

### 0.0.1 The Snake King protection

I have metta for the Virupakkha,  
for the Erapatha I have metta;  
I have metta for the Chabyaputta,  
for the Kanhagotamaka I have metta.

I have metta for footless creatures,  
for those with two feet I have metta;  
I have metta for those with four feet,  
for those with many feet I have metta.

May footless beings not harm me,  
may no harm come to me from those with two  
feet;  
may four-footed beings not harm me,  
may no harm come to me from those with  
many feet.

May all beings, all living things,  
all creatures, every one;  
meet with good fortune,  
may nothing bad come to anyone.

The Buddha is measureless,  
the Dhamma is measureless,  
the Sangha is measureless.

Finite are creeping things,  
snakes, scorpions, centipedes,

### 0.0.1 ahirāja parittam

virūpakkhehi me mettaṃ  
 mettaṃ erāpathehi me,  
 chabyāputtehi me mettaṃ  
 mettaṃ kaṇhāgotamakehi ca.

apādahehi me mettaṃ  
 mettaṃ dipādahehi me,  
 catuppadehi me mettaṃ  
 mettaṃ bahuppadehi me.

mā maṃ apādako hiṃsi  
 mā maṃ hiṃsi dipādako,  
 mā maṃ catuppado hiṃsi  
 mā maṃ hiṃsi bahuppado.

sabbe sattā sabbe pāṇā  
 sabbe bhūtā ca kevalā,  
 sabbe bhadraṇi passantu  
 mā kañci pāpamāgamā.

appamāṇo buddho  
 appamāṇo dhammo  
 appamāṇo saṅgho,

pamāṇavantāni sirimsapāni  
 ahivicchikā satapadī  
 uṇṇānābhi sarabū mūsikā.

spiders, lizards, and rats.

I have made a safeguard,  
I have made protection,  
Let the creatures retreat.

I pay homage to the Blessed One,  
homage to the seven Perfectly Enlightened  
Ones.

katā me rakkhā  
katā me parittā  
paṭikkamantu bhūtāni.

so'haṃ namo bhagavato  
namo sattannaṃ  
sammāsambuddhānanti.