# **BUDDHA PŪJĀ**

◆ BOJANA DĀNA ◆
Offering of Food

Subojananam aham dammi Uddissa lokanāyakam Iminā puññakammena Vinneham kuddachāhakam

I offer fine food to the Buddha Supreme lord of the world By this meritorious act May I be free from the hunger of craving.

◆ PĀNIYA DĀNA ◆ Offering of Water

Supaniyam aham dammi Uddissa lokanāyakam Iminā puññakammena Vineyyam pariļāhakam

I offer water to the Buddha
Supreme Lord of the world
By this meritorious act
May I be free from the thirst of craving

# ◆ PUPPHA DĀNA ◆ Offering of Flowers

Supupphakam aham dammi Uddissa lokanāyakam Iminā puññakemmena Vineyyam āmagandhakam

I offer flowers to the Buddha
Supreme Lord of the world,
By this meritorious act
May I be free from the odor of mortality

◆ **DĪPA DĀNA** ◆ Offering of Light

Supadīpam aham dammi Uddissa lokanāyakam Iminā puññakammena Vineyyam andhakārakam

I offer light to the Buddha
Supreme Lord of the world
By this meritorious act
May I be free from the darkness of illusion

#### ♦ GANDHA DĀNA ♦

Offering of Incense

Sudhūpakam aham dammi Uddissa lokanāyakam Iminā puññakammena Vineyyam vissagandhakam

I offer incense to the Buddha
Supreme Lord of the world
By this meritorious act
May I be free from the odor of immorality

#### **♦ BUDDHANUSSATI ♦**

Reflections on the Qualities of the Buddha

# Itipi so Bhagavā

He, the omniscient Buddha, is a person who is:

#### Araham

Worthy of veneration

#### Sammā sambuddho

Rightly self-awakened

## Vijjācaraņa sampanno

Endowed with supreme knowledge and virtuous conduct

#### Sugato

Well spoken

#### Lokavidū

Knower of the world

#### Anuttaro Purisa Dammasārathi

The incomparable leader, capable of taming all beings

#### Satthādeva Manussānam

Teacher of Gods and humans

#### Buddho

Awakened

#### Bhagavā

Blessed

## ♦ DHAMMĀNUSSATI ♦

Reflections on the Qualities of the Dhamma

## Svākhāto Bhagavatā Dhammo

The Dhamma is well-proclaimed

# Saṅdiṭṭhiko

Visible here and now

#### Akāliko

Not delayed

# **Ehipassiko**

Inviting inspection

# Opaneyyiko

**Onward Leading** 

#### Paccattam Veditabbo Viññūhi

Experienced by the Ariyas

#### **♦ SANGHĀNUSSATI ♦**

Reflections on the Qualities of the Sangha

#### Suppaţipanno Bhagavato Sāvaka Saṅgho

The community of disciples of the Blessed One who undertake the Noble Training;

#### Ujupatipanno Bhagavato Sāvaka Sangho

The Community of Disciples of the Blessed One who practice faultless bodily, verbal and mental actions;

### Ñāyapatipanno Bhagavato Sāvaka Saṅgho

The Community of Disciples of the Blessed One who practice properly to be free from suffering and attain Nibbāna;

### Sāmīcippaţipanno Bhagavato Sāvaka Saṅgho

The Community of Disciples of the Blessed One, who practice accordingly, worthy of veneration by others;

# Yadidam Cattāri Purisa Yugāni Aṭṭha Purisa Puggalā Esa Bhagavato Sāvaka Saṅgho

The Community of Disciples of the Blessed one, that is:

The four pairs of persons and the eight individual persons;

# Āhuneyyo

Who are fit for gifts from near and far;

# Pāhuneyyo

Who are fit to receive food from beloved friends;

# Dakkiņeyyo

Who are fit to receive gifts out of belief for future good results;

### Añjalīkaraņīyo

Who are fit for reverential salutation;

#### Anuttaram Puññakkhetam Lokassa

Who are an incomparable field of merit for the world.

# ♦ PAŢIPATTI PŪJANĀKĀRA ♦

Paying Respect to the Practice of the Buddha's Teachings

## Buddho so bhagavā bodhāya Dhammam deseti

The Blessed One is enlightened and he teaches the Dhamma for the sake of enlightenment

#### Danto so bhagavā dhamathāya Dhammam deseti

The Blessed One is tamed and he teaches the Dhamma for beings to tame themselves.

# Santo so bhagavā samathāya Dhammam deseti

The Blessed One is at peace and he teaches the Dhamma for the sake of peace

# Tiṇṇo so bhagavā taraṇāya Dhammam deseti

The Blessed one has crossed over and He teaches the Dhamma so that beings may cross over.

# Parinibbuto so bhagavā parinibbānāya Dhammam deseti

The Blessed One has attained Nibbāna and he teaches the Dhamma so that beings may attain Nibbāna.

# ♦ PAÑCA GUŅO ANANTO ♦

Five kinds of endless gratitude

## Buddha guņo ananto...

Buddha, with our endless gratitude

# Dhamma guṇo ananto...

Dhamma, with our endless gratitude

## Sangha guno ananto...

Sangha, with our endless gratitude

## Mātapitu guņo ananto...

Both my parents, with our endless gratitude

# Ācariya guņo ananto...

Noble teachers, with our endless gratitude