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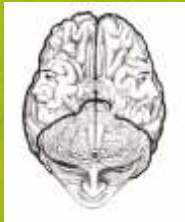
# Shri Dattatreya

## श्री दत्तात्रेय

(Mantras in English)



## LORD SHRI DATTATREYA



In Sanskrit, 'Datta' means 'given', and whatever is already given to all of us is Grace. Lord Shri Dattatreya is the universal Master, Nature and Grace. He is the trinity of Lord Shri Brahma, Shri Vishnu and Shri Mahesh; creation, sustenance and transformation. The human brain has three sections which correlate to the above concept. So,

devotion to Lord Shri Dattatreya works on the individual's brain. Also, the pituitary and pineal, the master glands, are just in the area between the eyebrows where the spiritual third eye centre is located.

In Kaliyuga, that is the present time, Lord Shri Dattatreya is the saviour and He offers worldly prosperity and spiritual consciousness. He is also 'smartrugami', which means that one only needs to remember Him for contact. He is like mother Nature, offering complete protection and nourishment.

Lord Shri Dattatreya is the son of the Seer Atri and his wife Anasuya, symbolising friendliness and freedom from comparison, jealousy and demands. He is accepted as the first world Master from whom all the branches of meditation and tantra have emerged. The Gods only control specific dimensions and energies, while the Master is beyond, and even the Gods seek His blessings. Lord Shri Dattatreya, the Master, is the main deity for all those spiritual aspirants longing for Moksha / Nirvana.

The texts and musical compositions have been specifically selected to suit the energy of Lord Shri Dattatreya, the universal Master, and the third eye centre.

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**Parthana - Shri Dattatreya Dhyanam**  
**(Opening Prayer)**

Aumkaram bindu-sanyuktam nityam dhyayanti yoginah |  
Kamadam mokshadam chaiva Aumkaraya namo namah ||1||  
Gurur-Brahma Gurur-Vishnuh Gurur-Devo Maheshvarah |  
Guruh sakshat Parabrahma tasmai Shri-Gurave namah ||2||  
Mala-kamandaluradhah kara-padma-yugme  
madhyastha-pani-yugule damaru-trishule |  
Yasya sta urdhava-karayoh shubha-shankha-chakre  
vande tamatri-varadam bhujya-shatka-yuktam ||3||

**Shri Dattatreya Bhupali**  
**(Awaken the Master Consciousness)**

Uthi Uthi Shri Dattatreya,  
Shripada Shrivallabha sadaya |  
Shri Nrusinhasarasvati Guruvarya,  
darshana dei bhaktasi ||R||  
Pancha pancha ushah-kala jahala,  
arunodaya sapta-pancha ghatila |  
Ashta-pancha pratah-kala,  
udaya pave ravi purna ||1||  
Aale amarendradi amara,  
santa-sadhu munivara |  
Samagra aale nari-nara,  
kakada-arati pahavaya ||2||  
Namita purna manoratha hoti,  
trividha tapa samula harati |  
Purvaja samasta uddharati,  
kakada arati dekhiliya ||3||  
Vege uthata Sad-Guru-murti,  
sakalika padambuja vanditi |  
Stavuni dhyati ovaliti,  
vishvavyapaka Paramatma ||4||  
Guru traimurti ashrama gheuna,  
taruvari brida-rakshanartha rahuna |  
Smarata tarisi jana sampurna,  
rakshisi Guru-bhкта sarvada ||5||

**Shri Guru Dattatreyashtakam**  
**(Shelter of Grace)**

Tapatrayane mama deha tapala,  
vishranti koni na cha detase mala |  
Daive tuihe he pada ladhale mala  
Datta krupasauli de namu tula ||1||

Kamadi shad-vairi sadaiva taditi,  
durvasana anga sadaiva taditi |  
Trata duja kona na bhetaala mala,  
Datta krupasauli de namu tula ||2||

Dehi ahanta jadali na modave,  
gruhatmaja-stri-mamata na sodave |  
Tritapadavanala polito mala,  
Datta krupasauli de namu tula ||3||  
Angi uthe ha avichara durdhara,  
to amuche he budavitase ghara |  
Pape karoni jalito tvare mala,  
Datta krupasauli de namu tula ||4||  
Tuchi krupasagara maya-bapa tu,  
tu vishvahetu hari papa-tapa tu |  
Na tuja-vachuni dayalu pahila  
Datta krupasauli de namu tula ||5||  
Daridrya-dave dvija polata taya,  
Shri dyavaya todisi vela chinmaya |  
Taya pari pahi dayardra tu mala  
Datta krupasauli de namu tula ||6||  
Pretasi tu vachavisi Dayaghana,  
kashthasi tu pallava anisi mana |  
He athavi mi tari jiva komala,  
Datta krupasauli de namu tula ||7||  
Hya ashtake je staviti tayavari,  
krupa kari hata dhari taya shiri |  
Sashtanga ghalu pranipata ba tula,  
Datta krupasauli de namu tula ||8||  
Iti H. H. Shrimat P. P. Sad-Guru Shri  
Vasudevanandasaraswati-Swami- Maharaj-virachitam Shri  
Guru-Dattatreyashtakam sampurnam |

**Shri Datta-stotram**  
**(Peace of Mind)**

Anasuyatri-sambhuta Dattatreya Mahamate |  
Sarva-devadhi-deva tvam mama chittam sthirikuru ||1||  
Sharanagata-dinarta-taraka-khila-karaka |  
Sarva-chalaka Deva tvam mama chittam sthirikuru ||2||  
Sarva-mangala-mangalya sarvadhi-vyadhi-bheshaja |  
Sarva-sankata-harin tvam mama chittam sthirikuru ||3||  
Smartrugami svabhaktanam kamado ripunashanah |  
Bhukti-muktipradah sa tvam mama chittam sthirikuru ||4||  
Sarva-papa-kshaya-karah tapa-dainya-nivaranah |  
Yo-bhishtadah Prabhu sa tvam mama chittam sthirikuru ||5||

Ya etat-prayatah shloka-panchakam pra-pathet-sudhih |  
Sthira-chittah sa Bhgagavat krupapatram bhavishyiti ||6||  
Iti H. H. Shrimat P. P. Sad-Guru Shri  
Vasudevanandasaraswati-Swami- Maharaj-virachitam Shri  
Datta-stotram sampurnam |

**Shri Dattatreya prarthana  
(Give Me Your Hand)**

Uddhari Gururaya Anasuya-tanaya Dattatreya ||R||  
Jo Anasuyechya bhavala, bhuluniya suta jhala |  
Dattatreya asha namala, miravi vandyā surala |  
To tu munivarya, nija paya, smarata varisi maya ||1||  
Jo Mahurapuri shayana kari, Sahyadriche shikhari |  
nivase Gangeche snana kari, bhiksha Kolhapuri |  
Smarata darshana de vari bhaya, to tu agamageya ||2||  
To tu vanjhesi suta desi, saubhagya vadhavisi |  
Marata pretasi, jivavisi, sad-varadana desi |  
Yastava Vasudeva tava paya, dhari tyā tari sadaya ||3||

**Shri Dattatreya Mantra  
(Omnipresent Grace)**

Digambara Digambara Shripada-Vallabha Digambara

**Shri Dattatreya-stotram  
(I Remember You)**

Dattatreyam Mahatmanam Varadam Bhakta-vatsalam |  
Prapannartiham vande smartrugami sa ma-vatu ||1||  
Dina-bandhum Krupasindhum Sarva-karana-karanam |  
Sarva-rakshakaram vande smartrugami sa ma-vatu ||2||  
Sharanagata-dinarta-paritrana-parayanam |  
Narayanam Vibhum vande smartrugami sa ma-vatu ||3||  
Sarvanartha-haram vande Sarva-mangala-mangalam |  
Sarva-klesha-haram vande smartrugami sa ma-vatu ||4||  
Shoshanam papa-pankasya dipanam dnyana-tejasah |  
Bhatabhishatpradam vande smartrugami sa ma-vatu ||5||  
Sarva-roga-prashamanam Sarva-pida-nivaranam |  
Tapa-prashamanam vande smartrugami sa ma-vatu ||6||  
Brahmanyam Dharma-tattvadnyam Bhakta-kirti-vivardhanam |  
Apaduddharanam vande smartrugami sa ma-vatu ||7||  
Janma-sansara-bandhagham Svarupananda-dayakam |  
Nih-shreyasa-pradam vande smartrugami sa ma-vatu ||8||  
Jaya-labha-yashah-kama-datur-Dattasya yah stavam |  
Bhoga-moksha-pradasyemam prapathet-sa kruti bhavet ||9||

Iti H. H. Shrimat P. P. Sad-Guru Shri  
Vasudevanandasaraswati-Swami- Maharaj-virachitam Shri  
Dattatreya-stotram sampurnam |

**Shri Dattastava-stotram  
(Divine Protection)**

Bhuta-preta-pishachadya yasya smarana-matratah |  
Duradeva palayante Dattatreyan namami tam ||1||  
Yannama-smaranad-dainyam papan tapashcha nashyati |  
Bhiti-grahartim duh-svapnam Dattatreyan namami tam ||2||  
Dadru-sphotaka-kushthadi mahamari vishuchika |  
Nashyantyanne-pi rogashcha Dattatreyan namami tam ||3||  
Sangaja desha-kalottha api sankramika gadah |  
Shamyanti yat-smaranato Dattatreyan namami tam ||4||  
Sarpa-vrushchika-dashtanam vishartanam sharirina |  
Yannama shantidam shighram Dattatreyan namami tam ||5||  
Trividhotpada-shamanam vividharishta-nashanam |  
Yannama krura-bhitiighnam Dattatreyan namami tam ||6||  
Vairyadi kruta-mantradi prayoga yasya kirtanat |  
Nashyanti deva-badhashcha Dattatreyan namami tam ||7||  
Yachchhishya-smaranat-sadyo gata-nashtadi labhyate |  
Ya isah sarvatastrata Dattatreyan namami tam ||8||  
Jaya-labha-yashah-kama-datur-Dattasya yah stavam |  
Bhoga-moksha-pradasyemam pathed-Dattaviyo bhavet ||9||  
H. H. Shrimat P. P. Sad-Guru Shri Vasudevanandasaraswati-  
Swami- Maharaj-virachitam Shri Dattastava-stotram  
sampurnam |

**Shri Dattatreya Mahamantra  
Aum Dram Dattatreyaya namah**