Ada Modi

Ragam: Charukesi (26th Melakartha)
  ARO: S R2 G3 M1 P D1 N2 S ||
  AVA: S N2 D1 P M1 G3 R2 S ||
Talam: Adi
Composer: Tyagaraja
Version: Semmangudi Srinivasa Iyer
Youtube Class / Lesson: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AMppfCS6vE](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AMppfCS6vE)
MP3 Class / Lesson: [http://www.shivkumar.org/music/adamodi-detailed.mp3](http://www.shivkumar.org/music/adamodi-detailed.mp3)

Pallavi:
Adamodi Galade Ramayya Maata

Anupallavi:
Thodunida Nive Yanuchu Bhaktito
Gudina Nee Paadamu Battina Naato Maata

Charanam:
Chaduvulanni Delisi Shankaraantshu Dai
Sadayu Daasuga Sambhavudu Mrokka
Kadalu Tammuni Balka Jesitivi Gaakanu
Tyagaraaje Paati Maata

Meaning:
O Ramayya! You seem to feel (“galade”) too proud (“Aada”), too uppish (“modi”), even to talk (“matalaada”) to me. I have sought you (“yanuchu”) as my sole (“nive”) support and shelter (“thodunida”) and stuck to you steadfastly and devotedly (“bhaktito”) but you seem to feel .. Do you remember that when kindly Anjane (ya, an offshoot of Shiva Himself, at his very first meeting with you desired to be informed of your antecedents, you did not respond directly, but commanded (“jesitivi”) Lakshmana (“tammuni”) to speak to him? When such was the lot of Anjaneya himself (“gaakanu”), who can expect you to talk to this frail Tyagaraja?

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| P ; | D-P | M | G-R | G-gr | S-R | G,-m | P M ||
|-----|-----|----|------|-------|------|------|-----|
| A da mo | di | Gala | de Ra- | - may | yya Maa | - ta |
Anupallavi:
Thodunida Nive Yanuchu Bhaktito
Yundi Nee Paadamu Battina Naato Maata

*I have sought you ("yanuchu") as my sole ("nive") support and shelter ("thodunida") and stuck to you steadfastly and devotedly ("bhaktito") but you seem to feel ..*

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*Alt meanings: O Merciful Lord (sadayuDa)! Isn’t it (gAkanu) that when AnjanEya – born (sambhavudu) of Wind God (ASuga) (literally quick moving) (sadayuDA Suga) as an aspect (amSuDai) of Lord Siva (Sankara) (SankarAmSuDai) and also being erudite in all subjects (caduvulu anni telisi) (literally one who has mastered all) (caduvulanni) - saluted (mrokka) You (and enquired about You), You asked (jEsitivi) (literally do) lakshmaNa - your younger brother (tammuni) - to convey (palka) the details (kadalu) (literally stories) to him? therefore, is it fair to be obstinate to talk (mATalADa) to this tyAgarAja (tyAgarAju) even when he talks (ADina) to You?

Do you remember that when the learned (“Chaduvulanni Delisi”) Anjaneya, an offshoot of Shiva Himself (“shankaraaaanthu”),*
...at his very first meeting with you desired to be informed of your antecedents ("Sadayu Daasuga Sambhavudu Mrokka"), ...

; s s s n N D - N S ; | ; sr G M P ; M P ||

- Sada - yu Daas- su ga- - Sam-bhavu du- Mro kka

...you did not respond directly, but commanded ("jesitvi") Lakshmana ("tammuni") to speak to him?

; p d N - D ; N S ; | ; ; ; ; ; ; ||
Kada lu Tam - mu ni - - - - - - - -

; p d N - D ; N S ; | ; dn S - p d n S - s n d ||
Kada lu Tam - mu ni - - - - - - - -

pm- p d N - D ; N S ; | ; rg mg- gr rs - s n d - dp ||
- - Kadalu Tam - mu ni - - - - - - - -

dm- p d N - D ; N S ; | ; rg m G rgmg R s S , ||
- - Kadalu Tam - mu ni Bal- ka Je si- - - ti vi -

When such was the lot of Anjaneya himself ("gaakanu"), who can expect you to talk to this frail Tyagaraja?

sr G R S s n D N S | d P d N - S S N P M ||
Gaa-- kanu Tyaa - ga raa- ju Paa ti na Maata

pdns rg- mg rs- nd pm gr | G-gr S - R G , - m P M ||
A da mo - di Ga-la- de Ra- - may yya Maa - ta

P ; D P ; M G R | pmmg G ; ; ; ; ; ; ||
Laa da mo - di Gala de - - - - - -