

Evening Service Chants

[conclusion of evening meditation]

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[Tisarana]

Buddham saranam gacchami;

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Dhammam saranam gacchami;

♪ _____^

Sangham saranam gacchami.

♪ _____

Dutiyampi Buddham saranam gacchami;

♪ _____

Dutiyampi Dhammam saranam gacchami;

♪ _____^

Dutiyampi Sangham saranam gacchami.

♪ _____

Tatiyampi Buddham saranam gacchami;

♪ _____

Tatiyampi Dhammam saranam gacchami;

♪ _____^

Tatiyampi Sangham saranam gacchami.

♪ _____

[Refuges in Pali]

I take refuge in Buddha

...Dharma

...Sangha

secondly...

thirdly...

Key:

[text] – Chanted by the Cantor

Text – Chanted by the Group

Text or [*text*] – Translation or direction. Not chanted.

Text – Title or section. Not chanted.

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Red Clay Sangha Common Chant Card



Arousing bodhichitta is: for the sake of others, Longing to attain perfect enlightenment

-Buddha Maitreya

Opening Chants

[before morning meditation]

[Atta Dipa]

Vi-har-tha

Atta Sara-na

a-nanna sara-na

Dhamma dipa

Dhamma sara-na

a-nanna sara-na

[Self Light]

Be islands unto yourselves

refuges unto yourselves,

Seeking no external refuge.

With the Dharma as your island,

The Dharma as your refuge,

Seeking no other refuge.

[Vandana]

Namo Tassa

Bhaga-vato ara-hato

Samma sambud-dhassa

[Homage]

Homage to the Buddha

The Venerable One, The Enlightened One

The Supremely Awakened One

Main Service

[directly following morning meditation]

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[Repentance Gatha] *three times*

All my past and harmful karma
Born of beginningless greed, anger, and ignorance
Through body, speech, and mind
I now fully avow

[Three Refuges] *in Pali and English*

Buddham saranam gacchami;
♪—————

Dhammam saranam gacchami;
♪—————[^]

Sangham saranam gacchami.
♪—————

I take refuge in Buddha;
♪—————

I take refuge in Dharma;
♪—————[^]

I take refuge in Sangha.
♪—————

[Sutra Gatha]

The Dharma is vast and subtle
Now we can hear and accept it
Study and practice it
May we realize its true meaning

[The Daily Sutra Selection – see insert]

[Dedication of Merit]

All Buddhas throughout space and time,
All honored ones, bodhisattva-mahasattvas,
Wisdom beyond wisdom, Maha Prajna Paramita

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[The Dharma Discussion]

[Bodhisattva Vows] *three times*

Beings are numberless; I vow to awaken them.
Delusions are inexhaustible; I vow to end them.
Dharma gates are boundless; I vow to enter them.
The Buddha way is unsurpassable; I vow to embody it.