JAI SHREE KRISHNA!!!

(1)

Everything is in vain

Arjun cried out in pain

How do I kill my kith and kin?

Oh my God, it is a sin

I do not want to play this game

It will only bring me shame

Let me not indulge in this war

I cannot take this any far

(2)

Pity, you are meek and weak

Who fears future is so bleak

Know your might and the grace

A great warrior of your race

I am really torn asunder

My Lord, here I surrender

You know what is best and right

Guide me through this dark night

Hear me say the Truth in brief

Abandon indeed all that grief

Differ how they Body and Soul

Know this reality as a whole

Prescribed duties you fulfill

With single focus, if you will

Mind not the results in every age

It will lead to mere bondage

With senses controlled, wise men say

It is all but a Divine Play

Pleasure and pain life may bring

Glories of Lord they always sing

Two main evils desire and anger

Enlightened know how to conquer

They lead their lives, quiet and peaceful

Filled with joy, serene and blissful

(3)

Knowledge and Action, ways are two

Which one is better, guide me through

Everyone is so bound to act

No one can deny, it is a fact

Do your job with all your might

If it is detached, it is so right

Free of ego do your best

For the benefit of the rest

Sacrifice is the way to go

To reach the Supreme as you know

Based on which the Creation rests

This is how the Universe works

Know your strength, trade and skill

Make your destiny with your will

Your own task, do it with charm

Others’ role, it will only harm

Rest not until you fulfill your duty

Seek your Self in all its very beauty

(4)

You do not know ME fully yet

I am the Real and the Light

When Right is in its very decline

I manifest in forms, all divine

I appear at MY will, time and again

To restore peace, I ascertain

Leave your desire, fear and anger

Follow your way with all the fervor

Every path is dear and pleasant

If pursued with pure intent

Action and inaction, it is a world of choice

Always listen to your inner voice

A man’s life sans oblation

Leads him away from salvation

(5)

Renunciation and Action, ways are two

Which one is better, guide me through

Superior to renunciation

I say it is unattached action

With subdued senses and life so pure

Anyone can reach ME, this is for sure

Even wise men perform deed

To purify their souls indeed

Ever clear in their equal vision

They are ever on their mission

(6)

You and only you are your friend and enemy

Elevate the spirit on your own journey

Honor and dishonor life will throw

Treat them equal, they come and go

Eat, sleep and act in moderation

Helps to reach your final destination

He is with ME and very aware

Who knows and sees ME everywhere

Control your mind, restless for sure

Practice and dispassion, you ensure

Faith and worship come what may

He is the most devout, I would say

(7)

Thousands of men tried their best

Very few have passed the test

I am the seed and the essence

In everything, feel my presence

Blinded by their delusion

World is in my illusion

But those who seek my divine grace

With all the love I embrace

Worshippers and seekers, men are four

Pious Savants, I adore

Any worship, men may long

I make that faith firm and strong

(8)

I am the knowledge and the source

Everything springs from my creative force

Those who know ME as the ONE

And fill their thoughts of ME alone

At their end and along the road

They make their way easily to my abode

Mind and Intellect fixed in my sublime

Therefore remember ME all the time

Noble devotees reach their aim of eternal peace

Away from this painful and transient place

(9)

Secret of Truth I will share

It is the Royal Science, I declare

Actions in this path easy to perform

Pure and pleasant in its form

Those who cavil all the while

Will return to their path of vile

I am the cause and the effect

Everything possesses my divine aspect

Nature’s various manifestations

Are born under my directions

I am the father and the mother

And the supporter and purifier

I am the origin and dissolution

And the shelter and foundation

Only ME, who think and serve,

Their need, I secure and preserve

A leaf, flower, fruit or just water

Whatsoever my devotees offer

With all the delight, I accept

It is the intent that I respect

Whatever you do, eat or give

You submit to ME, it is the way to live

On the path to your noble goal

And unite yourself with the Supreme soul

(10)

I am the Truth and the unborn

With my power everything is born

Men who know that I am the Creator

Are in delight and enlighten one another

To such men who worship with love so dear

I provide them with intellect to come so near

You are the Divine and all pervading

But how can I know thy in every being?

There is no end to my eminence

Wherever there is magnificence

Glorious, Splendor, brilliance or excellence

Know that it is my immanent presence

(11)

With your profound words for my own sake

My delusion is gone and I am now awake

I wish to see your form, infinite and divine

Show me if you think it is all fine

You can see in ME the whole universe

Forms, colors and shapes so diverse

I grant the spiritual vision to see the wonder

Behold all that you see, it is all splendor

Oh My Lord, I see Thee in every side

And the cosmic form in which you reside

I see the entire creation

And the countless evolution

I see the good and the horror

And the universe in terror

I see the blazing fire

And now to know you fully, I desire

I am the time, the present and past

Everyone will see their end at last

Know that I am the destroyer of all

So, stand up and attend to your call

Gifts, rituals or austerities, men may perform

To see my cosmic exalted form

But only those who render their pure devotion

Are blessed to have this wonderful vision

12)

One who worships and meditates on ME

I help to liberate, such a noble devotee

He who is ever friendly and without any ego

Always the same to a friend or foe

Equipoised in honor and dishonor, praise and censure

Cold and heat, pain and pleasure

Neither rejoices nor hates

Nor grieves nor desires

Pure, forgiving, alert, full of compassion and devotion

Content, silent and steady in meditation

Adroit in work and possessed of firm conviction

And without any agitation

Free from elation, envy, anxiety and fear

Such a devotee is near and dear

13)

Understand the concept of Matter and Spirit

The gross and subtle elements that is born with it

Knowledge will awaken the sleepy soul

Help you reach your lofty goal

Humility, non-injury, purity and unpretentiousness

Forgiveness, respect for teacher, self-control and uprightness

These are the qualities one must gain

With this knowledge, he is not born again

Those who see the Lord in every being

Reaches HIS eternal divine dwelling

14)

Purity, Passion and Inertia, constituents are three

Of the Nature, that is born from ME

Purity binds to knowledge and divineness

At all times leads to happiness

Elements of Passion are restlessness and constant action

It can only lead to pain and dejection

Inertia binds to useless activity, sleep and indolence

Result of which is ignorance

Everyone is so bound by these modes of three

One who transcends them becomes free

15)

Know this eternal truth that the individualized Self

Is nothing but an eternal part of Myself

In the body with five senses and the mind, I reside

Providing vitality for all beings, everything I preside

Those who possess the divine eye

Behold ME and contemplate so high

In the sun, moon and fire, know that light to be mine

I support all beings by my strength so prime

16)

Those who are born to attain sublime qualities

Possess all the divine properties

But those who are born for a demoniac estate

Exhibit all the traits that enslave

With hypocrisy, anger, lust and arrogance

They walk the path of only ignorance

Lust, anger and greed are three gates to pain

Renounce these and pursue the noble aim

Follow the guidelines prescribed in sacred text

They are the authority in what is best

17)

Faith of the embodied is a threefold kind

It depends on how their innate natures bind

Pure, passionate or dark

It depends on their inner mark

Know about three types of food, sacrifice and austerities

And the threefold way of giving charities

Harmless, truthful, helpful and pleasant

In austerity of speech, these are present

Discipline of the mind brings silence and calmness

And self restraint, purity and gentleness

Without any faith, one who does all these in haste

In this life and hereafter, goes only waste

18)

Know about abandonment and renunciation

Here is my ultimate declaration

Never should be abandoned, sacrifice, charity and austerity

Since it leads to purity

Obligatory duties, all should perform

Agreeable or disagreeable, pure men always conform

Detached and not desiring of the fruit

Every prescribed duty, they execute

Action and its causes, understand all the facts

Helps you comprehend the reasons behind all acts

Kinds of knowledge, action, intellect, fortitude and pleasure

Are pure, passionate or dark, three in measure

Everyone’s duties depends on how their qualities bind

Qualities born of nature are four in kind

By engaging in their own duty, wise men attain perfection

And with Supreme they make their connection

Heart of every being is Lord’s dwelling

Seek his refuge and manifest your divine being

Secret of secrets, this wisdom I have shared so clear

It is because to me you are so dear

With all the knowledge gained, you reflect

Choice is yours and now you act

If you take refuge in me for sure

Will liberate you from all the sins, this I assure

This supreme knowledge with devotion who teach

Without any doubt my abode, they reach

With your grace, I am now aware

My doubts are dispelled, this I declare

My faith is firm and intact

Now as per your words, I will act.