Nitya नित्य

Shani Ashtottara Shatanamavali

श्री शनि अष्टोत्तर शतनामावली

The Shani Ashtottara Shatanamavali is the list of 108 names of Shani Dev, each said as "Om ... Namah", beginning with "Om Shanaishcharaya Namah". Devotees recite it on Saturdays, often by a sesame oil lamp, and many say it through sade sati or a hard Shani period. In Tamil and Telugu homes it is usually called Saneeswara or Shani Ashtothram.

Names 1–9

Om Shanaishcharaya Namah

Om Shantaya Namah

Om Sarvabhishta Pradayine Namah

Om Sharanyaya Namah

Om Varenyaya Namah

Om Sarveshaya Namah

Om Saumyaya Namah

Om Suravandyaya Namah

Om Suraloka Viharine Namah ॥1॥

Om. Salutations to Shanaishchara, the slow-moving one; to the calm one; to him who grants every wish; to the refuge; to the most worthy; to the lord of all; to the gentle one; to him whom the gods honour; and to him who moves in the world of the gods.

Names 10–18

Om Sukhasanopavishtaya Namah

Om Sundaraya Namah

Om Ghanaya Namah

Om Ghanarupaya Namah

Om Ghanabharana Dharine Namah

Om Ghanasara Vilepaya Namah

Om Khadyotaya Namah

Om Mandaya Namah

Om Mandacheshtaya Namah ॥2॥

Om. Salutations to him who sits at ease; to the handsome one; to the solid, steady one; to him whose form is dark as a rain cloud; to him who wears heavy ornaments; to him anointed with camphor; to him who shines in the sky; to the slow one; and to him whose movement is slow.

Names 19–27

Om Mahaniya Gunatmane Namah

Om Martya Pavana Padaya Namah

Om Maheshaya Namah

Om Chhayaputraya Namah

Om Sharvaya Namah

Om Sharatunira Dharine Namah

Om Charasthira Svabhavaya Namah

Om Chanchalaya Namah

Om Nilavarnaya Namah ॥3॥

Om. Salutations to him whose qualities are worthy of honour; to him whose feet make mortals pure; to the great lord; to the son of Chhaya; to Sharva; to him who carries a quiver of arrows; to him whose nature is both moving and still; to the ever-moving one; and to him who is dark blue in colour.

Names 28–36

Om Nityaya Namah

Om Nilanjana Nibhaya Namah

Om Nilambara Vibhushaya Namah

Om Nishchalaya Namah

Om Vedyaya Namah

Om Vidhirupaya Namah

Om Virodhadhara Bhumaye Namah

Om Bhedaspada Svabhavaya Namah

Om Vajradehaya Namah ॥4॥

Om. Salutations to the eternal one; to him who is dark like collyrium; to him adorned in dark blue garments; to the unmoving one; to him who is to be known; to him who is the form of divine law; to the ground on which all opposites rest; to him whose nature is the seat of difference; and to him whose body is hard as a thunderbolt.

Names 37–45

Om Vairagyadaya Namah

Om Viraya Namah

Om Vitaroga Bhayaya Namah

Om Vipat Parampareshaya Namah

Om Vishvavandyaya Namah

Om Gridhnavahaya Namah

Om Gudhaya Namah

Om Kurmangaya Namah

Om Kurupine Namah ॥5॥

Om. Salutations to the giver of detachment; to the brave one; to him who is free of sickness and fear; to the lord of every chain of misfortune; to him whom the whole world honours; to him who rides a vulture; to the hidden one; to him whose body is like a tortoise; and to him whose form is not fair.

Names 46–54

Om Kutsitaya Namah

Om Gunadhyaya Namah

Om Gocharaya Namah

Om Avidya Mula Nashaya Namah

Om Vidyavidya Svarupine Namah

Om Ayushya Karanaya Namah

Om Apaduddhartre Namah

Om Vishnubhaktaya Namah

Om Vashine Namah ॥6॥

Om. Salutations to him whom people shun; to him who is rich in virtues; to him who moves through the zodiac; to him who destroys the root of ignorance; to him who is both knowledge and ignorance; to the cause of long life; to him who lifts us out of danger; to the devotee of Vishnu; and to him who is master of himself.

Names 55–63

Om Vividhagama Vedine Namah

Om Vidhi Stutyaya Namah

Om Vandyaya Namah

Om Virupakshaya Namah

Om Varishthaya Namah

Om Garishthaya Namah

Om Vajrankusha Dharaya Namah

Om Varadabhaya Hastaya Namah

Om Vamanaya Namah ॥7॥

Om. Salutations to him who knows the many scriptures; to him whom Brahma praises; to him who is worthy of worship; to him whose eyes are unlike any other; to the most excellent; to the weightiest; to him who holds the thunderbolt and the goad; to him whose hands grant boons and fearlessness; and to him who is short in stature.

Names 64–72

Om Jyeshthapatni Sametaya Namah

Om Shreshthaya Namah

Om Mitabhashine Namah

Om Kashtaugha Nashakaryaya Namah

Om Pushtidaya Namah

Om Stutyaya Namah

Om Stotra Gamyaya Namah

Om Bhakti Vashyaya Namah

Om Bhanave Namah ॥8॥

Om. Salutations to him who is with his wife Jyeshtha; to the best; to him of few words; to him who ends floods of hardship; to the giver of nourishment; to him who is worthy of praise; to him who is reached through hymns; to him who is won over by devotion; and to the radiant one.

Names 73–81

Om Bhanuputraya Namah

Om Bhavyaya Namah

Om Pavanaya Namah

Om Dhanurmandala Samsthaya Namah

Om Dhanadaya Namah

Om Dhanushmate Namah

Om Tanuprakasha Dehaya Namah

Om Tamasaya Namah

Om Ashesha Jana Vandyaya Namah ॥9॥

Om. Salutations to the son of the Sun; to the noble one; to the purifier; to him who sits in a bow-shaped mandala; to the giver of wealth; to the archer; to him whose body gives a faint light; to him of the dark quality, tamas; and to him whom all people honour.

Names 82–90

Om Vishesha Phaladayine Namah

Om Vashikrita Janeshaya Namah

Om Pashunam Pataye Namah

Om Khecharaya Namah

Om Khageshaya Namah

Om Ghana Nilambaraya Namah

Om Kathinya Manasaya Namah

Om Aryagana Stutyaya Namah

Om Nilachchhatraya Namah ॥10॥

Om. Salutations to the giver of special rewards; to him who holds even kings under his sway; to the lord of all creatures; to him who moves in the sky; to the lord of the sky-goers; to him in deep blue garments; to him who is stern of mind; to him whom the noble praise; and to him who has a dark blue parasol.

Names 91–99

Om Nityaya Namah

Om Nirgunaya Namah

Om Gunatmane Namah

Om Niramayaya Namah

Om Nindyaya Namah

Om Vandaniyaya Namah

Om Dhiraya Namah

Om Divyadehaya Namah

Om Dinarti Haranaya Namah ॥11॥

Om. Salutations to the eternal one; to him who is beyond all qualities; to him who is all qualities; to him who is free of every ill; to him who is often blamed; to him who is worthy of reverence; to the steadfast one; to him whose body is divine; and to him who takes away the pain of the helpless.

Names 100–108

Om Dainya Nashakaraya Namah

Om Aryajana Ganyaya Namah

Om Kruraya Namah

Om Krura Cheshtaya Namah

Om Kama Krodha Karaya Namah

Om Kalatra Putra Shatrutva Karanaya Namah

Om Pariposhita Bhaktaya Namah

Om Parabhiti Haraya Namah

Om Bhaktasangha Manobhishta Phaladaya Namah ॥12॥

Om. Salutations to him who ends misery; to him who is counted among the noble; to the stern one; to him who is stern in his dealings; to him who stirs up desire and anger; to him who can turn spouse and children into adversaries; to him who cares for his devotees; to him who takes away the fear of enemies; and to him who gives his devotees all that their hearts wish for.

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