

0.0.1 The ten dhammas

0.0.1 dasadhamma suttaṃ

1. Thus was heard by me. At one time the Auspicious One was dwelling at Savatthi in Jeta's Grove, Anathapindika's Park. At that place the Auspicious One addressed the bhikkhus: "Bhikkhus." "Bhante," those bhikkhus replied to the Auspicious One. The Auspicious One said this:

evaṃ me sutāṃ: ekaṃ samayaṃ bhagavā sāvatthiyaṃ viharati jetavane anāthapiṇḍikassa ārāme. tatra kho bhagavā bhikkhu āmantesi bhikkhavoti. bhadanteti te bhikkhū bhagavato paccassosum. bhagavā etadavoca:

2. "These ten dhammas, O bhikkhus, should be repeatedly reviewed by one gone forth. Which ten?

dasa ime bhikkhave dhammā pabbajitena abhiṇhaṃ paccavekkhītabbā. katame dasa:

3. "I have arrived at the classless state." One gone forth should repeatedly review [this].

vevaṇṇiyamhi ajjhupagato'ti pabbajitena abhiṇhaṃ paccavekkhitabbāṃ.

4. "My livelihood is bound to others." One gone forth

should be repeatedly review [this].

parapaṭibaddhā me jīvikā'ti pabbajitena abhiṇhaṃ pac-
cavekkhitabbam.

5. “My deportment should be different from others.”
One gone forth should repeatedly review [this].

añño me ākappo karaṇīyo'ti pabbajitena abhiṇhaṃ pac-
cavekkhitabbam.

6. “Is there not for me any censor from myself with
respect to virtue?” One gone forth should repeatedly
review [this].

kaccinu kho me attā sīlato na upavadatī'ti pabbajitena
abhiṇhaṃ paccavekkhitabbam.

7. “Having found out, is there not for me any censor
from my wise companions in the life of purity with re-
spect to virtue?” One gone forth should be repeatedly
review [this].

kaccinu kho maṃ anuvicca viññū sabrahmacārī sīlato
na upavadantī'ti pabbajitena abhiṇhaṃ paccavekkhi-
tabbam.

8. “To be separated, to be departed from all that is dear
and pleasing to me [is certain].” One gone forth should

repeatedly review [this].

sabbehi me piyehi manāpehi nānā bhāvo vinābhāvoti'
pabbajitena abhiñhaṃ paccavekkhitabbaṃ.

9. “Kamma is my property, kamma is my inheritance, kamma is my origin, kamma is my kin, kamma is my refuge, whichever kamma I will make, whether good or evil, of that I will be the heir.” One gone forth should repeatedly review [this].

kammassakomhi kammadāyādo kammayoni kamma-bandhu kammaṇṇasāraṇo yaṃ kammaṃ karissāmi kalyāṇaṃ vā pāpakaṃ vā tassa dāyādo bhavissāmī'ti pabbajitena abhiñhaṃ paccavekkhitabbaṃ.

10. “What is becoming of me as the nights and days fly by?” One gone forth should repeatedly review [this].

kathaṃ bhūtassa me rattindivā vītipatantī'ti pabbajitena abhiñhaṃ paccavekkhitabbaṃ.

11. “Do I certainly delight in empty dwellings?” One gone forth should repeatedly review [this].

kaccinu khohaṃ suññāgāre abhiraṃsāmi'ti pabbajitena abhiñhaṃ paccavekkhitabbaṃ.

12. “Is there for me a beyond-human quality attainment,

a distinction in knowledge and vision suitable for the noble ones, so that at the final hour, I will not become humiliated when so questioned by my companions in the life of purity?" One gone forth should repeatedly review [this].

atthinu kho me uttarimanussadhammā alamariyaṭā-
ṇadassana viseso adhigato sohaṃ pacchime kāle sa-
brahmacārīhi puṭṭho na maṅkubhavissāmī'ti pabbaji-
tena abhiṇhaṃ paccavekkhitabbaṃ.

13. These, O bhikkhus, are the ten dhammas. One gone forth should repeatedly review [them].”.

ime kho bhikkhave dasa dhammā pabbajitena abhiṇ-
haṃ paccavekkhitabbā'ti.

14. This is what the Auspicious One said. Delighted, those bhikkhus rejoiced in the Auspicious One's words.

idamavoca bhagavā. attamanā te bhikkhū bhagavato
bhāsitam abhinanduntī.