

यो ध्रुवाणि परित्यज्य yo dhruvāṇi parityajya

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यो ध्रुवाणि परित्यज्य अध्रुवं परिसेवते ।

ध्रुवाणि तस्य नश्यन्ति अध्रुवं नष्टमेव च ॥

yo dhruvāṇi parityajya adhruvaṁ parisevate|

dhruvāṇi tasya naśyanti adhruvaṁ naṣṭameva ca||

Who, abandoning stable and permanent values of life, and accepting values for temporary gain thereby loses permanent values and temporary values are inherently loss in themselves.

यो yo (यः yaḥ) = who, ध्रुवाणि dhruvāṇi = permanent, stable values, परित्यज्य parityajya = having completely abandoned, अध्रुवं adhruvaṁ = impermanent, unstable values giving temporary gain, परिसेवते parisevate = completely serving, accepting, ध्रुवाणि dhruvāṇi = stable values, तस्य tasya = his, नश्यन्ति naśyanti = are destroyed, lost, अध्रुवं adhruvaṁ = impermanent, temporary, नष्टम् naṣṭam = loss, एव eva = verily, च ca = and.