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śriyā śliṣṭō viṣṇuḥ sthiracaravapurvēdaviṣayō
dhiyāṃ sākṣī śuddhō harirasurahantābjanayanaḥ ।
gadī śaṅkhī cakrī vimalavanamālī sthiraruciḥ
śaraṇyō lōkēśō mama bhavatu kṛṣṇō'kṣiviṣayaḥ ॥ **1** ॥

yataḥ sarvaṃ jātaṃ viyadanilamukhyaṃ jagadidaṃ
sthitau niḥśēṣaṃ yō'vati nijasukhāṃśēna madhuhā ।
layē sarvaṃ svasmin harati kalayā yastu sa vibhuḥ
śaraṇyō lōkēśō mama bhavatu kṛṣṇō'kṣiviṣayaḥ ॥ **2** ॥

asūnāyamyādau yamaniyamamukhyaiḥ sukaraṇaiḥ
nirudhyēdaṃ cittaṃ hṛdi vilayamānīya sakalam ।
yamīḍyaṃ paśyanti pravaramatayō māyinamasau
śaraṇyō lōkēśō mama bhavatu kṛṣṇō'kṣiviṣayaḥ ॥ **3** ॥

pṛthivyāṃ tiṣṭhan yō yamayati mahīṃ vēda na dharā
yamityādau vēdō vadati jagatāmīśamamalam ।
niyantāraṃ dhyēyaṃ munisuranṛṇāṃ mōkṣadamasau
śaraṇyō lōkēśō mama bhavatu kṛṣṇō'kṣiviṣayaḥ ॥ **4** ॥

mahēndrādirdēvō jayati ditijān yasya balatō
na kasya svātantryaṃ kvacidapi kṛtau yatkṛtimṛtē ।
kavitvādērgarvaṃ pariharati yō'sau vijayinaḥ
śaraṇyō lōkēśō mama bhavatu kṛṣṇō'kṣiviṣayaḥ ॥ **5** ॥

vinā yasya dhyānaṃ vrajati paśutāṃ sūkaramukhāṃ
vinā yasya jñānaṃ janimṛtibhayaṃ yāti janatā ।
vinā yasya smṛtyā kṛmiśatajaniṃ yāti sa vibhuḥ
śaraṇyō lōkēśō mama bhavatu kṛṣṇō'kṣiviṣayaḥ ॥ **6** *॥*

narātaṅkōttaṅkaḥ śaraṇaśaraṇō bhrāntiharaṇō
ghanaśyāmō vāmō vrajaśiśuvayasyō'rjunasakhaḥ ।
svayambhūrbhūtānāṃ janaka ucitācārasukhadaḥ
śaraṇyō lōkēśō mama bhavatu kṛṣṇō'kṣiviṣayaḥ ॥ **7** *॥*

yadā dharmaglānirbhavati jagatāṃ kṣōbhakaraṇī
tadā lōkasvāmī prakaṭitavapuḥ sētudhṛgajaḥ ।
satāṃ dhātā svacchō nigamagaṇagītō vrajapatiḥ
śaraṇyō lōkēśō mama bhavatu kṛṣṇō'kṣiviṣayaḥ ॥ **8** *॥*

iti harirakhilātmā"rādhitaḥ śaṅkarēṇa
śrutiviśadaguṇō'sau mātṛmōkṣārthamādyaḥ ।
yativaranikaṭē śrīyukta āvirbabhūva
svaguṇavṛta udāraḥ śaṅkhacakrābjahastaḥ ॥ **9** *॥*

॥ *iti śrīkṛṣṇāṣṭakaṃ samāptam* ॥