

*Śālmali* (II)—the tree in the Śālmalidvīpa.

Br. II. 19. 49; III. 11. 113; Vi. II. 4. 32.

*Śālmali* (III)—a svara śakti.

Br. IV. 44. 55.

*Śālmali* (IV)—the hill after which the dvīpa is named.

M. 123. 38.

*Śālmali* (v)—the kingdom where Vapuṣmān, a grandson of Svāyambhuva, was consecrated king.

Vā. 33. 12; 40. 4.

*Śālva*—a Dānava king and friend of Śiśupāla and Jarāsandha; an enemy of Kṛṣṇa; when Hamsa, his brother, was killed by Kṛṣṇa he wanted to avenge his death and after meeting his friends at Kuṇḍina, took a vow to wipe out the Yādavas; he performed tapas to propitiate Śiva and got an aerial car to go to any place, given to him by Maya; hearing of Śiśupāla's death, he grew angry and attacked Dvārakā. Pradyumna, Sātyaki and others offered resistance. His commander-in-chief was defeated. But his minister Dyumat hit Pradyumna in the chest when his charioteer removed him from the field. After recovering, he attacked Dyumat and vanquished him. For twenty-seven days the battle went on, when Kṛṣṇa arrived. He directed his attack towards Śālva, who attacked him when his bow slipped from his hand. After a hot discussion and some more fight, Śālva disappeared and sent to Kṛṣṇa a māyā messenger saying that Vasudeva had been taken prisoner by Śālva. Then Kṛṣṇa saw a scene where a māyā Vasudeva was killed. Kṛṣṇa knew that all this was due to illusory powers and kept cool. He broke his car and cut off his head.<sup>1</sup> Attained mokṣa by hatred of Kṛṣṇa.<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Bhā. X. 60. 18; Chh. 76-77 (whole); 78. 13; II. 7. 34; III. 3. 10; Vi. V. 26. 7. <sup>2</sup> Bhā XI. 5. 48; Br. III. 73. 99; IV. 29. 122.