

Vidālavratam—sham observance of vows; such men are disqualified to receive gifts.

M. 74. 14.

Vidbhujā—the heinous hell for those who eat poisonous food in a row.

Vā. 101. 167.

Viṇmūtrabhojana—a hell.

Vi. III. 11. 119.

Vitatha (I)—a name for Bharadvāja, after his adoption by Bharata: father of Manyu.

M. 49. 32; Vā. 99. 156; Vi. IV. 19. 19. Bhā. IX. 21. 1.

Vitatha (II)—a god to be worshipped in house building;¹ before building a palace.²

¹ M. 253. 25. ² Ib. 255. 8; 268. 13.

Vitala—a thigh of the personified Lord: an under-world Here Śiva resides with Pārvatī under the name of Hāta-keśvara. The place is noted for hātaka gold with which the asura ladies of the place make ornaments.

Bhā. II. 1. 27; 5. 40; V. 24. 7 and 17.

Vitalam—red earth; here are cities of Prahlāda, Anuh-lāda, etc.¹ a region of Pātāla.²

¹ Vā. 50. 11. 15. 25-30. ² Vi. II. 5. 2-3.