Purusha Suktam

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MANTRA

1 Om sahasra shirsha purushah. sahasrakshah sahasra pat. sa bhumim vishvato vritva. atyatishthad dashangulam.
Purusha evedagm sarvam. yad bhutam yach cha bhavyam. utamritatvasyeshanah. yad annenatirohati.
Etavan asya mahima. ato jyayagnsh cha purushah.

2 Padosya vishva bhutani. tripad asyamritam divi. tripad urdhva udait purushah.
padosyehabhavat punah.
Tato vishvan vyakramat. sashananashane abhi. tasmad virad ajayata. virajo adhi purushah.
Sa jato atyarichyata. pashchad bhumim atho purah.

3 Yat purushena havisha. deva yajnam atanvata. vasanto asyasid ajyam. grishma idhmash sharad dhavih.
Saptasyasan paridhayah. trih sapta samidhah kritah. deva yad yajnam tanvanah. abadhnan purusham pashum.
Tam yajnam barhishi praukshan. purusham jatam agratah.

4 Tena deva ayajanta. sadhya rishayash cha ye. tasmad yajnat sarvahutah. sambhritam prishadajyam.
Pashugns tagnsh chakre vayavyan. aranyan gramyash cha ye. tasmad yajnat sarvahutah.
Richah samani jajnire. chhandagnsi jajnire tasmat. yajus tasmad ajayata.

5 Tasmad ashva ajayanta. ye ke chobhayadatah. gavo ha jajnire tasmat. tasmaj jata ajavayah.
Yat purusham vyadadhuh. katidha vyakalpayan. mukham kim asya kau bahu. kav uru padav uchyete.
Brahmanosya mukham asit. bahu rajanyah kritah.

6 Uru tad asya yad vaishyah. padbhyagm shudro ajayata. chandrama manaso jatah. chakshoh suryo ajayata.
Mukhad Indrash chagnish cha. pranad vayur ajayata. nabhya asid antariksham. shirshno dyauh samavartata.
Padbhyam bhumir dishah shrotrat. tatha lokagm akalpayan.

7 Vedaham etam purusham mahantam. aditya varnam tamasas tu pare. sarvani rupani vichitya dhirah.
Namani kritvabhivadan, yad aste. dhata purastad yam udajahara. shakrah pravidvan pradishash chatasrah.
Tam evam vidvan amrita iha bhavati. nanyah pantha ayanaya vidyate. yajnena yajnam ayajanta devah.
Tani dharmani prathamany asan. te ha nakam mahimanah sachante. yatra purve sadhyah santi devah.

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8 Adbhyah sambhutah prithivyai rasach cha. vishvakarmanah samavartatadhi. tasya tvashta vidadhad rupam eti.
Tat purushasya vishvam ajanam agre. vedaham etam purusham mahantam. aditya varnam tamasah parastat.
Tam evam vidvan amrita iha bhavati. nanyah pantha vidyateyanaya. prajapatish charati garbhe antah.
Ajayamano bahudha vijayate.

9 Tasya dhirah parijananti yonim. marichinam padam ichchhanti vedhasah. yo devebhya atapati.
Yo devanam purohitah. purvo yo devebhyo jatah. namo ruchaya brahmaye. rucham brahmam janayantah.
Deva agre tad abruvan. yas tvaivam brahmano vidyat. tasya deva asan vashe.

10 Hrish cha te lakshmish cha patnyau. ahoratre parshve. nakshatrani rupam. ashvinau vyattam. Ishtam manishana. amum manishana. sarvam manishana.

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