

त्वं हि नो नेता त्वं हि नो दाता                      यत्र त्वं नयसि तत्र गच्छामः  
कापि नो चिन्ता क्वापि नो भयं                      यदाश्रये तव वर्तामहे सदा  
रक्षकस्त्वं हि सङ्कटे क्वापि                      शिक्षकस्त्वं हि शोभने पथि  
देहि नः शक्तिं बुद्धिं तथा भक्तिं                      दर्शिते मार्गे चलनाय नित्यं हि  
यदि विस्मरामस्त्वां त्वं न विस्मर नः                      बालकास्तव हे करुणाकर प्रभो  
हे प्रभो हे विभो हे गुरो

tvaṁ hi no netā tvaṁ hi no dātā    yatra tvaṁ nayasi tatra gacchāmaḥ | 1  
kāpi no cintā kvāpi no bhayaṁ    yadāśraye tava vartāmahe sadā | 2  
rakṣakastvaṁ hi saṅkaṭe kvāpi    śikṣakastvaṁ hi śobhane pathi | 3  
dehi naḥ śaktiṁ buddhiṁ tathā bhaktiṁ  
darśite māрге calanāya nityaṁ hi | 4  
yadi vismarāmastvāṁ tvaṁ na vismara naḥ  
bālakāstava he karuṇākara prabho | 5  
he prabho he vibho he guro

1. *You are our Leader. You are our Provider.  
Wherever You lead us, there we shall follow.*
2. *We have no worries . . . we have no fear . . .  
for we are always under Your shelter.*
3. *Indeed, You are our Protector in difficulties.  
You are our Teacher on the path of goodness.*
4. *Grant us strength, wisdom, and devotion to always walk on the path You  
have shown us.*
5. *Should we forget You, You please forget us not.  
We are Your children, O compassionate Lord!*

*O omniscient Lord! O omnipresent Lord! O Guru!*