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*dūtavadhānaucityaṃ pratipādyā vibhīṣaṇena tasya kṛte
daṇḍāntaravidhānāya rāvaṇaṃ prati prārthanaṃ rāvaṇena
tadanurodhasya svīkaraṇaṃ ca*

*sa tasya vacanaṃ śrutvā vānarasya mahātmanaḥ |
ājñāpayad vadhaṃ tasya rāvaṇaḥ krodhamūrccitaḥ || 5.52.1 ||*

*vadhe tasya samājñapte rāvaṇena durātmanā |
niveditavato dautyaṃ nānumene vibhīṣaṇaḥ || 5.52.2 ||*

*taṃ rakṣo'dhipatiṃ kruddhaṃ tacca kāryamupasthitam |
viditvā cintayāmāsa kāryaṃ kāryavidhau sthitaḥ || 5.52.3 ||*

*niścītārthastataḥ sāmṇā pūjyaṃ śatrujidagrajam |
uvāca hitamatyartham vākyaṃ vākyaviśāradaḥ || 5.52.4 ||*

*kṣamasva roṣaṃ tyaja rākṣasendra
prasīda me vākyaṃidaṃ śṛṇuṣva |
vadhaṃ na kurvanti parāvarajñā
dūtasya santo vasudhādhīpendrāḥ || 5.52.5 ||*

*rājan dharmaviruddhaṃ ca lokavṛtteśca garhitam |
tava cāsadrśaṃ vīra kaperasya pramāpaṇam || 5.52.6 ||*

*dharmajñāśca kṛtajñāśca rājadharmaviśāradaḥ |
parāvarajño bhūtānāṃ tvameva paramārthavit || 5.52.7 ||*

gr̥hyante yadi roṣeṇa tvādr̥śo'pi vicakṣaṇāḥ |
tataḥ śāstravipaścittvaṃ śrama eva hi kevalam || 5.52.8 ||

tasmāt prasīda śatrughna rākṣasendra durāsada |
yuktāyuktaṃ viniścitya dūtadaṇḍo vidhīyatām || 5.52.9 ||

vibhīṣaṇavacaḥ śrutvā rāvaṇo rākṣaseśvaraḥ |
kopena mahatā''viṣṭo vākyamuttaramabravīt || 5.52.10 ||

na pāpānām vadhe pāpaṃ vidyate śatrusūdana |
tasmādimam vadhiṣyāmi vānaram pāpakāriṇam || 5.52.11 ||

adharmamūlaṃ bahudoṣayukta-
manāryajuṣṭaṃ vacanaṃ niśamya |
uvāca vākyam paramārthatattvaṃ
vibhīṣaṇo buddhimatām variṣṭhaḥ || 5.52.12 ||

prasīda lañkeśvara rākṣasendra
dharmārthatattvaṃ vacanaṃ śṛṇuṣva |
dūtā na vadhyāḥ samayeṣu rājan
sarveṣu sarvatra vadanti santaḥ || 5.52.13 ||

asaṃśayaṃ śatrurayaṃ pravṛddhaḥ
kṛtaṃ hyanenāpriyamaprameyam |
na dūtavadhyām pravadanti santo
dūtasya dr̥ṣṭā bahavo hi daṇḍāḥ || 5.52.14 ||

vairūpyamañgeṣu kaśābhighāto
mauṇḍyam tathā lakṣaṇasannipātaḥ |
etān hi dūte pravadanti daṇḍān
vadhastu dūtasya na naḥ śruto'sti || 5.52.15 ||

kathaṃ ca dharmārthavinītabuddhiḥ
 parāvarapratyayaniścītārthaḥ |
 bhavadvidhaḥ kopavaśe hi tiṣṭhet
 kopam na gacchanti hi sattvavantaḥ || 5.52.16 ||

na dharmavāde na ca lokavṛtte
 na śāstrabuddhigrahaṇeṣu vāpi |
 vidyeta kaścittava vīra tulya-
 stvaṃ hyuttamaḥ sarvasurāsuraṇām || 5.52.17 ||

parākramotsāhamanasvinām ca
 surāsuraṇāmapi durjayena |
 tvayāprameyeṇa surendrasaṅghā
 jitāśca yuddheṣvasakṛnnarendrāḥ || 5.52.18 ||

itthaṃvidhasyāmaradaityaśatroḥ
 śūrasya vīrasya tavājitasya |
 kurvanti vīrā manasāpyalīkaṃ
 prāṇairvimuktā na tu bhoh purā te || 5.52.19 ||

na cāpyasya kaperghāte kañcit paśyāmyahaṃ guṇam |
 teṣvayaṃ pātyatām daṇḍo yairayaṃ preṣitaḥ kapiḥ || 5.52.20 ||

sādhurvā yadi vāsādhuh paraireṣa samarpitaḥ |
 bruvan parārthaṃ paravān na dūto vadhamarhati || 5.52.21 ||

api cāsmiṃ hate nānyaṃ rājan paśyāmi khecaram |
 iha yaḥ punarāgacchet paraṃ pāraṃ mahodadheḥ || 5.52.22 ||

tasmānnāsya vadhe yatnaḥ kāryaḥ parapurañjaya |
 bhavān sendreṣu deveṣu yatnamāsthātumarhati || 5.52.23 ||

asmin vinaṣṭe nahi dūtamanyam
paśyāmi yastau nararājaputrau |
yuddhāya yuddhapriya durvinītā-
vudyojayed vai bhavatā viruddhau || 5.52.24 ||

parākramotsāhamanasvinām ca
surāsurāṇāmapi durjayena |
tvayā manonandana nairṛtānām
yuddhāya nirnāśayitum na yuktam || 5.52.25 ||

hitāśca śūrāśca samāhitāśca
kuleṣu jātāśca mahāguṇeṣu |
manasvinaḥ śastrabhṛtām variṣṭhāḥ
kopapraśastāḥ subhṛtāśca yodhāḥ || 5.52.26 ||

tadekadeśena balasya tāvat
kecit tavādeśakṛto'dya yāntu |
tau rājaputrāvupagrhya mūdhau
pareṣu te bhāvayitum prabhāvam || 5.52.27 ||

niśācarāṇāmadhipo'nujasya
vibhīṣaṇasyottamavākyamiṣṭam |
jagrāha buddhyā suralokaśatru-
rmahābalo rākṣasarājamukhyaḥ || 5.52.28 ||

|| ityārṣe śrīmadrāmāyaṇe vālmīkīye ādikāvye
sundarakāṇḍe dvipañcāśaḥ sargaḥ ||