0.0.1 Virtue

O bhikkhus, those bhikkhus excelling in virtue, excelling in samadhi, excelling in wisdom, excelling in liberation, excelling in knowledge and vision of liberation, the possibility of seeing them, O bhikkhus, is very helpful for a bhikkhu, I say. The possibility of hearing them, O bhikkhus, is very helpful for a bhikkhu, I say. The possibility of approaching them, O bhikkhus, is very helpful for a bhikkhu, I say. The possibility of attending on them, O bhikkhus, is very helpful for a bhikkhu, I say. The possibility of recollecting them, O bhikkhus, is very helpful for a bhikkhu, I say. The possibility of following their example by going forth, O bhikkhus, is very helpful for a bhikkhu, I say. What is the reason for that? Having heard the Dhamma of such a form of bhikkhu, O

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ve te bhikkhave bhikkhu sīlasampannā samādhisampannā paññāsampannā vimuttisampannā vimuttiñānadassanasampannā. dassanampaham¹ bhikkhave, tesam bhikkhūnam bahukāram ² vadāmi. savanampaham bhikkhave, tesam bhikkhūnam bahukāram vadāmi. upasankamanampaham bhikkhave, tesam bhikkhūnam bahukāram vadāmi, payirupāsanampaham bhikkhave, tesam bhikkhūnam bahukāram vadāmi, anussatimpaham bhikkhave tesam bhikkhūnam bahukāram vadāmi.

¹pāhaṃ - machasaṃ.

²bahupakāram - syā.

bhikkhus, one abides by a two-fold withdrawal, by bodily seclusion and by mental seclusion. Dwelling thus withdrawn, one recollects that Dhamma and ponders it over. anupabbajjampaham bhikkhave tesam bhikkhūnam bahukāram vadāmi. tam kissa hetu: tathārūpānam bhikkhave bhikkhūnam dhammam sutvā dvayena vūpakaṭṭho viharati kāyavūpakāsena ca cittavūpakāsena ca. so tathā vūpakaṭṭho viharanto tam dhammam anussarati anuvitakketi.

2. On the occasion, O bhikkhus, when a bhikkhu dwelling thus withdrawn, recollects that Dhamma and ponders it over, on that occasion the awakening factor of mindfulness is aroused for that bhikkhu. On that occasion the bhikkhu brings into being the awakening factor of mindfulness. On that occasion the awakening factor of mindfulness goes to full

yasmim samaye bhikkhave, bhikkhu yathā⁴ vūpakaṭṭho viharanto tam dhammam anussarati anuvitakketi. satisambojjhaṅgo tasmim samaye tassa bhikkhuno āraddho hoti. satisambojjhaṅgam yasmim samaye bhik

³dvayena vūpakāsena vūpakaţtho - machasam.

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⁴tathā - machasaṃ, syā.

maturation for that bhikkhu. Dwelling thus mindfully, he examines, thoroughly investigates, undertakes a thorough examination of that Dhamma with wisdom.

On the occasion, O bhik-3. khus, when a bhikkhu dwelling thus mindfully, examines, thoroughly investigates, undertakes a thorough examination of that Dhamma with wisdom, on that occasion the awakening factor of investigation of Dhammas is aroused for that bhikkhu. On that occasion the bhikkhu brings into being the awakening factor of investigation of Dhammas. On that occasion the awakening factor of investigation of Dhammas goes to full maturation for that bhikkhu. For him examin-

khu bhāveti, satisambojjhaṅgo tasmiṃ samaye bhikkhuno bhāvanāpāripūriṃ gacchati. so tathā sato viharanto taṃ dhammaṃ paññāya pavicinati pavicarati parivīmaṃsamāpajjati.

vasmim samaye bhikkhave, bhikkhu tathā sato viharanto tam dhammam paññāya pavicinati pavicarati parivīmamsamāpajjati, dhammavicayasambojjhango tasmim samave tassa bhikkhuno āraddho hoti. dhammavicayasambojjhangam yasmim samaye bhikkhu bhāveti, dhammavicayasambojjhango tasmim samave bhik-

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ing, thoroughly investigating, undergoing thorough examination of that Dhamma with wisdom, energy comes to be aroused, not sluggish.

On the occasion, O bhikkhus, when for a bhikkhu examining, thoroughly investigating, undergoing thorough examination of that dhamma with wisdom, energy is aroused, not sluggish, on that occasion the awakening factor of energy is aroused for that bhikkhu. On that occasion the bhikkhu brings into being the awakening factor of energy. On that occasion the awakening factor of energy goes to full maturation for that bhikkhu. For one with energy aroused, non-sensual happiness arises.

khuno bhāvanā pāripūrim gacchati. tassa tam dhammam paññāya pavicinato pavicarato parivīmamsamāpajjato āraddham hoti viriyam asallīnam.

vasmim samaye bhikkhave, bhikkhuno tam dhammam paññāya pavicinato pavicarato parivimamsamāpajjato āraddham hoti viriyam asallīnam, viriyasambojjhango tasmim samaye bhikkhuno āraddho hoti. viriyasambojjhangam yasmim samaye bhikkhu bhāveti, viriyasambojjhango tasmim samaye bhikkhuno bhāvanā pāripūrim gacchati. āraddhaviriyassa uppajjati pīti nirāmisā.

- 5. On the occasion, O bhikkhus, when for a bhikkhu with energy aroused, nonsensual happiness arises, on that occasion the awakening factor of happiness is aroused for that bhikkhu. On that occasion the bhikkhu brings into being the awakening factor of happiness. On that occasion the awakening factor of happiness goes to full maturation for that bhikkhu. For one of rapturous mind, the body becomes tranquil, the mind also becomes tranquil.
- 6. On the occasion, O bhikkhus, when for a bhikkhu of rapturous mind, the body becomes tranquil, the mind also becomes tranquil, on that occasion the awakening factor of tranquility is aroused for that bhikkhu. On that occasion the bhikkhu brings into being the awakening factor of tranquility. On that occa-

vasmim samaye bhikkhave, bhikkhuno āraddhaviriyassa uppajjati pīti nirāmisā, pītisambojihango tasmim samaye bhikkhuno āraddho hoti. pītisambojjhangam yasmim samaye bhikkhu bhāveti, pītisambojjhango tasmim samaye bhikkhuno bhāvanā pāripūrim gacchati. pītimanassa kāyopi passambhati cittampi passambhati,

yasmim samaye bhik-khave, bhikkhuno pītimanassa kāyopi passambhati, cit-tampi passambhati, passaddhisamboj-jhango tasmim samaye bhikkhuno āraddho hoti. passaddhisambojjhangam yas-

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sion the awakening factor of tranquility goes to full maturation for that bhikkhu. For one whose body is tranquil, there is pleasure. The mind of one in pleasure attains samadhi.

On the occasion, O bhikkhus, when for a bhikkhu whose body is tranquil, the mind of [such a] one in pleasure attains samadhi, on that occasion the awakening factor of samadhi is aroused for that bhikkhu. On that occasion the bhikkhu brings into being the awakening factor of samadhi. On that occasion the awakening factor of samadhi goes to full maturation for that bhikkhu. His mind thus in samadhi, he is one who thoroughly looks on with equanimity.

mim⁵ samaye bhikkhu bhāveti, passaddhisambojjhaṅgo tasmim samaye bhikkhuno bhāvanā pāripūrim gacchati. passaddhakāyassa sukham hoti sukhino cittam samādhiyati.

yasmim samaye bhikkhave, bhikkhuno passaddhakāvassa sukhino cittam samādhiyati, samādhisambojjhango tasmim samaye bhikkhuno āraddho hoti. samādhisambojjhangam yasmim samaye bhikkhu bhāveti, samādhisambojjhango tasmim samaye bhikkhuno bhāvanā pāripūrim gacchati. so tathā samāhitam cittam sādhukam ajjhu-

⁵tasmiṃ - machasaṃ, syā. pts page 069

- 8. On the occasion, O bhikkhus, when for a bhikkhu whose mind thus in samadhi, is one who thoroughly looks on with equanimity, on that occasion the awakening factor of equanimity is aroused for that bhikkhu. On that occasion the bhikkhu brings into being the awakening factor of equanimity. On that occasion the awakening factor of equanimity goes to full maturation for that bhikkhu.
- 9. "O bhikkhus, seven fruits, seven good results are to be expected in the seven factors of awakening thus matured, thus made abundant. Which seven fruits, seven good results? One accomplishes final knowledge in just this very life beforehand. If one does not accomplish final knowledge in just this very life be-

pekkhitā hoti.

yasmim samaye bhikkhave, bhikkhu tathā samāhitam cittam sādhukam ajjhupekkhitā hoti. upekhāsambojjhango tasmim samaye bhikkhuno āraddho hoti. upekhāsambojjhangam yasmim samaye bhikkhu bhāveti, upekhāsambojjhango tasmim samaye bhikkhu bhāvanāpāripūrim gacchati.

evam bhāvitesu kho bhikkhave sattasu bojjhangesu evam bahulīkatesu satta phalā sattānisamsā pāṭikankhā. katame satta phalā sattānisamsā: diṭṭheva dhamme patigacca⁶

pts page 070 ⁶paṭikacca - machasam, syā. forehand, then one accomplishes final knowledge at the time of death. If one does not accomplish final knowledge in just this very life beforehand, if one does not accomplish final knowledge at the time of death, then from the complete destruction of the five fetters that binds one to the near shore, one comes to be an attainer of nibbana between [death and arising]. If one does not accomplish final knowledge in just this very life beforehand, if one does not accomplish final knowledge at the time of death, if from the complete destruction of the five fetters that binds one to the near shore, one does not come to be an attainer of nibbana between [death and arising], then from the complete destruction of the five fetters that binds one to the near shore, one comes to be an attainer of nibbana upon arrival. If one does not accomplish final

aññam ārādheti. no ce dittheva dhamme patigacca aññam ārādheti, atha maranakāle aññam ārādheti. no ce dittheva dhamme patigacca aññam ārādheti, no ce maranakāle aññam ārādheti, atha pañcannam orambhāgiyānam samyojanānam parikkhayā antarāparinibbāyī hoti. no ce dittheva dhamme paţigacca aññam ārādheti, no ce maranakāle aññam ārādheti, no ce pañcannam orambhāqiyānam samyojanānam parikkhayā antarāparinibbāyī hoti, atha pañcannam orambhāgiyānam samyojanānam parikkhavā upahacca parinibbāyī hoti. no ce dittheva dhamme paknowledge in just this very life beforehand, if one does not accomplish final knowledge at the time of death, if from the complete destruction of the five fetters that binds one to the near shore, one does not come to be an attainer of nibbana between [death and arising], if from the complete destruction of the five fetters that binds one to the near shore, one does not come to be an attainer of nibbana upon arrival, then from the complete destruction of the five fetters that binds one to the near shore, one comes to be an attainer of nibbana without effort.

10. If one does not accomplish final knowledge in just this very life beforehand, if one does not accomplish final knowledge at the time of death, if from the complete destruction of the five fetters that binds one to the near

tigacca aññam ārādheti, no ce maranakāle aññam ārādheti, no ce pañcannam orambhāgivānam samyojanānam parikkhayā antarāparinibbāyī hoti, no ce pañcannam orambhāgiyānam samyojanānam parikkhayā upahacca parinibbāyī hoti, atha pañcannam orambhāgiyānam samyojanānam parikkhayā asamkhāraparinibbāyī hoti.

no ce diţţheva dhamme paţigacca aññam ārādheti, no ce maraṇakāle aññam ārādheti, no ce pañcannam orambhāgiyānam samyojanānam

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shore, one does not come to be an attainer of nibbana between [death and arising], if from the complete destruction of the five fetters that binds one to the near shore. one does not come to be an attainer of nibbana upon arrival, if from the complete destruction of the five fetters that binds one to the near shore, one does not come to be an attainer of nibbana without effort, then from the complete destruction of the five fetters that binds one to the near shore, one comes to be an attainer of nibbana with effort.

11. If one does not accomplish final knowledge in just this very life beforehand, if one does not accomplish final knowledge at the time of death, if from the complete destruction of the five fetters that binds one to the near shore, one does not come to

parikkhayā antarā parinibbāyī hoti, no ce pañcannam orambhāgiyānam samyojanānam parikkhavā upahacca parinibbāvī hoti, no ce pañcannam orambhāgiyānam samyojanānam parikkhayā asamkhāraparinibbāyī hoti, atha pañcannam orambhāgiyānam samyojanānam parikkhavā sasamkhāraparinibbāvī hoti,

no ce diţţheva dhamme paţigacca aññam ārādheti, no ce maraṇakāle aññam ārādheti, no ce pañcannam orambhāgiyānam saṃyojanānam parikkhayā antarāparinibbāyī hoti, no ce pañcannam oram-

be an attainer of nibbana between [death and arising], if from the complete destruction of the five fetters that binds one to the near shore. one does not come to be an attainer of nibbana upon arrival, if from the complete destruction of the five fetters that binds one to the near shore, one does not come to be an attainer of nibbana without effort, if from the complete destruction of the five fetters that binds one to the near shore, one does not come to be an attainer of nibbana with effort, then from the complete destruction of the five fetters that binds one to the near shore, one comes to be bound upstream, one who goes to the Akanittha realm. O bhikkhus. these seven fruits, seven good results are to be expected in the seven factors of awakening thus matured, thus made abundant."

bhāgiyānam samyojanānam parikkhayā upahaccaparinibbāyī hoti, no ce pañcannam orambhāgivānam samyojanānam parikkhavā asamkhāraparinibbāyī hoti, no ce pañcannam orambhāgiyānam samyojanānam parikkhayā sasankhāraparinibbāyī hoti. atha pañcannam orambhāgiyānam samyojanānam parikkhayā uddhamsoto hoti akanitthagāmī. evam bhāvitesu kho bhikkhave, sattasu bojjhangesu evam bahulīkatesu ime satta phalā sattānisamsā pātikankhāti.