0.0.1 Apana

0.0.1 āpaņasuttam

1. At one time the Auspicious One lived among the Angans, in a market town named Apana. At that place the Auspicious One addressed the venerable Sariputta: "Sariputta, would the noble disciple who is completely well-settled in the Tathagata, the one of higher confidence, have perplexity or doubt in the Tathagata or the Tathagata's dispensation?"

ekam samayam bhagavā aṅgesu viharati āpaṇam nāma aṅgānam nigamo. tatra kho bhagavā āyasmantam sāriputtam āmantesi: "yo so sāriputta, ariyasāvako tathāgate ekantagato, abhippasanno api nu so¹ tathāgate vā tathāgatasāsane vā kaṅkheyya vā vicikiccheyya vā"ti?

2. Bhante, the noble disciple who is completely well-settled in the Tathagata, the one of higher confidence, would not have perplexity or doubt in the Tathagata or the Tathagata's dispensation. Indeed Bhante, this is to be expected of a noble disciple of faith: that he will abide firm in energy for the abandoning of unwholesome dhammas, for the attainment of wholesome dhammas. He will be strong, energetic, not laying aside the responsibilities in [striving for] wholesome dhammas. Indeed, that energy of his, O Bhante, is his faculty of energy. Indeed

¹na so - machasaṃ, syā.

Bhante, this is to be expected of a noble disciple of faith, of firm energy: that he will be a mindful one, endowed with supreme mindfulness and prudence. A rememberer, one who remembers what was done long [ago] and what was said long [ago]. Indeed, that mindfulness of his, O Bhante, is his faculty of mindfulness. Indeed Bhante, this is to be expected of a noble disciple of faith, of firm energy, of established mindfulness: that having gained a foothold in relinquishment, he will attain samadhi, will attain the unique peak of mind. Indeed, that samadhi of his, O Bhante, is his faculty of samadhi.

yo so bhante, ariyasāvako tathāgate ekantagato² abhippasanno na so tathāgate vā tathāgatasāsane vā kankheyya vā vicikiccheyya vā. saddhassa hi bhante, ariyasāvakassa etam pāţikankham: "yam āraddhaviriyo viharissati akusalānam dhammānam pahānāya kusalānam dhammānam upasampadāya thāmavā daļhaparakkamo anikkhittadhuro kusalesu dhammesu. yam hissa bhante, viriyam tadassa viriyindriyam. saddhassa hi bhante, ariyasāvakassa āraddhaviriyassa etam pātikankham: "yam satimā bhavissati paramena satinepakkena samannāgato cirakatampi cirabhāsitampi saritā anussaritā, vā hissa bhante, sati, tadassa satindrivam. saddhassa hi bhante, arivasāvakassa āraddhaviriyassa upatthitasatino etam pātikankham: "yam vossaggārammanam karitvā labhissati samādhim labhissati cittassekaggatam. yo hissa bhante, samādhi ta-

²ekantigato - sīmu.

dassa samādhindriyam.

Indeed Bhante, this is to be expected of a noble disciple of faith, of firm energy, of established mindfulness, of a mind attained to samadhi: that he will know thus: "This samsara is without a discoverable beginning. A first point is not discerned of beings roaming and wandering on, hindered by ignorance and fettered by thirst. The remainderless fading away and cessation of just this ignorance, the mass of darkness, this is the peaceful path, this is the most excellent path, that is, the stilling of all sankharas, the relinquishment of all appropriations, the destruction of thirst, fading away, cessation, nibbana." Indeed, that wisdom of his, O Bhante, is his faculty of wisdom. Bhante, of him having striven again and again thus, having established mindfulness again and again thus, having attained samadhi again and again thus, having wisely understood again and again thus, that noble disciple gains the higher faith thus: "These are those dhammas which formerly was only heard of by me, now I, at present abide having touched them with the body and having penetrated them with wisdom, I see." Indeed, that faith of his, O Bhante, is his faculty of faith.

saddhassa hi bhante, ariyasāvakassa āraddhaviriyassa upaţţhitasatino samāhitacittassa etam pāţikaṅkham: "yam evam jānissati anamataggo kho saṃsāro pubbā koţi na paññāyati avijjānīvaraṇānam sattānam taṇhā-

saṃyojanānaṃ sandhāvataṃ saṃsarataṃ avijjāyatveva tamokāyassa³ asesavirāganirodho, santametaṃ padaṃ, paṇītametaṃ padaṃ, yadidaṃ sabbasaṅkhārasamatho sabbūpadhipaṭinissaggo taṇhakkhayo virāgo nirodho nibbānaṃ, yā hissa bhante, paññā tadassa paññindriyaṃ, sa kho so⁴ bhante, ariyasāvako evaṃ padahitvā padahitvā evaṃ saritvā saritvā evaṃ samādahitvā samādahitvā evaṃ pajānitvā pajānitvā evaṃ abhisaddahati: "ime kho te dhammā ye' me pubbe sutāva⁵ ahesuṃ, te'dānāhaṃ etarahi kāyena ca phusitvā⁶ viharāmi. paññāya ca anativijjha² passāmī"ti. yā hi'ssa bhante, saddhā tadassa saddhindriyanti.

4. Good, good, Sariputta. Sariputta, the noble disciple who is completely well-settled in the Tathagata, the one of higher confidence, would not have perplexity or doubt in the Tathagata or the Tathagata's dispensation. Indeed Sariputta, this is to be expected of a noble disciple of faith: that he will abide firm in energy for the abandoning of unwholesome dhammas, for the attainment of wholesome dhammas. He will be strong, energetic, not laying aside the responsibilities in [striving for] wholesome dhammas. Indeed, that energy of his, O Sariputta, is his faculty of energy. Indeed Sariputta,

³tamokāyasseva - sīmu, sī 2.

⁴saddho so - machasam.

⁵sutavā - machasam.

⁶phassitvā - sī 1, 2.

⁷paṭivijjha - machasam. pts page 226

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the body, and having penetrated them with wisdom, I see." Indeed, that faith of his, O Sariputta, is his faculty of faith.

sādhu sādhu sāriputta, yo so sāriputta, ariyasāvako tathāgate ekantagato abhippasanno, na so tathāgate vā tathāgatasāsane vā kankheyva vā vicikicchevya vā. saddhassa hi sāriputta, arivasāvakassa etam pātikankham: "vam āraddhaviriyo viharissati akusalānam dhammānam pahānāya kusalānam dhammānam upasampadāya thāmavā daļhaparakkamo anikkhittadhuro kusalesu dhammesu, vam hissa sāriputta, virivam, tadassa viriyindriyam. saddhassa hi sāriputta, ariyasāvakassa āraddhaviriyassa etam pāţikankham "yam āraddhaviriyo viharissati akusalanam dhammanam pahanaya kusalānam dhammānam upasampadāya thāmavā dalhaparakkamo anikkhittadhuro kusalesu dhammesu, yam hissa sāriputta, viriyam, tadassa yā hissa sāriputta, paññā tadassa paññindriyam. sa kho so sāriputta, arivasāvako evam padahitvā padahitvā evam saritvā saritvā evam samādahitvā samādahitvā evam pajānitvā pajānitvā evam abhisaddahati: "ime kho te dhammā ye'me pubbe sutāva ahesum tedānāham⁸ etarahi kāyena ca phusitvā viharāmi paññāya ca ativijiha passāmī"ti. yā hissa sāriputta, saddhā tadassa saddhindrivantī.

⁸tenāhaṃ - syā. pts page 227