

Sri Hanuman Chalisa- with Translation

The most famous and widely read piece of literature apart from the RamaCharitaManasa, this is a poem primarily extolling the glories of Bhagwan Sri Hanuman. It has gained enormous popularity among the Bhaktas, most of whom recite it as a prayer every day. Though it is a prayer, it has been recited so many times by so many Bhaktas that it has become the MahaMantra.

Shri Guru Charan Saroj Raj Nij mane mukure sudhar Varnao Raghuvār Vimal Jasu Jo dayaku phal char		After cleansing the mirror of my mind with the dust of my Guru's Lotus feet, I profess the pure, unattained glory of Shri Raghuvār, which bestows the four fruits of life (Dharma, Arth, Kama, & Moksha).
Budhi Hin Tanu Janike Sumirau Pavan Kumar Bal budhi Vidya dehu mohe Harahu Kalesa Vikar		Knowing myself to be devoid of intelligence, I recall Pavan Kumar (Son of the Wind God) for strength, intelligence and wisdom and remove my blemishes and short comings.
Jai Hanuman gyan gun sagar Jai Kapis tihun lok ujar	1	Glory to Hanuman! Ocean of wisdom and virtue, Hail to O'Kapis (Monkey Lord)! Your glory is well-versed in all the three worlds (entire cosmos).
Ram doot atulit bal dhama Anjani-putra Pavan sut nama	2	You are the emissary of Shri Ram, abode of immeasurable strength; you are the son of Anjana and Kesari, but also known as Pawan Putra (Son of the Wind God).
Mahavir Vikram Bajrangi Kumati nivar sumati Ke sangi	3	O valiant! You are as Mighty as thunderbolt. You dispel the evil thoughts and stand by with the virtuous.
Kanchan varan viraj subesa Kanan Kundal Kunchit Kesa	4	The color of your body is golden, splendidly adorned. You wear kundal (heavy earrings) in your ears and have striking curly hair.
Hath Vajra Aur Dhuvaje Viraje Kandhe moonj janehu sajai	5	You carry in your hands a vajra (thunder bolt) and Dhuvaja (virtuous flag). A sacred thread of munja (dried grass) adorns your shoulder.
Sankar swayam kesri Nandan Tej pratap maha jag vandan	6	You yourself are Lord Siva and joy of Kesari. Your omnipotent glory is revered throughout the world.
Vidyavan guni ati chatur Ram kaj karibe ko aatur	7	You are intelligent, virtuous and supremely wise, always eager to fulfill the wishes of Rama.
Prabu charitra sunibe ko rasiya Ram Lakhan Sita man Basiya	8	You are always keen to listen to the narration of Ram's deeds. Ram, Lakhan and Sita always reside in your mind.
Sukshma roop dhari Siyahi dikhava Vikat roop dhari lanka jarava	9	You appeared before Sita in a tiny form. You assumed a gigantic form and set Lanka on fire.
Bhima roop dhari asur sanghare Ramachandra ke kaj sanvare	10	You took on the colossal form to destroy the demons. By that you accomplished the mission of Shri Rama.
Laye Sanjivan Lakhan Jiyaye Shri Raghuvir Harashi ur laye	11	Bringing the Sanjivani (an herb that revives life) you revived Lakshman and Shri Ram embraced you with joy.
Raghupati Kinhi bahut badai Tum mam priye Bharat-hi sam bhai	12	Raghupati (Shri Ram) praised you with great admiration and said, "O Brother (referring to Hanuman) you are as dear to me as Bharat."
Sahas badan tumharo yash gave Us kahi Shripati kanth lagaave	13	The sehstra Nag through his thousand mouths sings your glory; saying that Shri Ram embraced you affectionately
Sankadik Brahmadi Muneesa Narad Sarad sahit Aheesa	14	Sankak and the Sages, Gods like Brahma and Munis (hermits), Deverishi Narad, Goddess Sarawati with Aheesa (Mother of Nag Devtas)
Yam Kuber Diggpal Jahan te Kavi kovid kahi sake kahan te	15	Even Yamraj (lord of death), Kuber (lord of wealth), the Diggpals (Lords of ten directions), the poets, and the scholars, how can they articulate your glory which is beyond infinite praise.
Tum upkar Sugreevahin keenha Ram milaye rajpad deenha	16	You rendered great favor to Sugriva by introducing him to Rama and he was blessed with the kingship.
Tumharo mantra Vibheeshan mana Lankeshwar Bhaye Sub jag jana	17	The universe knows that by following your advice Vibheeshan became king of Lanka.
Yug sahastra jojan par Bhanu Leelyo tahi madhur phal janu	18	Though the fiery sun is thousands of miles away from the earth, you grabbed it and placed it in your mouth as if it was a sweet fruit.

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Prabhu mudrika meli mukh mahee Jaladhi langhi gaye achraj nahee	19	(After grabbing the sun), there is no wonder that you could leap across the vast ocean and carry the ring in your mouth.
Durgaam kaj jagat ke jete Sugam anugraha tumhre tete	20	Every arduous task in this world becomes effortless with your grace
Ram dware tum rakhvare, Hoat na agya binu paisare	21	Even to attain Ram you are the channel; without your consent no one can reach Him.
Sub sukh lahai tumhari saran Tum rakshak kahu ko dar na	22	All the comforts take refuge in you Those who you protect should not have any fear
Aapan tej samharo aapai Teenhon lok hank te kanpai	23	O Lord! Please hold your splendor within you as the three worlds (entire universe) tremble at your roar.
Bhoot pisach Nikat nahin aavai Mahavir jab naam sunavai	24	The ghosts, demons and evil spirits keep away where your name (Mahavir) is uttered.
Nase rog harai sab peera Japat nirantar Hanumant beera	25	O Veer (Brave) Hanuman, all diseases, pains, and sufferings are eradicated by constantly reciting your name.
Sankat se Hanuman chudavai Man Karam Vachan dyan jo lavai	26	Those who remember Shri Hanuman in thought, words and deeds with Sincerity and Faith, are rescued from the crises in their life.
Sub par Ram tapasvee raja Tin ke kaj sakal Tum saja	27	Above all the kings Ram was the most pious and dutiful king even his missions were accomplished through you.
Aur manorath jo koi lavai Sohi amit jeevan phal pavai	28	One who brings yearning to you, they obtain the imperishable fruit of existence.
Charon Yug partap tumhara Hai persidh jagat ujiyara	29	All through the four Yugs (ages), your splendor is radiantly acclaimed all over the cosmos.
Sadhu Sant ke tum Rakhware Asur nikandan Ram dulhare	30	You are the protector of saints and sages. O destroyer of all demons you are the beloved of Shri Ram.
Ashta sidhi nav nidhi ke dhata Us var deen Janki mata	31	Mother Janki bestowed the boon on You to utilize the Astha (8 powers) Siddhi and Nav Niddhis (9 treasures) among His bhaktas (8 Siddhis: Anima, Mahima, Garima, Laghima, Prapti, Prakamye, Isitwa & Vashitwa. 9 Nidhis: Pajha, Mahapajha, Sankh, Makar, Kashap, Mukund, Nil, Kund & Varcch).
Ram rasayan tumhare pasa Sada raho Raghupati ke dasa	32	You hold the elixir of Shri Rama. Your disciples have always remained Shri Raghupati's bhakts.
Tumhare bhajan Ram ko pavai Janam janam ke dukh bisravai	33	Singing your praise one finds Ram and escapes the sorrows of countless lives.
Anth kaal Raghuvir pur jayee Jahan janam Hari-Bakht Kahayee	34	One who chants your name at the end of life goes to Vaikunth (Ram's abode). There after in all further births one will be born as Hari-Bakt.
Aur Devta Chit na dharehi Hanumanth se hi sarve sukh karehi	35	When all the other deities are not responding to one's prayers, devotion to Sri Hanuman one can gain all the happiness.
Sankat kate mite sab peera bJo sumirai Hanumat Balveera	36	One is freed from all the sufferings and pains by chanting your name O Hanuman The Balveera
Jai Jai Jai Hanuman Gosahin Kripa Karahu Gurudev ki nyahin	37	Glory!Glory!Glory! to Shri Hanuman, the creator of the universe, please bless me in the capacity as my Sadguru.
Jo sat bar path kare kahi Chutehi bandhi maha sukh hohi	38	One who recites Hanuman Chalisa hundred times, becomes free from the bondages and enjoys the supreme bliss.
Jo yah padhe Hanuman Chalisa Hoye siddhi sakhi Gaureesa	39	One who recites the Hanuman Chalisa achieves success. For that Lord Shiva (Gaureesa's husband) is our witness.
Tulsidas sada hari chera Keejai Naath Hrdaye mein dera	40	Sage Tulsidas says that he is a humble bhakta of Shri Hari, he prays that the Lord grants him a space in his heart.
Pavantnai sankat haran, Mangal murti roop. Ram Lakhan Sita sahit, Hrdaye basahu sur bhoop.		O Pavan nandan (Son of the Wind God), destroyer of all miseries, you are a symbol of auspiciousness. King of Gods Shri Ram, along with Lakhan and Sita reside in your heart.