

Totakaashtakam in English **Totakaashtakam – English Lyrics (Text)**

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viditākhila śāstra sudhā jaladhe
mahitopaniṣat-kathitārtha nidhe |
hṛdaye kalaye vimalaṃ caraṇaṃ
bhava śaṅkara deśika me śaraṇaṃ || 1 ||

karuṇā varuṇālaya pālaya māṃ
bhavasāgara duḥkha vidūna hṛdam |
racayākhila darśana tattvavidam
bhava śaṅkara deśika me śaraṇaṃ || 2 ||

bhavatā janatā suhitā bhavitā
nijabodha vicāraṇa cārumate |
kalayeśvara jīva viveka vidam
bhava śaṅkara deśika me śaraṇaṃ || 3 ||

bhava eva bhavāniti me nitarāṃ
samajāyata cetasi kautukitā |
mama vāraya moha mahājaladhīṃ
bhava śaṅkara deśika me śaraṇaṃ || 4 ||

sukṛtedhikṛte bahudhā bhavato
bhavitā samadarśana lālasatā |
ati dīnamimaṃ paripālaya māṃ
bhava śaṅkara deśika me śaraṇaṃ || 5 ||

jagatīmavitum kalitākṛtayo
vicaranti mahāmāha sacchalataḥ |
ahimāṃśurivātra vibhāsi guro
bhava śaṅkara deśika me śaraṇaṃ || 6 ||

gurupuṅgava puṅgavaketana te
samatāmayatāṃ na hi kopi sudhīḥ |
śaraṇāgata vatsala tattvanidhe

bhava śaṅkara deśika me śaraṇam || 7 ||

viditā na mayā viśadaika kalā
na ca kiñcana kāñcanamasti guro |
dṛtameva vidhehi kṛpāṃ sahaajāṃ
bhava śaṅkara deśika me śaraṇam || 8 ||

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