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## Sri Keshavaditya Ashtottaram - Skanda Puranam

The following is a rare **Ashtottaram** (108 Names) on **Lord Surya** by **Lord Vishnu** titled **Keshavaditya Ashtottara Shata Nama Stotram** from **Skanda Puranam, Avanti Khanda** and **Chapter 44** (titled **Keshavaditya Mahatmyam**). The brief **Phalashruti** mentions that one who recites this hymn sees auspiciousness in all his deeds and fruits such as wealth, grains, comforts, progeny, radiance, divine consciousness, knowledge and emancipation.

sanatkumāra uvāca -

nārāyaṇo'pi saṁsthāpya śaṅkha pradhmāya yatnataḥ |  
tuṣṭāva prayato bhūtvā stotreṇā'nena bhāskaram || 1 ||

|| śrīkeśavāditya aṣṭottaram ||

ādityaṁ bhāskaraṁ bhānuṁ raviṁ sūryaṁ divākaram |  
prabhākaraṁ divānāthaṁ tapanāṁ tapatām-varam || 2 ||

vareṇyaṁ varadaṁ viṣṇuṁ anaghaṁ vāsavānujam |  
balaṁ vīryaṁ sahasrāmśuṁ sahasra-kiraṇa-dyutim || 3 ||

mayūkha-māliṇaṁ viśvaṁ mārtaṇḍaṁ caṇḍa-rociṣam |  
sadāgatiṁ subhāsvantaṁ sapta-saptiṁ sukhodayam || 4 ||

devadevaṁ ahirbudhnyaṁ dhāmnām-nidhiṁ anuttamam |  
tapo-brahma-mayālokaṁ lokapālaṁ apāṁpatim || 5 ||

jagat-prabodhakaṁ devaṁ jagad-dīpaṁ jagat-prabhum |  
arkaṁ niḥśreyasaṁparaṁ kāraṇaṁ śreyasām param || 6 ||

inaṁ prabhāvinaṁ puṇyaṁ pataṅgaṁ patageśvaram |  
dātāraṁ-vāñchitārthānām dṛṣṭā'dṛṣṭa-phala-pradam || 7 ||

grahaṁ grahakaṁ haṁsaṁ haridaśvaṁ hutāśanam |  
maṅgalyaṁ maṅgalaṁ medhyaṁ dhruvaṁ dharma-prabodhanam || 8 ||

bhava-sambhāvitaṁ bhāvaṁ bhūta-bhavya-bhavātmakam |  
durgamaṁ durgati-haraṁ hara-netraṁ trayīmayam || 9 ||

trailokya-tilakaṁ tīrthaṁ taraṇiṁ sarvatomukham |  
tejorāśiṁ sunirvāṇaṁ viśveśaṁ dhāma-śāśvatam || 10 ||

kalpaṁ kalpānalaṁ kālaṁ kāla-cakraṁ kratu-priyam |  
bhūṣaṇaṁ marutaṁ sūryaṁ maṅiratnaṁ sulocanam || 11 ||

tvaṣṭāraṁ viṣṭāraṁ viśvaṁ sadasat-karma-sākṣiṇam |  
savitāraṁ sahasrākṣaṁ prajā-pālaṁ adhokṣajam || 12 ||

brahmāṇaṁ vāsarārambhaṁ rakta-varṇaṁ mahādyutiṁ |  
sūktaṁ madhya-dine-rudraṁ śyāmaṁ-viṣṇuṁ-dina-kṣaye || 13 ||

**|| phalaśrutiḥ ||**

nāmnāṁ aṣṭa-śataṁ divyaṁ viṣṇunā samudāhṛtam |  
ya idaṁ prayato bhūtvā paṭhed bhaktyā samāhitaḥ || 14 ||

na tasya vipadaḥ kvāpi sarvatrā'pi śubhāgatiḥ |  
dhana-dhānya-sukhāvāptiḥ putra-lābhaśca jāyate || 15 ||

tejaḥ prajñā paraṁ jñānaṁ buddhiśca paramāgatiḥ |  
evaṁ śrutvā jagannātho jagāmā 'darśanaṁ tataḥ || 16 ||

keśavā'rka-mukhaṁ dṛṣṭvā padmarāga samaprabham |  
vimuktaḥ sarva-pāpebhyaḥ sūrya-loke mahīyate || 17 ||

daśāśvamedha madhye tu reṇu-tīrthaṁ pracakṣyate |  
tad dṛṣṭvā sarva pāpebhyo mucyate nātra saṁśayaḥ || 18 ||

keśavā'rka samīpe tu reṇu-tīrthaṁ prakīrttitam || 19 ||

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**|| iti śrīskānde mahāpurāṇe avantī khaṇḍe keśavāditya mātmye  
śrīkeśavāditya aṣṭottara śata nāma stotraṁ sampūrṇam ||**