



## Çré Jagannāthāñōaka

(1)  
kadācit kālindé-tāōa-vipina-sai gétaka-ravo  
mudābhéré-nārē-vadana-kamalāsvāda-madhupaū  
ramā-çambhu-brahmāmara-pati-gaēēçārcita-pado  
jagannāthaū svāmé nayana-patha-gāmé bhavatu me

(2)  
bhujē savyē veēuā çirasi çikhi-puccham kaōi-taōē  
dukūlāà netrānte sahadara-kaōākñāà vidadhate  
sadā çrēmad-vāndāvana-vasati-lēlā-paricayo  
jagannāthaū svāmé nayana-patha-gāmé bhavatu me

(3)  
mahāmbhodhes tēre kanaka-rucire nēla-çikhare  
vasan prāsādāntaū sahaja-balabhadreēa balinā  
subhadrā-madhya-sthaū sakala-sura-sevāvasara-do  
jagannāthaū svāmé nayana-patha-gāmé bhavatu me

(4)  
kāpā-pārvāraū sajala-jalada-çreēi-ruciro  
ramā-vāēē-rāmaū sphurad-amala-pai keruha-mukhaū  
surendrair āradhyaū çruti-gaēa-çikhā-gēta-carito  
jagannāthaū svāmé nayana-patha-gāmé bhavatu me

(5)  
rathārūōho gacchan pathi milita-bhūdeva-paōalaiū  
stuti-prādurbhāvam prati-padam upākarēya sadayaū  
dayā-sindhur bandhuū sakala jagatāà sindhu-sutayā  
jagannāthah svāmé nayana-patha-gāmé bhavatu me

(6)  
para-brahmāpēōaū kuvalaya-dalotphulla-nayano  
nivāsē nēlādrau nihita-caraēo 'nanta-çirasi  
rasānando rādhā-sarasa-vapur-ālii gana-sukho  
jagannāthaū svāmé nayana-patha-gāmé bhavatu me

(7)  
na vai yāce rājyaà na ca kanaka-māēikya-vibhavaà  
na yāce 'haà ramyāà sakala jana-kāmyāà vara-vadhūm  
sadā kāle kāle pramatha-patinā gēta-carito  
jagannāthaū svāmé nayana-patha-gāmé bhavatu me

(8)  
hara tvaà saà sāraà druta-taram asāraà sura-pate  
hara tvaà pāpānāà vitatià aparāà yādava-pate  
aho dēne 'nāthe nihita-caraēo niçcitam idarī  
jagannāthaū svāmé nayana-patha-gāmé bhavatu me

jagannāthāñōakaà punyaà yaū paōhet prayataū çuciū  
sarva-pāpa-viçuddhātmā viñēu-lokaà sa gacchati

## Translation :

- (1) Sometimes in great happiness Lord Jagannātha makes a loud concert with His flute in the groves on the banks of the Yamunā. He is like a bumblebee tasting the beautiful lotuslike faces of the cowherd damsels of Vraja, and great personalities such as Lakīmé, Çiva, Brahmā, Indra, and Gaëeça worship His lotus feet. May that Jagannātha Svāmé be the object of my vision.
- (2) In His left hand Lord Jagannātha holds a flute, on His head He wears peacock feathers, and on His hips He wears fine yellow silken cloth. From the corners of His eyes He bestows sidelong glances upon His loving devotees, and He always reveals Himself through His pastimes in His divine abode of Vāndāvana. May that Jagannātha Svāmé be the object of my vision.
- (3) On the shore of the great ocean, within a large palace atop the brilliant, golden Nēācala Hill, Lord Jagannātha resides with His powerful brother Balabhadra and His sister Subhadrā, who sits between Them. May that Jagannātha Svāmé, who bestows the opportunity for devotional service upon all godly souls, be the object of my vision.
- (4) Lord Jagannātha is an ocean of mercy and as beautiful as a row of blackish rain clouds. He is the storehouse of bliss for Lakīmé and Sarasvaté, and His face resembles a spotless fullblown lotus. The best of demigods and sages worship Him, and the Upaniñads sing His glories. May that Jagannātha Svāmé be the object of my vision.
- (5) When Lord Jagannātha moves along the road on His Rathayātrā car, at every step large assemblies of brāhmaëas loudly chant prayers and sing songs for His pleasure. Hearing their hymns, Lord Jagannātha becomes very favorably disposed toward them. He is the ocean of mercy and the true friend of all the worlds. May that Jagannātha Svāmé, along with His consort Lakīmé, who was born from the ocean of nectar, be the object of my vision.
- (6) Lord Jagannātha, whose eyes resemble full-blown lotus petals, is the ornament on Lord Brahmā's head. He resides on Nēācala Hill with His lotus feet placed on the heads of Anantadeva. Overwhelmed by the mellows of love, He joyfully embraces Çrématé Rādhārāëë's body, which is like a cool pond. May that Jagannātha Svāmé be the object of my vision.
- (7) I do not pray for a kingdom? nor for gold, rubies, or wealth. I do not ask for a beautiful wife. as desired by all men. I simply pray that Jagannātha Svāmé, whose glories Lord Çiva always sings, may be the constant object of my vision.
- (8) O Lord of the demigods, please quickly remove this useless material existence I am undergoing. O Lord of the Yadus, please destroy this vast, shoreless ocean of sins. Alas, this is certain: Lord Jagannātha bestows His lotus feet upon those who feel themselves fallen and have no shelter in this world but Him. May that Jagannātha Svāmé be the object of my vision.

The self-retrained, virtuous soul who recites these eight verses glorifying Lord Jagannātha becomes cleansed of all sins and duly proceeds to Lord Viñëu's abode.