

Ode to the Keshas

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Long and flowing,

sleek and glowing -

Hair, glorious hair

Soft as silk, wiry like a brush;

limp and lanky or smooth and
lush -

Hair, glorious hair

Straight as string or tightly
curled;

under a scarf or all unfurled -

Hair, glorious hair

Naturally wavy, lathered in
shampoo,

combed with a kangha,
plaited in a queue -

Hair, glorious hair

Twisted or braided,

oiled or pomaded

Hair, glorious hair

Rolled in a bun or tied on
top;

gathered up or allowed to
drop -

Hair, glorious hair

On the head, on the face,

on the body - any place -

Hair, glorious hair

Not shorn nor abbreviated;

lovingly kept and celebrated -

Hair, glorious hair

There is nothing you can
trade us to change the

way that God has made us,
with

Hair, glorious hair

Hair, glorious hair!

