

	ōṃ śrīparamātmānē namaḥ	
	atha aṣṭamō:'dhyāyaḥ	
	akṣarabrahma yōgaḥ	

arjuna uvāca

kiṁ tadbrahma kimadhyātmāṁ kiṁ karma puruṣōttama |
adhibhūtaṁ ca kiṁ prōktam adhidaivaṁ kimucyatē || 8-1 ||

adhiyajñāḥ kathaṁ kō:'tra dēhē:'sminmadhusūdana |
prayāṇakālē ca kathaṁ jñēyō:'si niyatātmabhiḥ || 8-2 ||

śrībhagavānuvāca

akṣaraṁ brahma paramaṁ svabhāvō:'dhyātmamucyatē |
bhūtabhāvōdbhavakaraḥ visargaḥ karmasañjñitaḥ || 8-3 ||

adhibhūtaṁ kṣarō bhāvaḥ puruṣaścādhidaivatam |
adhiyajñō:'hamēvātra dēhē dēhabhṛtāṁ vara || 8-4 ||

antakālē ca māmēva smaranmuktvā kalēvaram |
yaḥ prayāti sa madbhāvaṁ yāti nāstyatra saṁśayaḥ || 8-5 ||

yaṁ yaṁ vā:'pi smaranbhāvaṁ tyajatyantē kalēvaram |
taṁ tamēvaiti kauntēya sadā tadbhāvabhāvitaḥ || 8-6 ||

tasmātsarvēṣu kālēṣu māmanusmara yudhya ca |
mayyarpitamanōbuddhiḥ māmēvaiśyasyasaṁśayam || 8-7 ||

abhyāsayōgayuktēna cētasā:'nānyagāminā |
paramaṁ puruṣaṁ divyaṁ yāti pārthānucintayan || 8-8 ||

kaviṁ purāṇamanuśāsītāram

aṇōraṇīyāṁsamanusmarēdyah |
sarvasya dhātāramacintyarūpaṁ
ādityavarṇaṁ tamasaḥ parastāt || 8-9 ||

prayāṇakālē manasā:'calēna
bhaktyā yuktō yōgabalēna caiva |
bhruvōrmadhyē prāṇamāvēśya samyak
sa taṁ param puruṣamupaiti divyam || 8-10||

yadakṣaraṁ vēdavidō vadanti
viśanti yadyatayō vītarāgāḥ |
yadicchantō brahmacaryaṁ caranti
tattē padaṁ saṅgrahēṇa pravakṣyē || 8-11||

sarvadvārāṇi samyamya manō hr̥di nirudhya ca |
mūrdhnyādhāyā:'tmanaḥ prāṇam āsthitō yōgadhāraṇām || 8-12||

ōmityēkākṣaraṁ brahma vyāharanmāmanusmaran |
yaḥ prayāti tyajandēhaṁ sa yāti paramām gatim || 8-13||

ananyacētāḥ satataṁ yō mām smarati nityaśaḥ |
tasyāhaṁ sulabhaḥ pārtha nityayuktasya yōginaḥ || 8-14||

māmupētya punarjanma duḥkhālayamaśāśvatam |
nā:'pnuvanti mahātmānaḥ saṁsiddhiṁ paramām gatāḥ || 8-15||

ābrahmabhuvanāllōkāḥ punarāvartinō:'rjuna |
māmupētya tu kauntēya punarjanma na vidyatē || 8-16||

sahasrayugaparyantam aharyadbrahmaṇō viduḥ |
rātriṁ yugasahasrāntām tē:'hōrātravidō janāḥ || 8-17||

avyaktādvaktayaḥ sarvāḥ prabhavantyahaṛāgamē |
rātryāgamē pralīyantē tatraivāvyaktasañjñakē || 8-18||

bhūtagrāmaḥ sa ēvāyaṁ bhūtvā bhūtvā pralīyatē |
rātryāgamē:'vaśaḥ pārtha prabhavatyahaṛāgamē || 8-19||

parastasmāttu bhāvō:'nyaḥ avyaktō:'vyaktātsanātanaḥ |
yaḥ sa sarvēṣu bhūtēṣu naśyatsu na vinaśyati || 8-20 ||

avyaktō:'kṣara ityuktaḥ tamāhuḥ paramām gatim |
yaṁ prāpya na nivartantē taddhāma paramaṁ mama || 8-21 ||

puruṣaḥ sa paraḥ pārtha bhaktyā labhyastvananyayā |
yasyāntaḥsthāni bhūtāni yēna sarvamideaṁ tatam || 8-22 ||

yatra kālē tvanāvṛttim āvṛttim caiva yōginaḥ |
prayātā yānti taṁ kālaṁ vakṣyāmi bharatarṣabha || 8-23 ||

agnirjyōtirahaḥ śuklaḥ ṣaṇmāsā uttarāyaṇam |
tatra prayātā gacchanti brahma brahmavidō janāḥ || 8-24 ||

dhūmō rātristathā kṛṣṇaḥ ṣaṇmāsā dakṣiṇāyanam |
tatra cāndramasaṁ jyōtiḥ yōgī prāpya nivartatē || 8-25 ||

śuklakṛṣṇē gatī hyētē jagataḥ śāśvatē matē |
ēkayā yātyanāvṛttim anyayā:'vartatē punaḥ || 8-26 ||

naitē ṣṛṭī pārtha jānan yōgī muhyati kaścana |
tasmātsarvēṣu kālēṣu yōgayuktō bhavārjuna || 8-27 ||

vēdēṣu yajñēṣu tapassu caiva
dānēṣu yatpuṇyaphalaṁ pradiṣṭam |
atyēti tatsarvamideaṁ veditvā
yōgī paraṁ sthānamupaiti cā:'dyam || 8-28 ||

ōṁ tatsaditi śrīmad bhagavadgītāsu upaniṣatsu brahmavidyāyām yōgaśāstrē
śrīkṛṣṇārjunasaṁvādē akṣarabrahmayōgō nāma aṣṭamō:'dhyāyaḥ || 8 ||

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