

## atha ṣaṣṭha'dhyāyah

(rāmānujācārya-caraṇa-kṛta-bhāṣyah)

uktaḥ karma-yogaḥ sa-parikaraḥ | idānīm jñāna-yoga-karma-yoga-sādhyātmāvalokana-rūpa-yogābhyaśa-vidhir ucyate | tatra karma-yogasya nirapekṣa-yoga-sādhanatvam draḍhayitum jñānākāraḥ karma-yogo yoga-śirasko'nūdyate |

anāśritaḥ karma-phalam kāryam karma karoti yaḥ |  
sa samnyāsī ca yogī ca na niragnir na cākriyah ||1||

karma-phalam svargādikam anāśritaḥ kāryam karmānuṣṭhānam eva kāryam sarvatmanāsmat-suhṛd-bhūta-parama-puruṣārdhana-rūpatayā karmaiva mama prayojanam na tat-sādhyam kiṁcid iti yaḥ karma karoti, sa samnyāsī ca jñāna-yoga-niṣṭhaś ca yogī ca karma-yoga-niṣṭhaś ca | ātmāvalokana-rūpa-yoga-sādhanā-bhūtobhaya-niṣṭhaḥ ity arthaḥ | na niragniś cākriyah — na codita-yajñādi-karmasv apravṛttah, kevala-jñāna-niṣṭhāḥ | tasya hi jñāna-niṣṭhā eva karma-yoga-niṣṭhasya tūbhayam astīty abhiprāyah ||6.1||

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uktā-lakṣaṇe karma-yoge jñānam apy asti, ity āha —

yam samnyāsam iti prāhur yogam tam viddhi pāṇḍava |  
na hy asamnyasta-saṁkalpo yogī bhavati kaścana ||2||

jñāna-yoga ity ātma-yāthātmya-jñānam iti prāhus tam karma-yogam eva viddhi | tad upapādayati, na hy asamnyasta-saṁkalpo yogī bhavati kaścana iti | ātma-yāthātmyānusandhānenānātmani prakṛtav ātma-saṁkalpaḥ samnyastah parityakto yena sa samnyasta-saṁkalpaḥ, anevambhūtāḥ yaḥ sāsamnyasta-saṁkalpaḥ | na hy uktesu karma-yogeṣ anevambhūtāḥ kaścana karma-yogī bhavati | **yasya sarve samārambhāḥ kāmasaṁkalpa-varjitāḥ** | [Gītā 4.19] iti hy uktam ||6.2||

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karma-yoga evāpramādena yogam sādhayatīty āha —

ārurukṣor muner yogam karma kāraṇam ucyate |  
yogārūḍhasya tasyaiva śamaḥ kāraṇam ucyate ||3||

yogam ātmāvalokanam prāptum icchoḥ mumukṣoḥ karma-yoga eva kāraṇam ucyate | tasya eva yogārūḍhasya pratiṣṭhita-yogasya eva śamaḥ karma-nivṛttiḥ kāraṇam ucyate | yāvad ātmāvalokana-rūpa-mokṣa-prāptih, tāvat karma kāryam ity arthaḥ ||6.3||

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kadā pratiṣṭhita-yogo bhavati ? ity atrāha —

yadā hi nendriyārtheśu na karmasv anuṣajjate |  
sarva-samkalpa-saṁnyāsī yogārūḍhas tadocaye ||4||

yadāyaṁ yogī ātmaikānubhava-svabhāvatayā indriyārtheśv ātma-vyatirikta-prākṛta-viṣayeśu tat-sambandhiṣu karmasu ca nānuṣajjate na saṅgam arhati, tadā hi sarva-samkalpa-saṁnyāsī yogārūḍha ity ucyate | tasmād ārurukṣor viṣayānubhavārhatayā tad-ananuṣaṅgābhyaśa-rūpah karma-yoga eva niṣpatti-kāraṇam, ato viṣayānanuṣaṅgābhyaśa-rūpam karma-yogam eva ārurukṣuh kuryāt ||6.4||

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tad eva āha —

uddhared ātmanātmānam nātmānam avasādayet |  
ātmaiva hy ātmano bandhur ātmaiva ripur ātmanah ||5||

ātmanā manasā viṣayānanuṣaktena manasā ātmānam uddharet | tad-viparītena manasā ātmānam nāvasādayet | ātmaiva mana eva hy ātmano bandhuḥ, tad evātmano ripuh ||6.5||

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bandhur ātmātmanas tasya yenātmaivātmanā jitah |  
anātmanas tu śatrutve vartetātmaiva śatruvat ||6||

yena puruṣena svenaiva sva-mano viṣayebhyo jitam tan-manas tasya bandhuḥ, anātmano'jitamanasah svakīyam eva manah svasya śatruvat śatrutve varteta, sva-niḥśreyasa-viparīte varteta ity arthaḥ | yathoktam bhagavatā parāśareṇāpi —

mana eva manuṣyāṇām kāraṇam bandha-mokṣayoh |  
bandhāya viṣayāsaṅgi muktyai nirviṣayam manah | [ViP 6.7.28] iti ||6.6||

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yogārambha-yogyāvasthā ucyate —

jitātmanah praśāntasya paramātmā samāhitah |  
śītoṣṇa-sukha-duḥkheśu tathā mānāpamānayoḥ ||7||

śītoṣṇasukha-duḥkheśu mānāpamānayoś ca jitātmanah jitamanasah, vikārarahitamanasah | praśāntasya manasi paramātmā samāhitah samyagāhitah | svarūpeṇāvasthitah pratyagātmā

atra paramātmā ityucyate, tasya eva prakṛtavāt, tasyāpi pūrvapūrvāsthāpeksayā paramātmavāt | ātmā paramā samāhita iti vā sambandhaḥ ||6.7||

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jñāna-vijñāna-trptātmā ātma-svarūpa-viṣayena jñānenā tasya ca prakṛti-visajātīyākāra-viṣayena vijñānenā ca trpta-manāḥ kūṭasthāḥ — devādy-avasthāsv anuvartamānah sarva-sādhāraṇa-jñānaikākārātmāni sthitāḥ, tatraiva vijitendriyāḥ, sama-loṣṭāśma-kāñcanaḥ — prakṛti-vivikta-svarūpa-niṣṭhatayā prakṛta-vastu-višeṣeṣu bhogyatvābhāvāt loṣṭāśma-kāñcaneṣu sama-prayojano yaḥ karma-yogī sa yukta ity ucyate —

**jñāna-vijñāna-trptātmā kūṭastho vijitendriyāḥ |  
yukta ity ucyate yogī sama-loṣṭāśma-kāñcanaḥ ||8||**

ātmāvalokana-rūpa-yogābhyaśārha ucyate ||6.8||

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tathā ca —

**suhṛṇ-mitrāry-udāśīna-madhyastha-dveṣya-bandhuṣu |  
sādhuṣv api ca pāpeṣu sama-buddhir viśiṣyate ||9||**

vayo-višeṣānāṅgikāreṇa sva-hitaiṣiṇah suhṛdaḥ, sa-vayaso hitaiṣiṇo mitrāṇi, arayo nimittato'narthocchavaḥ, ubhaya-hetv-abhāvād ubhaya-rahitā udāśīnāḥ, janmata eva ubhaya-rahitā madhya-sthāḥ, janmata evāniṣṭocchavo dveṣyāḥ, janmata eva hitaiṣiṇo bandhavaḥ, sādhuṣv dharma-sīlāḥ, pāpāḥ papa-sīlāḥ, ātmaika-prayojanatayā suhṛṇ-mitrādibhiḥ prayojanābhāvād virodhābhāvāc ca teṣu sama-buddhiḥ, yogābhyaśārhatve viśiṣyate ||6.9||

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**yogī yuñjīta satatam ātmānam rahiṣi sthitāḥ |  
ekākī yata-cittātmā nirāśīr aparigrahaḥ ||10||**

yogī ukta-prakāra-karma-yoga-niṣṭhaḥ satatam ahar-ahaḥ yoga-kāle ātmānam yuñjīta, ātmānam yuktam kurvīta | sva-darśana-niṣṭham kurvitety arthaḥ | rahiṣi jana-varjite nihśabde deṣe sthitāḥ, ekākī tatrāpi na sa-dvitīyāḥ, tatrāpi yata-cittātmā yata-citta-manaskāḥ, nirāśīr ātma-vyatirikte kṛtsne vastuni nirapeksaḥ, aparigrahas tad-vyatirikte kasmīmścid api mamaṭā-rahitaḥ ||6.10||

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**śucau deṣe pratīṣṭhāpya sthiram āsanam ātmanāḥ |  
nātyuccritam nātinīcam cailajina-kuśottaram ||11||  
tatraikāgram manāḥ kṛtvā yata-cittendriya-kriyāḥ |**

**upaviśyāsane yuñjyād yogam ātma-viśuddhaye ||12||**

śucau deśeśucibhiḥ puruṣair anadhiṣṭhite'parigṛhīte cāśucibhir vastubhir aspr̄ṣṭaś ca pavitrī-  
bhūte deśe dārv-ādi-nirmitāṁ nātyuccritāṁ nātinicām cailājina-kuśottaram āsanāṁ  
pratiṣṭhāya tasmin manah-prasāda-kare sāpāśraye upaviśya yogaikāgram avyākulam manah  
kṛtvā yata-cittendriya-kriyāḥ sarvātmanopasamhṛta-cittendriya-kriyāḥ ātma-viśuddhaye  
bandha-vimuktaye yogam yuñjyāt | ātmāvalokanāṁ kurvīta ||6.11 -- 6.12||

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**samāṁ kāya-śiro-grīvāṁ dhārayann acalāṁ sthirāḥ |  
saṁprekṣya nāsikāgram svāṁ diśāś cānavalokayan ||13||**  
**praśāntātmā vigata-bhīr brahmacāri-vrate sthitāḥ |  
manah samyamya mac-citto yukta āśīta mat-parāḥ ||14||**

kāya-śiro-grīvāṁ samam acalāṁ sāpāśrayatayā sthirāṁ dhārayan diśāś cānavalokayan svāṁ  
nāsikāgram saṁprekṣya praśāntātmā atyanta-nirvṛta-manah vigata-bhīr brahmacarya-yukto  
manah samyamya mac-citto yukto'vahito mat-para āśīta mām eva cintayan āśīta ||6.13 -- 6.14||

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**yuñjann evāṁ sadātmānaṁ yogī niyata-mānasah |  
śāntim nirvāṇa-paramāṁ mat-saṁsthām adhigacchati ||15||**

evāṁ mayi parasmai brahmaṇi puruṣottame manasah śubhāśraye sadātmānaṁ mano yuñjan  
niyata-mānaso niścalamānasah matsparśapavitrīkṛtamānasatayā niścalamānasah  
matsamsthām nirvāṇaparamāṁ śāntim adhigacchati nirvāṇakāṣṭhārūpāṁ matsamsthām mayi  
saṁsthitāṁ śāntim adhigacchati ||6.15||

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evam ātma-yogam ārabhamāṇasya mano-nairmalya-hetu-bhūtāṁ manaso bhagavati  
śubhāśraye sthitim abhidhāyānyad api yogopakaraṇam āha —

**nātyaśnatas tu yogo'sti na caikāntam anaśnataḥ |  
na cātisvapna-śilasya jāgrato naiva cārjuna ||16||**

atyāśanānaśane yoga-virodhinī, ativihāra-vihārau ca tathātimātra-svapna-jāgarye tathā  
cātyāyāsānāyāsau ||6.16||

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**yuktāhāra-vihārasya yukta-ceṣṭasya karmasu |  
yukta-svapnāvabodhasya yogo bhavati duḥkhahā ||17||**

mitāhāra-vihārasya mitāyāsasya mita-svapnāvabodhasya sakala-duḥkhahā bandha-nāśano  
yogaḥ saṁpanno bhavati ||6.17||

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yadā viniyatāṁ cittam ātmany evāvatiṣṭhate |  
niḥspṛhah sarva-kāmebhyo yukta ity ucyate tadā ||18||

yadā prayojana-viśayam cittam ātmany eva viniyatāṁ višeṣeṇa niyatāṁ niratiśaya-  
prayojanatayā tatraiva niyatāṁ niścalam avatiṣṭhate tadā sarva-kāmebhyo niḥspṛhah san  
yukta ity ucyate yogārha ity ucyate ||6.18||

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yathā dīpo nivāta-stho neṅgate sopamā smṛtā |  
yogino yata-cittasya yuñjato yogam ātmanah ||19||

nivāta-stho dīpo yathā neṅgate na calati, acalaḥ sa-prabhas tiṣṭhati, yata-cittasya nivṛtta-  
sakaletara-mano-vṛtter yogina ātmani yogam yuñjataḥ ātma-svarūpasya sopamā |  
nivāta-sthatayā niścala-sa-prabha-dīpavan nivṛtta-sakaletara-mano-vṛttitayā niścalo jñāna-  
prabha ātmā tiṣṭhatīty arthaḥ ||6.19||

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yatroparamate cittam niruddham yoga-sevayā |  
yatra caivātmanātmānam paśyann ātmani tuṣyati ||20||

yoga-sevāyām hetunā sarvatra niruddham cittam yatra yoga uparamate’tiśayita-sukham idam  
eveti ramate, yatra ca yoga ātmanā manasātmānam paśyann anya-nirapekṣam ātmany eva  
tuṣyati ||6.20||

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sukham ātyantikam yat tad buddhi-grāhyam atīndriyam |  
vetti yatra na caivāyam sthitāś calati tattvataḥ ||21||

yat tad atīndriyam ātma-buddhy-eka-grāhyam ātyantikam sukham yatra ca yoge vetty  
anubhavati yatra ca yoge sthitāḥ sukhātirekena tattvatas tad-bhāvāt na calati ||6.21||

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yaṁ labdhvā cāparamāṁ lābham manyate nādhikām tataḥ |  
yasmin sthito na duḥkhena guruṇāpi vicālyate ||22||

yam yogam labdhvā yogād viratas tam eva kāṅksamāno nāparām lābhām manyate, yasmin ca yoge sthito'virato'pi guṇavat-putra-viyogādinā guruṇāpi duḥkhena na vicālyate ||6.22||

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tam vidyād duḥkha-samyoga-viyogam yoga-samjñitam |  
sa niścayena yoktavyo yogo'nirvinna-cetasā ||23||

tam duḥkha-samyoga-viyogam duḥkha-samyoga-pratyākākāram yoga-śabdābhidheyam jñānam vidyāt, sa evambhūto yoga ity ārambha-daśāyām niścayenānirvinna-cetasā hrṣṭa-cetasā yogo yoktavyah ||6.23||

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samkalpa-prabhavān kāmāṁs tyaktvā sarvān aśeataḥ |  
manasaivendriya-grāmām viniyamya samantataḥ ||24||  
śanaiḥ śanair uparamed buddhyā dhṛti-gṛhitayā |  
ātmasamsthām manah kṛtvā na kiṁcid api cintayet ||25||

sparsajāḥ saṅkalpajāś ceti dvi-vidhāḥ kāmāḥ sparsajāḥ sītoṣṇādayaḥ, saṅkalpajāḥ putra-pautra-kṣetrādayaḥ, tatra saṅkalpa-prabhavāḥ svarūpeṇa eva tyaktum śakyāḥ, tān sarvān manasā eva tad-ananvayānusandhānenā tyaktvā sparsajesv avarjanīyeṣu tan-nimitta-harṣodvegau tyaktvā samantataḥ sarvasmād viṣayāt sarvam indriya-grāmām viniyamya śanaiḥ śanaiḥ dhṛti-gṛhitayā viveka-viṣayayā buddhyā sarvasmād ātma-vyatirkītād uparamya ātma-samsthām manah kṛtvā na kiṁcid api cintayet ||6.24 -- 6.25||

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yato yato niścarati manaś cañcalam asthiram |  
tatas tato niyamyaitad ātmany eva vaśām nayet ||26||

cala-svabhāvatayā ātmany asthirām mano yato yato viṣaya-prāvaṇya-hetor bahir niścarati tatas tato yatnena mano niyamya ātmany evātiśayita-sukha-bhāvanayā vaśām nayet ||6.26||

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praśānta-manasam hy enām yoginām sukham uttamam |  
upaiti śānta-rajasam brahma-bhūtam akalmaṣam ||27||

praśānta-manasam ātmani niścala-manasam ātma-nyasta-manasam tata eva hetor dagdhāśeṣa-kalmaṣam tata eva śānta-rajasam vinaśta-rajo-guṇam tata eva brahma-bhūtam sva-svarūpeṇāvasthitam enām yoginam ātmānubhava-rūpam uttamam sukham upaiti, hīti hetau, uttama-sukha-rūpam upaitīty arthaḥ ||6.27||

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yuñjann evam sadātmānam yogī vigata-kalmaṣah |  
sukhena brahma-saṁsparśam atyantam sukham aśnute ||28||

evam ukta-prakārenātmānam yuñjan tenaiva vigata-prācīna-samasta-kalmaṣo brahma-saṁsparśo brahmānubhava-rūpam sukham atyantam aparimitam sukhenānāyāsenā sadā aśnute ||6.28||

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atha yoga-vipāka-daśā catuṣ-prakārā ucyate —

sarva-bhūta-stham ātmānam sarva-bhūtāni cātmani |  
īkṣate yoga-yuktātmā sarvatra sama-darśanah ||29||

svātmanah pareṣām ca bhūtānām prakṛti-viyukta-svarūpāṇām jñānaikākāratayā sāmyād vaiśamyasya ca prakṛti-gatavād yoga-yuktātmā prakṛti-viyuktesv ātmasu sarvatra jñānaikākāratayā sama-darśanah sarva-bhūta-stham svātmānam sarva-bhūtāni ca svātmani īkṣate | sarva-bhūta-samānākāram svātmānam svātma-samānākārāṇi ca sarva-bhūtāni paśyatīty arthaḥ ||6.29||

ekasminn ātmani dṛṣṭo sarvasya ātma-vastunas tat-sāmyāt sarvam ātma-vastu dṛṣṭam bhavatīty arthaḥ | sarvatra sama-darśanah iti vacanāt yo'yaṁ yogas tvayā proktah sāmyena [Gītā 6.33] ity anubhāṣanāc ca nirdoṣam hi samam brahma [Gītā 5.19] iti vacanāc ca |

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yo mām paśyati sarvatra sarvam ca mayi paśyati |  
tasyāham na praṇāśyāmi sa ca me na praṇāśyati ||30||

tato vipāka-daśām āpanno mama sādharmyam upāgato nirajanaḥ paramām sāmyam upaiti [MuṇḍU 3.1.3] ity ucyamānam sarvasyātma-vastuno vidhūta-puṇya-pāpasya svarūpeṇāvasthitasya mat-sāmyam paśyan yaḥ sarvatrātma-vastuni mām paśyati, sarvam ātma-vastu ca mayi paśyati, anyonya-sāmyād anyatara-darśanenānyatarad apīdṛśam iti paśyati, tasya svātma-svarūpam paśyato'ham tat-sāmyāt na praṇāśyāmi, nādarśanam upayāmi, mamāpi mām paśyataḥ, mat-sāmyāt svātmānam mat-samam avalokayan sa nādarśanam upayāti ||6.30||

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tato vipāka-daśām āha —

sarva-bhūta-sthitam yo mām bhajaty ekatvam āsthitaḥ |  
sarvathā vartamāno'pi sa yogī mayi vartate ||31||

yoga-daśāyāṁ sarva-bhūta-sthitam mām asamkucita-jñānaikākāratayaikatvam āsthitaḥ prākṛta-bheda-parityāgena sudṛḍham yo bhajate sa yogī vyutthāna-kāle'pi yathā tathā vartamānah svātmānam sarva-bhūtāni ca paśyan mayi vartate mām eva paśyati | svātmani sarva-bhūteṣu ca sarvadā mat-sāmyam eva paśyatīty arthaḥ ||6.31||

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tato'pi kāṣṭhām āha —

ātmaupamyena sarvatra samāṁ paśyati yo'rjuna |  
sukham vā yadi vā duḥkham sa yogī paramo mataḥ ||32||

ātmanaś cānyeṣāṁ cātmanāṁ asamkucita-jñānaikākāratayā aupamyena svātmani cānyesu sarvatra vartamānam putra-janmādi-rūpam sukham tan-maraṇādi-rūpam ca duḥkham asambandha-sāmyāt samaṁ yaḥ paśyati para-putra-janma-maraṇādi-samaṁ sva-putra-janma-maraṇādikam yah paśyatīty arthaḥ | sa yogī parama-yoga-kāṣṭhām gato mataḥ ||6.32||

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arjuna uvāca

yo'yam yogas tvayā proktah sāmyena madhusūdana |  
etasyāham na paśyāmi cañcalatvāt sthitim sthirām ||33||

yo'yam deva-manuṣyādi-bhedena jīveśvara-bhedena cātyanta-bhinnatayā etāvantam kālam anubhūteṣu sarveṣv ātmasu jñānaikākāratayā paraspara-sāmyenākarma-vaśyatayā ca īśvara-sāmyena sarvatra sama-darśana-rūpo yogas tvayoktaḥ | etasya yogasya sthirām sthitim na paśyāmi manasaś cañcalatvāt ||6.33||

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cañcalam hi manah kṛṣṇa pramāthi balavad dṛḍham |  
tasyāham nigrahām manye vāyor iva suduṣkaram ||34||

tathā hy anavaratābhyaṣta-viṣayeṣv api svata eva cañcalam puruṣeṇaikatra sthāpayitum aśakyam manah puruṣam balāt pramathya dṛḍham anyatra carati | tasya svābhyaṣta-viṣayeṣv api cañcala-svabhāvasya manasas tad-viparītakārātmani sthāpayitum nigrahām pratikūla-gater mahāvātasya vyañjanādineva suduṣkaram aham manye | mano-nigrahopāyo vaktavya ity abhiprāyah ||6.34||

—o)0(o—

śrī-bhagavān uvāca

asamśayam mahābāho mano durṇigrahām calam |

abhyāsena tu kaunteya vairāgyena ca grhyate ||35||

cal-a-svabhāvatayā mano durnigraham evety atra na samśayaḥ, tathāpy ātmano  
guṇākaratvābhyaśa-janitābhīmukhyenātma-vyatirikteṣu viśayeṣ api dosākaratva-darśana-  
janita-vaitrṣṇyena ca katharīcid grhyate ||6.35||

—o)0(o—

asamīyatātmanā yogo duṣprāpa iti me matih |  
vaśyātmanā tu yatatā śakyo'vāptum upāyataḥ ||36||

asamīyatātmanājita-manasā mahatā api balena yogo duṣprāpa eva | upāyatas tu vaśyātmanā  
pūrvoktena mad-ārādhana-rūpeṇāntar-gata-jñānena karmaṇā jita-manasā yatamānenāyam eva  
sama-darśana-rūpo yogo'vāptum śakyaḥ ||6.36||

—o)0(o—

atha **nehābhikrama-nāśo'sti** [Gītā 2.40] ity ādāv eva śrutiṁ yoga-māhātmyam yathāvat  
śrotum arjunaḥ pṛcchati | antar-gatātma-jñānatayā yoga-śiraskatayā ca hi karma-yogasya  
māhātmyam tatroditam tac ca yoga-māhātmyam eva arjuna uvāca –

ayatiḥ śraddhayopeto yogāc calitamānasah |  
aprāpya yoga-saṁsiddhim kām gatim kṛṣṇa gacchati ||37||

śraddhayā yoge pravṛtto dṛḍhatarābhyaśa-rūpa-yatna-vaikalyena yoga-saṁsiddhim aprāpya  
yogāc calita-mānasah kām gatim gacchati ||6.37||

—o)0(o—

kaccin nobhaya-vibhraṣṭaś chinnābhram iva naśyati |  
apratiṣṭho mahābāho vimūḍho brahmaṇah pathi ||38||

ubhaya-vibhraṣṭo'yam chinnābhram iva kaccin na naśyati yathā megha-śakalaḥ pūrvasmāt  
mahato meghāc chinnaḥ param mahāntam megham aprāpya madhye vinaṣṭe bhavati, tathā  
eva kaccit na naśyati, katham ubhaya-vibhraṣṭatayā, apratiṣṭho vimūḍho brahmaṇah pathīti,  
yathāvasthitam svargādi-sādhana-bhūtam karma phalābhīsandhi-rahitasya puruṣasya sva-  
phala-sādhanatvena pratiṣṭhā na bhavatīty apratiṣṭhah | prakrānte brahmaṇah pathi vimūḍhas  
tasmāt pathah pracyutah, ata ubhaya-bhraṣṭatayā kim ayam naśyaty eva, uta na naśyati ||6.38||

—o)0(o—

etan me saṁśayam kṛṣṇa chettum arhasy aśeṣataḥ |  
tvad-anyah saṁśayasyāsyā chettā na hy upapadyate ||39||

tam enāṁ saṁśayam aśeṣataś chettum arhasi svataḥ pratyakṣeṇa yugapat sarvam̄ sarvadā svata eva paśyatas tvatto'nyah saṁśayasyāya chettā na hy upapadyate ||6.39||

—o)0(o—

śrī-bhagavān uvāca

pārtha naïveha nāmutra vināśas tasya vidyate |  
na hi kalyāṇa-kṛt kaścid durgatim̄ tāta gacchati ||40||

śraddhayā yoge prakṛāntasya tasmāt pracyutasya iha cāmutra ca vināśah na vidyate, prākṛta-svargādi-bhogānubhave brahmānubhave cābhilaśitānavāpti-rūpaḥ pratyavāyākhyo'niṣṭāvāpti-rūpaś ca vināśo na vidyata ity arthah | na hi niratiśaya-kalyāṇa-rūpa-yoga-kṛt kaścit kāla-traye'pi durgatim̄ gacchati ||6.40||

—o)0(o—

katham ayam bhaviṣyati ? ity atrāha —

prāpya puṇya-kṛtām̄ lokān uśitvā śāśvatih samāḥ |  
śucinām̄ śrīmatām̄ gehe yoga-bhraṣṭo'bhijjāyate ||41||

yaj-jātiya-bhogābhikāṅkṣayā yogāt pracyuto'yam atipuṇya-kṛtām̄ prāpyān lokān prāpya taj-jātiyān atikalyāṇa-bhogān jñānopāya-yoga-māhātmyād eva bhujāno yāvāt tad-bhoga-triṣṇāvasānām̄ śāśvatih samāś tatrositvā tasmin bhoge viṭṛṣṇah śucinām̄ śrīmatām̄ yogopakrama-yogyānām̄ kule yogopakrame bhrasṭe yoga-māhātmyāj jāyate ||6.41||

—o)0(o—

atha vā yoginām̄ eva kule bhavati dhīmatām̄ |  
etad dhi durlabhataram̄ loke janma yad īdṛśam ||42||

paripakva-yogaś calitaś ced yoginām̄ dhīmatām̄ yogam̄ kurvatām̄ svayam eva,  
yogopadeṣṭriṇām̄ kule bhavati | tad etad ubhaya-vidham̄ yoga-yogyānām̄ yoginām̄ ca kule  
janma loke prākṛtānām̄ durlabhataram̄, etat tu yoga-māhātmya-kṛtam ||6.42||

—o)0(o—

tatra tam buddhi-samīgām labhate paurvadehikam |  
yatate ca tato bhūyah saṁsiddhau kurunandana ||43||

tatra janmani tam eva paurva-daihikām̄ yoga-viṣayam̄ buddhi-samīgām labhate | tataḥ  
sputa-prabuddhavad bhūyah saṁsiddhau yatate | yathā nāntarāya-hato bhavati, tathā yatate  
||6.43||

—o)0(o—

**pūrvābhyaśena tenaiva hriyate hy avaśo'pi saḥ |  
jijñāsur api yogasya śabda-brahmātivartate ||44||**

tena pūrvābhyaśena pūrveṇa yoga-viṣayenābhyaśena sa yoga-bhraṣṭe hy avaśo'pi yoga eva hriyate, prasiddham hi etad yoga-māhātmyam ity arthaḥ | apravṛttta-yogo yoga-jijñāsur api tataś calita-mānasah punar api tām eva jijñāsāṁ prāpya karma-yogādikāṁ yogam anuṣṭhāya śabda-brahmātivartate |

śabda-brahma deva-manuṣya-pṛthivy-antarikṣa-svargādi-śabdābhilāpa-yogyāṁ brahma prakṛtiḥ, prakṛti-sambandhād vimukto deva-manuṣyādi-śabdābhilāpānarahāṁ jñānānandaikatānam ātmānam prāpnōtīty arthaḥ ||6.44||

—o)0(o—

yata evam yoga-māhātmyam, tataḥ —

**prayatnād yatamānas tu yogī samśuddha-kilbiṣah |  
aneka-janma-saṁsiddhas tato yāti parām gatim ||45||**

aneka-janmārjita-puṇya-sañcayaiḥ samśuddha-kilbiṣah saṁsiddhah saṁjātah prayatnād yatamānas tu yogī calito'pi punah parām gatim yāty eva ||6.45||

—o)0(o—

atiśayita-puruṣārtha-niṣṭhatayā yoginah sarvasmād ādhikyam āha —

**tapasvibhyo'dhiko yogī jñānibhyo'pi mato'dhikah |  
karmibhyaś cādhiko yogī tasmād yogī bhavārjuna ||46||**

kevala-tapobhir yaḥ purusārthaḥ sādhyate ātma-jñāna-vyatiriktair jñānaiś ca yaḥ, yaś ca kevalair aśvamedhādibhiḥ karmabhiḥ, tebhyaḥ sarvebhyo'dhika-puruṣārtha-sādhanatvāt yogasya tapasvibhyo jñānibhyaḥ karmibhyaś cādhiko yogī tasmād yogī bhavārjuna ||6.46||

—o)0(o—

tad evam para-vidyāṅga-bhūtam prajāpati-vākyoditarūप prat�ag-ātma-darśanam uktam | atha para-vidyāṁ prastauti —

**yoginām api sarveśām mad-gatenāntarātmanā |  
śraddhāvān bhajate yo mām sa me yuktatamo mataḥ ||47||**

yoginām iti pañcamy-arthaḥ ṣaṣṭhī | sarva-bhūta-stham ity-ādinā catur-vidhā-yoginah pratipāditāḥ, teṣv anantargatattvād vakṣyamānasya yoginah, na nirdhāraṇe ṣaṣṭhī samībhavati |

api sarvesām iti sarva-śabda-nirdiṣṭas tapasvi-prabhṛtayah, tatrāpy uktena nyāyena pañcamy-  
artha grahitavyah, yogibhyo'pi sarvebhyo vakṣyamāṇo yogī yuktatamaḥ, tad-apekṣayā  
avaratve tapasvi-prabhṛtīnāṁ yoginām ca na kaścid višeṣa ity arthaḥ | merv-apekṣayā  
sarvāpāṇām iva yadyapi sarvāpeṣv anyonya-nyūnādhika-bhāvo vidyate, tathāpi merv-  
apekṣayā avaratva-nirdeṣaḥ samānah |

mat-priyatvātirekeṇānanya-sādhāraṇa-svabhāvatayā mad-gatenāntarātmā manasā  
bāhyābhyañtara-sakala-vṛtti-višeṣāśraya-bhūtam mano hy antarātmā, atyarthā-mat-priyatvena  
mayā vinā sva-dhāraṇā-lābhāt mad-gatena manasā śraddhāvān atyarthā-mat-priyatvena kṣaṇa-  
māṭra-viyogāsaḥatayām aprāpti-pravṛttau tvarāvān yo mām bhajate | mām vicitrānanta-  
bhogya-bhoktr-varga-bhogopakaraṇa-bhoga-sthāna-paripūrṇa-nikhila-jagad-udaya-vibhava-  
laya-lilam asprṣṭa-śeṣa-doṣānavadhikātiśaya-jñāna-balaiśvarya-vīrya-śakti-tejaḥ-prabhṛty-  
asāmīkhyeya-kalyāṇa-guṇa-gaṇa-nidhiṁ svābhimatānurūpaika-rūpācintya-divyādbhuta-nitya-  
niravady-aniratiśayaujjvalya-saundarya-saugandhya-saukumārya-lāvanāya-yauvanādy-ananta-  
guṇa-nidhi-divya-rūpam vāñ-manasāparicchedya-svarūpa-svabhāvam apāra-kārunya-sauśīlya-  
vātsalyaudāryaiśvarya-mahodadhim anālocita-višeṣāśeṣa-loka-śaraṇyam praṇatārti-haram  
āśrita-vātsalyaika-jaladhim akhila-manuja-nayana-viṣayatām gatam ajahat-sva-svabhāvam  
vasudeva-gṛhe'vatīrṇam anavadhikātiśaya-tejasā nikhilam jagad bhāsayantam ātma-kāntyā  
viśvam āpyāyantam bhajate, sevata upāsata ity arthaḥ | sa me yuktatamo mataḥ, sa sarvebhyah  
śreṣṭhatama iti sarvam sarvadā yathāvasthitam svata eva sākṣat-kurvan aham manye ||6.47||

iti śrīmad-rāmānuja-viracite śrīmad-gītā-bhāṣye **karma-saṁnyāsa**-yogo nāma ṣaṣṭho'dhyāyah  
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