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Saturday Kids Class | *Mantras & Aarti to Remember*

Aarti (Prayer)

Hey Prabhuji,

Thank you for helping me in the past. Please keep me helping in the future also. I need your help.

Please help me to remember you all the time. Please help me to serve you all the time.

Please increase my devotion for you.

Please forgive my mistakes. Please guide me. Keep me away from troubles, and keep me close to you.

Please give good habits to me. Please keep me happy and healthy. Please keep me united with my parents, brothers and sisters and you. Please give us all a happy, peaceful life.

Please help me in my studies, and make me a good student. Please make me a good son or daughter, grandson, granddaughter, brother, sister, and a friend.

Thank you again God. Please keep helping me. Please take care of me.

Om.

Gayatri Mantra

ॐ भूर् भुवः स्वः

Om Bhur Bhuvah Svah

तत् सवितुर्वरेण्यं

Tat Savitur Varenyam

भर्गो देवस्य धीमहि

Bhargo Devasya Dhimahi

धियो यो नः प्रचोदयात्

Dhiyo Yonah Prachodayat

Meaning (simplified):

God, you fill the earth, sky, and beyond.

You are most worshipful, and we meditate on your Divine light.

Please guide us in the right path.

Watch the recording online at: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=N6_ClpYPwb4

ॐ सर्वे भवन्तु सुखिनः
Om Sarve Bhavantu Sukhinah

सर्वे सन्तु निरामयाः ।
Sarve Santu Nir-Aamayaah

सर्वे भद्राणि पश्यन्तु
Sarve Bhadraanni Pashyantu

मा कश्चिद्दुःखभागभवेत् ।
Maa Kashcid-Duhkha-Bhaag-Bhavet

ॐ शान्तिः शान्तिः शान्तिः ॥
Om Shaantih Shaantih Shaantih

Meaning:

*May all beings be happy,
May all beings be free from disease,
May all beings see auspicious things
And may none experience sorrow
Om, peace peace peace.*

Vinaya Prayer

***Twameva mata cha pita twameva,
Twameva bandhushcha sakha twameva;
Twameva vidya dravinam twameva,
Twameva sarvam mam deva deva.***

Meaning:

*You are my mother and my father,
You are my brother and my friend,
You are my knowledge and my wealth,
You are everything to me, God.*

Listen to the 20-second prayer online at:

https://www.dropbox.com/s/sglme17p4q3q579/8_Prayers-short.mp3?dl=0
(The Vinaya prayer starts at 11 minutes 30 seconds and ends at 11 minutes 50 seconds)

Asatoma Sadgamaya (a shanti mantra)

असतोमा सद्गमय ।
तमसोमा ज्योतिर् गमय ।
मृत्योर्मा मृतं गमय ॥
ॐ शान्ति शान्ति शान्तिः ॥

Asat-oma sat-gamaya
Tamas-oma jyotir-gamaya
Mrityor-ma amritam-gamaya
Om shanti shanti shanti

Meaning:

Lead me from untruth to truth;
From darkness to light;
From death to immortality.
Om peace, peace, peace

Vedic Peace Prayer

गुरुर्ब्रह्मा गुरुर्विष्णु
गुरुर्देवो महेश्वरः
गुरु साक्षात् परब्रह्मा
तस्मै श्रीगुरवे नमः

Om guru brahma guru Vishnu
guru devo maheshwara
Guru saakshaat parabrahma
tasmai shree gurave namaha

Meaning:

Guru is Brahma
Guru is Vishnu
Guru is Maheshwara
Guru is supreme Brahma for us,
So we bow down to our Guru.

Explanation:

Guru is Brahm (creator): Guru creates thoughts in our minds about god
Guru is Vishnu (protector): Guru protects thoughts about god in us
Guru is Maheshwara (Lord Krishna): Gurus gets rid of darkness in us.
She or he is supreme Brahm for us because only Guru can teach us,
So we bow down to Guru.