## 0.0.1 Monarch

1. At Savatthi: However much, O bhikkhus, a Wheel Turning Monarch, having exercised over-lordship and sovereignty over the four continents, with the breakup of the body, after death, arises in a good destination, the heavenly world in companionship with the devas of Tavatimsa, [and] there in the Nandana Grove surrounded by a multitude of nymphs, amuses himself being furnished and endowed with the five cords of divine sensual pleasure, he is not endowed with four dhammas, so he is not freed from hell, not freed from the animal womb, not freed from the sphere of ghost, not freed from the lower worlds, unhappy destination, the woeful plane. However much, O bhikkhus, a noble disciple sustains himself with alms food, and wears rag robes,

## 0.0.1 rājasuttam

sāvatthivam: kiñcāpi bhikkhave, rājā cakkavatti<sup>1</sup> catunnam dīpānam issariyādhipaccam rajjam kāretvā kāyassa bhedā parammaraņā sugatim saggam lokam uppajjati, devānam tāvatimsānam sahavyatam. so tattha nandanavane<sup>2</sup> accharāsaṅghaparivuto<sup>3</sup> dibbehi pañcahi kāmagunehi samappito samangībhūto parivāreti. so catūhi dhammehi asamannāgato. atha kho so aparimuttova nirayā, aparimutto tiracchānayoniyā, aparimutto pettivisaya, aparimutto apāyaduggativinipātā. kiñcāpi bhikkhave, ariyasāvako

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>vakkavanti-sī 2, syā.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>nandane vane-machasam, syā.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>accharāsaṅghātaparivutosīmu.

he is endowed with four dhammas, so he is freed from hell, freed from the animal womb, freed from the sphere of ghost, freed from the lower worlds, unhappy destination, the woeful plane.

Which four? Here, O bhikkhus, a noble disciple is endowed with confirmed faith in the Buddha: "Truly is he the Auspicious One, the Arahant, rightly selfawakened, excelling in knowledge and conduct, well-farer, knower of worlds, incomparable charioteer of tamed persons, teacher of devas and humans, awakened, auspicious." He is endowed with confirmed faith in the Dhamma: "The Dhamma is wellproclaimed by the Auspicious One, visible in this life, not involving time, inviting inspection, leading onward, to be comprehended by the

piṇḍiyālopena yāpeti. nantatāni<sup>4</sup> dhāreti. so catūhi dhammehi samannāgato. atha kho so parimutto nirayā, parimutto tiracchānayoniyo, parimutto pettivisayā, parimutto apāyaduggativinipātā.

katamehi catūhi? idha bhikkhave, ariyasāvako buddhe aveccappasādena samannāgato hoti "itipi so bhagavā araham sammā sambuddho vijjācaranasampanno sugato lokavidu anuttaro purisadammasārathī satthā devamanussānam buddho bhagavā"ti' dhamme aveccappasādena samannāgato hoti: "svākkhāto bhagavatā dhammo sanditthiko akāliko ehipassiko opanayiko paccattam veditabbo

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>nattakāni ca-machasaṃ.

wise, each one for one's self." He is endowed with confirmed faith in the Sangha: "The Sangha of the Auspicious One's disciples have entered upon the good path, the Sangha of the Auspicious One's disciples have entered upon the straight path, the Sangha of the Auspicious One's disciples have entered upon the true path, the Sangha of the Auspicious One's disciples have entered upon the proper path; that is, the four pairs of persons, the eight types of individuals. This Sangha of the Auspicious One's disciples are worthy of gifts, worthy of hospitality, worthy of offerings, worthy of reverential salutation, the unsurpassed field of merit for the world." He is endowed with the virtues dear to the noble ones: "Unbroken, untorn, unmottled, unspeckled, freeing, praised by the wise, unadhered to, leading to samadhi." These are the

viññūhī"ti. saṅghe aveccappasādena samannāgato hoti: "supaţipanno bhagavato sāvakasaṅgho, ujupatipanno bhagavato sāvakasangho, nāyapatipanno bhagavato sāvakasangho, sāmīcipatipanno bhagavato sāvakasangho, yadidam cattāri purisayugāni atthapurisapuggalā, esabhagavato sāvakasaṅgho āhuneyyo pāhuneyyo dakkhineyyo añjalikaranīyo anuttaram puññakettam lokassāti. " ariyakantehi sīlehi samannāgato hoti akhandehi acchiddehi asabalehi akammāsehi bhujissehi viññuppasatthehi aparāmatthehi samādhisamvattanikehi, imehi catūhi dhammehi samannāgato hoti.

four dhammas that he is endowed with.

3. And O bhikkhus, [comparing] the obtaining of the four continents with the obtaining of the four dhammas, the obtaining of the four continents is not worth a sixteenth part of the obtaining of the four dhammas.

yo ca bhikkhave, catunnam dīpānam patilābho, yo catunnam dhammānam patilābho, catunnam dīpānam patilābho catunnam dhammānam patilābhassa kalam nāgghati solasinti.