

Homage to the Chenrezig, Buddha of Compassion



PAG BA CHEN RE ZIG WANG TUK JAY TER
KOR DANG CHE PA DAG LA GONG SU SOL
DAG DANG PA MA RIK TUK SEM CHEN NAM
MYUR DU KHOR VAY TSO LE DEL DU SOL
SAB CHING GYA CHE LA MAY JANG CHUP SEM
MYUR DU GYUE LA KYE VAR ZE DU SOL
TOG MAY NE SAG LE DANG NYON MONG NAM
TUK JAY CHAB KYI MYUR DU DAG ZAY NAY
TUK JAY CHAG KYANG DAG DANG DRO WA NAM
DE WA CHEN GYI SHING DU TANG DU SOL
O PAK MAY DANG CHEN RE ZIG WANG GI
TSE RAP KUN TU GE VAY SHE ZAY NAY
MA NOR LAM ZANG LEG PAR TEN ZAY NAY
MYUR DU SANG GYE SA LA SHAG TU SOL

Avalokiteshvara, Buddha of compassion,
And entourage hear my prayer.
Liberate me and all sentient beings of the six realms
Quickly from the ocean of Samsara.
May the supreme jewel Bodhicitta and profound wisdom
Be quickly generated within us.
All collective karma and mental afflictions since beginningless time
Are purified by your kind and compassionate hands.
Please extend your compassionate hands to me and all sentient beings
And guide us to the land of Sukhavati (Land of Great Bliss)!
Buddha Amitabha and Avalokiteshvara,
Please remain our spiritual teachers for many lifetimes,
Since you have shown me and all sentient beings the true path,
That quickly leads us to Enlightenment.

These verses are based on the Tshechog Ling Sungboom, X Volume

Lord, Make Us Servants of Your Peace

James Quinn b. 1919; based on a prayer attributed to
St. Francis of Assisi, 1182 - 1226

Lord, make us servants of your peace;
Where there is hate, may we sow love;
Where there is hurt, may we forgive;
Where there is strife, may we make one.

Where all is doubt, may we sow faith;
Where all is gloom, may we sow hope;
Where all is night, may we sow light;
Where all is tears, may we sow joy.

Shantideva's *Bodhisattva Vow* (Excerpt)

May I be the doctor and the medicine
And may I be the nurse
For all sick beings in the world
Until everyone is healed

May all who say bad things to me
or cause me any other harm,
Those who insult me and mock me,
Have the fortune to fully awaken

May I be the protector for those without one,
A guide for travelers on the way,
A path for them to walk on,
May I be a bridge, a boat, a ship
For all who wish to cross the water.