



**|| śrīcidambara pañcākṣara stavaḥ - śrīskanda kṛtam - śrīśiva rahasyam ||**  
**Sri Chidambara Panchakshara Stavam – Sri Skanda – Shiva Rahasyam**

The following is a rare hymn on **Lord Nataraja of Chidambaram** (Tamil Nadu, India) which is based on **Shiva Panchakshara Mantra (OM hrIM shrIM namaH shivAya)** by **Lord Skanda** taken from **Shiva Rahasyam**.

The brief **Phalashruti** mentions that one who recites this hymn daily gets long life, knowledge, boons, progeny and all kinds of wealth by the grace of **Lord Nataraja**.

om hrīm śrīm namaḥ śivāya |

śrīskanda uvāca -

oṅkārārṇava bhāsamāna vapuṣam oṅkāra-vācyam vibhum |  
otaprota jagac carācara tanuṃ ojasvidūraṅgamam |  
oḍyāṇābhidha pīṭhikāntara lasad devī sanātham śivam |  
ojonāyaka maṇḍalastham uḍurāṭ cūḍam naṭeśam bhaje || 1 ||

hrīm mūrtyā śivayā virāṇmaya mahī-hṛt-paṅkajastham sadā |  
hrīṇānām śiva kīrtane hitakaram helāhṛdām māninām |  
hrīberādi sugandha vastu ruciram hemādri-bāṇāsanam |  
hrīnkārāṅkita pāda pīṭham atulam hṛdyam naṭeśam bhaje || 2 ||

śrīmad jñāna-sabhāntare pravilasac chrīpañcavarṇakṛtim |  
śrīvāṇī vinutāṅghri paṅkaja yugam śrīvallabhenārcitam |  
śrīvidyām anumoditam śrita-jana-śrīdāyakam śrīdharam |  
śrīcakrāntara-vāsinam śivam aham śrīmannāṭeśam bhaje || 3 ||

navyāmbhoja-mukham namajjalanidhim nārāyaṇenārcitam |  
nākaukonagarī nadī vilasitam nāgājinālaṅkṛtam |  
nānā-rūpaka nartanādi caturam nālīkajāṅveṣitam |  
nādātmānam aham nagendra-tanayā-nātham naṭeśam bhaje || 4 ||

madhyastham madhu-vairi-mārgita-padam madvaṁśa-nātham prabhum |  
mārārātim atīva-mañju-vapuṣam mandāra-gaura-prabham |  
māyātītam aśeṣa-maṅgala-nidhim madbhāvanā-bhāvitam |  
madhye vyoma-sabham lasantam akhilaṃ mānyam naṭeśam bhaje || 5 ||

śiṣṭaiḥ pūjita pādukam śivakaram śītāṃśu rekhādharam |  
śilpam bhaktajanāvane śithilitāghaugham śivāyāḥ-priyam |  
śikṣā-kāraṇam ambujāsana śiro-bhūṣam suśīlam prabhum |  
śītāpāṅga vilokanam śivakaram śrīmannāṭeśam bhaje || 6 ||

vāṇī-vallabha-vandya-vaibhava-yutam vandāru-cintāmaṇim |  
vātāśādhipa-bhūṣaṇam varakṛpā-vārām-nidhiṁ-yoginām |  
vāñchā-pūrti-karam valāri-vinutam vāhī-kṛtā 'mnāyakam |  
vāmāṅgāpta varāṅganam varakṛpā-vāsam naṭeśam bhaje || 7 ||

yakṣādhiśa-sakham yama-pramathanam yāminyadhīśānanam |  
yajña-dhvaṁsa-karam yatīndra-vinutam yajña-kriyādhīśvaram |  
yājyam yājaka-rūpiṇam yama-dhanair yatnopa-labhyāṅghrikam |  
yānībhūta-vṛṣam yadūdbhavanutam devam naṭeśam bhaje || 8 ||

|| phalaśrutiḥ ||

śrīmāyā vilasac cidambara mahāpañcākṣarairāṅkitān |  
ślokān ye'nudinam paṭhanti nitarām cintāmaṇināmakān |  
teṣām bhāgya viśeṣam āyur adhikam vidyā varān satsutān |  
sarvābhīṣṭamasau dadāti sahasā śrīcitsabhādhīśvaraḥ || 9 ||

---

**|| iti śrīśiva rahasye śrīskanda kṛta  
śrīcidambara pañcākṣara stavaḥ sampūrṇam ||**