

Shri Hanuman Chalisa

IN ENGLISH WITH MEANING



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WITH DESCRIPTION IN ENGLISH

*Shri Guru Charan Saroj Raj
Nij mane mukure sudhar
Varnao Raghuvar Vimal Jasu
Jo dayaku phal char*

After cleansing the mirror of my mind with the pollen dust of holy Guru's Lotus feet. I Profess the pure, untainted glory of Shri Raghuvar which bestows the four-fold fruits of life.(Dharma, Artha, Kama and Moksha).

*Budhi Hin Tanu Janike
Sumirau Pavan Kumar
Bal budhi Vidya dehu mohe
Harahu Kalesa Vikar*

Fully aware of the deficiency of my intelligence, I concentrate my attention on Pavan Kumar and humbly ask for strength, intelligence and true knowledge to relieve me of all blemishes, causing pain.

*Jai Hanuman gyan gun sagar
Jai Kapis tihun lok ujar*

Victory to thee, O'Hanuman! Ocean of Wisdom-All hail to you O'Kapisa! (fountain-head of power, wisdom and Shiva-Shakti) You illuminate all the three worlds (Entire cosmos) with your glory.

*Ram doot atulit bal dhama
Anjani-putra Pavan sut nama*

You are the divine messenger of Shri Ram. The repository of immeasurable strength, though known only as Son of Pavan (Wind), born of Anjani.

*Mahavir Vikram Bajrangi
Kumati nivar sumati Ke sangi*

With Limbs as sturdy as Vajra (The mace of God Indra) you are valiant and brave. On you attends good Sense and Wisdom. You dispel the darkness of evil thoughts.

*Kanchan varan viraj subesa
Kanan Kundal Kunchit Kesa*

Your physique is beautiful golden coloured and your dress is pretty. You wear ear rings and have long curly hair.

*Hath Vajra Aur Dhuvaje Viraje
Kandhe moonj janehu sajai*

You carry in your hand a lightening bolt along with a victory (kesari) flag and wear the sacred thread on your shoulder.

*Sankar suvan kesri Nandan
Tej pratap maha jag vandan*

As a descendant of Lord Sankar, you are a comfort and pride of Shri Kesari. With the lustre of your Vast Sway, you are propitiated all over the universe.

*Vidyavan guni ati chatur
Ram kaj karibe ko aatur*

You are the repository of learning, virtuous and fully accomplished, always keen to carry out the behest's of Shri Ram.

*Prabu charitra sunibe ko rasiya
Ram Lakhan Sita man Basiya*

You are an ardent listener, always so keen to listen to the narration of Shri Ram's Life Stories. Your heart is filled with

what Shri Ram stood for. You therefore always dwell in the hearts of Shri Ram, Lakshman and Sita.

***Sukshma roop dhari Siyahi dikhava
Vikat roop dhari lanka jarava***

You appeared before Sita in a Diminutive form and spoke to her in humility. You assumed an awesome form and struck terror by setting Lanka on fire.

***Bhima roop dhari asur sanghare
Ramachandra ke kaj sanvare***

With over-whelming might you destroyed the Asuras (demons) and performed all tasks assigned to you by Shri Ram with great skill.

***Laye Sanjivan Lakhan Jiyaye
Shri Raghuvir Harashi ur laye***

You brought Sanjivan (A herb that revives life) and restored Lakshman back to life, Shri Raghuvir (Shri Ram) cheerfully embraced you with his heart full of joy.

***Raghupati Kinhi bahut badai
Tum mam priye Bharat-hi sam bhai***

Shri Raghupati (Shri Ram) lustily extolled your excellence and said: "You are as dear to me as my own brother Bharat."

***Sahas badan tumharo yash gaave
Us kahi Shripati kanth lagaave***

Thousands of living beings are chanting hymns of your glories; saying thus, Shri Ram warmly hugged him (Shri Hanuman).

***Sankadik Brahmadi Muneesa
Narad Sarad sahit Aheesa***

When prophets like Sanka, even the Sage like Lord Brahma, the great hermit Narad himself, Goddess Saraswati and Ahisha (one of immeasurable dimensions).

***Yam Kuber Diggpal Jahan te
Kavi kovid kahi sake kahan te***

Even Yamraj (God of Death) Kuber (God of Wealth) and the Diggpals (deputies guarding the four corners of the Universe) have been vying with one another in offering homage to your glories. How then, can a mere poet give adequate expression of your super excellence.

***Tum upkar Sugreevahin keenha
Ram milaye rajpad deenha
Tumharo mantra Vibheeshan mana
Lankeshwar Bhaye Sub jag jana***

You rendered a great service to Sugriv. You united him with Shri Ram and he installed him on the Royal Throne. By heeding your advice, Vibhishan became Lord of Lanka. This is known all over the Universe.

***Yug sahastra jojan par Bhanu
Leelyo tahi madhur phal janu***

On your own you dashed upon the Sun, which is at a fabulous distance of thousands of miles, thinking it to be a sweet luscious fruit.

Prabhu mudrika meli mukh mahee

Carrying the Lord's Signet Ring in your mouth, there is