108 Names of Laksmī

॥ श्रीः॥

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The Vedic Vision of Mother-Earth: An Introduction

In the vision of the Vedas, Goddess (Mother-Earth) is not an inert object to be thoughtlessly plundered and defiled. She is alive; a vibrant, infinitely compassionate Goddess, who is this sacred planet. She manifests as all forms of wealth, fortune, prosperity and nourishment (She as the material-cause of the universe, who is never separate from the infinite-knowledge-cause). She is known as Gaia in Greek mythology, but in the Vedic vision, her attributes are much more complex and profound.

This entire universe, including one's body-sense-mind complex, is within 'awareness', just as 'wave' is within 'water'. 'Wave' is 'water', but 'wave' is simply an incidental attribute, borrowing existence from 'water'. What we call subtle material (the mind or intellect) and gross material (the physical body) are mutually dependent upon each other. Yet, both have their reality in, and are dependent upon borrowed existence. Mind, body and all other material objects within awareness are fundamentally inert and only seem sentient due to this borrowed existence. That which lends existence to all material is 'Consciousness': The-independent self-evident-limitless un-negateable-being non-concept 'I', which can only be the implied meaning of the word 'You'. You (as witness to the presence and absence of thought) are quality-less existence-awareness.

Every name, form and function, is (as-though) brought to life by Consciousness as infinite-intelligent-order (including disorder); from the Higgs Boson to super-massive black holes; from bacterium to the blue whale; from microcosm to macrocosm; all is one, conscious being. There is neither one Goddess nor many goddesses; there is only Goddess! Nothing may be taken for granted; the air we breathe, the waters we bathe in, our sun which we worship, without which, life itself would cease to exist.

Nivedanam is the acknowledgment of gratitude for all the-infinite-given by Goddess, including one's body-sense-mind complex. We recognize this gift and respond with gratitude, devotion and humility, giving back to Her with all our hearts; mirroring the way She unconditionally gives to us. In Sanskrit, this 'giving-back' to Goddess is called yajña (a sacred sacrifice). To make this attitude of selfless giving an abiding one, we employ words and actions which state explicitly that 'I don't take these given elements/life-giving gifts for granted'; that 'I am deeply grateful for the-infinite-given'.

yajño vai viṣṇuḥ यज्ञो वे विष्णुः।

The entire cosmos is nothing but one, infinite yajña, a sacred sacrifice; actions as material offerings, sacrificed to the-infinite-giver. The ultimate sacrifice is the giving up of one's ignorance; the notions of 'I'-ness and 'My'-ness, burnt clean in the crucible of Vedānta through the 'attainment' of Self-knowledge. The realization being that you are Goddess, and Goddess alone is.

The Vedas contain countless prayers addressing all the elements, elementals and material phenomenon (as conscious beings and non-separate from awareness). These prayers are steeped in reverence and deep-gratitude for the-infinite-given. They also include many needed reminders to humans regarding a common-sense approach to all of existence, coupled with responsible actions; making sure that what is taken from Nature is given back. For example, it is suggested that one plant ten 'trees' for every one that is felled. In this way, the odds are increased for more 'trees' to attain maturity.

The following mantras and prayers are windows into this profound vision and spirit which echo in myriad ways among the four Vedas. These three Vedic and two Purāṇic poem-prayers are very difficult to translate into English; not only because the Sanskrit language is radically different from our own, but also because the sage's vision is holistic in nature, taking into account the entire Vedic cultural context.

A Mantra from the Mahānārāyaṇa Upaniṣad

(Kṛṣṇa Yajur Veda)

aśvakrānte rathakrānte viṣṇukrānte vasundharā śirasā dhārayiṣyāmi rakṣasva mām pade pade (37)

अश्वकान्ते रथकान्ते विष्णुक्रान्ते वसुन्धरा। शिरसां धारंयिष्यामि रक्षस्व मां पदे पदे॥ ३७॥

Oh, Goddess-Earth, sustainer of all life; you silently support all majestic, striding horses and chariots (all moving sentient beings and insentient vehicles) across a vast labyrinth of paths; (eversecure in your support; never feeling the weight; ever-patient, evercompassionate. I prayerfully walk with gratitude upon your sacred back, stepping lightly and with care). As I walk, I will stop and prostrate myself, placing my head upon your wondrous body. Then, with each continuing step, a prayer arises in my heart:

Oh, Goddess, protect me! Oh, Goddess, protect me!

Lakşmī Gāyatrī Mantraḥ

Om mahālakṣmyai ca vidmahe viṣṇu patnyai ca dhīmahi tanno lakṣmīḥ pracodyāt

ॐ महालक्ष्म्ये च विद्यहे

विष्णु पत्यै चं धीमहि

तन्नो लक्ष्मीः प्रचोदयांत्॥

We invoke in our hearts and meditate upon the limitless, self-effulgent Goddess; the sacred consort of Viṣṇu, who manifests as the all-pervasive sustainer. May Goddess Lakṣmī; She of limitless grace, fortune and ultimate nourishment; She of self-knowledge; may She inspire our every thought, word and action.

A Verse From the Śrī Sūktaṁ

(Rg Veda)

Om padmapriye padmini padmahaste padmālaye padmadalāyatākṣi viśvapriye viṣṇumanonukūle tvatpādapadmam mayi sannidhatsva (28)

पद्मदलांयताक्षि । विश्वंप्रिये विष्णुमनोऽनुकूले

त्वत्पांदपुद्मं मिय सिन्निधत्स्व ॥ २८ ॥

Oh, (Lakṣmī Devī) blooming-lotus-love; (standing) is lotus-wisdom lake; lotus in your hands; alighting on lotus, so lightly-stands; lotus-like; eyes gracious-grand; universal-love commands; lotus-heart conjoined with Viṣṇu-lingam; fully embracing her lord She so adores. Your sacred-lotus feet adorn my heart; you, so free; reverential-being I-adore.

A Verse From the Mahālakṣmī Aṣṭakam

(Padma Purāṇa)

padmāsanasthite devī parabrahma svarūpiņī parameśi jaganmātarmahālakṣmī namostu te (7)

पद्मासनस्थिते देवी परब्रह्म स्वरूपिणी।

परमेशि जगन्मातर्महालक्ष्मी नमोऽस्तु ते॥ ७॥

Oh, devī; effulgent Goddess Lakṣmī, reposing in auspicious-lotuspink-pure; in lotus-pose reposed allure; your limitless-feminineessence endures; most exalted-Goddess-being pure; sacred mother of the world demure; bowing down in reverence, my trust (as a helpless babe) so full-complete; in refuge clasping lotus feet.

A Verse From the Devisūktam

(Mārkaņģeya Purāņa)

yā devī sarvabhūteṣu lakṣmīrūpeṇasamsthitā namastasyai namastasyai namo namaḥ (20)

या देवी सर्वभूतेषु लक्ष्मीरूपेणसंस्थिता।

नमस्तस्ये नमस्तस्ये नमस्तस्ये नमो नमः॥ २०॥

Unto self-effulgent-limitless-Goddess who (as material-cause) is inand-through the entire universe; who manifests as all forms of grace; who is wealth-sustenance-nourishment; salutations to Her; salutations to Her again and again; in every heartbeat, my salutations to Her.

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॥ ॐ तत्सत्॥

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Om atha lakşmī aştottaraśatanāmāvalih

॥ ॐ अथ लक्ष्मी अष्टोत्तरशतनामावलिः॥

1) Salutations to the sacred womb of the entire creation.

Om hrīm prakṛṭyai namaḥ

१ ॐ हीं प्रकृत्ये नमः।

2) Salutations to She who is causeless-effect-less being. Om hrīm vikṛtyai namaḥ

२ ॐ हीं विकृत्ये नमः।

3) Salutations to the one who wields infinite cognitive power.

Om hrīm vidyāyai namaḥ

३ ॐ हीं विद्याये नमः।

4) Salutations to She who blesses all beings with infinite grace.

Orin hrīm sarvabhūtahitapradāyai namaḥ

४ ॐ हीं सर्वभूतिहतप्रदाये नमः।

5) Salutations to She who has absolute trust in the teacher, the teaching and the methodology of Vedānta.

Om hrīm śraddhāyai namah

५ ॐ हीं श्रद्धाये नमः।

6) Salutations to the one who manifests as all wonders and glories of this vast creation.

Om hrīm vibhūtyai namaņ

६ ॐ हीं विभूत्ये नमः।

- Salutations to the one who grants all boons.
 Om hrīm surabhyai namaḥ
 - ७ ॐ ह्रीं सुरभ्ये नमः।
- 8) Salutations to the one who is limitless-self.

 Om hrīm paramātmikāyai namaḥ
 - ८ ॐ हीं परमात्मिकाये नमः।
- 9) Salutations to She who manifests as the power of speech.

 Om hrīm vāce namaḥ
 - ९ ॐ हीं वाचे नमः।
 - Salutations to She who ever-abides in the pink lotus.
 Om hrīm padmālayāyai namaḥ
 - १० ॐ हीं पद्मालयाये नमः।
 - Salutations to She whose lotus-feet give the means for liberation.Om hrīm padmāyai namah
 - ११ ॐ हीं पद्माये नमः।

- 12) Salutations to the one who is ever-pure.

 Om hrīm śucaye namaḥ
 - १२ ॐ हीं शुचये नमः।
- 13) Salutations to She who embodies the acts of sacrifice and surrender in all prayers.

Om hrīm svāhāyai namaņ

१३ 🕉 हीं स्वाहाये नमः।

14) Salutations to She who is priceless gratitude reflected in all offerings.

Om hrīm svadhāyai namaņ

१४ ॐ ह्रीं स्वधाये नमः।

15) Salutations to the nectar of devotion who nourishes all hearts.

Om hrīm sudhāyai namaņ

१५ ॐ ह्रीं सुधाये नमः।

16) Salutations to She as free-flowing grace, nourishing all hearts.

Om hrīm dhanyāyai namaḥ

१६ ॐ हीं धन्याये नमः।

17) Salutations to the one who embodies defect-less wealth.

Om hrīm hiranmayyai namaḥ

१७ ॐ हीं हिरण्मय्ये नमः।

- 18) Salutations to She who blesses all beings with infinite fortune.

 Om hrīm lakṣmyai namaḥ
 - १८ ॐ हीं लक्ष्म्ये नमः।
 - 19) Salutations to She who is timelessly present as all nourishment-pleasure-pain for all beings.

Om hrīm nityapustāyai namaņ

१९ ॐ हीं नित्यपुष्टाये नमः।

20) Salutations to the Goddess of un-manifest creation.

Om hrīm vibhāvaryai namah

२० ॐ हीं विभावर्यें नमः।

21) Salutations to the Mother of all gods.

Om hrīm adityai namaḥ

२१ ॐ हीं अदित्ये नमः।

22) Salutations to She as infinite giver-given. Oṁ hrīṁ dityai namaḥ

२२ ॐ हीं दित्ये नमः।

23) Salutations to the light of all lights.

Om hrīm dīpāyai namaḥ

२३ ॐ हीं दीपाये नमः।

24) Salutations to the basis and support of all elements and elemental beings.

Om hrīm vasudhāyai namaņ

२४ ॐ हीं वसुधाये नमः।

25) Salutations to She who blesses all beings with existence-awareness.

Om hrīm vasudhāriņyai namaņ

१५ ॐ हीं वसुधारिण्ये नमः।

Salutations to She who embodies all priceless facets of the lotus.Om hrīm kamalāyai namah

१६ ॐ हीं कमलाये नमः।

27) Salutations to She who is desired by all beings. Oṁ hrīṁ kāntāyai namaḥ

१७ ॐ हीं कान्ताये नमः।

28) Salutations to the eye of the eye. Om hrīm kāmākṣyai namaḥ

१८ ॐ हीं कामाक्ष्ये नमः।

29) Salutations to the destroyer of all anger. Om hrīm krodhasambhavāyai namaḥ

१९ ॐ हीं कोधसंभवाये नमः।

- 30) Salutations to She who blesses all beings with infinite grace.

 Om hrīm anugrahapradāyai namaḥ
 - ३० ॐ हीं अनुग्रहप्रदाये नमः।
 - 31) Salutations to the one who manifests as the cognitive power in-and-through all cognition.

Om hrīm buddhaye namaņ

३१ ॐ हीं बुद्धये नमः।

32) Salutations to She who is uninvolved and unaffected by any form of pain or pleasure.

Om hrīm anaghāyai namaņ

३२ ॐ हीं अनघाये नमः।

33) Salutations to the one beloved by Viṣṇu. Oṁ hrīṁ harivallabhāyai namah

३३ ॐ ह्रीं हरिवल्लभाये नमः।

34) Salutations to She who is free of all forms of sorrow. Oṁ hrīṁ aśokāyai namaḥ

३४ ॐ हीं अशोकाये नमः।

35) Salutations to She who is death-less.

Om hrīm amṛtāyai namaḥ

३५ ॐ हीं अमृताये नमः।

36) Salutations to She whose nature is self-evident-pure-awareness.
Om hrīm dīptāyai namah

३६ ॐ हीं दीप्ताये नमः।

37) Salutations to the one who destroys sorrow in all beings.

Om hrīm lokaśokavināśinyai namaḥ

३७ 🕉 हीं लोकशोकविनाशिन्ये नमः।

38) Salutations to the one who protects Dharma.

Om hrīm dharmanilayāyai namaḥ

३८ ॐ हीं धर्मनिलयाये नमः।

39) Salutations to She who embodies compassion. Oṁ hrīṁ karuṇāyai namaḥ

३९ ॐ हीं करुणाये नमः।

40) Salutations to the sacred Mother of all mothers.

Om hrīm lokamātre namaḥ

४० ॐ हीं लोकमात्रे नमः।

41) Salutations to the one worshiped with offerings of lotus flowers.Om hrīm padmapriyāyai namaḥ

४१ ॐ हीं पद्मप्रियाये नमः।

- 42) Salutations to the one who blesses all her devotees with lotus hands.
 - Om hrīm padmahastāyai namaņ

४२ ॐ ह्रीं पद्महस्ताये नमः।

43) Salutations to the one whose beauty is expressed in all women's eyes.

Om hrīm padmāksyai namaņ

४३ ॐ हीं पद्माक्ष्ये नमः।

44) Salutations to She who rivals the beauty of the lotus.

Om hrīm padmasundaryai namaḥ

४४ ॐ हीं पद्मसुन्दर्यें नमः।

45) Salutations to the one born of a lotus flower.

Om hrīm padmodbhavāyai namaḥ

४५ ॐ हीं पद्मोद्भवाये नमः।

46) Salutations to the one whose face is as beautiful as a lotus flower.

Om hrīm padmamukhyai namah

४६ ॐ हीं पद्ममुख्ये नमः।

47) Salutations to the consort of Viṣṇu. Om hrīm padmanābhapriyāyai namaḥ

४७ 🕉 हीं पद्मनाभप्रियाये नमः।

48) Salutations to She who revels in the knowledge of Herself as limitless-being.

Om hrīm ramāyai namaḥ

४८ ॐ हीं रमाये नमः।

49) Salutations to the one whose body is adorned with infinite lotus blossoms.

Om hrim padmamālādharāyai namah

४९ ॐ हीं पद्ममालाधरााये नमः।

50) Salutations to She who is self-evident, self-effulgent being.

Om hrīm devyai namaḥ

५० ॐ हीं देव्ये नमः।

51) Salutations to She; an infinite lake of lotus petals.

Om hrīm padminyai namaḥ

52) Salutations to the one scented with the fragrance of lotus.

Om hrīm padmagandhinyai namaḥ

५२ ॐ हीं पद्मगन्धिन्ये नमः।

53) Salutations to the embodiment of the sweet fragrance of Vedic and universal values.

Om hrīm punyagandhāyai namah

५३ ॐ हीं पुण्यगन्धाये नमः।

Salutations to She who is happiness in absolute measure for no reason.Om hrīm suprasannāyai namaḥ

५४ ॐ हीं सुप्रसन्नाये नमः।

55) Salutations to She who revels in self-knowledge.

Om hrīm prasādābhimukhyai namaḥ

५५ ॐ हीं प्रसादाभिमुख्ये नमः।

56) Salutations to the light of lights.

Om hrīm prabhāyai namaḥ

५६ ॐ हीं प्रभाये नमः।

57) Salutations to She whose face is a beautiful as the full moon.
Om hrīm candravadanāyai namaḥ

५७ ॐ ह्रीं चन्द्रवदनाये नमः।

58) Salutations to She who personifies the moon in all its phases and facets.

Om hrīm candrāyai namaḥ

५८ ॐ हीं चन्द्राये नमः।

59) Salutations to the one who embodies all phases of the moon.

Om hrīm candrasahodaryai namaḥ

५९ ॐ हीं चन्द्रसहोदर्यें नमः।

60) Salutations to the one whose arms are all arms.

Om hrīm caturbhujāyai namaḥ

६० ॐ हीं चतुर्भुजाये नमः।

61) Salutations to the one manifest as the autumnal full moon on an ice-clear night.

Om hrīm candrarūpāyai namaḥ

६१ ॐ हीं चन्द्ररूपाये नमः।

62) Salutations to She who makes the impossible possible.
Om hrīm indirāyai namaņ

६२ ॐ हीं इन्दिराये नमः।

63) Salutations to the one as cool as the moon's rays.

Om hrīm induśītalāyai namaḥ

64) Salutations to the Mother-Goddess of all joy. Om hrīmāhlādajananyai namaņ

65) Salutations to She who is all-nourishment.
Oṁ hrīṁ puṣṭyai namaḥ

- 66) Salutations to Śiva's left half. Om hrīm śivāyai namaḥ
 - ६६ ॐ हीं शिवाये नमः।
- 67) Salutations to the one who blesses all devotees with infinite happiness.

Om hrīm śivakaryai namah

६७ ॐ हीं शिवकर्यें नमः।

68) Salutations to the purest of the pure.

Om hrīm satyai namah

६८ ॐ हीं सत्ये नमः।

69) Salutations to She who wields emotional mastery.

Om hrīm vimalāyai namah

६९ ॐ हीं विमलाये नमः।

- 70) Salutations to the Mother of all mothers.

 Om hrīm viśvajananyai namaḥ
 - ७० ॐ हीं विश्वजनन्ये नमः।
- 71) Salutations to the one with absolute contentment.

 Om hrīm tuṣṭyai namaḥ

७१ ॐ हीं तुष्टें नमः।

- 72) Salutations to She who destroys all sense of unworthiness.

 Om hrīm dāridryanāśinyai namaḥ
 - ७२ ॐ हीं दारिद्यनाशिन्ये नमः।
- 73) Salutations to She who grants all devotees infinite boons.

 Om hrīm prītipuṣkariṇyai namaḥ

७३ ॐ हीं प्रीतिपुष्करिण्ये नमः।

74) Salutations to She as silence unopposed to sound.
Om hrīm śāntāyai namaḥ

७४ ॐ हीं शान्ताये नमः।

75) Salutations to the purest white lotus. Om hrīm śuklamālyāmbarāyai namaņ

७५ ॐ हीं शुक्लमाल्यांबराये नमः।

76) Salutations to She who has all sattva qualities in absolute measure.

Om hrīm śriyai namah

७६ ॐ हीं श्रिये नमः।

77) Salutations to She who bestows infinite riches. Om hrīm bhāskaryai namaḥ

७७ ॐ हीं भास्कर्यें नमः।

- 78) Salutations to She who embodies all nutritional qualities.

 Om hrīm bilvanilayāyai namaḥ
 - ७८ 🕉 हीं बिल्वनिलयाये नमः।
 - 79) Salutations to the priceless gift of all gifts.

 Om hrīm varārohāyai namaḥ
 - ७९ ॐ हीं वरारोहाये नमः।
 - 80) Salutations to She who manifests as limitless fame.

 Om hrīm yaśasvinyai namaḥ
 - ८० ॐ हीं यशस्विन्ये नमः।
- 81) Salutations to the infinite-support-sustaining Earth-Goddess.

 Om hrīm vasundharāyai namaḥ
 - ८१ ॐ ह्रीं वसुन्धराये नमः।
 - 82) Salutations to She with the most beautiful limbs.
 Om hrīm udārāngāyai namaņ
 - ८२ ॐ हीं उदाराङ्गाये नमः।
- 83) Salutations to the one who removes all knots from the heart.

 Om hrīm harinyai namaḥ
 - ८३ ॐ ह्री हरिण्ये नमः।

- 84) Salutations to She adorned with pure gold necklaces.

 Om hrīm hemamālinyai namaḥ
 - ८४ ॐ हीं हेममालिन्ये नमः।
 - 85) Salutations to She who manifests as all forms of nourishment and wealth.

 Om hrīm dhanadhānyakaryai namah
 - ८५ ॐ हीं धनधान्यकर्यें नमः।
 - 86) Salutations to the one manifest as all powers.
 Om hrīm siddhaye namaḥ
 - ८६ ॐ हीं सिद्धये नमः।
- 87) Salutations to the ever-mysterious feminine principle.
 Om hrīm strainasaumyāyai namaḥ
 - ८७ ॐ हीं स्त्रेनसोम्याये नमः।
 - Salutations to She who blesses Her devotees with auspiciousness.Om hrīm śubhapradāyai namaḥ
 - ८८ ॐ हीं शुभप्रदाये नमः।
 - 89) Salutations to the one who is infinite joy. Om hrīm nṛpaveśmagatānandāyai namaḥ
 - ८९ ॐ ह्रीं नृपवेश्मगतानन्दाये नमः।

- 90) Salutations to She who grants her devotee's heartfelt wishes.

 Om hrīm varalakṣmyai namaḥ
 - ९० ॐ हीं वरलक्ष्म्ये नमः।
 - 91) Salutations to She who gives freedom from sorrow. Om hrīm vasupradāyai namaḥ
 - ९१ ॐ ह्रीं वसुप्रदाये नमः।
- 92) Salutations to the one who personifies luster, light, beauty, fortune, eminence and virtuousness.

Om hrīm śubhāyai namaḥ

- ९२ ॐ हीं शुभाये नमः।
- 93) Salutations to the Gold of gold. Oṁ hrīṁ hiraṇyaprākārāyai namaḥ
- ९३ ॐ हीं हिरण्यप्राकाराये नमः।
- 94) Salutations to She who manifests as all sacred oceans. Om hrīm samudratanayāyai namaḥ
 - ९४ ॐ हीं समुद्रतनयाये नमः।
 - 95) Salutations to the magic of magick.

 Om hrīm jayāyai namaḥ
 - ९५ ॐ हीं जयाये नमः।

- 96) Salutations to the one who bestows freedom from becoming.

 Om hrīm mangalādevyai namaņ
 - ९६ ॐ हीं मङ्गलादेव्ये नमः।
 - 97) Salutations to She who ever-remains in loving embrace with Lord Viṣṇu.

Om hrīm viṣṇuvakṣassthalasthitāyai namaḥ

९७ ॐ हीं विष्णुवक्षस्स्थलस्थिताये नमः।

98) Salutations to the sacred-feminine reflection of Lord Viṣṇu.

Om hrīm visnupatnyai namah

९८ ॐ हीं विष्णुपल्ये नमः।

99) Salutations to the one whose eyes express the deepest serenity.

Om hrīm prasannāksyai namah

- ९९ ॐ हीं प्रसन्नाक्ष्ये नमः।
- 100) Salutations to She who is home for all beings. Om hrīm nārāyaṇasamāśritāyai namaḥ

१०० ॐ हीं नारायणसमाश्रिताये नमः।

- 101) Salutations to the destroyer of all poverty. Om hrīm dāridryadhvamsinyai namaḥ
 - १०१ ॐ हीं दारिद्यध्वंसिन्ये नमः।

- 102) Salutations to the light of awareness. Om hrīm devyai namaḥ
 - १०२ ॐ हीं देव्ये नमः।
- 103) Salutations to She who possesses all forms of wealth.

 Om hrīm sarvopadravavāriņyai namaḥ

१०३ ॐ हीं सर्वोपद्रववारिण्ये नमः।

104) Salutations to She who embodies the entire spectrum of feminine energies in absolute measure.

Om hrīm navadurgāyai namaņ

१०४ ॐ ह्रीं नवदुर्गाये नमः।

105) Salutations to She who devours the entirety of creation.

Om hrīm mahākālyai namaḥ

१०५ ॐ हीं महाकाल्ये नमः।

106) Salutations to She as all, natural phenomena. Om hrīm brahmaviṣṇuśivātmikāyai namaḥ

१०६ ॐ हीं ब्रह्मविष्णुशिवात्मिकाये नमः।

107) Salutations to the one who wields past, present and future.

Om hrīm trikālajñānasampannāyai namaḥ

१०७ ॐ हीं त्रिकालज्ञानसंपन्नाये नमः।

108) Salutations to the presiding deity of all cause-effect karmas. Oṁ hrīṁ bhuvaneśvaryai namaḥ

१०८ ॐ ह्रीं भुवनेश्वर्यें नमः।

Thus, the 108 names of Lakṣmī are concluded.

Om tatsat iti laksmī astottaraśatanāmāvaliḥ sampūrņam

॥ ॐ तत्सत् इति लक्ष्मी अष्टोत्ततशतनामाविलः संपूर्णम् ॥

Om śāntih śāntih śāntih

ॐ शान्तिः शान्तिः शान्तिः॥

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