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rākṣasībhiḥ sītāyāḥ prabodhanam

ityuktvā maithilīṃ rājā rāvaṇaḥ śatrurāvaṇaḥ |
sandiśya ca tataḥ sarvā rākṣasīrnirjagāma ha || 5.23.1 ||

niṣkrānte rākṣasendre tu punarantaḥpuram gate |
rākṣasyo bhīmarūpāstāḥ sītāṃ samabhidudruvuḥ || 5.23.2 ||

tataḥ sītāmupāgamyā rākṣasyaḥ krodhamūrchatāḥ |
param paruṣayā vācā vaidehīmidadamabruvan || 5.23.3 ||

pulastyasya variṣṭhasya rāvaṇasya mahātmanah |
daśagrīvasya bhāryātvam sīte na bahu manyase || 5.23.4 ||

tatastvekajaṭā nāma rākṣasī vākyamabravit |
āmantrya krodhatāmrākṣī sītāṃ karatalodarīm || 5.23.5 ||

prajāpatīnāṃ ṣaṇṇāṃ tu caturtho'yaṃ prajāpatiḥ |
mānaso brahmaṇaḥ putraḥ pulastya iti viśrutaḥ || 5.23.6 ||

pulastyasya tu tejasvī maharṣirmānasaḥ sutah |
nāmnā sa viśravā nāma prajāpatisamaprabhaḥ || 5.23.7 ||

tasya putro viśālākṣī rāvaṇaḥ śatrurāvaṇaḥ |
tasya tvam rākṣasendrasya bhāryā bhavitumarhasi || 5.23.8 ||

mayoktam cārusarvāṅgi vākyam kiṃ nānumanyase |
tato harijaṭā nāma rākṣasī vākyamabravit || 5.23.9 ||

vivr̥tya nayane kopānmārjārasadr̥śekṣaṇā |
yena devāstrayastrim̐śad devarājaśca nirjitaḥ || 5.23.10 ||

tasya tvam̐ rākṣasendrasya bhāryā bhavitumarhasi |
vīryotsiktasya śūrasya saṅgrāmeṣvanivartinaḥ |
balino vīryayuktasya bhāryā tvam̐ kiṃ na lipsase || 5.23.11 ||

priyāṃ bahumatāṃ bhāryāṃ tyaktvā rājā mahābalaḥ |
sarvāsāṃ ca mahābhāgāṃ tvāmupaiṣyati rāvaṇaḥ || 5.23.12 ||

samṛddham̐ strīśahasreṇa nānāratnopaśobhitam |
antaḥpuraṃ tadutsṛjya tvāmupaiṣyati rāvaṇaḥ || 5.23.13 ||

anyā tu vikaṭā nāma rākṣasī vākyamabravīt |
asakṛd bhīmavīryeṇa nāgā gandharvadānavāḥ |
nirjitāḥ samare yena sa te pārśvamupāgataḥ || 5.23.14 ||

tasya sarvasamṛddhasya rāvaṇasya mahātmanaḥ |
kimartham̐ rākṣasendrasya bhāryātvam̐ necchase'dhame || 5.23.15 ||

tatastāṃ durmukhī nāma rākṣasī vākyamabravīt |
yasya sūryo na tapati bhīto yasya sa mārutaḥ |
na vāti smāyatāpāṅgi kiṃ tvam̐ tasya na tiṣṭhase || 5.23.16 ||

puṣpavr̥ṣṭim̐ ca taravo mumucuryasya vai bhayāt |
śailāḥ susruvuh̐ pānīyam̐ jaladāśca yadecchati || 5.23.17 ||

tasya nair̥rtarājasya rājarājasya bhāmini |
kiṃ tvam̐ na kuruṣe buddhim̐ bhāryārthe rāvaṇasya hi || 5.23.18 ||

sādhu te tattvato devi kathitam̐ sādhu bhāmini |
gr̥hāṇa susmite vākyamanyathā na bhaviṣyasi || 5.23.19 ||

|| ityārṣe śrīmadrāmāyaṇe vālmīkīye ādikāvye
sundarakāṇḍe trayaviṃśaḥ sargaḥ ||