

श्री शिव चालीसा

Sri Shiv chalisa

॥दोहा॥

जय गणेश गिरिजा सुवन, मंगल मूल सुजान।
कहत अयोध्यादास तुम, देहु अभय वरदान॥

Doha

Jai Ganesh Girija Suvan, Mangal Mul Sujan

Kahat Ayodhya Das Tum Dehu Abhaya Varadan

Glory to Lord Ganesh, the Divine Son of Goddess Girija, the cause of all auspiciousness and intelligence. Ayodhya Dass (the composer of these verses) humbly requests that every one be blessed with the boon of being fearless.

जय गिरिजा पति दीन दयाला। सदा करत सन्तन प्रतिपाला॥
भाल चन्द्रमा सोहत नीके। कानन कुण्डल नागफनी के॥

Jai Girija Pati Dinadayala
Sada Karat Santan Pratipala
Bhala Chandrama Sohat Nike
Kanan Kundal Nagaphani Ke

O Glorious Lord, consort of Parvati You are most merciful . You always bless the poor and pious devotees. Your beautiful form is adorned with the moon on Your forehead and on your ears are earrings of snakes' hood.

अंग गौर शिर गंग बहाये। मुण्डमाल तन क्षार लगाए॥
वस्त्र खाल बाघम्बर सोहे। छवि को देखि नाग मन मोहे॥

Anga Gaur Shira Ganga Bahaye
Mundamala Tan Chhara Lagaye
Vastra Khala Baghambar Sohain
Chhavi Ko Dekha Naga Muni Mohain

The holy Ganges flows from your matted hair. The saints and sages are attracted by Your splendid appearance. Around Your neck is a garland of skulls. White ash beautifies Your Divine form and clothing of lion's skin adorns Your body.

मैना मातु की हवे दुलारी। बाम अंग सोहत छवि न्यारी॥

कर त्रिशूल सोहत छवि भारी। करत सदा शत्रुन क्षयकारी॥

**Maina Matu Ki Havai Dulari
Vama Anga Sohat Chhavi Nyari
Kara Trishul Sohat Chhavi Bhari
Karat Sada Shatrun Kshayakari**

O Lord, the beloved daughter of Maina on Your left adds to Your splendid appearance. O Wearer of the lion's skin, the trishul in Your hand destroys all enemies.

नन्दि गणेश सोहै तहँ कैसे। सागर मध्य कमल हैं जैसे॥
कार्तिक श्याम और गणराऊ। या छवि को कहि जात न काऊ॥

**Nandi Ganesh Sohain Tahan Kaise
Sagar Madhya Kamal Hain Jaise
Kartik Shyam Aur Ganara-U
Ya Chhavi Ko Kahi Jata Na Ka-U**

Nandi and Shri Ganesh along with Lord Shiva appear as beautiful as two lotuses in the middle of an ocean. Poets and philosophers cannot describe the wonderful appearance of Lord Kartikeya and the dark complexioned Ganas (attendants).

देवन जबहीं जाय पुकारा। तब ही दुख प्रभु आप निवारा॥
किया उपद्रव तारक भारी। देवन सब मिलि तुमहिं जुहारी॥

**Devan Jabahi Jaya Pukara
Tabahi Dukha Prabhu Apa Nivara
Kiya Upadrav Tarak Bhari
Devan Sab Mili Tumahi Juhari**

O Lord, whenever the Deities humbly sought Your assistance, You kindly and graciously uprooted all their problems. You blessed the Deities with Your generous help when the demon Tarak outraged them and You destroyed him.

तुरत षडानन आप पठायउ। लवनिमेष महँ मारि गिरायउ॥
आप जलंधर असुर संहारा। सुयश तुम्हार विदित संसारा॥

**Turata Shadanana Apa Pathayau
Lava-Ni-Mesh Mahan Mari Girayau
Apa Jalandhara Asura Sanhara
Suyash Tumhara Vidit Sansara**

O Lord, You sent Shadanan without delay and thus destroyed the evil ones Lava and Nimesh. You also destroyed the demon Jalandhara. Your renown is known throughout the world.

**त्रिपुरासुर सन युद्ध मचाई। सबहिं कृपा कर लीन बचाई॥
किया तपहिं भागीरथ भारी। पुरब प्रतिज्ञा तासु पुरारी॥**

**Tripurasur Sana Yudha Macha-I
Sab hi Kripakar Lina Bacha-I
Kiya Tapahin Bhagiratha Bhari
Puraba Pratigya Tasu Purari**

O Lord, Purari, You saved all Deities and mankind by defeating and destroying the demons Tripurasura. You blessed Your devotee Bhagirath and he was able to accomplish his vow after rigorous penance.

**दानिन महँ तुम सम कोउ नाहीं। सेवक स्तुति करत सदाहीं॥
वेद माहि महिमा तुम गाई। अकथ अनादि भेद नहिं पाई॥**

**Danin Mahan Tum Sama Kou Nahin
Sevak stuti Karat Sadahin
Veda maahi Mahima tum Ga-I
Akatha Anandi Bhed Nahin Pa-I**

O Gracious One, devotees always sing Your glory. Even the Vedas are unable to describe Your greatness. No one is as generous as You.

**प्रकटी उदधि मंथन में ज्वाला। जरत सुरासुर भए विहाला॥
कीन्ही दया तहं करी सहाई। नीलकण्ठ तब नाम कहाई॥**

**Prakati Udadhi Mantan Men Jvala
Jarat Sura-Sur Bhaye Vihala
Kinhi Daya Tahan Kari Saha-I
Nilakantha Tab Nam Kaha-I**

Lord, when the ocean was churned and the deadly poison emerged, out of Your deep compassion for all, You drank the poison and saved the world from destruction. Your throat became blue, thus You are known as Nilakantha.

**पूजन रामचन्द्र जब कीन्हा। जीत के लंक विभीषण दीन्हा॥
सहस कमल में हो रहे धारी। कीन्ह परीक्षा तबहिं पुरारी॥**

**Pujan Ramchandra Jab Kinha
Jita Ke Lanka Vibhishan Dinhi**

**Sahas Kamal Men Ho Rahe Dhari
Kinha Pariksha Tabahin Purari**

When Lord Rama worshipped You, He became victorious over the king of demons, Ravan.
When Lord Rama wished to worship Thee with one thousand lotus flowers, the Divine Mother,
to test the devotion of Shri Ram, hid all the flowers at Your request.

**एक कमल प्रभु राखेउ जोई। कमल नयन पूजन चहं सोई॥
कठिन भक्ति देखी प्रभु शंकर। भए प्रसन्न दिए इच्छित वर॥**

**Ek Kamal Prabhu Rakheu Joi
Kamal-Nayan Pujan Chaha Soi
Kathin Bhakti Dekhi Prabhu Shankar
Bhaye Prasanna Diye-Ichchhit Var**

O Lord, You kept on looking at Shri Ram, who wished to offer His lotus-like eyes to worship
Thee. When You observed such intense devotion, You were delighted and blessed Him. You
granted His heart's desire.

**जय जय जय अनन्त अविनाशी। करत कृपा सब के घटवासी॥
दुष्ट सकल नित मोहि सतावै। भ्रमत रहों मोहि चैन न आवै॥**

**Jai Jai Jai Anant Avinashi
Karat Kripa Sabake Ghat Vasi
Dushta Sakal Nit Mohin Satavai
Bhramat Rahe Mohin Chain Na Avai**

Glory be unto You O Gracious, Infinite, Immortal, All-pervading Lord. Evil thoughts torture me
and I keep on travelling aimlessly in this world of mundane existence. No relief seems to be
coming my way.

**त्राहि त्राहि मैं नाथ पुकारो। येहि अवसर मोहि आन उबारो॥
लै त्रिशूल शत्रुन को मारो। संकट ते मोहि आन उबारो॥**

**Trahi-Trahi Main Nath Pukaro
Yahi Avasar Mohi Ana Ubaro
Lai Trishul Shatrun Ko Maro
Sankat Se Mohin Ana Ubaro**

O Lord! I beseech Your help and seek your divine blessing at this very moment. Save and protect
me. Destroy my enemies with Your Trishul. Release me from the torture of evil thoughts.

माता-पिता भ्राता सब होई। संकट में पूछत नहिं कोई॥

स्वामी एक है आस तुम्हारी। आय हरहु मम संकट भारी॥

**Mata Pita Bhrata Sab Hoi
Sankat Men Puchhat Nahin Koi
Svami Ek Hai Asha Tumhari
Aya Harahu Aba Sankat Bhari**

O Lord, when I am in distress, neither my parents, brothers, sisters nor loved ones can relieve my suffering. I depend only on You. You are my hpe. Eliminate the cause of this tremendous torture and bless me with Your compassion.

**धन निर्धन को देत सदा हीं। जो कोई जांचे सो फल पाहीं॥
अस्तुति केहि विधि करें तुम्हारी। क्षमहु नाथ अब चूक हमारी॥**

**Dhan Nirdhan Ko Deta Sada hi
Jo Koi Janche So Phal Pahin
Astuti Kehi Vidhi Karai Tumhari
Kshamahu Nath Aba Chuka Hamari**

O Lord, You bless the down-trodden with prosperity and grant wisdom to the ignorant. Lord, due to my limited knowledge, I omitted to worship Thee. Please forgive me and shower Your grace upon me.

**शंकर हो संकट के नाशन। मंगल कारण विघ्न विनाशन॥
योगी यति मुनि ध्यान लगावैं। शारद नारद शीश नवावैं॥**

**Shankar Ho Sankat Ke Nishan
Mangal Karan Vighna Vinashan
Yogi Yati Muni Dhyan Lagavan
Sharad Narad Shisha Navavain**

O Lord Shankar, You are the destroyer of all miseries. You remove the cause of all obstacles and grant Your devotees eternal bliss. The saints ans sages meditate upon Thy most beautiful form. Even celestial beings like Sharad and Narad bow in reverence to You.

**नमो नमो जय नमः शिवाय। सुर ब्रह्मादिक पार न पाय॥
जो यह पाठ करे मन लाई। ता पर होत है शम्भु सहाई॥**

**Namo Namo Jai Namah Shivaya
Sura BrahmadiK Par Na Paya
Jo Yah Patha Karai Man Lai
Tapar Hota Hai Shambhu Saha-I**

O Lord, prostrations to You. Even Brahma is unable to describe Thy greatness. Whosoever recites these verses with faith and devotion receives Your infinite blessings.

**ऋनियां जो कोई हो अधिकारी। पाठ करे सो पावन हारी॥
पुत्र होन कर इच्छा जोई। निश्चय शिव प्रसाद तेहि होई॥**

**Riniyan Jo Koi Ho Adhikari
Patha Karai So Pavan Hari
Putra-hin Ichchha Kar Koi
Nischaya Shiva Prasad Tehi Hoi**

Devotees who chant these verses with intense love become prosperous by the grace of Lord Shiva. Even the childless wishing to have children, have their desires fulfilled after partaking of Shiva-prasad with faith and devotion.

**पण्डित त्रयोदशी को लावे। ध्यान पूर्वक होम करावे॥
त्रयोदशी व्रत करै हमेशा। ताके तन नहीं रहै कलेशा॥**

**Pandit Trayodashi Ko Lavai
Dhyan-Purvaka Homa Karavai
Trayodashi Vrat Kare Hamesha
Taake tan Nahin Rahe Kalesha**

On Trayodashi (13th day of the dark and bright fortnights) one should invite a pandit and devoutly make offerings to Lord Shiva. Those who fast and pray to Lord Shiva on Trayodashi are always healthy and prosperous.

**धूप दीप नैवेद्य चढ़ावे। शंकर सम्मुख पाठ सुनावे॥
जन्म जन्म के पाप नसावे। अन्त धाम शिवपुर में पावे॥
कहैं अयोध्यादास आस तुम्हारी। जानि सकल दुःख हरहु हमारी॥**

**Dhupa Dipa Naivedya Charhavai, Shankar sanmukh paath sunave
Janam Janam ke paap nasave, Anta Dhaam Shivapur Men Pavai
Kahai Ayodhyadaas Asha Tumhari, Jani Sakal Dukha Harahu Hamari**

Whosoever offers incense, prasada and performs arti to Lord Shiva, with love and devotion, enjoys material happiness and spiritual bliss in this world and hereafter ascends to the abode of Lord Shiva. The poet prays that Lord Shiva removed the suffering of all and grants them eternal bliss.

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नित्त नेम उठि प्रातः ही, पाठ करो चालीसा।

तुम मेरी मनोकामना, पूर्ण करो जगदीश॥
मगसिर छठि हेमन्त ऋतु, संवत चौसठ जान।
स्तुति चालीसा शिवहि, पूर्ण कीन कल्याण॥

Doha:-

Nitya Nema kari Pratahi
Patha karau Chalisa
Tum Meri Mano Kamana
Purna Karahu Jagadish

Magsir Chhathi Hemant rutu

Sanvant chausath jaan

Stuti chaalisa shiv hi

Poorna keen kalyaan

O Universal Lord, every morning as a rule I recite this Chalisa with devotion. Please bless me so that I may be able to accomplish my material and spiritual desires.

Aum Namah Shivay !!