

Dānāgni—a son of Prīti and Pulastya; Agastya in previous birth; wife Sujanghi, had many sons known as Paulastya.

Br. II. 11. 26.

Dānī—a Sukha God.

Br. IV. 1. 18.

Dānta—a Sudhāmāna God.

Br. II. 36. 27.

Dāma—a Sukha God.

Br. IV. 1. 18.

Dāmodara—Kṛṣṇa;¹ with the weapon pāśa;² around his belly Yaśodā bound a rope and fastened him to a mortar.³

¹ Br. III. 36. 39; ² Ib. IV. 34. 83. ³ Vi. V. 6. 20; 13. 34.

Dāravatyā—an Apsaras.

Vā. 69. 4.

Dārīka—(Dārakas-Vā. P.); a Pārāśara clan.

Br. III. 8. 95. Vā. 70. 87.

Dārūka (1)—the charioteer of Kṛṣṇa;¹ went with Kṛṣṇa to Śālva's station, and drove the chariot when Kṛṣṇa gained Lakṣmaṇa by svayamvara;² took Kṛṣṇa to Mithilā and the Videha country.³ His son was the charioteer of Pradyumna.⁴ Stood before Kṛṣṇa on the eve of His returning from the earth. Kṛṣṇa asked him to inform the Dvārakā people of the position of the Yādavas at Prabhāsa and advise them to go to Indraprastha with Arjuna. Returning to the city, Dārūka informed Vasudeva and others accordingly.⁵

¹ Bhā. X. 50. 16, 20 [5]. [8]; 64. [6]; 71. 12. Vi. V. 37. 51.

² Bhā. X. 77. 9-11; 83. 33. ³ Ib. 86. 17; 53. 4. ⁴ Ib. 76. 27. ⁵ Ib. XI. 30. 41-50; 31. 15-17; Vi. V. 37. 57-64.