

Invocation*

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The Guru, the tabernacle of God,
How can I describe Him?
The Supreme God, the Supreme *Atmân*,
Beyond the range of mind and intellect
For the sake of His devotees
God appears in human form in the Guru.
The evil thinkers, the evil doers,
Lust, anger, envy and greed
Attachment, hypocrisy and malice
Fade away when the Guru appears.
Sweet contentment and compassion,
Right thought and right action,
Faith, truth and charity
Are kindled anew, when the Guru appears.
Saints, sages and the good,
Gods, angels in high Heavens
Rejoice and shower flowers
When the Guru appears.
Birds dance and dally
Over den and dale
Bumble bees forget to drone
When the Guru appears.

