# वैदिक शान्ति अंत्र

## Vaidika Śānti Mantra

ॐ नमो ब्रह्मादिभ्यो ब्रह्मविद्या<u>सम्प्रदा</u>यकर्तृभ्यो वंशऋषिभ्यो नमो गुरुभ्यः। नारायणं पद्मभवं विश्वष्ठं शक्तिं च तृत्पुत्रपुराशरं च। <u>व्या</u>सं शुकं गौडपदं महान्तं <u>गो</u>विन्द<u>यो</u>गिन्द्र<u>म</u>थास्य शिष्यम्। श्री शंकराचार्यम<u>था</u>स्य <u>पद्मपा</u>दं च हुस्ता<u>मल</u>कं च श्रिष्यम्। तं <u>त्रोट</u>कं <u>वा</u>र्तिक<u>का</u>रमन्यानस्मत्गुरुन् सन्तत<u>मा</u>नतो ५ स्मि । श्रुतिस्मृतिपुराणाना<u>मा</u>लयं <u>करु</u>णालयम् । नर्मामि भगवत्पादं <u>शंक</u>रं लोक-शंकरम्। <u>शंकरं शंकराचा</u>र्यं <u>केश</u>वं बादरायणम्। सूत्रभाष्यकृतौ वन्दे भगवन्तौ पुनः पुनः। ईश्वरो गुरुरात्मेति मूर्ति<u>भेदवि</u>भागिने। व्योमवद्वाप्तदेहाय श<u>्री दक्षिणा</u>मूर्त्त<u>ये</u> नर्मः। <u>य</u>स्य देवे पराभित्तः यथा देवे तथा गुरौ। तस्यैते कथिता ह्यर्था प्रकाशन्ते महात्मनः॥ ॐ शान्तिः शान्तिः॥ Om <br/> <u>na</u>mo <u>bra</u>hmādibhyo <u>brahmavi</u>dyā<br/><u>sampradā</u>ya kartṛbhyo <br/>  $\underline{\text{vam}}$ śar<br/>ṣibhyo na $\underline{\text{mo}}$ gurubhyaḥ. <br/>  $\underline{\text{N}}\bar{\text{a}}$ rāyaṇaṃ padmabhavam va<u>śi</u>ṣṭḥam <u>śa</u>ktim ca <u>ta</u>tputra<u>pa</u>rāśaram ca. <u>Vyā</u>sam śukam gaudapadam ma<br/>h $\bar{a}$ ntam govindayogindramathāsya śiṣyam. Śrī śaṃkarācāryama<u>thā</u>sya <u>padma</u> <u>pā</u>daṃ ca <br/> <u>ha</u>stā <u>mala</u>kam ca śiṣyam. Tam <u>troṭa</u>kam <u>vā</u>rtika<br/><u>kā</u>ramanyā<u>na</u>smatgurun santata<u>mā</u>nato'smi. <u>Śru</u>tismṛtipurāņānā<br/>mālayam karuṇālayam. Namāmi bhagava<br/>tpādaṃ śaṃ-<u>ka</u>ram lo<u>ka</u> śamkaram. <u>Śamka</u>ram <u>śamkarācā</u>ryam <u>keśa</u>vam bā<u>da</u>rāyaṇam. Sūtrabhāṣyakṛtau <u>va</u>nde <u>bhagava</u>ntau <u>pu</u>naḥ punaḥ. Īśvaro gururā<u>tme</u>ti <u>mū</u>rti<u>bhe</u>da<u>vi</u>bhāgine. Vyomavadvyāpta<u>de</u>hāya <u>śrī</u> <u>da</u>kṣi<u>n</u>āmūrtta<u>ye</u> namaḥ. <u>Yas</u>ya <u>de</u>ve <u>pa</u>rābhaktiḥ <u>ya</u>thā <u>de</u>ve <u>ta</u>thāgurau. Tasyaite kathitā <u>hya</u>rthā <u>prakāśa</u>nte <u>ma</u>hātmanaḥ.

## Om śā<u>nti</u>ḥ śā<u>nti</u>ḥ śāntiḥ.

Om, obeisance to all the devas beginning from Brahma and to all those who, with eager consciousness attempted to disseminate the knowledge of Brahmavidyā to the progeny in a well arranged manner. Also to those rsis who came in their lineage. Reverence to all the gurus. I always pay respect to Nārāyan, to one who born out of a lotus, to Vašiṣtha, to Śakti, to his great son Parāśara, to Vyāsa , to Śuka, to the great Gaupada, to Govinda who was the foremost among the yogis, to his disciple Śaṃkarācārya, to his disciples Padmapāda and Hastāmalaka, and to his disciple, to Troṭaka the commentator and to other gurus. I bow down to Bhagavadpāda Śaṃkara who is well versed in the Vedas, the smṛtis and the puranas, and who is the ocean of compassion, and who established the wellbeing of the world. I also bow down to Śaṃkarāchārya who did good to all. I bow down again and again to keśava and to bādarāyaṇa, both of whom wrote the sutras and their commentaries. Parameshwar and gurus are alike, but there is difference in embodiment. I bow down to Śrī Dakṣiṇāmūrti who had a body covering the whole space. One who has got unlimited devotion for the ultimate reality, as well as for the the guru in the same measure, only his uttered, secret meanings enlighten the hearts of the great souls. Om, peace. (Guru Parampara Mantra)

ॐ सह नाववंतु। सह नौ भुनंतुः। सह वीर्यं करवावंहै। तेजस्वि नावधीतमंस्तु। मा विद्विषावंहै॥ ॐ शान्तिः शान्तिः शान्तिः॥

Om <u>saha</u> nāvavatu. <u>Saha</u> nau bhunaktu. <u>Saha vī</u>ryam <u>kara</u>vāvahai. <u>Tejasvi</u> nā<u>va</u>dhītamastu. Mā vi<u>dvi</u>ṣāvahai. Om śā<u>nti</u>h śā<u>nti</u>h śā<u>nti</u>h.

May the Lord protect both teacher and disciple and may He cherish us both. May we work with full energy, that our study be perfect and give good results. May we never feel ill-will toward the other. Om, peace. (Katho, Shvetashvatara; NPU pp. 98, 165)

ॐ शं नो <u>मित्रः शं वरुणः। शं नो भवत्वर्यंमा। शं न इन्द्रो</u> बृह्स्पितिः। शं नो विष्णुरु <u>रु</u>क्तमः। न<u>मो</u> ब्रह्मणे। नमते वायो। त्वमेव प्रत्यक्षं ब्रह्मांसि। त्वामेव प्रत्यक्षं ब्रह्म विदिष्यामि। <u>ऋ</u>तं विदिष्यामि। सत्यं विदिष्यामि। त<u>न्मा</u>मवेतु। तद्<u>देकार</u>मवेतु। अवतु माम्। अवतु व<u>क</u>्तारम्॥ ॐ शा<u>न्तिः शान्तिः शान्तिः शान्तिः शान्तिः श</u>

Om śam no mitrah śam varuṇah. Śam no bhavatvaryamā. Śam na indro bṛhaspatih. Śam no viṣṇu rurukramah. Namo brahmaṇe. Namaste vāyo. Tvameva pratyakṣam brahmāsi. Tvāmeva pratyakṣam brahma vadiṣyāmi. Rtam vadiṣyāmi. Satyam vadiṣyāmi. Tanmāmavatu. Tadvaktāramavatu. Avatu mām. Avatu vaktāram. Om śāntih śāntih śāntih.

May Mitra, Varuna, Aryama, Indra, Brihaspati and omnipresent Vishnu be praised. Salutations to Brahman. O Vayu, salutations to you. You, verily, are the visible Brahman. I shall speak of you alone as the direct Brahman. I shall call you the Cosmic Law. I shall call you the Truth. May Brahman protect me. May He protect the teacher. May the Brahman protect me, may He protect the teacher. Om, peace. (Taittiriya; NPU p. 218)

अ युश्छन्दंसामृषंभो विश्वरूपः। <u>छन्दो</u>भ्यो <u>५ ध्यमृ</u>तात् सम्बंभूव स<u>मे</u>न्द्रो <u>मेध</u>या स्पृणोतु। अमृतस्य देव<u>धार</u>णो भूयांसम्। शरीरं मे <u>वि</u>चर्षणम्। <u>जिह्वा</u> मे <u>मधु</u>मत्तंमा। कर्णाभ्यां भूरि विश्ववम्। ब्रह्मणः कोशोऽसि <u>मेध</u>या पिहितः। श्रुतं मे गोपाय॥ अ शा<u>न्तिः</u> शान्तिः ॥

Om <u>ya</u>śchandasāmṛṣabho vi<u>śva</u>rūpaḥ. <u>Chando</u>bhyo'<u>dhyamṛ</u>tāt sambabhūva sa<u>me</u>ndro <u>medha</u>yā spṛṇotu. Amṛtasya deva<u>dhāra</u>ṇo bhūyāsam. Śariraṃ me <u>vi</u>carṣaṇam. <u>Jihvā</u> me <u>madhu</u>mattamā. Karṇābhyāṃ bhū<u>ri</u> viśruvam. brahmaṇaḥ <u>ko</u>śo'si <u>medha</u>yā pihitaḥ. Śrutaṃ me gopāya. Om śā<u>nti</u>ḥ śāntiḥ śāntih.

He, who is the most prominent in the hymns of the vedas, who is all-pervading and who's widespread grandeur has sprung from the sacred and immortal Vedas, may He – Om, that is Indra – the supreme Lord, delight me with intelligence and mental power. O Lord may I be the possessor of immortality, may my body be in good condition, may my speech be sweet to the highest degree and may I hear much with my ears so that I may learn. You are the sheath of Brahman, covered by worldly intelligence. Guard my learning, which I acquired by hearing. Om, peace. (Taittiriya 1:4:1; NPU p. 223)

ॐ अह्अं वृक्षस्य रेरिवा। कीर्तिः पृष्ठं गिरेरिव। ऊर्ध्वपवित्रो वाजिनीव स्वमृतमंस्मि। द्रविण् स्वर्वसम्। सुमेधा अमृतोक्षितः। इति त्रिशंकोर्वेदानुवर्चनम्॥ ॐ शान्तिः शान्तिः शान्तिः॥

Om <u>ah</u>am <u>vr</u>kṣa<u>sya</u> rerivā. <u>Ki</u>rtiḥ <u>pr</u>ṣṭḥam <u>gi</u>reriva. Ūrdhva pavitro <u>vā</u>jiniva <u>sva</u>mṛtamasmi. Dra<u>vinagm sa</u>varcasam. Sumedhā amṛ<u>to</u>kṣitaḥ. Iti triśam̞ko<u>rve</u>dā<u>nu</u>vacanam. Om śā<u>nti</u>ḥ śā<u>nti</u>ḥ śāntiḥ.

I am the stimulator of the tree of the universe. My fame is as high as the peak of the mountain. My source is pure (Brahman). I am like the pure reality of the Self, as that is like the sun. I am the power, the wealth and the light of the divine intuition. I have realized the true knowledge, imperishable and immortal have I become. This was the declaration of Triśaṃku, the seer, after his self-realization. Om, peace. (Taittiriya 1:10; NPU p. 231)

ॐ आप्यायन्तु ममाङ्गानि वाक् प्राणश्चक्षुंः श्रोत्रमंथो बलिमिन्द्रियाणि च सर्वाणि । सर्वं ब्रह्मोपनिषंदं माहं ब्रह्म निराक्तर्यां मा मा ब्रह्म निराकरोत्, अनिराकरणमस्त्वनिराकरणं मेऽस्तु । तदात्मिनि निरते य उपनिषंत्सु धर्मास्ते मिय संन्तु ते मिय संन्तु ॥ ॐ शान्तिः शान्तिः शान्तिः॥

Om <u>ā</u>pyāyantu mamā<u>ngā</u>ni vāk <u>prā</u>ṇaścakṣuḥ śrotramatho balamindri<u>yā</u>ṇi <u>ca</u> sarvāṇi. <u>Sa</u>rvaṃ <u>bra</u>hmopaniṣadaṃ <u>mā</u>haṃ <u>bra</u>hma <u>ni</u>rākuryāṃ <u>mā mā</u> brahma <u>ni</u>rākarot, anirākaraṇa<u>ma</u>stva<u>ni</u>rākaraṇaṃ me'stu. Ta<u>dā</u>tmani nirate ya upaniṣatsu <u>dharmā</u>ste <u>ma</u>yi santu te <u>ma</u>yi santu. Om śā<u>nti</u>ḥ śā<u>nti</u>ḥ śāntiḥ.

May all my limbs, speech, eyes, strength and all other organs and faculties become vigilant, keenly active and well developed. Everything is Brahman described in the Upanishads. May I surely not be neglectful of Brahman nor Brahman of me. Let there be no rejection of me by Brahman and of Brahman by me. May all the virtues revealed in the Upanishads be evident in me giving great joy to Atman. May they be evident in me. Om, peace. (Keno; NPU p. 34, Kunda; SD p. 401)

ॐ <u>वा</u>ङ् मे <u>मनिस प्र</u>तिष्ठिता मनो में वा<u>चि प्र</u>तिष्ठितम् अविरावीर्म एिध । <u>वे</u>दस्य म <u>आ</u>णीस्थः <u>श्रु</u>तं मे मा प्र<u>हा</u>सीः । अ<u>ने</u>नाधी<u>ते</u>नाहोरात्रान्संदेधामृतं <u>व</u>दिष्यामि । <u>स</u>त्यं <u>व</u>दिष्यामि । त<u>न्मा</u>मवेतु । तद्<u>दकार</u>मवेतु । अवतु मामऽवतुव<u>क</u>ारमवतुव<u>का</u>रम्॥ ॐ शा<u>न्तिः शान्तिः शान्तिः</u>॥

Om <u>vā</u>n me <u>mana</u>si <u>pra</u>tiṣthitā mano me vā<u>ci pra</u>tiṣthitam avirāvirma <u>ed</u>hi. <u>Ve</u>dasya ma <u>ā</u>nisthah <u>śru</u>tam me mā pra<u>hā</u>sih. A<u>ne</u>nādhi<u>te</u>nāhorātrānsamdadhāmṛtam <u>va</u>diṣyāmi. <u>Sa</u>tyam <u>va</u>diṣyāmi. Ta<u>nmā</u>mavatu. Tadva<u>ktāra</u>mavatu. Ava<u>tu</u> māma'vatuva<u>ktā</u>ramavatu va<u>ktā</u>ram. Om śā<u>nti</u>h śā<u>nti</u>h śāntih.

May my speech be fixed upon my mind and may my mind be fixed upon my speech. O Self-luminous Brahman, be Thou revealed to me. May both mind and speech make me able to understand the truth of the Vedas. May the Vedic truth be ever present in me. Day and night I shall dedicate to this endeavor. I shall think the truth and I shall speak the truth. May That (Brahman) protect me. May He protect the teacher. May He protect me. May He protect the teacher. Om, peace. (Aitareya; NPU p. 145, Nirvāṇa; SD p. 388)

अ भद्रं नो अभिवा<u>तय</u> मर्नः॥ अ शा<u>न्तिः</u> शा<u>न्तिः</u>॥

Om <u>bhadram</u> no abhivātava manah. Om śāntih śāntih śāntih.

O, Supreme, help us to fix our minds on blissful eternal purity and eternal happiness. Om, peace. (Rgvedā? p. ?)

ॐ भद्रं क्रणेंभिः शृणुंयाम देवा भद्रं पश्येमाक्ष्षभिर्यजत्राः। स्थिरैरङ्गेस्तुष्टुंवाँ सस्तनूभिर्व्यशेमं देविहतं यदायुः। स्वस्ति न इन्द्रो वृद्धश्रंवाः। स्वस्ति नः पूषा विश्ववेदाः। स्वस्ति नस्ताक्ष्यों अरिष्ट्रनेिमः। स्वस्ति नो बृहस्पतिर्दधांतु॥ ॐ शान्तिः शान्तिः शान्तिः॥

Om <u>bha</u>dram <u>ka</u>rnebhih śṛṇuyāma <u>de</u>vā <u>bha</u>dram <u>paśyemākṣa</u>bhiryajatrāh. <u>Sthi</u>rairangai stuṣṭuvāgm sastanūbhirvyaśema deva<u>hi</u>tam <u>ya</u>dāyuh. Svasti na <u>in</u>dro <u>vṛ</u>ddhaśravāh. <u>Svasti</u> nah <u>pūṣā vi</u>śvavedāh. <u>Sva</u>sti <u>nastā</u>rkṣyo <u>ariṣṭa</u>nemih. Svasti no bṛhaspatirdadhātu. Om śā<u>nti</u>h śāntih śāntih.

O Ye Gods. May we hear auspicious words and see auspicious sights while worshipping you. May we be blessed in life with perfect health and vigor while singing your praise. May the Lord Indra, the Loved One of old, be well-inclined towards us. May He in his kindness be watchful for our prosperity. May He, the nourisher and the possessor of all wealth, give us what is good for us. May the Lord, the destroyer of evil and the protector of the great ones, protect us too. Om, peace. (Prashno, Mandukyo, Mundako; NPU pp. 4, 49, 58; Paramhaṃsa Parivrājaka; SD p. 430)

#### ॐ यो वै ब्रह्माणं विद्धाति पूर्वम्। यो वै वेदांश्च प्रहिणोति तस्मै। तं हे देवमात्मबुद्धिप्रकाशं मुमुक्षुर्वै <u>शरणम</u>हं प्रपेदो॥ॐ शा<u>न्तिः शान्तिः शान्तिः॥</u>

Om <u>yo</u> vai <u>brahmā</u>ṇaṃ <u>vida</u>dhāti pūrvam. <u>Yo</u> vai <u>vedām</u>śca <u>prahi</u>ṇoti tasmai. Taṃ ha devamātma<u>bu</u>ddhiprakāśaṃ <u>mumukṣu</u>rvai <u>śaraṇama</u>haṃ prapadye. Om śā<u>nti</u>h śā<u>nti</u>h śāntih.

I, who am engaged in efforts to attain moksha, surrender myself to the supreme giver of knowledge and intellect who first created Brahma and then gave him the knowledge of vedas. Om, peace. (Shvetashvatara 6.18; NPU p. 212)

## ॐ तुच्छ<u>ंयो</u>रावृणीर्महे। <u>गातुं</u> यज्ञाय। <u>गातुं</u> यज्ञपत्रये। दैवी स्व<u>स्ति</u>रस्तु नः <u>स्व</u>स्तिर्मा<u>न</u>ुषेभ्यः। <u>ऊ</u>र्ध्वं जिगातु भेषजम्। शं नो अस्तु द्विपदे। शं चतुष्पदे॥ ॐ शान्तिः शान्तिः शान्तिः॥

Om <u>ta</u>cchaṃ<u>yo</u>rā<u>vṛ</u>ṇimahe. <u>Gā</u>tuṃ yajñāya. <u>Gā</u>tuṃ yajñapataye. Daivi sva<u>sti</u>rastu naḥ <u>sva</u>stirmā<u>nu</u>ṣebhyaḥ. <u>Ū</u>rdhvaṃ jigātu bheṣajam. Śaṃ no a<u>stu</u> dvipade. Śaṃ <u>ca</u>tuṣpade. Om śā<u>nti</u>ḥ śā<u>nti</u>ḥ śāntiḥ.

Let those who hear it get great pleasure. Let the sacrifice progress along with those conducting it. Let divine will make all well and may those not well get better by medicines. May happiness come to all animals, both two-legged and four-legged. Om, peace. (Mantra Pushpam p. 191 R.K. Mission, Bombay)

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Om agne naya supathā <u>rā</u>ye <u>as</u>mā<u>n</u> <u>vi</u>śvāni <u>de</u>va vayu<u>nā</u>ni vidvān.

Yuyodhyasmatjuhurāṇameno bhūyiṣtḥām te nama uktim vidhema.

Om śā<u>nti</u>h śā<u>nti</u>h śāntih.

O Agni, lead us on to prosperity through a good path; O God! Thou the knower of our deeds, remove from us complicated sins. We offer Thee our best salutations Om, peace. (Ishavasya 18 NPU p. 94)

#### ॐ पूर्णमंदः पूर्णमंदं पूर्णात् पूर्णमुदच्यते। पूर्णस्य पूर्ण<u>मा</u>दायं पूर्ण<u>मे</u>वावंशिष्यते॥ ॐ शा<u>न्तिः</u> शान्तिः शान्तिः॥

Om pūrņamadah pūrņamidam pūrņāt pūrņamudacyate. Pūrņasya pūrņamādāya pūrņamevāvasisyate. Om sāntih sāntih.

That is full, this is full. From full, the full is taken, the full has come. If you take out full from the full, the full alone remains. Om, peace. (Ishavasya; NPU p. 88)