0.0.1 Deed-born Body

karajakāya suttam

1. "I, O bhikkhus, do not say that [there is] the termination of accumulated past intentional kamma without having experienced [it], and that is in this life or in the [next] arising or in some other [arisings] in succession. But still I, O bhikkhus, do not say [there is] the making of an end of suffering without having experienced the accumulated past intentional kamma."

nāhaṃ bhikkhave sañcetanikānaṃ kammānaṃ katānaṃ upacitānaṃ appaṭisaṃviditvā¹ vyantībhāvaṃ vadāmi. tañce kho diṭṭhe vā dhamme upapajje² vā apare vā pariyāye. na tvevāhaṃ bhikkhave sañcetanikānaṃ kammānaṃ katānaṃ upacitānaṃ appaṭisaṃviditvā dukkhassantakiriyaṃ vadāmi.

2. The noble disciple, O bhikkhus, thus rid of covetousness, rid of ill-will, unconfused, mindful and clearly comprehending, with a mind imbued with metta, dwells pervading one direction, likewise the second direction, likewise the third direction, likewise the fourth direction, above, below, around, to all beings in the entire world he dwells pervading with a mind imbued with metta,

¹appaţisaṃveditvā - machasaṃ

²upapajjam vā - sīmu, machasam

abundant, grown great, boundless, and free from enmity and ill-will.

sa kho so bhikkhave ariyasāvako evam vigatābhijjho vigatavyāpādo asammūļho sampajāno patissato mettāsahagatena cetasā ekam disam pharitvā viharati. tathā dutiyam tathā tatiyam tathā catuttham³ iti uddhamadho tiriyam sabbadhi sabbattatāya⁴ sabbāvantam lokam mettāsahagatena cetasā vipulena mahaggatena appamāņena averena abyāpajjena pharitvā viharati.

3. "He wisely understands thus: Formerly this mind of mine was measureable and undeveloped. However at present, this mind of mine is measureless and well developed. Any measureable kamma done will not remain there, will not persist there."

so evam pajānāti: "pubbe kho me idam cittam parittam ahosi abhāvitam. etarahi pana me idam cittam appamāṇam subhāvitam. yam kho pana kiñci pamāṇakatam kammam, na tam tatrāvasissati. na tam tatrāvatithatī'ti.

4. "So what do you think, O bhikkhus, if a young boy develops this liberation of mind by metta would from his youth could he do evil deeds?")

³tathā catutthim - machasam

⁴sabbatthatāya - sī, mu

tam kim maññatha bhikkhave daharatagge ce so avam⁵ kumāro mettam ceto vimuttim bhāvevva, api nu kho pāpakammam karevyāti?

5. Certainly not, Bhante.

no hetam bhante.

- "But can suffering touch one who does no evil deeds?" akarontam kho pana papakammam api nu kho dukkham phusevvāti?
- 7. "Certainly not, Bhante. Indeed, O Bhanta, from where can suffering touch one who does no evil deed?"

no hetam bhante, akarontam hi bhante pāpakammam kuto dukkham phusissatī ti.

This liberation of mind by metta, O bhikkhus, should be developed by a woman or a man. A woman or a man, O bhikkhus, cannot take this transient body. Mortals, O bhikkhus, have the mind as the ford. He wisely understands thus: "Whatever evil deed I did here in the past with this deed-born body, all that is to be experienced here. It will not follow along."

⁵ce ayam - syā.

bhāvetabbā kho panāyam bhikkhave mettācetovimutti itthiyā vā bhikkhave purisena vā. itthiyā vā bhikkhave purisassa vā nāyam kāyo ādāya gamanīvo. cittantaro bhikkhave macco. so evam pajānāti: "vam kho me idha⁶ kiñcī pubbe iminā karajakāyena pāpakammam katam, sabbam tam idha vedanīvam, na tam anugam bhavissatī''ti.

The liberation of mind by metta thus developed, O 9. bhikkhus, leads to non-returning, for wise bhikkhu here who does not penetrate a higherliberation.

evam bhāvitā kho bhikkhave mettācetovimutti anāgāmitāya samvattati, idha paññassa bhikkhuno uttarim vimuttim appativijihato.

10. With a mind imbued with karuna, he dwells pervading one direction. With a mind imbued with mudita, he dwells pervading one direction. With a mind imbued with upekkha, he dwells pervading one direction, likewise the second direction, likewise the third direction, likewise the fourth direction, above, below, around, to all beings in the entire world he dwells pervading with a mind imbued with upekkha, abundant, grown great, boundless, and free from enmity and ill-will.

karunāsahagatena cetasā ekam disam pharitvā viharati. muditā sahagatena cetasā ekam disam

⁶idam - machasam

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so evam pajānāti, "pubbe kho me idam cittam appamāņam parittam ahosi abhāvitam, etarahi pana me idam cittam subhāvitam. yam kho pana me kiñci pamāṇakatam kammam, na tam tatrāvasissati, na tam tatrāvatiţţhatī"ti.

12. "So what do you think, O bhikkhus, if a young boy develops this liberation of mind by metta would from his youth could he do evil deeds?")

tam kim maññatha bhikkhave daharatagge ce so ayam kumāro upekkham cetovimuttim bhāveyya, api nu kho pāpakammam kareyyāti?

13. Certainly not, Bhante.

no hetam bhante.

14. "But can suffering touch one who does no evil deeds?"

akarontam kho pana pāpakammam api nu kho dukkham phuseyyāti?

15. "Certainly not, Bhante. Indeed, O Bhanta, from where can suffering touch one who does no evil deed?"

no hetam bhante. akarontam hi bhante pāpakammam kuto dukkham phusissatī ti.

- 16. bhāvetabbā kho panāyam bhikkhave upekkhā cetovimutti itthiyā vā purisena vā. itthiyā vā bhikkhave purisassa vā nāyam kāyo ādāya gamanīyo. cittantaro ayam bhikkhave macco. so evam pajānāti: "yam kho me idha kiñci pubbe iminā karajakāyena pāpakammam katam, sabbam tam idha vedaniyam. na tam anugam bhavissatī ti.
- 17. "The liberation of mind by equanimity thus developed, O bhikkhus, leads to non-returning, for wise bhikkhu here who does not penetrate a higher liberation."

evam bhāvitā kho bhikkhave upekkhā cetovimutti

anāgāmitāya saṃvatta ti. idha paññassa bhik-khuno uttariṃ vimuttiṃ appaṭivijjhato ti,