#### saṃyutta nikāya 38

Linked Discourses 38

# 1. jambukhādakavagga 1. With Jambukhādaka

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#### 1. nibbānapañhāsutta

1. A Question About Extinguishment

ekam samayam āyasmā sāriputto magadhesu viharati nālakagāmake.

At one time Venerable Sāriputta was staying in the land of the Magadhans near the little village of Nālaka.

atha kho jambukhādako paribbājako yenāyasmā sāriputto tenupasankami; upasankamitvā āyasmatā sāriputtena saddhim sammodi.

Then the wanderer Jambukhādaka went up to Venerable Sāriputta and exchanged greetings with him.

sammodanīyam katham sāranīyam vītisāretvā ekamantam nisīdi. ekamantam nisinno kho jambukhādako paribbājako āyasmantam sāriputtam etadavoca:

When the greetings and polite conversation were over, he sat down to one side and said to Sāriputta:

"'nibbānam, nibbānan'ti, āvuso sāriputta, vuccati.

"Reverend Sāriputta, they speak of this thing called 'extinguishment'.

katamam nu kho, āvuso, nibbānan"ti?

What is extinguishment?"

"yo kho, āvuso, rāgakkhayo dosakkhayo mohakkhayo—"Reverend, the ending of greed, hate, and delusion

idam vuccati nibbānan"ti.

is called extinguishment."

"atthi panāvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā etassa nibbānassa sacchikiriyāyā"ti?
"But, reverend, is there a path and a practice for realizing this extinguishment?"

"atthi kho, āvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā etassa nibbānassa sacchikiriyāyā"ti. "There is, reverend."

"katamo panāvuso, maggo katamā paṭipadā etassa nibbānassa sacchikiriyāyā"ti? "Well, what is it?"

"ayameva kho, āvuso, ariyo aṭṭhaṅgiko maggo etassa nibbānassa sacchikiriyāya, seyyathidam—

"It is simply this noble eightfold path, that is:

sammādiṭṭḥi sammāsaṅkappo sammāvācā sammākammanto sammāājīvo sammāvāyāmo sammāsati sammāsamādhi.

right view, right thought, right speech, right action, right livelihood, right effort, right mindfulness, and right immersion.

ayam kho, āvuso, maggo ayam paṭipadā etassa nibbānassa sacchikiriyāyā"ti. This is the path, the practice, for realizing this extinguishment."

"bhaddako, āvuso, maggo bhaddikā paṭipadā etassa nibbānassa sacchikiriyāya. "Reverend, this is a fine path, a fine practice, for realizing this extinguishment.

alañca panāvuso sāriputta, appamādāyā"ti.

Just this much is enough to be diligent."

paṭhamam.

saṃyutta nikāya 38 Linked Discourses 38

#### 1. jambukhādakavagga 1. With Jambukhādaka

#### 2. arahattapañhāsutta

2. A Question About Perfection

"arahattam, arahattan'ti, āvuso sāriputta, vuccati.
"Reverend Sāriputta, they speak of this thing called 'perfection'.

katamam nu kho, āvuso, arahattan"ti? What is perfection?"

"yo kho, āvuso, rāgakkhayo dosakkhayo mohakkhayo—"Reverend, the ending of greed, hate, and delusion

# idam vuccati arahattan"ti.

is called perfection."

"atthi panāvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā etassa arahattassa sacchikiriyāyā"ti?
"But, reverend, is there a path and a practice for realizing this perfection?"

"atthi kho, āvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā etassa arahattassa sacchikiriyāyā"ti.
"There is. reverend."

"katamo panāvuso, maggo katamā paṭipadā etassa arahattassa sacchikiriyāyā"ti? "Well, what is it?"

"ayameva kho, āvuso, ariyo aṭṭhaṅgiko maggo etassa arahattassa sacchikiriyāya, seyyathidam—

"It is simply this noble eightfold path, that is:

#### sammāditthi ... pe ... sammāsamādhi.

right view, right thought, right speech, right action, right livelihood, right effort, right mindfulness, and right immersion.

ayam kho, āvuso, maggo, ayam paṭipadā etassa arahattassa sacchikiriyāyā"ti. This is the path, the practice, for realizing this perfection."

"bhaddako, āvuso, maggo bhaddikā paṭipadā etassa arahattassa sacchikiriyāya. "Reverend, this is a fine path, a fine practice, for realizing this perfection.

alañca panāvuso sāriputta, appamādāyā"ti. *Just this much is enough to be diligent.*"

dutiyam.

samyutta nikāya 38 *Linked Discourses 38* 

## 1. jambukhādakavagga

1. With Jambukhādaka

## $3.\ dhammav\bar{a}d\bar{\imath}pa\tilde{n}h\bar{a}sutta$

3. Principled Speech

"ke nu kho, āvuso sāriputta, loke dhammavādino, ke loke suppaṭipannā, ke loke sugatā"ti?

"Reverend Sāriputta, who in the world have principled speech? Who in the world practice well? Who are the Holy Ones in the world?"

"ye kho, āvuso, rāgappahānāya dhammam desenti, dosappahānāya dhammam desenti, mohappahānāya dhammam desenti, te loke dhammavādino.

"Reverend, those who teach principles for giving up greed, hate, and delusion have principled speech in the world.

ye kho, āvuso, rāgassa pahānāya paṭipannā, dosassa pahānāya paṭipannā, mohassa pahānāya paṭipannā, te loke suppaṭipannā.

Those who practice for giving up greed, hate, and delusion are practicing well in the world.

yesam kho, āvuso, rāgo pahīno ucchinnamūlo tālāvatthukato anabhāvankato āyatim anuppādadhammo, doso pahīno ucchinnamūlo tālāvatthukato anabhāvankato āyatim anuppādadhammo, moho pahīno ucchinnamūlo tālāvatthukato anabhāvankato āyatim anuppādadhammo, te loke sugatā"ti.

Those who have given up greed, hate, and delusion—so they're cut off at the root, made like a palm stump, obliterated, and unable to arise in the future—are Holy Ones in the world."

"atthi panāvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā etassa rāgassa dosassa mohassa pahānāyā"ti? "But, reverend, is there a path and a practice for giving up that greed, hate, and delusion?"

"atthi kho, āvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā etassa rāgassa dosassa mohassa pahānāyā"ti.
"There is. reverend."

"katamo panāvuso, maggo katamā paṭipadā etassa rāgassa dosassa mohassa pahānāyā"ti?

"Well, what is it?"

"ayameva kho, āvuso, ariyo aṭṭhaṅgiko maggo etassa rāgassa dosassa mohassa pahānāya, seyyathidam—

"It is simply this noble eightfold path, that is:

sammāditthi ... pe ... sammāsamādhi.

right view, right thought, right speech, right action, right livelihood, right effort, right mindfulness, and right immersion.

ayam kho, āvuso, maggo ayam paṭipadā etassa rāgassa dosassa mohassa pahānāyā"ti.

This is the path, this is the practice for giving up that greed, hate, and delusion."

"bhaddako, āvuso, maggo bhaddikā paṭipadā, etassa rāgassa dosassa mohassa pahānāya.

"This is a fine path, a fine practice, for giving up greed, hate, and delusion.

alañca panāvuso sāriputta, appamādāyā"ti.

Just this much is enough to be diligent."

tatiyam.

saṃyutta nikāya 38 Linked Discourses 38

- 1. jambukhādakavagga
  - 1. With Jambukhādaka
- 4. kimatthiyasutta
  - 4. What's the Purpose
- "kimatthiyam, āvuso sāriputta, samane gotame brahmacariyam vussatī"ti?
  "Reverend Sāriputta, what's the purpose of living the spiritual life with the ascetic Gotama?"
- "dukkhassa kho, āvuso, pariññattham bhagavati brahmacariyam vussatī"ti.

  "The purpose of living the spiritual life under the Buddha is to completely understand suffering."
- "atthi panāvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā etassa dukkhassa pariññāyā"ti?
  "But, reverend, is there a path and a practice for completely understanding this suffering?"
- "atthi kho, āvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā, etassa dukkhassa pariññāyā"ti? "There is." ...
- "katamo panāvuso, maggo katamā patipadā, etassa dukkhassa pariññāyā"ti?
- "ayameva kho, āvuso, ariyo aṭṭhaṅgiko maggo, etassa dukkhassa pariññāya, seyyathidaṃ—

sammādiṭṭhi ... pe ... sammāsamādhi.

ayam kho, āvuso, maggo ayam patipadā etassa dukkhassa pariññāyā"ti.

"bhaddako, āvuso, maggo bhaddikā patipadā, etassa dukkhassa pariññāya.

alañca panāvuso sāriputta, appamādāyā"ti.

catuttham.

samyutta nikāya 38

Linked Discourses 38

- 1. jambukhādakavagga 1. With Jambukhādaka
- 5. assāsappattasutta

5. Solace

"assāsappatto, assāsappatto'ti, āvuso sāriputta, vuccati.
"Reverend Sāriputta, they speak of this thing called 'gaining solace'.

kittāvatā nu kho, āvuso, assāsappatto hotī"ti?

At what point do you gain solace?'

"yato kho, āvuso, bhikkhu channam phassāyatanānam samudayañca atthangamañca assādañca ādīnavañca nissaraṇañca yathābhūtam pajānāti, ettāvatā kho, āvuso, assāsappatto hotī"ti.

"When a mendicant truly understands the six fields of contacts' origin, ending, gratification, drawback, and escape, at that point they've gained solace."

"atthi panāvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā, etassa assāsassa sacchikiriyāyā"ti? "But, reverend, is there a path and a practice for realizing this solace?"

"atthi kho, āvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā, etassa assāsassa sacchikiriyāyā"ti. "There is." ...

"katamo panāvuso, maggo katamā paṭipadā, etassa assāsassa sacchikiriyāyā"ti?

"ayameva kho, āvuso, ariyo aṭṭhaṅgiko maggo etassa assāsassa sacchikiriyāya, seyyathidaṃ—

sammādiṭṭhi ... pe ... sammāsamādhi.

ayam kho, āvuso, maggo ayam paṭipadā, etassa assāsassa sacchikiriyāyā"ti.

"bhaddako, āvuso, maggo bhaddikā paṭipadā, etassa assāsassa sacchikiriyāya.

alañca panāvuso sāriputta, appamādāyā"ti.

pañcamam.

saṃyutta nikāya 38 Linked Discourses 38

- jambukhādakavagga
  - 1. With Jambukhādaka
- 6. paramassāsappattasutta 6. Ultimate Solace

""paramassāsappatto, paramassāsappatto'ti, āvuso sāriputta, vuccati.
"Reverend Sāriputta, they speak of this thing called 'gaining ultimate solace'.

kittāvatā nu kho, āvuso, paramassāsappatto hotī"ti?

At what point do you gain ultimate solace?

"yato kho, āvuso, bhikkhu channam phassāyatanānam samudayañca atthaṅgamañca assādañca ādīnavañca nissaraṇañca yathābhūtam viditvā anupādāvimutto hoti, ettāvatā kho, āvuso, paramassāsappatto hotī"ti.

"When a mendicant is freed by not grasping after truly understanding the six fields of contacts' origin, ending, gratification, drawback, and escape, at that point they've gained ultimate solace."

"atthi panāvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā, etassa paramassāsassa sacchikiriyāyā"ti?
"But, reverend, is there a path and a practice for realizing this ultimate solace?"

"atthi kho, āvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā, etassa paramassāsassa sacchikiriyāyā"ti.
"There is." ...

"katamo pana, āvuso, maggo katamā paṭipadā, etassa paramassāsassa sacchikiriyāyā"ti?

"ayameva kho, āvuso, ariyo aṭṭhaṅgiko maggo etassa paramassāsassa sacchikiriyāya, seyyathidam—

sammādiṭṭhi ... pe ... sammāsamādhi.

ayam kho, āvuso, maggo ayam paṭipadā, etassa paramassāsassa sacchikiriyāyā"ti.

"bhaddako, āvuso, maggo bhaddikā paṭipadā, etassa paramassāsassa sacchikiriyāya.

alañca panāvuso sāriputta, appamādāyā"ti.

chattham.

saṃyutta nikāya 38 Linked Discourses 38

- 1. jambukhādakavagga
  - 1. With Jambukhādaka
- 7. vedanāpañhāsutta 7. A Question About Feeling

"vedanā, vedanā'ti, āvuso sāriputta, vuccati."

"Reverend Sāriputta, they speak of this thing called 'feeling'.

katamā nu kho, āvuso, vedanā"ti? *What is feeling?*"

"tisso imāvuso, vedanā.

"Reverend, there are three feelings.

katamā tisso?

sukhā vedanā, dukkhā vedanā, adukkhamasukhā vedanā— Pleasant, painful, and neutral feeling.

imā kho, āvuso, tisso vedanā"ti. *These are the three feelings.*"

- "atthi panāvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā, etāsaṃ tissannaṃ vedanānaṃ pariññāyā"ti?
  "But reverend, is there a path and a practice for completely understanding these three feelings?"
- "atthi kho, āvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā, etāsaṃ tissannaṃ vedanānaṃ pariññāya"ti.
  "There is." ...
- "katamo panāvuso, maggo katamā paṭipadā, etāsaṃ tissannaṃ vedanānaṃ pariññāyā"ti?
- "ayameva kho, āvuso, ariyo aṭṭhaṅgiko maggo, etāsaṃ tissannaṃ vedanānaṃ pariññāya, seyyathidaṃ—

sammādiṭṭhi ... pe ... sammāsamādhi.

ayam kho, āvuso, maggo ayam patipadā, etāsam tissannam vedanānam pariññāyā"ti.

"bhaddako, āvuso, maggo bhaddikā paṭipadā, etāsaṃ tissannaṃ vedanānaṃ pariññāya.

alañca panāvuso sāriputta, appamādāyā"ti.

sattamam.

samyutta nikāya 38 Linked Discourses 38

- 1. jambukhādakavagga
  - 1. With Jambukhādaka
- 8. āsavapañhāsutta

8. A Question About Defilements

""āsavo, āsavo'ti, āvuso sāriputta, vuccati.
"Reverend Sāriputta, they speak of this thing called 'defilement'.

katamo nu kho, āvuso, āsavo"ti?

What is defilement?"

"tayo me, āvuso, āsavā.

"Reverend, there are three defilements.

kāmāsavo, bhavāsavo, avijjāsavo—

The defilements of sensuality, desire to be reborn, and ignorance.

ime kho, āvuso, tayo āsavā"ti.

These are the three defilements."

- "atthi panāvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā etesam āsavānam pahānāyā"ti?
  "But, reverend, is there a path and a practice for completely understanding these three defilements?"
- "atthi kho, āvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā etesam āsavānam pahānāyā"ti.
  "There is." ...
- "katamo panāvuso, maggo katamā paṭipadā etesam āsavānam pahānāyā"ti?
- "ayameva kho, āvuso, ariyo aṭṭhaṅgiko maggo etesaṃ āsavānaṃ pahānāya, seyyathidaṃ—
- sammāditthi ... pe ... sammāsamādhi.

ayam kho, āvuso, maggo ayam paṭipadā, etesam āsavānam pahānāyā"ti.

"bhaddako, āvuso, maggo bhaddikā patipadā, etesam āsavānam pahānāya.

alañca panāvuso sāriputta, appamādāyā"ti.

atthamam.

samyutta nikāya 38 Linked Discourses 38

- 1. jambukhādakavagga
  - 1. With Jambukhādaka
- 9. avijjāpañhāsutta

9. A Question About Ignorance

"avijjā, avijjā'ti, āvuso sāriputta, vuccati."

"Reverend Sāriputta, they speak of this thing called 'ignorance'.

katamā nu kho, āvuso, avijjā"ti?

What is ignorance?"

"yam kho, āvuso, dukkhe aññāṇam, dukkhasamudaye aññāṇam, dukkhanirodhe aññāṇam, dukkhanirodhagāminiyā paṭipadāya aññāṇam—

"Not knowing about suffering, the origin of suffering, the cessation of suffering, and the practice that leads to the cessation of suffering.

ayam vuccatāvuso, avijjā"ti.

This is called ignorance."

"atthi panāvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā, etissā avijjāya pahānāyā"ti?
"But, reverend, is there a path and a practice for giving up that ignorance?"

"atthi kho, āvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā, etissā avijjāya pahānāyā"ti.
"There is." ...

"katamo panāvuso, maggo katamā paṭipadā, etissā avijjāya pahānāyā"ti?

"ayameva kho, āvuso, ariyo aṭṭhaṅgiko maggo, etissā avijjāya pahānāya, seyyathidam—

sammādiṭṭhi ... pe ... sammāsamādhi.

ayam kho, āvuso, maggo ayam paṭipadā, etissā avijjāya pahānāyā"ti.

"bhaddako, āvuso, maggo bhaddikā paṭipadā, etissā avijjāya pahānāya.

alañca panāvuso sāriputta, appamādāyā"ti.

navamam.

samyutta nikāya 38 Linked Discourses 38

- jambukhādakavagga
   With Jambukhādaka
  - 1. Wiin Jambuknaaaka
- 10. tanhāpañhāsutta 10. A Question About Craving

"'taṇhā, taṇhā'ti, āvuso sāriputta, vuccati.

"Reverend Sariputta, they speak of this thing called 'craving'.

katamā nu kho, āvuso, taņhā"ti?

What is craving?"

"tisso imā, āvuso, tanhā.

"Reverend, there are these three cravings.

#### kāmatanhā, bhavatanhā, vibhavatanhā—

Craving for sensual pleasures, craving to continue existence, and craving to end existence.

imā kho, āvuso, tisso taņhā"ti.

These are the three cravings."

"atthi panāvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā, etāsam taṇhānam pahānāyā"ti?
"But, reverend, is there a path and a practice for completely understanding these cravings?"

"atthi kho, āvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā, etāsaṃ taṇhānaṃ pahānāyā"ti.
"There is." ...

"katamo panāvuso, maggo katamā paṭipadā, etāsaṃ taṇhānaṃ pahānāyā"ti?

"ayameva kho, āvuso, ariyo aṭṭhaṅgiko maggo, etāsaṃ taṇhānaṃ pahānāya, seyyathidaṃ—

sammādiṭṭhi ... pe ... sammāsamādhi.

ayam kho, āvuso, maggo ayam paṭipadā, etāsam tanhānam pahānāyā"ti.

"bhaddako, āvuso, maggo bhaddikā paṭipadā, etāsaṃ taṇhānaṃ pahānāya.

alañca panāvuso sāriputta, appamādāyā"ti.

dasamam.

saṃyutta nikāya 38 Linked Discourses 38

# 1. jambukhādakavagga

1. With Jambukhādaka

#### 11. oghapañhāsutta

11. A Question About Floods

"'ogho, ogho'ti, āvuso sāriputta, vuccati.

"Reverend Sāriputta, they speak of this thing called 'a flood'.

## katamo nu kho, āvuso, ogho"ti?

What is a flood?"

"cattarome, avuso, ogha.

"Reverend, there are these four floods.

#### kāmogho, bhavogho, ditthogho, avijjogho—

The floods of sensuality, desire to be reborn, views, and ignorance.

## ime kho, āvuso, cattāro oghā"ti.

These are the four floods."

"atthi panāvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā, etesam oghānam pahānāyā"ti?

"But, reverend, is there a path and a practice for completely understanding these floods?"

"atthi kho, āvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā, etesaṃ oghānaṃ pahānāyā"ti.
"There is." ...

"katamo panāvuso, maggo katamā patipadā, etesam oghānam pahānāyā"ti?

"ayameva kho, āvuso, ariyo aṭṭhaṅgiko maggo, etesaṃ oghānaṃ pahānāya, seyyathidaṃ—

sammāditthi ... pe ... sammāsamādhi.

ayam kho, āvuso, maggo ayam patipadā, etesam oghānam pahānāyā"ti.

"bhaddako, āvuso, maggo bhaddikā paţipadā, etesam oghānam pahānāya.

alañca panāvuso sāriputta, appamādāyā"ti.

ekādasamam.

samyutta nikāya 38 Linked Discourses 38

#### 1. jambukhādakavagga 1. With Jambukhādaka

## 12. upādānapañhāsutta

12. A Question About Grasping

"upādānam, upādānan'ti, āvuso sāriputta, vuccati. "Reverend Sāriputta, they speak of this thing called 'grasping'.

katamam nu kho, āvuso, upādānan"ti? What is grasping?"

"cattārimāni, āvuso, upādānāni.

"Reverend, there are these four kinds of grasping.

kāmupādānam, ditthupādānam sīlabbatupādānam, attavādupādānam— Grasping at sensual pleasures, views, precepts and observances, and theories of a self.

imāni kho, āvuso, cattāri upādānānī"ti.

These are the four kinds of grasping."

"atthi panāvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā, etesaṃ upādānānaṃ pahānāyā"ti?
"But, reverend, is there a path and a practice for completely understanding these four kinds of grasping?"

"atthi kho, āvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā, etesaṃ upādānānaṃ pahānāyā"ti. "There is." ...

"katamo panāvuso, maggo katamā paṭipadā, etesam upādānānam pahānāyā"ti?

"ayameva kho, āvuso, ariyo aṭṭhaṅgiko maggo, etesaṃ upādānānaṃ pahānāya, seyyathidam—

sammādiṭṭhi ... pe ... sammāsamādhi.

ayam kho, āvuso, maggo ayam paṭipadā, etesam upādānānam pahānāyā"ti.

"bhaddako, āvuso, maggo bhaddikā paṭipadā, etesam upādānānam pahānāya.

alañca panāvuso sāriputta, appamādāyā"ti.

dvādasamam.

## saṃyutta nikāya 38

Linked Discourses 38

#### 1. jambukhādakavagga

1. With Jambukhādaka

#### 13. bhavapañhāsutta

13. A Question About States of Existence

"'bhavo, bhavo'ti, āvuso sāriputta, vuccati.

"Reverend Sariputta, they speak of these things called 'states of existence'.

#### katamo nu kho, āvuso, bhavo"ti?

What are states of existence?'

"tayome, āvuso, bhavā.

"Reverend, there are these three states of existence.

#### kāmabhavo, rūpabhavo, arūpabhavo—

Existence in the sensual realm, the realm of luminous form, and the formless realm.

#### ime kho, āvuso, tayo bhavā"ti.

These are the three states of existence."

"atthi panāvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā, etesaṃ bhavānaṃ pariññāyā"ti?
"But, reverend, is there a path and a practice for completely understanding these three states of existence?"

"atthi kho, āvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā, etesaṃ bhavānaṃ pariññāyā"ti.
"There is." ...

"katamo, panāvuso, maggo katamā paṭipadā, etesam bhavānam pariññāyā"ti?

"ayameva kho, āvuso, ariyo aṭṭhaṅgiko maggo, etesaṃ bhavānaṃ pariññāya, seyyathidaṃ—

sammāditthi ... pe ... sammāsamādhi.

ayam kho, āvuso, maggo ayam paṭipadā, etesam bhavānam pariññāyā"ti.

"bhaddako, āvuso, maggo bhaddikā paṭipadā, etesaṃ bhavānaṃ pariññāya.

alañca panāvuso sāriputta, appamādāyā"ti.

terasamam.

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## 1. jambukhādakavagga

1. With Jambukhādaka

#### 14. dukkhapañhāsutta

14. A Question About Suffering

"'dukkham, dukkhan'ti, āvuso sāriputta, vuccati.

"Reverend Sariputta, they speak of this thing called 'suffering'.

# katamam nu kho, āvuso, dukkhan"ti? What is suffering?"

#### "tisso imā, āvuso, dukkhatā.

"Reverend, there are these three forms of suffering.

#### dukkhadukkhatā, sankhāradukkhatā, viparināmadukkhatā—

The suffering inherent in painful feeling; the suffering inherent in conditions; and the suffering inherent in perishing.

## imā kho, āvuso, tisso dukkhatā"ti.

These are the three forms of suffering.'

"atthi panāvuso maggo atthi paṭipadā, etāsaṃ dukkhatānaṃ pariññāyā"ti?
"But, reverend, is there a path and a practice for completely understanding these three forms of suffering?"

"atthi kho, āvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā, etāsaṃ dukkhatānaṃ pariññāyā"ti.
"There is." ...

"katamo panāvuso, maggo katamā paṭipadā, etāsaṃ dukkhatānaṃ pariññāyā"ti?

"ayameva kho, āvuso, ariyo aṭṭhaṅgiko maggo, etāsaṃ dukkhatānaṃ pariññāya, seyyathidaṃ—

sammādiṭṭhi ... pe ... sammāsamādhi.

ayam kho, āvuso, maggo ayam paṭipadā, etāsam dukkhatānam pariññāyā"ti.

"bhaddako, āvuso, maggo bhaddikā paṭipadā, etāsaṃ dukkhatānaṃ pariññāya.

alañca panāvuso sāriputta, appamādāyā"ti.

cuddasamam.

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## 1. jambukhādakavagga

1. With Jambukhādaka

#### sakkāyapañhāsutta

15. A Question About Identity

"sakkāyo, sakkāyo'ti, āvuso sāriputta, vuccati.
"Reverend Sāriputta, they speak of this thing called 'identity'.

## katamo nu kho, āvuso, sakkāyo"ti?

What is identity?"

"pañcime, āvuso, upādānakkhandhā sakkāyo vutto bhagavatā, seyyathidam—"Reverend, the Buddha said that these five grasping aggregates are identity. That is,

rūpupādānakkhandho, vedanupādānakkhandho, saññupādānakkhandho, sankhārupādānakkhandho, viññānupādānakkhandho.

form, feeling, perception, choices, and consciousness.

ime kho, āvuso, pañcupādānakkhandhā sakkāyo vutto bhagavatā"ti. *The Buddha said that these five grasping aggregates are identity.*"

"atthi panāvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā, etassa sakkāyassa pariññāyā"ti?
"But, reverend, is there a path and a practice for completely understanding this identity?"

"atthi kho, āvuso, maggo atthi paṭipadā, etassa sakkāyassa pariññāyā"ti.
"There is." ...

"katamo panāvuso, maggo katamā paţipadā, etassa sakkāyassa pariññāyā"ti?

"ayameva kho, āvuso, ariyo aṭṭhaṅgiko maggo, etassa sakkāyassa pariññāya, seyyathidaṃ—

sammādiṭṭhi ... pe ... sammāsamādhi.

ayam kho, āvuso, maggo ayam paṭipadā, etassa sakkāyassa pariññāyā"ti.

"bhaddako, āvuso, maggo bhaddikā paṭipadā, etassa sakkāyassa pariññāya.

alañca panāvuso sāriputta, appamādāyā"ti.

pannarasamam.

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# 1. jambukhādakavagga

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#### 16. dukkarapañhāsutta

16. A Question About What's Hard to Do

"kim nu kho, āvuso sāriputta, imasmim dhammavinaye dukkaran"ti? "Reverend Sāriputta, in this teaching and training, what is hard to do?"

"pabbajjā kho, āvuso, imasmim dhammavinaye dukkarā"ti.
"Going forth, reverend, is hard to do in this teaching and training."

"pabbajitena panāvuso, kim dukkaran"ti?

"But what's hard to do for someone who has gone forth?"

"pabbajitena kho, āvuso, abhirati dukkarā"ti.
"When you've gone forth it's hard to be satisfied."

## "abhiratena panāvuso, kim dukkaran"ti?

"But what's hard to do for someone who is satisfied?"

"abhiratena kho, āvuso, dhammānudhammappaṭipatti dukkarā"ti.
"When you're satisfied, it's hard to practice in line with the teaching."

"kīvaciram panāvuso, dhammānudhammappaṭipanno bhikkhu araham assā"ti?
"But if a mendicant practices in line with the teaching, will it take them long to become a perfected one?"

"naciram, āvuso"ti.

"Not long, reverend."

solasamam.

#### jambukhādakasaṃyuttaṃ samattaṃ.

The Linked Discourses with Jambukhādaka are complete.

nibbānam arahattañca,

## dhammavādī kimatthiyam;

assāso paramassāso,

vedanā āsavāvijjā;

taṇhā oghā upādānam,

bhavo dukkhañca sakkāyo.

imasmim dhammavinaye dukkaranti.