|| purusha sooktam ||

om tacCham yoraavruNeemahe | gaatum yagnaaya | gaatum yagyapataye | daivee svastirastu naha | svastirmaanushebhyaha | oordhvam jigaatu bheshajam | sham no astu dvipade | sham chatushpade | om shaantih shaantih |

om sahasrasheershaa purushaha | sahasraakshah sahasrapaat | sa bhoomim vishvato vrutvaa | atyatishThaddashaangulam | purusha evedagm sarvam | yadbhootam yachcha bhavyam | utaamrutatvasyeshaanaha | yadannenaatirohati | etaavaanasya mahimaa | ato jyaayaagshcha poorushaha || 1 ||

paadosya vishvaa bhootaani | tripaadasyaamrutam divi | tripaadoordhva udaitpurushaha | paadosyehaabhavaatpunaha | tato vishvanvyakraamat | saashanaanashane abhi | tasmaadviraaDajaayata | viraajo adhi poorushaha | sa jaato atyarichyata | pashchaadbhoomimatho puraha || 2 ||

yatpurusheNa havishaa | devaa yagyamatanvata | vasanto asyaaseedaajyam | greeshma idhmashsharaddhavihi | saptaasyaasan paridhayaha | trih sapta samidhah krutaaha | devaa yadyagyam tanvaanaaha | abadhnanpurusham pashum | tam yagyam barhishi proukshan | purusham jaatamagrataha || 3 ||

tena devaa ayajantaha | saadhyaa rushayashcha ye | tasmaat yagyaatsarvahutaha | sambhrutam prushadaajyam | pashoogastaagashchakre vaayavyaan | aaraNyaan graamyaashcha ye | tasmaat yagyaatsarvahutaha | ruchah saamaani jagyire | Chandaagmsi jagnire tasmaat | yajustasmaadajaayata || 4 ||

tasmaadashvaa ajaayanta | ye ke chobhayaadataha | gaavo ha jagnire tasmaat | tasmaajjaataa ajaavayaha | yatpurusham vyadadhuhu | katidhaa vyakalpayan | mukham kimasya kou baahoo | kaavooroo paadaavuchyete | braahmaNosya mukhamaaseet | baahoo raajanyah krutaha || 5 ||

ooroo tadasya yadvaishyaha | padbhayaagm shoodro ajaayata | chandramaa manaso jaataha | chakshoh sooryo ajaayata | mukhaadindrashchaagnishcha | praaNaadvaayurajaayata | naabhyaa aaseedantariksham | sheershNo dyouh samavartata | padbhayaam bhoomirdishah shrotaat | tathaa lokaagm akalpayan || 6 ||

vedaahametam purusham mahaantam | aadityavarNam tamasastupaare | sarvaaNi roopaaNi vichitya dheeraha | naamaani krutvaabhivadan , yadaaste | dhaataa purastaadyamudaajahaara | shakrah pravidvaanpradishashchatasraha | tamevam vidvaanamruta iha bhavati | naanyah panthaa ayanaaya vidyate | yagyena yagnamayajanta devaaha | taani dharmaaNi prathamaanyaasan | te ha naakam mahimaanah sachante | yatra poorve saadhyaah santi devaaha || 7 ||

adbhayah sambhootah pruthivyai rasaaccha | vishvakarmaNah samavartataadhi | tasya tvashTaa vidadhadroopamEti | tatpurushasya vishvamaajaanamagre | vedaahametam purusham mahaantam | aadityavarNam tamasah parastaat | tamevam vidvaanamruta iha bhavati | naanyah panthaa vidyateyanaaya | prajaapatishcharati garbhe antaha | ajaayamaano bahudhaa vijaayate || 8 ||

tasya dheeraah parijaananti yonim | mareecheenaam padamicChanti vedhasaha | yo devebhya aatapati | yo devaanaam purohitaha | poorvo yo devebhyo jaataha | namo ruchaaya braahmaye | rucham braahmam janayantaha | devaa agre tadabruvan | yastvaivam braahmaNo vidyaat | tasya devaa asan vashe || 9 ||

hreeshcha te lakshmeeshcha patnyou | ahoraatre paarshve | nakshatraaNi roopam | ashvinou vyaattam | ishTam manishaaNa | amum manishaaNa | sarvam manishaaNa | 10 |

|| om shaantih shaantihi ||