

rAma ika nannu

Ragam: Sahana { 28th Melakartha Hari Kambodhi Janyam}

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sahana\\_\(raga\)](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sahana_(raga))

ARO: S R2 G3 M1 P M1 D2 N2 Š ||  
AVA: Š N2 D2 P M1 G3 R2 S ||

Talam: Rupakam

Composer: Patnam Subramanya Iyer (<https://www.karnatik.com/co1041.shtml>)

Version: Peri Sriramamurthy

Lyrics & Meanings Courtesy: <http://www.sangeetasudha.org/othercomposers2/s39.html>

Youtube Class / Lesson: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DLufNhPsKiY>

MP3 Class / Lesson: <http://www.shivkumar.org/music/ramaikanannu-class.mp3>

### **Pallavi:**

rAma ika nannu brOvarAdA daya lEdA

### **Anupallavi:**

tAmasambu jEsitE ika tALanu parula vEDanu

### **Charanam:**

Aru Satruvulanu baTTi hatamu jEsi  
poorvArjita ghOra pApamulanu pOgoTTi nE jEsinaTTi  
nEramulanu maninchi neeve kAvavalenu gAni  
vErevarunnArurA Sri venkaTESwara dayAkara

**Meaning: (Courtesy: <http://www.sangeetasudha.org/othercomposers2/s39.html>)**

*Oh Sri Rama, why don't you protect (brOva-rAdA) me (nannu) yet (ika)? Why are you merciless (daya lEdA)?*

*I can't bear (ika tALanu) delay anymore (tAmasambu jEsitE). I even don't beg (vEDanu) others (parula) .*

*You alone should come to my rescue, destroying (baTTi hatamu jEsi – literally catch and destroy) all six (Aru) enemies (Satruvulanu - desire, anger, greed, lust , jealousy and arrogance) .*

*You annihilate my horrible sins (poorvArjita ghOra pApamulanu pOgoTTi), pardoning my wicked deeds (nEramulanu maninchi).*

*Oh all merciful (dayAkara) Rama (Venkateswara) – ( neeve kAvavalenu gAni), who else is there for me (vErevarunnArurA)?*

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**Meaning: Oh Sri Rama, why don't you protect (brOva-rAdA) me (nannu) yet (ika)? Why are you merciless (daya lEdA)?**

; R R ; R G || M ; P – pm G M ||  
rA ma i ka nan- nu brO- va

R gr S ; nsnd || N ; S ; ; rs ||  
rA -- dA da-ya- IE - dA - Sri

ns- R R ; rg mp || rgmp mp – gm G M ||  
rA ma i ka nan- nu brO- va

R gr S ; nsnd || N ; S ; pmgm ||
   
 rA -- dA da-ya- IE - dA Sri - - -

rs- R R ; rg mp || nddp M - gm G M ||
   
 rA ma i ka nan- nu brO- va

R gr S ; nsnd || N ; S ; pmgm ||
   
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rs- R R ; rg mp || rgmp nd - pm dn S ||
   
 rA ma i ka nan- nu brO- va

ns Rgr S ; nsnd || nsnd pm-pm gm rs ||
   
 rA -- dA da-ya- IE - dA Sri - - -

ns- R R ; R G || M,pD,p M - pmG ; M ||
   
 rA ma i ka nan- - nu brO- - va

rm gr S ; rs nd || N ; S ; ; rs ||
   
 rA -- dA da-ya- IE - dA - Sri

ns- R R ; R R || N ; D - pm ; M ||
   
 rA ma i ka nan- nu brO- - va

R gr S ; ss nd || N ; S ; ; ; ||
   
 rA -- dA da-ya- IE - dA - -

### Anupallavi:

tAmasambu jEsitE ika tALanu parula vEDanu ||

Sahityam: tAmasambu jEsitE ika

Meaning: Please do not delay anymore (tAmasambu jEsitE).

; N D P ; M || D ; N S R S ||
   
 tA masam - bu jE- si tE i ka

Sahityam: tALanu parula vEDanu ||

Meaning: I can't bear (ika tALanu). I even don't beg (vEDanu) others (parula).

N ; n s D nd P || dp M mg M rg gr ||
   
 tA- La-nu pa-ru la- nu vE- - Da- -

S- mn D P ; M || D ; N S R S ||
   
 nu tA- ma sam - bu jE- si tE i ka

rs N s n D nd P || pm dp ndpm gm rs ||
   
 tA- La-nu pa-ru la- nu vE- - Da- -

n s - r n D P ; M || D ; N S ns rg ||
   
 nu tA- ma sam - bu jE- si tE i ka

Mpm G Gmg R Rgr S || r s n s ndpm gm rs ||
   
 tA- - La- - nu pa- ru la- nu vE- - Da- -

n s – r n D P ; M || D ; N S ns rg ||  
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Mpm G Gmg R Rgr S || r s n s ndpm gm rs ||  
tA- La- nu pa- ru la- nu vE- Da- nu-

*Sahityam: rAma ika nannu brOvarAdA daya lEdA*

**Meaning:** Oh Sri Rama, why don't you protect (brOva-rAdA) me (nannu) yet (ika)? Why are you merciless (daya lEdA)?

ns- R R ; rg mp || rgmp nd – pm dn S ||  
rA ma i ka nan- nu brO- va

ns Rgr S ; nsnd || nsnd pm-pm gm rs ||  
rA -- dA da-ya- lE - dA Sri - - -

ns- R R ; R G || M,pD,p M – pmG ; M ||  
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### Charanam:

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; P P P ; P || pm gm R – gm P P ||  
A ru Sa - tru vu- la- nu ba- - Tti

; N D P ; P || pm gm R – gm P P ||  
A ru Sa - tru vu- la- nu ba- - Tti

*Sahityam: poorvArjita ghOra pApamulanu pOgoTTi nE jEsinaTTi*

**Meaning:** You annihilate my horrible sins (poorvArjita ghOra pApamulanu pOgoTTi),

; rg , m – p d N D || Pdp M mg M R S ||  
Hata mu jE- - si poo -r vA -r ji ta

r s N S – n s d p M || dn S S – ns R – R ||  
ghO- ra pA- - - pa mu-la nu pO- - -

; R G - M,pD,p M || gmpm gm – rg g r S ||  
Go TTi nE - - - jE- - - si- na- - - TTi

Sahityam: nEramulanu manninchi neeve kAvavalenu gAni

Meaning: ... pardoning my wicked deeds (nEramulanu manninchi).

S ; P M D D || N ; n s R S ; ||  
nE ramu lanu man- nin- chi

snsr sr- ns D D || nd pm M - dn S S ||  
nee- ve- kA- - va va-le- nu gA- - ni

Sahityam: vErevarunnArurA Sri venkaTESwara dayAkara //

Meaning: Oh all merciful (dayAkara) Rama (Venkateswara) – ( neeve kAvavalenu gAni), who else is there for me (vErevarunnArurA)?

R gm gm R g r S || sn s d pm dn S - S ||  
vE- - re- va- - - ru nnA- - ru- Sri- -

dn sr sr - ns D D || pmdp ndpm gm rs ||  
ven-- ka TE- - Sha va- ra- da-yA- ka- ra

Sahityam: rAma ika nannu brOvarAdA daya lEdA

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ns- R R ; rg mp || rgmp nd - pm dn S ||  
rA ma i ka nan- nu brO- - va

ns Rgr S ; nsnd || nsnd pm-pm gm rs ||  
rA -- dA da-ya- IE - dA Sri - -

ns- R R ; R G || M,pD,p M - pmG ; M ||  
rA ma i ka nan- - nu brO- - va

R gr S ; ss nd || N ; S ; ; ; ||  
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