

Chenrezig Guru Yoga

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Prayer of Refuge

From now until the heart of enlightenment is reached,

I and all sentient beings as limitless as space,

Go for refuge to the glorious, supreme Lamas.

We go for refuge to the Yidams, deities of the mandala.

We go for refuge to the Buddhas, transcendent conquerors.

We go for refuge to the sublime Dharma.

We go for refuge to the noble Sangha.

We go for refuge to the dakas, dakinis, guardians, and the Dharma protectors

Who are endowed with the vision of pristine wisdom.

(repeat three times)

DAG DANG DRO WA NAM KHAI TA DANG NYAM PAI SEM CHEN TAM CHE

 $DU\ DI\ NE\ ZUNG\ TE\ JI\ SI\ JANG\ CHUB\ NYING\ PO\ LA\ CHI\ KYI\ BAR$ DU

PAL DEN LAMA DAM PA NAM LA KYAB SU CHIO YIDAM KYIL KHOR GYI LHA TSOK NAM LA KYAB SU CHIO SANG GYE CHOM DEN DE NAM LA KYAB SU CHIO DAM PAY CHÖ NAM LA KYAB SU CHIO PAK PAI GEN DUN NAM LA KYAB SU CHIO PA WO KHAN DRO CHÖ KYONG SUNG MAI TSOK YE SHI KYI CHEN DANG DEN PA NAM LA KYAB SU CHIO

Prayer of Refuge and Bodhicitta

I take refuge until I am enlightened In the Buddhas, the Dharma and the Sangha Through the merit I create by practicing giving and the other perfections

May I attain Buddhahood for the sake of all sentient beings.

SANG GYAY CHO DANG TSOG KYI CHOG NAM LA JANG CHUB BAR DU DAG NI KYAB SU CHI DAG GI JIN SOG GYI PAY SO NAM GYI DRO LA PEN CHIR SANG GYAY DRUB BAR SHOG

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Visualization of the Deity



Crowning the heads of all beings throughout space,
Chenrezig appears from HRI
Upon a white lotus and full moon seat.
Five coloured light rays shine from his clear white body.
He is smiling and watching with compassionate eyes.
Of his four hands, the first pair are joined,
the other right hand holds a crystal rosary and the left a white lotus.
He is adorned with silks and precious jewels,
And a deer skin over his shoulder.
Buddha Amitabha crowns his head.
He sits with legs in vajra position, a stainless moon as his backrest.
He is the essence of the union of all refuges.

DAK SOK KHA KHYAB SEM CHEN GYI CHI TSUK PE KAR DA WAI TENG HRI LE PAK CHOK CHEN RE ZIG KAR SAL Ö ZER NGA DEN TRO DZE DZUM TUK JEI CHEN GYI ZIK CHAK SHI DANG PO TAL JAR DZE OK NYI SHEL TRENG PE KAR NAM DAR DANG RIN CHEN GYEN GYI TRE RI DAK PAK PAI TÖ YOK SÖL Ö PAK ME PAI U GYEN CHEN ZHAP NYI DOR JE KYIL TRUNG ZHUK DRI ME DA WAR GYAB TEN PA KYAB NE KUN DU NGO WORK GYUR

Praises to Chenrezig

Oh Lord of whitest form, not sullied by faults Crowned by the perfect Buddha, Viewing all beings with compassionate eyes, To you Chenrezig, I bow.

JO WO KYÖN GYI MA GÖ KU DOK KAR DZOK GANG GYE KYI U LA GYEN TUK JAY CHEN GYI DRO LA ZIK CHEN RE ZIG LA CHAK TSAL LO

Seven-Limb Prayer

I prostrate with faith to the Noble and Powerful Chenrezig, And to all the Buddhas together with your spiritual heirs Residing in the ten directions and three times.

Flowers, incense, lights, perfumes, food, music, and much else, All that I own, treasure, and can conceive of I offer –

Noble assembly, please accept these.

I confess all my negative actions, including the ten non-virtuous deeds And five actions of immediate consequence,

That I have committed since beginningless time until now With a mind overpowered by affliction.

I rejoice in any merit that accumulates

Throughout the three times due to the virtuous acts

Of hearers, solitary realizers, bodhisattvas, ordinary beings and others.

I beseech you to turn the wheel of Dharma

of the Common, Foundational and Vast Vehicles

According to the abilities and temperaments of every sentient beings. I implore you not to pass into nirvana as long as samsara is not empty; Look with compassion on all sentient beings drowning in this ocean of

Look with compassion on all sentient beings drowning in this ocean of suffering.

May whatever merit I accumulate become a cause for enlightenment for all.

May I quickly become a glorious guide for beings.

Prayer of Bodhicitta and Dedication of Merit

May the supreme jewel bodhicitta That has not arisen arise and grow, And may that which has arisen not diminish, But increase more and more.

JANG CHUB SEM CHOG RIN PO CHE MA KYE PA NAM KYE GYUR CHIG KYE PA NAM PA MAY PA YANG GONG NAY GONG DU PEL WAR SHOG

Through this virtuous action May I quickly attain the state of Chenrezig And lead every being without exception Into that pure world.

GEWA DE YI NYUR DU DAG CHEN RE ZIG WANG DRUB GYUR NAY DRO WA CHIG KYANG MA LU PA DE YI SA LA GO PAR SHOG

"There are many lengths of guru yogas and practices of Chenrezig and this booklet contains the essential elements from a variety of practices and yogas. I selected key elements to create a practice that will be easy and meaningful. I hope this will be beneficial for all living beings," Lama Losang Samten.

Homage to Chenrezig

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.

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

PAK PA CHEN RE ZIG WANG DANG CHOK CHU DÜ SUM ZHUG PA YI GYAL WA SE CHE TAM CHE LA KUN NAY DANG WE CHAK TSAL LO ME TOK DUK PÖ MAR ME DRI ZHAL ZE ROL MO LA SOK PA NGÖ JOR YI KYI TRUL NE BUL PAK PAI TSOK KYI ZHE SU SÖL TOK MA ME NE DA TAY BAR MI GE CHU DANG TSAM ME NGA SEM NI NYÖN MONG WANG GYUR PAI DIK PA TAM CHE SHAK PAR GYI NYEN TÖ RANG GYAL JANG CHUB SEM SO SO KYI WO LA SOK PE DÜ SUM GE WA CHI SAK PAI SO NAM LA NI DAG YI RANG SEM CHEN NAM KYI SAM PA DANG LO YI JE DRAK JI TA WAR CHE CHUNG TÜN MONG TEK PA YI CHÖ KYI KHOR LO KOR DU SÖL KHOR WA JI SI MA TONG BAR NYA NGEN MIN DA TUK JE YI DUK NGAL GYAM TSOR JING WA YI SEM CHEN NAM LA ZIG SU SÖL DAG GI SÖ NAM CHI SAK PA TAM CHE JANG CHUB GYUR GYUR NE RING POR MI TOK DRO WA YI DREN PAI PAL DU DAG GYUR CHIK.

Request

I pray to you, Lama Chenrezig.
I pray to you, Yidam Chenrezig.
I pray to you, great, noble Chenrezig.
I pray to you, supreme protector Chenrezig.
I pray to you, lord of love, Chenrezig.
Great compassionate victor, embrace us with compassion.
Lord protector, there is no other refuge than you
In the innumerable beings wandering endlessly within samsara,
Experiencing unbearable suffering.
Bestow the blessing of omniscient Buddhahood.

SÖL WA DEB SO LA MA CHEN RE ZIG SÖL WA DEB SO YI DAM CHEN RE ZIG SÖL WA DEB SO PAK CHOK CHEN RE ZIG SÖL WA DEB SO KYAB GÖN CHEN RE ZIG SÖL WA DEB SO JAM GÖN CHEN RE ZIG TUK JEY ZUNG SHIK GYAL WA TUG JE CHEN TA ME KHOR WAR DRANG ME KHYAM GYUR CHING ZÖ ME DUK NGAL NYÖNG WAI DRO WA LA GÖN PO KHYE LE KYAB ZHEN MA CHI SO NAM KHYEN SANG GYE TOB PAR JIN GYI LOB

Visualization

Praying intently, light emanates from Chenrezig's noble form And purifies all manifestations of impure karma and confusion. The place becomes Dewachen.

The body, speech, and mind of all beings Becomes Chenrezig's appearance, sound, and thought inseparable from emptiness. DE TAR TSE CHIK SÖL TAP PE PAK PAI KU LE Ö ZER TRÖ MA DAK LE NANG TRUL SHE JANG CHI NÖ DE WA CHEN GYI SHING NANG CHÜ KYEN DROI LU NGAK EM CHEN RE ZIG WANG KU SUNG TUK NANG DRAK RIK TONG YER ME GYUR

Mantra



OM MANI PADME HUNG

(Repeat the mantra at least 21 or 100 times)

Meaning of the Mantra

OM MANI PADME HUNG contains all the teachings of the Buddha, as well as all the antidotes for all delusions and imprints of delusions. Each syllable has profound meaning and offers tremendous blessings. This is one of the most important mantras in the Land of Snow (Tibet).

OM contains the body, speech and mind
MANI is the jewel
PADME is the lotus
HUNG is the essence of compassion
This means "Buddha who holds the jewel and the lotus protect me"

OM is the antidote of ignorance
MA is the antidote of hatred
NI is the antidote of miserliness
PAD is the antidote of attachment
ME is the antidote of jealousy
HUNG is the antidote of negative pride
This means the mantra is the antidote of the six delusions

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