

## Sarasa Dala Nayana

### RAGAM-Khamas

ARO: S M G M N D N P D N S || AVA : S N D P M G R S ||  
 Talam: Chatusra jati Jhampa (7 beat cycle)  
 Composer: Dikshitar  
 Version: M.N. Subramanyam

Pallavi:

Saaraasa Dala Nayana Sankata Harana Hare Govinda Maam Paahi

### Anupallavi:

Neerajasanaadi Poojitaanga Shree Ramaantaranga Shubhaanga Murahara Abhaya Prada Mukunda Yaadava  
 Kula Bhushana Maadhava

### Charanam:

Maaghamaasotsava Prabhava Maanita Guruguha Vandita Bhava  
 Gokula Janapaala Gopikaa Manohara Govardhanadhabra

Meaning: (TK Govinda Rao's book)

*O Hari! Having eyes (“nayanaa”) like lotus petals (“saarasa dala”). The remover(“harana”) of obstacles (“Sankata”). O Govinda! Protect me (“maam paahi”)! Who is worshipped (“poojitha”) by Brahma (“neerajaasa”) and others (“aadi”). Who resides in the heart (“antaranga”) of lakshmi (“ramaa”). O the auspicious one (“shubaanga”)! The vanquisher (“hara”) of Muraasura. He bestows (“pradha”) protection(“abhaya”)! O Mukunda! O Madhava! Jewel (“bhushana”) of the Yaadavakula.*  
*Who is honored (“prabhava”) during the festivities (“utsava”) held in the month (“maasa”) of Maatha (Feb/March). Who is worshipped (“vanditha”) by esteemed (“maanitha”) Gurguguha. The auspicious one, who protects (“paala”) the cowherd people (“gokula jana”); beloved (“manohara”) of the cowherd damsels (“gopikaa”). Who held aloft (“dhara”) the Govardhana mountain.*

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S ; ; dnrs ssnd P - pnd M , G - pdp - d N   S ; ;	; ; gm ; P d p -d n
Saa-- ra-- sa--- - Da-- la - - Na- ya - na- -	- - - Ha- re - - - -
S ; ; dnrs ssnd P - sndp M G - d P - d N   S ; ;	; ; gm ; P d p -d n
Saa-- ra-- sa--- - Da-- la - - Na- ya - na- -	- - - Ha- re - - - -
S ; ; dnrs ssnd P - sndp M G - d P - d N   rrss ; ;	; ; M ; G M ;
Saa-- ra-- sa--- - Da-- la - - Na- ya - na- -	-- San - ka ta-
Pdp D N nd D ; dn S R S ; ; dn rs	ssnd P - nd   M , G , M ; P dp dn
Ha-- ra - na- - - Ha- re - - - Go---	vin-- - - da - - - Maam- Paa- hi-
snrs S ,n dnrs ssnd P - sndp M G - d P - d N   rrss ; ;	; ; M ; G M ;
Saa--- ra-- sa--- - Da-- la - - Na- ya - na- -	-- San - ka ta-
Pdp D N nd D ; dn S Gmg rsS ; , n dn rs	ssnd P - S,n   pmM , G , M ; P dp dn
Ha-- ra - na- - - Ha- re - - - - - Go---	vin-- - - da - - - Maam- Paa- hi-

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S S G R , s S S,n D N- S R ; N nr S | N D - P D | N D - P,d pmM ns ndnp d n ||  
 Murahara Abha ya- Prada Mukun - da Yaa-- dava Kula Bhu- sha- na-- Maa- - dhava

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*Who is honored (“prabhava”) during the festivities (“utsava”) held in the month (“maasa”) of Maagh (Feb/March).*

M ; ; ; ; mgG M ; ; G R m G , | S- sM g M | psn n d P , ; pM d P ||  
 Maa - - - gha - - maa - so - - - - - - - - - tsa - va - Pra - - - - - bha - va -

M ; ; ; ; mg g- d P M ; ; G R m G , | S- sM g M | psn nd P , ; m P DnD, ||  
 Maa- - - gha- - maa- - so - - - - - - - - - tsa- va - Pra- - - - - bha-va-

*Who is worshipped (“vanditha”) by esteemed (“maanitha”) Gurguguha.*

M ; ; ; N , D , Dns ndnp ; dn S ; | D sn nndm | ; dn pdns ; N S ; ||  
Maa - - ni ta Gu-- ru--- - gu-ha- Van----- - di-ta--- Pa da-

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Sn R S S ; dn nndp ; nd pmG ; M - Pdp mg - M | D P dn S | d N S , S R M , G , ||  
 Go- kula - Janapaa- -la Go- - pi kaa- - Ma no- ha-ra Go- var ddha nadha ra