

## Bhajare Re Manasa

Ragam: Karnataka Devagandhari or Abheri {22nd Mela (Khararahaраприя) Janyam}

ARO: S G2 M1 P N2 S      ||  
AVA: S N2 D2 P M1 G2 R2 S      ||

Talam: Adi

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### **Pallavi:**

bhajarE rE mAnasa shrI raghuvIram bhukti mukhti pradam vAsudEvam harim  
(bhajarE)

### **Anupallavi:**

vrijina vidUram vishvAdhAram sujana mandAram sundarAkAram  
(bhajarE)

### **CaraNam:**

rAvana mardanam rakSita bhuvanam ravi shashi nayanam ravijAti madanam  
ravijAdi vAnara parivrttam naravaram ratnahAra parishObhita kandaram

### **madhyama kaalam**

ravi shashi kuja budha guru shukra shanIscara rAhu kEtu nEttAram  
rAjakumAram rAmam pavanajAptam avanijA manOharam  
(bhajarE)

Meaning: (approximate – please report any mistakes!)

*Oh Mind (“manasa”), pray (“bhajarE”) to Shri Rama, the hero (“vIram”) of the sun-clan (“raghu”). He will give (“pradam”) prosperity (“bhukti”) and salvation (“mukthi”). He is Vasudeva and Hari.*

*He is meditated (“vrijina”) upon by the sages (“vidhUram”). He is the basis (“Adhaaram”) of the universe (“vishwa”). He is the savior (“mandhaaram”) of the pious people (“sujana”). He has a beautiful (“sundarA”) form (“AkAram”). Pray to that Rama, oh Mind!*

*He is the slayer (“mardhanam”) of rAvana. He protects (“Rakshita”) the world (“bhuvanam”). He has eyes (“nayanam”) like the sun (“ravi”) and moon (“sashi”). He is more beautiful (“madanam”) than (“Ati”) the sun (“ravi”). He is the saviour of the monkey clan (“vanara”) and humans. He wears beautiful jeweled necklaces (“ratnahAra parishObhita”) in his chest (“kandaram”).*

*He is above the navagrahas: ravi, sashi, kuja, budha, guru, sukra, shanicras, rahu, ketu. He is prince (“rajakumaram”) Rama.. He is lotus-eyed (“Pavanajaptam”). He entralls (“manoharam”) sitA (“avanija”).*

### **Pallavi:**

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*Oh Mind (“manasa”), pray (“bhajarE”) to Shri Rama, the hero (“vIram”) of the sun-clan (“raghu”).*

1            2            3            4            5            6            7            8  
;; S S     M ;;; pmmgG-gm P -M P ; | ;;; M ; psn N, ND DP PM -MG      ||  
bhaja rE     rE - - mA - na sa                shrI - ra—ghu vi - - - - ram -

| 1              | 2         | 3                 | 4                     | 5          | 6          | 7         | 8 |
|----------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------------------|------------|------------|-----------|---|
| RS- S S M ; ;  | pmmgG-gm  | P -M P ;          | ; ; M                 | ; psn N,   | ND DP      | PM -MG    |   |
| bhaja rE       | rE - - mA | - na sa           | shri                  | - ra—ghu   | vI - - -   | - ram -   |   |
| grsn-N S M ; ; | pmmgG-gm  | P -M mnP   ; ; nd | pm- P sn S-           | SN ND      | ndpm -gmnp |           |   |
| bhaja rE       | rE - - mA | - na sa           | shri                  | - - raghu  | vI - - -   | - ram -   |   |
| mgrs-N S M ; ; | pmmgG-gm  | P -M mnP   ; ; nd | pm- ps sm ; mggr rssn | nndp -gmnp |            |           |   |
| bhaja rE       | rE - - mA | - na sa           | shri                  | - - ra-ghu | vI - - -   | - - ram - |   |

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mgtrs-; S ; S -snN ; ; ND P ; P N | S ; ; - G ; M mnP ; ; ,m M ; ; G- gg mg ||  
 bhu kti mu- - - khti- - pra- dam- vA - su dE- - - - - vam - ha rim - -

grrs S- S ; S -snN ; ; -ND P ; P N | S ; ; - G ; M mnP ; ; ,m pmM ; ; G- gg mg ||  
 bhu kti mu- - - khti- - pra- dam- vA - su dE- - - - - vam - ha rim - -

grrs S- S ; S -nsmg grrs -ndsn nddp- P N | S ; ; - G ; M- pnS ; ,g -gmnd pm-G- gg mg  
 bhu kti mu- - - - - khti- - - pra- dam- vA - su dE- - - - - vam - - ha rim - -

grrs S- S ; S -nsmg grrs -ndsn nddp- P N | S ; ; - G ; M- pnS ; ,g -gmnd pm-G- gg mg  
 bhu kti mu- - - - - khti- - - pra- dam- vA - su dE- - - - - vam - - ha rim - -

grrs S- ss ,M, ; ; pmmgG-gm P -M mnP ; | ; ; ; gm P -M mnP ; ; ; ; gm P M -P , n  
 - bhaja rE rE - - mA - na sa mA - na sa mA - - na sa

Anupallavi:

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(bhajarE)

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|----------------|----------------------|-------------------------------|---|----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--|
| 1              | 2                    | 3                             | 4 | 5                    | 6                     | 7                      | 8                  |  |
| ; ; - P<br>vri | P nn M-P<br>ji na- - | pnS-; ;<br>vi dU--            | ; | ; ; - ; ;<br>- - ram | ; ; ; ;<br>;          | ; ; ; ;<br>;           | ; ; ; ;<br>        |  |
| ; ; - P<br>vri | P nn M-P<br>ji na- - | pnS-; ;<br>vi dU--            | ; | ; ; - rs sn<br>- - - | N- S ; mg<br>- shvA-- | GR - sR,<br>dhA - - -  | ;S- S ;<br>-- ram  |  |
| ; ; - P<br>vri | P nn M-P<br>ji na- - | pggs-snN ; ns- S ;<br>vi dU-- | ; | ; ; - rs sn<br>- - - | N- S ; mg<br>- shvA-- | gmpm mggr<br>dhA - - - | sRs- ; S<br>-- ram |  |

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; ; - P S S S ; sngs snN ; ndsn | nddp P- G ; M mnP ; ; mgG ; R ,s- ; S ||  
 su jana man dA- - - ram- - - - sun - da rA- - - kA- - - ram

; ; ; - P S S S ; nsmg grrs snN -ndsn | nddp P- G ; M gmpn sgmg snrs ndsn- ndpm ||  
 su jana man dA- - - - ram- - - - sun - da rA- - - kA- - - ram  
  
 grsn ; - P S S S ; nsmg grrs snN -ndsn | nddp P- G ; M gmpn sgmg snrs ndsn- ndpm ||  
 su jana man dA- - - - ram- - - - sun - da rA- - - kA- - - ram  
  
 grsn SS M; ; pmmgG-gm P -M mnP ; ; ; gm P -M mnP ; ; ; gm P M -P , n ||  
 bhaja rE - rE - mA - na sa mA - na sa mA - - na sa  
  
 sndp ; ;  
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Charanams:

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 (bhajarE)

***He is the slayer (“mardhanam”) of rAvana. He protects (“Rakshita”) the world (“bhuvanam”).***

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|----------|-----------|------------|-----------------------|-------------|--------------------|-----------|---------|--|
| 1        | 2         | 3          | 4                     | 5           | 6                  | 7         | 8       |  |
| ;; ; - P | ; P P ;   | pmpm Psn   | ND DP                 | pmP; - ; mg | ; R S ;            | G ; G M   | P ; ;   |  |
| rA       | vana      | mar-- da-- | nam - - -             | ----- rak - | Shita -            | bhu- va - | nam - - |  |
| SGM- P   | ; P P ;   | pmpm Psn   | ND DP                 | pmP; - ; mg | ; R S ;            | G ; G M   | P ; ;   |  |
| rA       | vana      | mar-- da-- | nam - - -             | ----- rak - | Shita -            | bhu- va - | nam - - |  |
| SGM- P   | ; P P ;   | pmpr snN   | ndsn nddp   P; - ; mg | ; R S ;     | sns gsgm mgmp-pmpn |           |         |  |
| rA       | vana      | mar-- da-- | nam - - -             | ----- rak - | Shita -            | bhu- va - | nam - - |  |
| snnd pm- | P ; P P ; | pmpr snN   | ndsn nddp   P; - ; mg | ; R S ;     | G ; G M            | P ; ;     |         |  |
| rA       | vana      | mar-- da-- | nam - - -             | ----- rak - | Shita -            | bhu- va - | nam - - |  |

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|        |                   |          |          |        |           |          |             |  |
|--------|-------------------|----------|----------|--------|-----------|----------|-------------|--|
| ;; ; G | G- R rs ;         | S N ND   | pdP P ;  | ; ; -N | S- G ; M  | P ; gmpn | sn- D P P   |  |
| ra     | vi shashi         | na - ya- | nam - -  | ra     | vi jA- ti | ma- - -  | - - da- nam |  |
| ;; ; P | P nn M P ; nS , ; | S S ;    | ; ; ;    | ;; ;   | ;; ;      | ;; ;     | ;; ;        |  |
| ---ra  | vi jA- - di       | vA- -    | - nara - | ---    | ---       | ---      | ---         |  |

***He is the saviour of the monkey clan (“vanara”) and humans (“naravaram”).***

|        |                            |         |            |           |          |             |         |
|--------|----------------------------|---------|------------|-----------|----------|-------------|---------|
| ;; ; P | P nn M P nS , ;            | S S ;   | ; pg gs    | N -S G;   | GR SR    | S- S S ;    |         |
| ---ra  | vi jA- - di                | vA- -   | - nara -   | pa- ri-   | - vr tam | na- ra-     | - varam |
| ;; ; P | P nn M P pggs snN , -S S ; | ; pg gs | sn -S G;   | gmpm mggr | R- S S ; |             |         |
| ---ra  | vi jA- - di                | vA- -   | - - nara - | pa- ri-   | - vr tam | na- - ra- - | - varam |

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;;; P ; S S ; sngs snN ; N ndsn | nddp P- G ; M mnP ; mgG ; R ,s- ; S S; ||  
 ra tna hA ra -- - - - pa ri -- - - - shO -bhi ta - - kan- - - - da ram  
 ; ; ; - P ; S S ; nsmg grrs snN -ndsn | nddp P- G ; M mnP ; mgG ; R ,s- ; S S; ||  
 ra -tna hA ra -- - - - pa ri -- - - - shO -bhi ta - - kan- - - - da ram

### madhyama kaalam

*He is above the navagrahas: ravi, sashi, kuja, budha, guru, sukra, shanicras, rahu, ketu.*

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8  
 M G R S N P N S N S M ; M- P pmG | G M P M P -ND P pppm P N S ; ; ||  
 ravi shashi kuja budha guru shu- kra sha ni- - scara rA- hu kE- tu nE- ttA- ram - -

*He is prince (“rajakumaram”) Rama.. He is lotus-eyed (“Pavanajaptam”). He entralls (“manoharam”) sita (“avanija”).*

N ; S G g r S S ; ; ; ndsn ndP ; ; | nmP R S ; S - ,gM NP ; mp mgG ; - R S ||  
 rA jaku mA--ram - - rA- mam -- pa-va najA -ptam ava nijA ma- nO- - haram  
 N ; S G g R s S ; ; ; nsrs nd-pd ,p ; | nmP R S ; S - ,gM NP ; mp mgG ; - R S ||  
 rA jaku mA--ram - - rA- mam -- pa-va najA -ptam ava nijA ma- nO- - haram  
 N ; S G gr sRs S ; ; nsrs nd-pd ,p ; | nmP R S ; S - ,gM NP ; mp mgG -R ggmg ||  
 rA jaku mA--ram - - rA- mam -- pa-va najA -ptam ava nijA ma- nO- - ha ram-  
 grrs-N S M ; ; pmmgG-gm P -M mnP | ; ; nd pm- ps sm ; mggr rssn nddp -gmnp ||  
 bhaja rE rE - - mA - na sa shrI - - ra-ghu- vI - - - - - ram -  
 mgss S- S ; S-nsmg grrs -ndsn nddp- P N | S ; ; - G ; M- pnS ; ,g -gmnd pm-G- gg mg ||  
 bhu kti mu- - - - khti- - - pra- dam- vA - su dE- - - - vam - - ha rim -  
 mgss SS M; ; pmmgG-gm P -M mnP ; | ; ; gm P -M mnP ; ; ; gm P M -P , n ||  
 bhaja rE - rE - - mA - na sa mA - na sa mA - - na sa  
 sndp ; ;  
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(bhajarE)