CHAPTER THIRTY-NINE

1. Dedication to vital breaths along with their overlord. (1) Dedication to the earth. (2) Dedication to the fire. (3) Dedication to the mid-space. (4) Dedication to the wind. (5) Dedication to the sky. (6) Dedication to the sun. (7)

2. Dedication to the quarters. (1) Dedication to the moon. (2) Dedication to the stars. (3) Dedicaion to the waters. (4) Dedication to the ocean. (5) Dedication to the navel. (6) Dedication to the purifier. (7)

3. Dedication to the tongue. (1) Dedication to right nostril. (2) Dedication to left nostril. (3) Dedication to right eye. (4) Dedication to left eye. (5) Dedication to right ear. (6) Dedication to left ear. (7)

4. May I obtain my heart's desire, mental effort, and truthfulness of speech. May the beauty of the animals, deliciousness of food, fame and splendour be granted to me. Svāhā. (1)

5. The self, being reared up, is Prajāpati (Lord of creatures). (1) Fully nourished, it is Samrāṭ, (shining bright). (2) When approached, it is Vaiśvadeva (belonging to all the bounties of Nature). (3) Separated from the body, it is Gharma (the sacrifice). (4) Rising up, it is Tejas (light). (5) Being collected in water, it is Āśvina (full of strength). (6) When water starts trickling, it is Pauṣṇa (nourishing). (7) When starting movements, it is Māruta (belonging to winds). (8) When nourished in the water-reservoir, it is Maitra (belonging to the friendly Lord). (9) When carried off, it is Vāyavya (belonging to the air). (10) When being invoked, it is Āgneya (belonging to the fire). (11) Having been invoked, it is Vāk (speech). (12)

6. On the first day, it is the rising sun. (1) On the second, the fire. (2) On the third, the wind. (3) On the fourth, the midday sun. (4) On the fifth, the moon. (5) On the sixth, the season. (6) On the seventh, the cloud-bearing winds. (7) On the eighth, the Jupiter. (8) On the ninth, the evening sun. (9) On the tenth, the ocean. (10) On the eleventh, the lightning. (11) On the twelfth day, it is all the bounties of Nature. (12)

7. Fierce, (1) Terrible, (2) Roarer (3) Shaker. (4) Humbler, (5) Assailant, (6) And Scatterer—Svāhā. (7)

8. (I worship) the adorable Lord (Agni) with my heart; (1) The Lord of thunder (Aśani) with my heart's front portion; (2) The Lord of the creatures (Paśupati) with the whole of my heart; (3) The Supreme being (Bhava) with my liver; (4) The Lord of happiness (Śarva) with my ribs; (5) The Ruler Supreme (Īśāna) with my fervour; (6) The great God (Mahādeva) with my inner side-bones; (7) The wrathful God with my large intestine; (8) The deities worth knowing with my lower jaw; (9) Sundry deities (Śiṅgīni) with the two heart muscles. (10)

9. (I worship) the fierce Lord with blood; (1) The friendly Lord with courtesy; (2) The punisher Lord with arrogance; (3) The resplendent Lord with sports; (4) The brave soldiers with force; (5) The seekers of perfection with pleasantries. (6) The throat part to the Supreme being. (7) The intra-ribs to the punisher Lord. (8) The liver to the great God. (9) The large intestine to the bliss-bestowing Lord. (10) The pericardium to the Lord of the creatures. (11)

10. Dedication to hair (1) dedication to hair; (2) dedication to skin (3) dedication to skin; (4) dedication to blood (5) dedication to blood; (6) dedication to fat; (7) dedication to fat. (8) Dedication to flesh; (9) dedication to flesh; (10) dedication to sinaews. (11) dedication to sinews; (12) dedication to bones; (13) dedication to bones; (14) dedication to marrow; (15) dedication to marrow; (16) dedication to semen (17) dedication to anus. (18)

11. Dedication to exertion; (1) dedication to efforts; (2) dedication to all-round endeavours; (3) dedication to special effort; (4) dedication to attempt to improve. (5) dedication to grief; (6) dedication to the grieving. (7) dedication to the grieved; (8) dedication to sorrow. (9)

12. Dedication to austerities; (1) dedication to one practising austerities; (2) dedication to one for whom the austerities are practised; (3) dedication to one, who has completed his austerities; (4) Dedication to sacrifice. (5) dedication to expiation; (6) dedication to atonement; (7) dedication to remedy (8)

13. Dedication to the controller Lord; (1) dedication to the Lord causing the end; (2) dedication to death. (3) Dedication to sacred knowledge; (4) dedication to suppression of sacred knowledge; (5) dedication to all the bounties of Nature; (6) dedication to the heaven and earth. (7)