅga nirmalam  
kāśikāpurādhinātha kālabyrinthavaṃ bhaje || 5 ||

ratna pādukā prabhābhirāma pādayugmakam  
nitya madvitīya miṣṭa daivataṃ nirañjanam |  
mṛtyudarpa nāśanam karāḷadamṣṭra bhūṣaṇam  
kāśikāpurādhinātha kālabyrinthavaṃ bhaje || 6 ||

aṭṭahāsa bhinna padmajāṇḍakośa santatiṃ  
dṛṣṭipāta naṣṭapāpa jālamugra śāsanam |  
aṣṭasiddhi dāyakam kapālamālikā dharam  
kāśikāpurādhinātha kālabyrinthavaṃ bhaje || 7 ||

bhūtasāṅgha nāyakam viśālakīrti dāyakam  
kāśivāsi loka puṇyapāpa śodhakam vibhum |  
nītimārga kovidaṃ purātanam jagatpatiṃ  
kāśikāpurādhinātha kālabyrinthavaṃ bhaje || 8 ||

kālabyrinthavāṣṭakam paṭhanti ye manoharam  
jñānamukti sādhakam vicitra puṇya vardhanam |  
śokamoha lobhadainya kopatāpa nāśanam  
te prayānti kālabyrinthavāṅghri sannidhiṃ dhruvam ||

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