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yair īdṛśī bhagavato gatir ātma-vāda ekāntato nigamibhiḥ pratipāditā naḥ tuṣyantv adabhra-karuṇāḥ sva-kṛtena nityaṁ ko nāma tat pratikaroti vinoda-pātram

How can such persons, who have rendered unlimited service by explaining the path of selfrealization in relation to the Supreme Personality of Godhead, and whose explanations are given for our enlightenment with complete conviction and Vedic evidence, be repaid except by folded palms containing water for their satisfaction? Such great personalities can be satisfied only by their own activities, which are distributed amongst human society out of their unlimited mercy.

[Śrīmad-Bhāgavatam 4.22.47]





ĀDI-LĪLĀ AT A GLANCE



Part A: Maṅgalācaraṇa – Auspicious Invocation (Ādi 1.1-14 explained in Ādi 1-7)		
Caitanyera Tattva (Ādi 1.1-6)	1. Obeisances to the six diversities of the Absolute Truth – Gurus (dīkṣā and śikṣā); Bhaktas (pāriṣats and sādhakas); Avatāras (amśa, guna and śaktyāveśa); Prakāśas (prakāśa-vigrahas and vilāsa-vigrahas); Śaktis (lakṣmīs, mahiṣīs and gopīs) [Ādi 1.32-82]	
	2. Obeisances to Caitanya-Nityānanda – The sun and moon who arose to dissipate the darkness of ignorance and bestow Their benediction [Adi 1.84-103]	
	3. Vastu-nirdeśa (Objective of the book): The Supreme Lord Kṛṣṇa who appeared as Lord Caitanya – His three features are Brahman, Paramātmā and Bhagavān and He is the source of Nārāyaṇa. He is the primeval Lord, the shelter and abode of everything [Ādi 2]	
	4. Āśīrvāda (Invoking the Lord's benediction) and External reasons for Lord Caitanya's advent: To give prema-bhakti, to establish the yuga- dharma and to fulfil Advaita's call; Kṛṣṇa's contemplation after His disappearance, attributes of Lord Caitanya and predictions of His appearance (kṛṣṇa-varṇam) [Ādi 3]	
	5-6. Confidential reasons for Lord Caitanya's advent: Lord Caitanya is the combined form of Rādhā and Kṛṣṇa and He appeared in order to fulfil three desires of Krsna: To understand the greatness of Rādhā's love, to taste His own sweetness and to experience Rādhā's happiness. [Ādi 4]	
Nityānandera Mahattva (Ādi 1.7-11)	7-11. Śrī Nityānanda Rāma manifests in five forms (7): Sankarṣaṇa (8), Kāraṇodakaśāyī Viṣṇu (9), Garbhodakaśāyī Viṣṇu (10), Kṣīrodakaśāyī Viṣṇu and Śeṣa Nāga (11). He is very merciful and serves Lord Caitanya in various moods [Ādi 5]	
Advaita- tattva (Ādi 1.12-13)	12-13. Advaita – Incarnation of Mahā-viṣṇu, nondifferent from Hari; Ācārya – propagates the cult of devotion; The glorious emotion of servitude [Ādi 6]	
Pañca-tattva (Ādi 1.14)	14. Obeisances to bhakta-rūpa, svarūpa, bhaktāvatāra, bhaktākhya and bhakta-śakti – the predominator tattvas and bhakta tattvas. The Pañca- tattva create a prema inundation and Lord Caitanya defeats the Māyāvādi sannyāsīs of Vārāṇasī, headed by Prakāśānanda Sarasvatī [Ādi 7]	

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Part B: Kṛṣṇapremāmara-taru – The transcendental tree of love of Kṛṣṇa (Ādi 8-12)

Part C: Ādi-līlā – The early pastimes (first 24 years) of Lord Caitanya (Ādi 13-17) The author receives orders: Lord Caitanya's mercy in bestowing rare prema-bhakti; The glories of the holy name; Offensive and inoffensive chanting; Devotees of Vṛndāvana request Kavirāja Gosvāmī to write the later pastimes of Lord Caitanya that remained untold in Caitanya-bhāgavata by Vṛndāvana dāsa Ṭhākura. [Ādi 8]

The Caitanya tree: Lord Caitanya is the tree of kṛṣṇa-prema, its gardener, its main trunk and branches, and the bestower and enjoyer of its fruits. From this trunk hundreds of subbranches (devotees headed by Nityānanda and Advaita) grew that filled the entire universe, and the Lord ordered them to distribute the priceless fruits of kṛṣṇa-prema without discrimination. [Ādi 9]

Subbranches of the Caitanya tree: Devotees of Lord Caitanya in Orissa, Bengal, Jagannātha Purī and Vārāṇasī. [Ādi 10]

Subbranches of Nityānanda, Advaita and Gadādhara Paṇḍita. [Ādi 11-12]

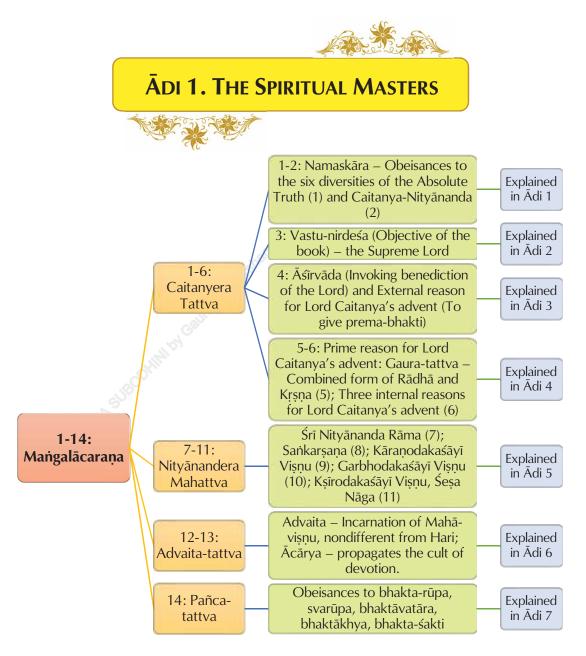
Janma: A summary of the Lord's ādi-līlā and śeṣa-līlā. Before the Lord's advent, His superiors like Śacīdevī descended. The Lord then appeared on the auspicious Phālguņa Pūrņimā at the time of a lunar eclipse. The whole world was pleased. He spread saṅkīrtana in His various ages. [Ādi 13]

Bālya-līlā: Name giving ceremony, earing dirt, teasing young girls, astonishing His parents and other childhood pastimes. [Ādi 14]

Paugaṇḍa-līlā: Nimāi's education, Viśvarūpa's sannyāsa and the Lord's marriage. [Ādi 15]

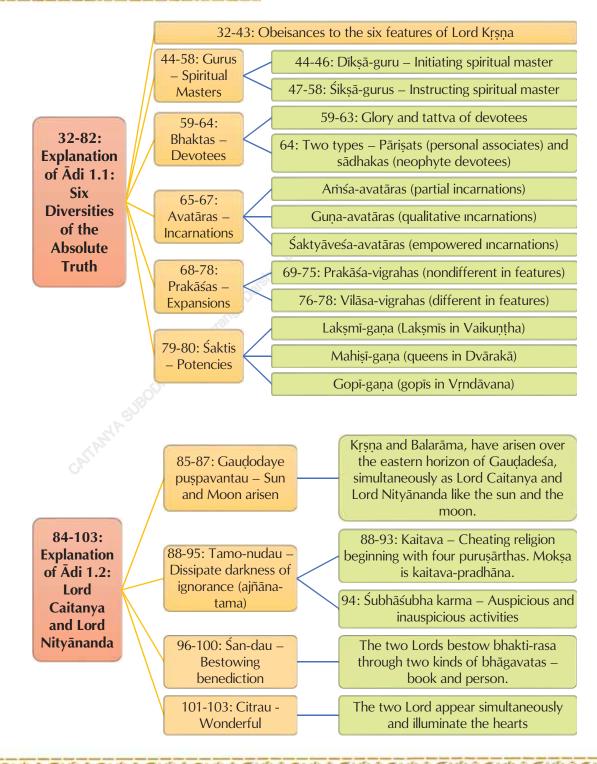
Kaiśora-līlā: Tour of East Bengal and meeting with Tapana Miśra; Lakṣmīdevī's disappearance and the Lord's marriage with Viṣṇupriyā; Encounter with Keśava Kāśmīrī. [Ādi 16]

Yauvana-līlā: The Lord's mercy on various devotees; Explanation of the "harer-nāma" verse to Śuklāmbara; The episode of Gopāla Cāpāla and other incidents in His youth; Transformation of Chand Kazi; Pastimes in Śrīvāsāṅgana; Acceptance of sannyāsa [Ādi 17]

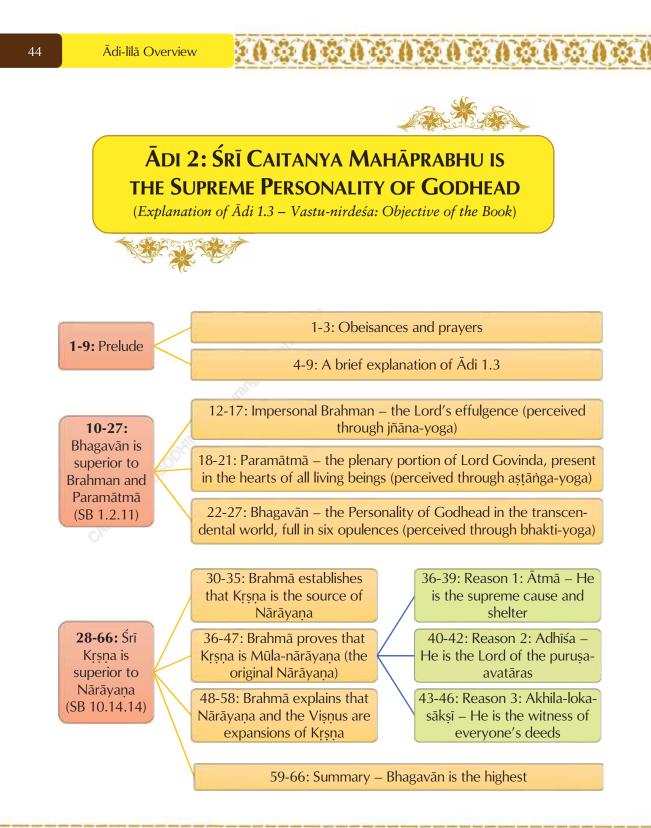


The first fourteen verses of Sri Caitanya-caritāmṛta form the mangalācaraṇa or the invocation prayers of the book. Srīla Kṛṣṇadāsa Kavirāja Gosvāmī explains these fourteen verses in great detail with various scriptural references in the first seven chapters of Adi-līlā as shown in the above chart.





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67-90: Kṛṣṇa is the source of all incarnations (SB 1.3.28)

91-95: Kṛṣṇa is the shelter (āśraya) and abode (dhāma) of everything (SB 2.10.1-2)

96-108: Lord Kṛṣṇa's svarūpas (forms) and śaktis (energies)

109-121: Conclusion – Lord Caitanya is the Supreme Absolute Truth 68-72: Sūta Gosvāmī's opinion: Although Kṛṣṇa is counted among the incarnations, He is the ultimate fountainhead. An opponent may consider it an interpretation.

73-90: Reply to the opponent – "A subject (Kṛṣṇa) is stated before its predicate (Bhagavān) and authoritative writers don't make mistakes. Therefore, this verse establishes Kṛṣṇa as the primeval Lord.

The tenth topic of the Bhāgavatam (āśraya), which describes Lord Kṛṣṇa, is the shelter of the other nine.

97-100: Six svarūpas – Two manifestations (prābhava and vaibhava), two incarnations (amśa and śaktyāveśa), two ages (bālya and paugaṇḍa)

101-103: Three śaktis: cit-śakti, māyā-śakti and jīva-śakti

105-108: Three purușa-avatāras

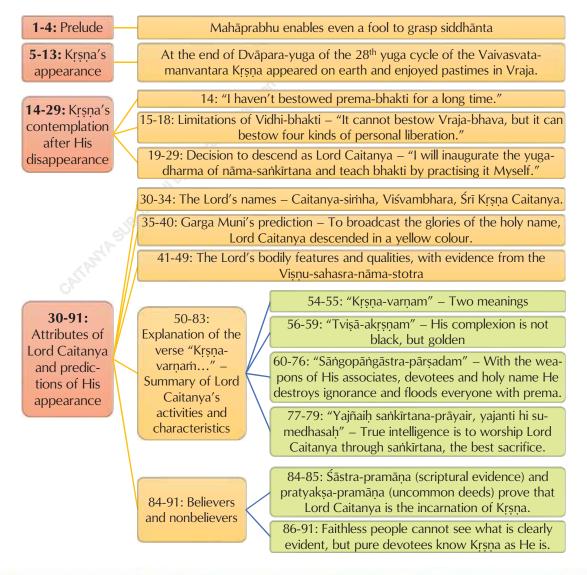
All incarnations stem from Lord Kṛṣṇa, who is Lord Caitanya. By discussing such siddhānta one can strengthen the mind and develop attachment for Kṛṣṇa.



ADI 3: THE EXTERNAL REASONS FOR THE APPEARANCE OF ŚRĪ CAITANYA MAHĀPRABHU

(Explanation of Adi 1.4)

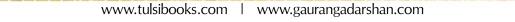




92-114: Principal reason for Lord Caitanya's advent – Appeal by Advaita Ācārya 92-98: When Kṛṣṇa desires to incarnate He first sends His elders including Advaita. Advaita finding the world devoid of kṛṣṇa-bhakti felt compassionate.

99-102: Advaita Ācārya's contemplation – If Kṛṣṇa Himself appears, then He can preach devotion by His personal example. My name Advaita will be fitting if I can induce Him to inaugurate the saṅkīrtana movement.

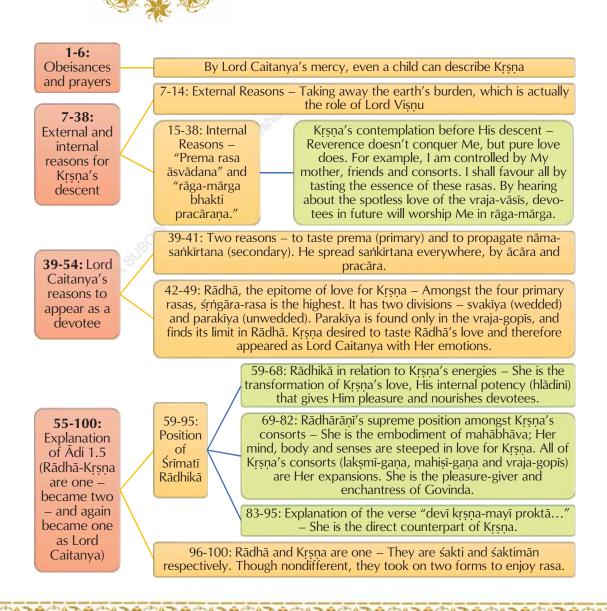
103-114: Remembering a verse from the Gautamīya-tantra, Advaita Ācārya worships and appeals to Lord Kṛṣṇa to appear.

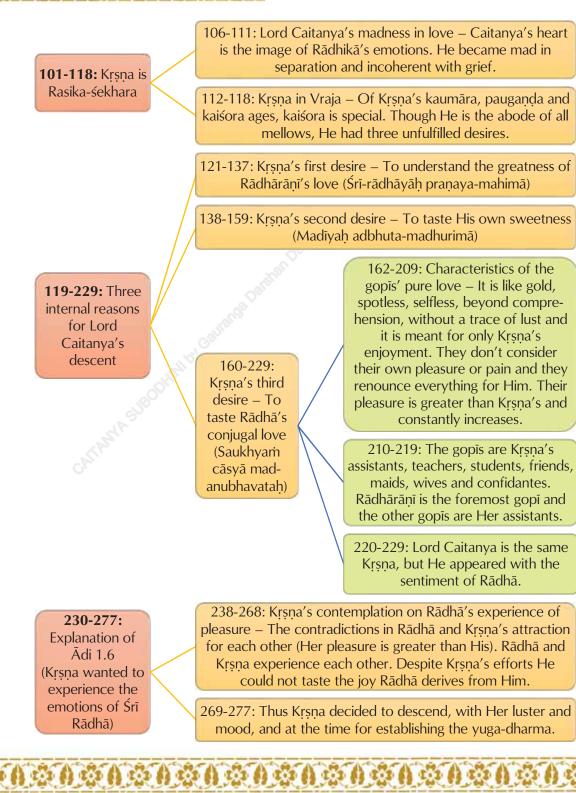




ADI 4: THE CONFIDENTIAL REASONS FOR THE APPEARANCE OF ŚRĪ CAITANYA MAHĀPRABHU

(Explanation of CC Adi 1.5-6)







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ĀDI 5: THE GLORIES OF LORD NITYĀNANDA BALARĀMA

(Explanation of CC Adi 1.7-11)



1-6: Obeisances and prayers

7-12: Explanation of Ādi 1.7 – Lord Nityānanda's five forms

13-49: Explanation of Ādi 1.8 – Saṅkarṣaṇa in the catur-vyūha

50-92: Explanation of Ādi 1.9 – Kāraņodakaśāyī Viṣṇu (aṁśa of Nityānanda) Balarāma is the second body of Kṛṣṇa. They are one in identity, yet differ in form. Balarāma appeared as Nityānanda.

Balarāma is Mūla-saṅkarṣaṇa. He assumes four forms as Saṅkarṣaṇa and three Viṣṇus (Kāraṇodakaśāyī, Garbhodakaśāyī and Kṣīrodakaśāyī) and executes creation. As Śeṣa, He serves Kṛṣṇa in various ways.

14-31: Description of the paravyoma – In the spiritual sky lie the Vaikuṇṭha planets of which Kṛṣṇa-loka is the highest. It has three divisions, Dvārakā, Mathurā and Gokula, and in those places Kṛṣṇa enjoys various pastimes. Elsewhere in the spiritual sky He manifests Himself as Nārāyana.

32-39: Siddhaloka, the glowing effulgence outside the Vaikuṇṭha planets, is the residence of people who attain brahma-sāyujya

40-49: Mahā-saṅkarṣaṇa, the personal feature (aṁśa) of Nityānanda Balarāma has infinite spiritual opulences and He is the shelter of all jīvas.

50-64: He is the first puruṣa, who lies in the spiritual waters of the Kāraṇa Ocean. He is the original cause of the universe. By infusing His energy into prakṛti, prakṛti becomes the secondary cause.

65-92: He casts His glance and impregnates māyā with the jīvas. When He exhales, the universes emanate from His skin pores. He is the source of other puruṣas and many incarnations, and He is untouched by māyā. 93-108: Explanation of Ādi 1.10 – Garbhodakaśāyī Viṣṇu (aṁśa-aṁśa of Nityānanda)

109-125: Explanation of Ādi 1.11 – Kṣīrodakaśāyī Viṣṇu and Śeṣa (aṁśaaṁśa-aṁśa and kalā of Nityānanda respectively)

126-133: What glory is there in calling Lord Nityānanda Ananta?

134-141: Moods of Lord Nityānanda in Serving Lord Caitanya

142-160: Lord Caitanya is the only supreme controller

161-235: Power of Lord Nityānanda's mercy Mahā-viṣṇu enters each of the universes as Garbhodakaśāyī Viṣṇu. He fills half the universes with the water from His perspiration and manifests the 14 worlds in the other half. From His navel grows a lotus, which is the birthplace of Lord Brahmā. He is the Supersoul, Hiraṇyagarbha, and the universal form is His expansion.

110-116: Activities of Kṣīrodakaśāyī Viṣṇu – He is the Supersoul of all jīvas and descends as different incarnations to establish dharma and vanquish adharma.

117-125: Activities of Śeṣa – He holds the planets upon His thousands of heads. He glorifies and serves Lord Kṛṣṇa by assuming many forms.

He is the source of all incarnations and since there is no difference between the incarnations and their source, devotees may sometimes call Him Ananta. There is no falsity in this.

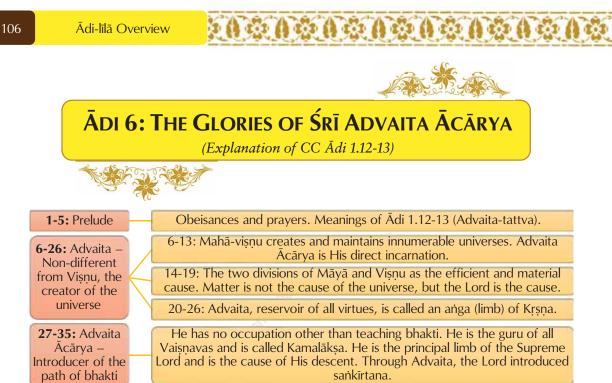
In transcendental emotion Nityānanda serves Lord Caitanya as His guru, friend and servant, just as Balarāma served Lord K<u>r</u>sna.

All others are Lord Caitanya's servants, who dance as He makes them do. Advaita and Lord Nityānanda are His principal associates. Nityānanda formerly appeared as Lakṣmaṇa, the younger brother of Lord Rāma, and silently tolerated the sufferings of Rāma. However, as Balarāma He became the elder brother of Kṛṣṇa and served Him. They both are the Supreme Lords.

161-179: The power of Lord Nityānanda's servants – Story of Śrī Mīnaketana Rāmadāsa

180-199: Lord Nityānanda appears in Kavirāja Gosvāmī's dream and orders him to go to Vrndāvana where he would attain all things.

200-235: Kṛṣṇadāsa's Humility and Lord Nityānanda's mercy upon Him – "I am more sinful than Jagāi and Mādhāi and more sinful than a worm in stool. Lord Nityānanda showed His mercy upon me and showed me Lord Madana-mohana and Lord Govinda."



36-41: Advaita is one of the two main limbs of Lord Caitanya. Lord Caitanya respected Him as His guru.

> 42-45: Advaita's dāsa-abhimāna – He considers Himself a servant of Lord Caitanya. A drop of the joy of servitude is much greater than brahmānanda multiplied ten million times.

46-52: More examples of devotees who show dāsa-abhimāna: Laksmī, Brahmā, Śiva, Nārada, Suka, Nityānanda, and many others.

Krsna-prema imbues superiors, equals and inferiors with dāsya-bhāva. Examples are given of vātsalya devotees like Nanda Mahārāja, sākhya devotees like Śrīdāmā, mādhurva devotees like the vraja-gopis and the Dvārakā gueens, and dāsya devotees like Baladeva, Śesa and Rudra.

Everyone is Lord Caitanya's servant. Śrī Advaita embraces this mood, which finds its source in Balarāma.

Sankarsana, Laksmana, Kāranodakasāyī Visnu, Advaita, and Śesa are all bhakta-avatāras, or incarnations as devotees. The position of being a servant of the Lord is higher than equality with the Lord. Krsna's sweetness can only be tasted by servitude. Even Krsna desires such a position.

113-120: The glories of Śrī Advaita Ācārya are unlimited.

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42-52: General

description of servitorship to the

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83-88: Lord

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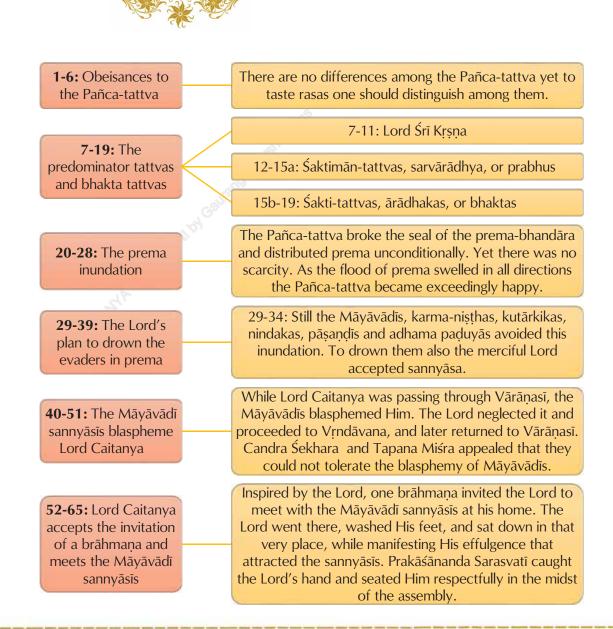
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ADI 7: LORD CAITANYA IN FIVE FEATURES

(Explanation of Ādi 1.14)



66-100:

Prakāśānanda Sarasvatī asks about the Lord's saṅkīrtana (O1) and the Lord replies

101-134: The

Māyāvādī sannyāsīs

ask why the Lord

does not discuss the Vedānta-sūtra (Q2)

and the Lord

explains the defects

in Śańkarācārya's

Philosophy

71-76: "My guru said that I am unqualified to study Vedānta and must chant the holy name of Krsna. Simply by chanting one is freed from material existence and attains the Lord's lotus feet. In the age of Kali there is no other dharma "

77-98: "When I reported to my guru that the mahāmantra made me mad, he replied that anyone who chants this mantra develops bhava and prema, which is the conclusion of all scriptures. He told me to continue sankirtana. Thus with firm belief on My guru's words I chant and experience oceanic bliss.

106-120: The Vedānta-sūtra was spoken by Vyāsadeva and is devoid of the four defects. Rejecting mukhya-vrtti, Śańkarācārya described the scriptures in terms of gaunavrtti. According to mukhya-vrtti, the Lord is all spiritual, and full of opulences, but the Māyāvāda philosophy covers His glories, by taking the insignificant jīvas to be the Lord.

121-127: Parināma-vāda vs. vivarta-vāda - Transformation of energy is a proven fact. The all opulent Lord by His inconceivable energies has transformed the material cosmos yet He remains unchanged like a touchstone.

128-133: Omkāra is the mahā-vākya in the Vedas but Māyāvādīs stress "tat tvam asi" which is only a partial representation of Vedic knowledge.

135-146: The sannyāsīs request the Lord to explain the direct meaning of the Vedānta-sūtra

147-162: Transformation of the Māyāvādī sannyāsīs and deliverance of the people of Vārānasī

163-171: Bhakti spreads everywhere

138-140: Sambandha (one's relationship with Bhagavān)

141-142: Abhidheya (activities in terms of sambandha sādhana-bhakti)

143-145: Prayojana (the ultimate goal of life – prema)

Seeing the Lord's victory, Candra Sekhara and Tapana Miśra were extremely pleased. Then the Lord returned to Jagannatha Puri

The Pañca-tattva distributed the holy name to invoke prema throughout the universe. The Lord spread krsna-bhakti through His devotees.

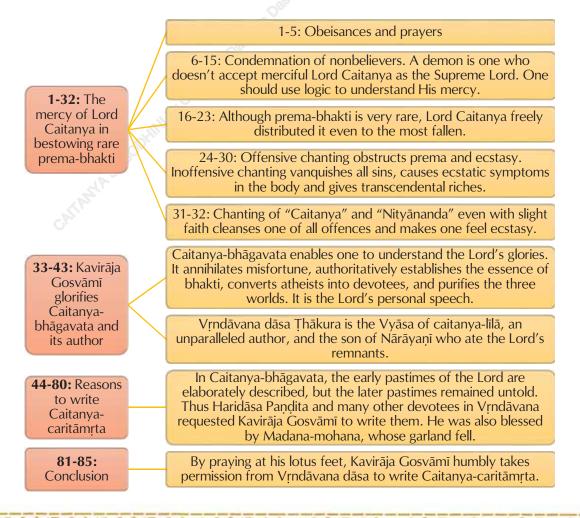
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ADI 8: THE AUTHOR RECEIVES THE ORDERS OF KŖṢŅA AND GURU



After explaining in detail the *mangalācaraņa* verses (*Ādi* 1.1-14) in the first seven chapters, now Kavirāja Gosvāmī explains how he got the inspiration to write *Caitanya-caritāmṛta*.



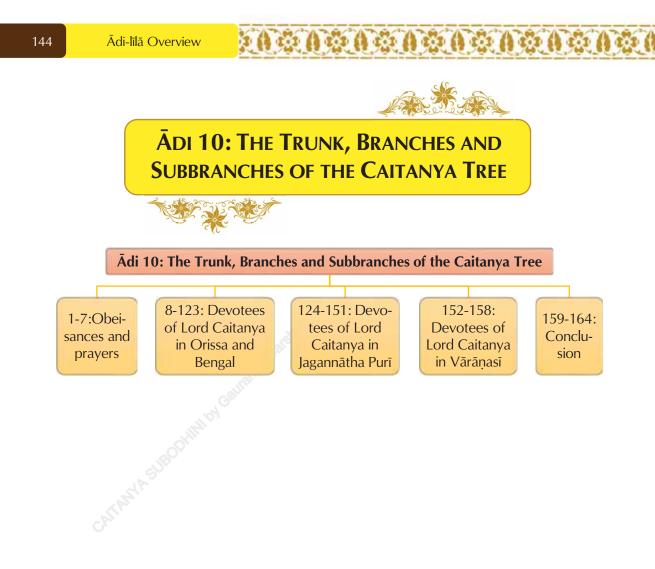


ĀDI 9: THE TREE OF DEVOTIONAL SERVICE



1-5: Obeisances	Obeisances to jagad-guru Lord Caitanya and His devotees and the Gosvāmīs. By their mercy I write the Lord's pastimes for self-purification.
	6-9,12: Lord Caitanya is the tree of kṛṣṇa-prema, its gardener, its main trunk and branches, and the bestower and enjoyer of its fruits. Thus the meaning of His name, Viśvambhara, is fulfilled.
6-30: The Caitanya tree	10-11,13-16: The seed of bhakti first fructified in the heart of Mādhavendra Purī and then in Īśvara Purī. The nine sannyāsīs headed by Paramānanda Purī are the roots of the tree.
- ATTAMA S	17-24: From the trunk many branches and hundreds of subbranches grew that filled the entire universe. The main trunks are Advaita and Nityānanda.
	25-30: Nectarean priceless fruits appeared everywhere on the tree and the gardener distributed them for free without discrimination.
31-46: Lord Caitanya addressed the branches and subbranches	This is an alaukika vṛkṣa and I am the only gardener. How many fruits can I eat alone? I order everyone to distribute them everywhere. A human being in Bhārata-varṣa should make one's life successful and work for the benefit of others.
47-53: The fruit distribution	The descendants of the tree (devotees) distributed prema-phalas and intoxicated everyone. Thus the gardener smiles with pleasure. Those who formerly criticized the Lord also ate the fruits and began to dance.

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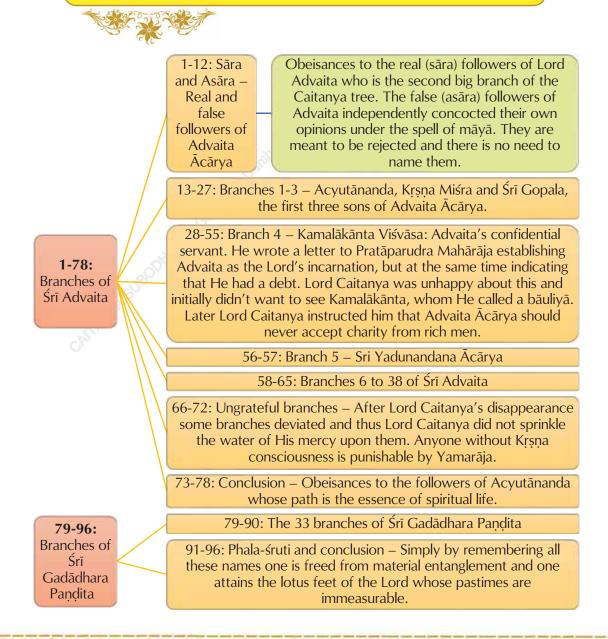
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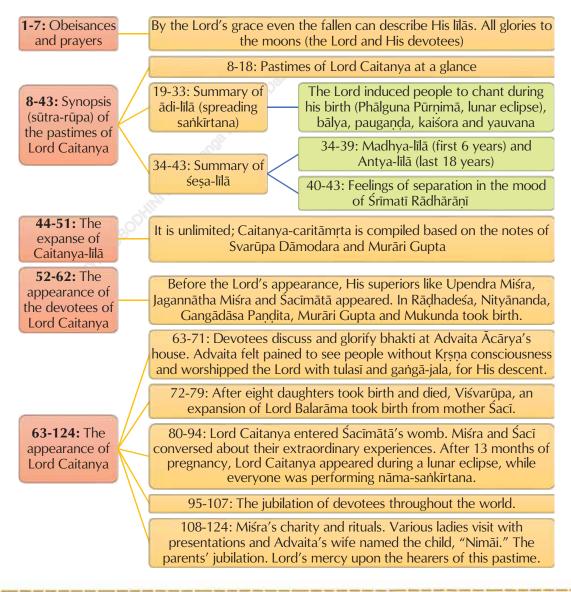
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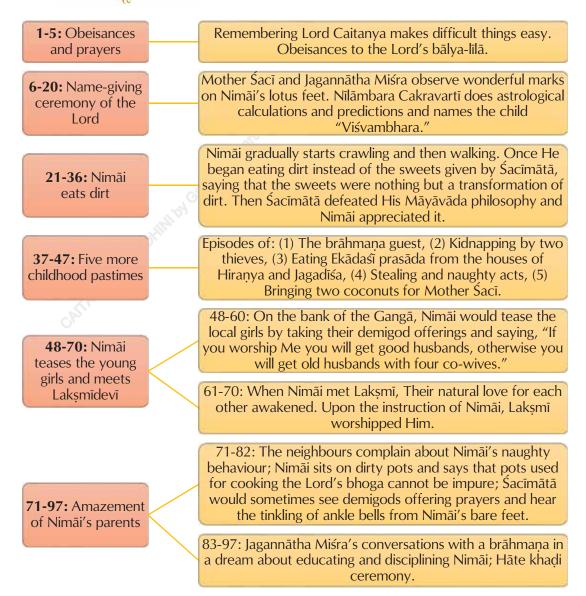
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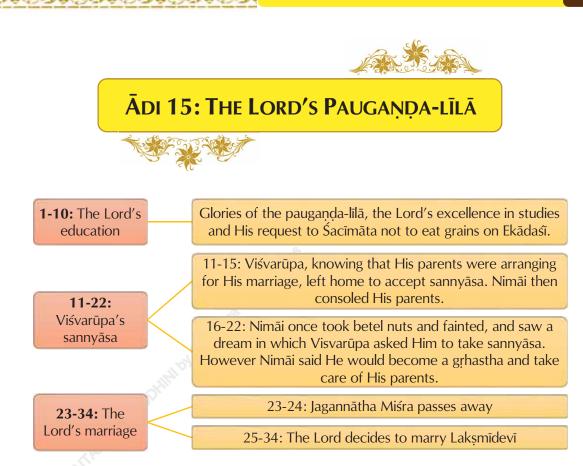






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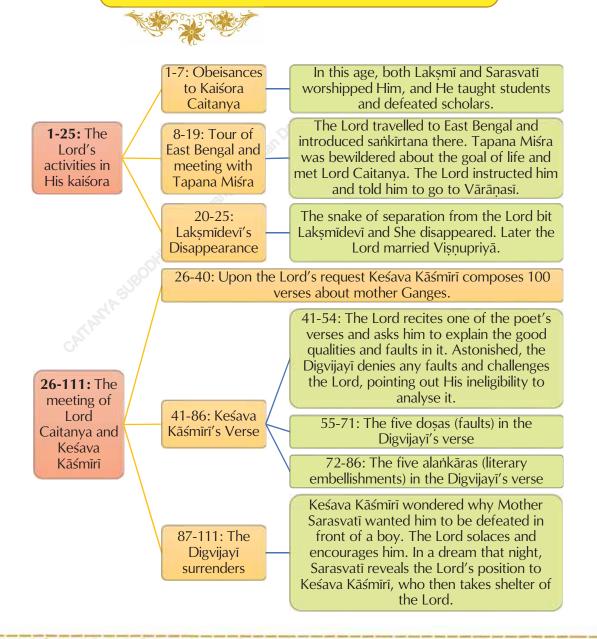




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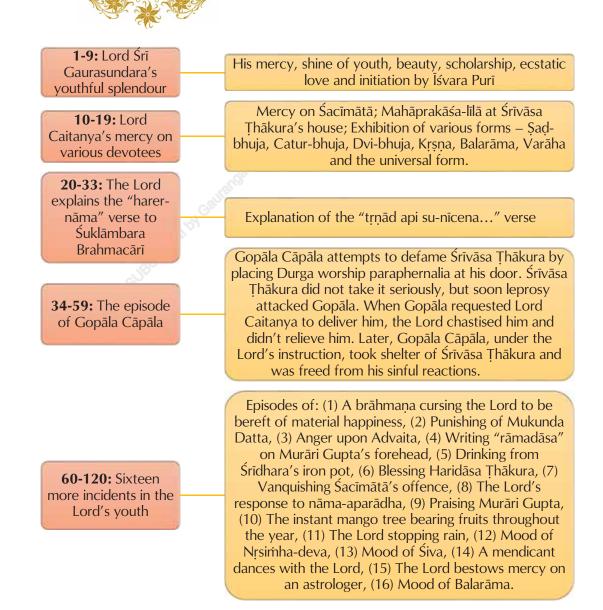


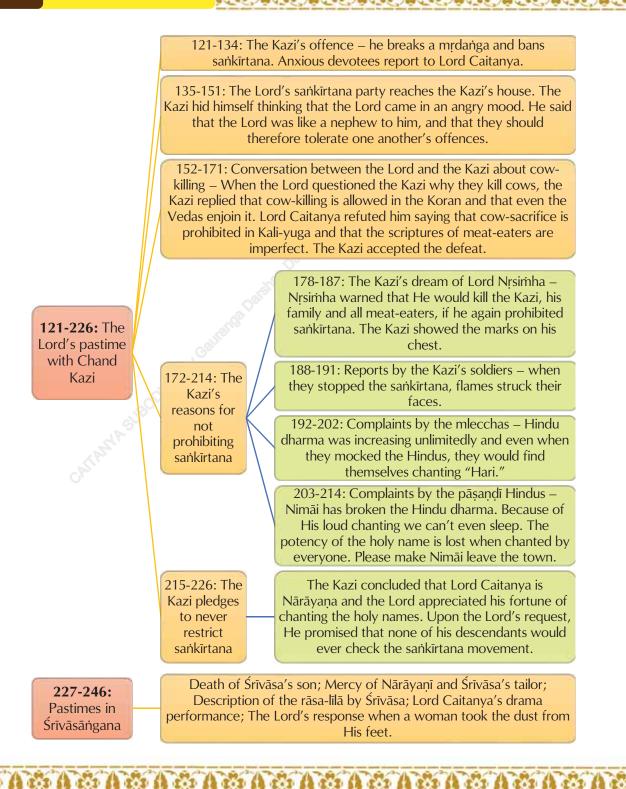
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ADI 17: THE PASTIMES OF LORD CAITANYA MAHĀPRABHU IN HIS YOUTH





		Events leading to the Lord's sampyasa - W/hen the Lord was
247-274: Lor Caitanya take		Events leading to the Lord's sannyāsa – When the Lord was criticized by the students for chanting "Gopī! Gopī!" he decided to take sannyāsa, so that they would pay him obeisances and thus
sannyāsa		nullify their offences. Then they could take to bhakti. The Lord accepted sannyāsa from Keśava Bhāratī.
275-310: The	e	
emotions of Lo	ord	All contradictions in the Lord's activities are resolved by accepting
Caitanya and		His inconceivable energies.
various devote	es	
311-336:		"I will relish what is already written by giving a summary, like

Summary of the Ādi-līlā

Vyāsadeva did in Śrīmad-Bhāgavatam." Thus Kṛṣṇadāsa Kavirāja Gosvāmī summarizes the chapters of the entire Ādi-līlā. Chritanda Supportunitor Courton Data Stand

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Enriching the Experience of Śrī Caitanya-caritāmrta Study

MADHYA-LĪLĀ - I

(CHAPTERS 1-13)

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MADHYA-LĪLĀ AT A GLANCE

Part A: A Preview of Śeṣa-līlā (Madhya 1-2) Synopsis of Madhya-līlā: The preaching of Lord Caitanya's associates; His absorption in the mood of the gopīs during the Ratha-yātrā; His attempts to go to Vṛndāvana; South India tour; His mercy and teachings to Rūpa and Sanātana; and many other pastimes. [Madhya 1.1-248]

Synopsis of Antya-līlā: Various pastimes at Jagannātha Purī; Ecstatic symptoms and feelings of separation from Kṛṣṇa in the mood of Rādhārāṇī, and recitation of verses; The glory of Śrī Caitanya-caritāmṛta. [Madhya 1.249-287, Madhya 2]

Part B: Making Jagannātha Purī His Headquarters

(Madhya 3-6)

At Śāntipura: After taking sannyāsa, Lord Caitanya attempts to go to Vrndāvana, but Lord Nityānanda diverts Him to Advaita Ācārya's house where He accepts prasāda and Śacīmātā proposes that the Lord stay at Purī [Madhya 3].

On the way to Purī: Lord Caitanya reaches Remuņā and discusses the story of Śrī Mādhavendra Purī and when they reach Kaṭaka, Nityānanda narrates the story of Sākṣi-gopāla. Later Nityānanda breaks Lord Caitanya's sannyāsa daņḍa and the Lord proceeds to Purī alone. [Madhya 4-5]

Sārvabhauma delivered: Seeing the Lord faint at Purī temple, Sārvabhauma takes Him to his home and later tries to teach Him Vedānta, but he himself gets converted into a Vaiṣṇava by the Lord's grace and teachings. {Madhya 6] <u>AXAXAXAXA</u>X

Part C:

South India

Tour

(Madhya

7-10)

Tour proposal and beginning: Lord Caitanya proposes to travel alone, to find Viśvarūpa. The devotees are reluctant initially, but then relent. He goes to Ālālanātha and later delivers Kūrma brāhmaņa and Vāsudeva leper at Kūrma-kṣetra [Madhya 7]

Conversation with Rāmānanda Rāya: Lord Caitanya discusses several topics, such as sādhya, sādhana and Rādhā-Kṛṣṇa tattva with Rāmānanda Rāya and gives him darśana of His real form. [Madhya 8]

The pilgrimage: Lord Caitanya visits several holy places in the South India and delivers many personalities such as the brāhmaņa at Siddhavaṭa, the Buddhists, the illiterate brāhmaṇa and Veṅkaṭa Bhaṭṭa at Śrī Raṅgam, Rāmadāsa Vipra at Madurai, and the Tattvavādīs at Uḍupī. Finally He returns to Purī. [Madhya 9]

Back at Purī: King Pratāparudra arranges for His stay at Kāsī Miśra's house; Kāla Kṛṣṇadāsa visits Bengal; Several devotees such as Bhavānanda Rāya's family, Paramānanda Purī, Svarūpa Dāmodara, Govinda, Brahmānanda Bhārati and Kāsīśvara come to the Lord's shelter. [Madhya 10]

Preparations: Lord Caitanya denies to meet King Pratāparudra; Bengal devotees arrive in Purī; Bedā-Nṛtya; Lord Caitanya gives His garment to Pratāparudra and meets his son; Guṇḍicā-mārjana, Saṅkīrtana, Prasāda pastimes and Netrotsava. [Madhya 11-12]

Part D: Jagannātha Rathayātrā (Madhya 11-15) Ratha-yātrā: Pāṇdu-vijaya; Description of the ratha; The kīrtana parties and the Lord's miraculous dance; Recitation of verses in the mood of Rādhārāṇī; Mercy upon Pratāparudra in the garden; Pushing the ratha with His head; Pastimes in Aiṭoṭā and Indradyumna lake; Vṛndāvana pastimes; Herā-pañcamī; Pastimes of Lakṣmī; Return Pāṇḍu-vijaya. [Madhya 13-14]

Farewell: Invitations from devotees; Festivals in cāturmāsya; Lord Caitanya bids farewell to the devotees, glorifies and instructs them; The devotees' feelings of separation. [Madhya 15.1-185]

Prasāda at Sārvabhauma's house: Elaborate prasāda arrangements by Sārvabhauma and Ṣāṭhīra Mātā; Amogha blasphemes Lord Caitanya and Sārvabhauma curses him; Amogha is affected by Cholera but then Lord Caitanya saves him. [Madhya 15.186-302] Part E: Visit to Vṛndāvana (Madhya 16-18)

Part F: Teachings of Lord Caitanya (Madhya 19-

25)

Attempts to visit: The devotees obstruct Lord Caitanya's visit to Vṛndāvana; Bengal devotees arrive at Purī and depart after the Ratha-yātrā; Finally the Lord starts for Vṛndāvana, and on the way goes to Pānihāṭi, Kumārahaṭṭa and Kuliyā; He reaches Rāmakeli and meets Rūpa and Sanātana, but returns back to Purī. [Madhya 16]

On the way: After Ratha-yātrā Lord Caitanya starts for Vṛndāvana with Balabhadra Bhaṭṭācārya. He travels through Jhārikhaṇḍa forest, Vārāṇasī, Prayāga and Mathurā and meets Sānoḍiyā brāhmaṇa, and visits the twelve forests of Vṛndāvana. [Madhya 17]

Vṛndāvana to Prayāga: Discovering Rādhā-kuṇḍa and Śyāmakuṇḍa; Visiting Harideva and Govardhana; Taking darśana of Gopāla at Gāṅṭhuli-grāma; Visiting Nandīśvara, Pāvana-sarovara, Bhāṇḍīravana, Gokula and so on; Residing near Akrūra-ghāṭa; The episode of Kālīya Lake and the fisherman; Journey to Prayāga and the Pāṭhāna soldiers episode [Madhya 18]

Teachings to Rūpa Gosvāmī: Rūpa Gosvāmī's retirement; Sanātana Gosvāmī's arrest by Nawab Hussain Shah; Lord Caitanya's teachings of Bhakti-rasāmṛta-sindhu to Rūpa Gosvāmī for ten days at Prayāga, and later sending him to Vṛndāvana. [Madhya 19]

Teachings to Sanātana Gosvāmī: Sanātana Gosvāmī escapes from prison and meets Lord Caitanya at Vārāņasī. Lord Caitanya teaches Sanātana Gosvāmī for two months about – The Lord's energies and incarnations; Spiritual and material worlds; Kṛṣṇa's pastimes with Brahmā, His opulences and sweetness; The process of devotional service, kṛṣṇa-prema and rasas; Characteristics of Kṛṣṇa and Rādhā; Qualities of a pure devotee; 61 explanations of the Ātmārāma verse. He also tells him to go to Vṛndāvana. [Madhya 20-24]

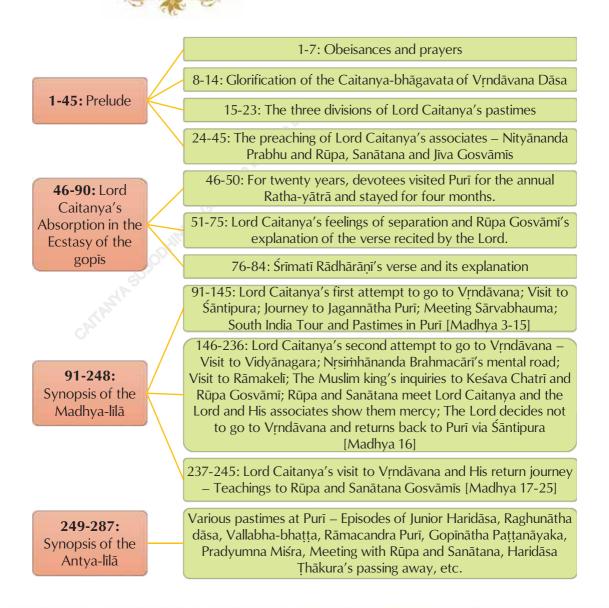
Transformation of Prakāśānanda: Explanation to the regretful Prakāśānanda about devotional service and the Catuḥ-ślokī Bhāgavatam; Mercy upon Subuddhi Rāya; Return to Purī. [Madhya 25]

Note: This volume of Caitanya Subodhinī covers only the first thirteen chapters of *Madhya-līlā*. The rest of the chapters will be presented in the next volume.

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MADHYA 1: THE LATER PASTIMES OF LORD ŚRĪ CAITANYA MAHĀPRABHU





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MADHYA 2: THE ECSTATIC MANIFESTATIONS OF LORD ŚRĪ CAITANYA MAHĀPRABHU



89-92: A synopsis of Madhya-līlā and Antya-līlā have been given because I (Kavirāja Gosvāmī) may not live much longer.

93-95: Respects to the Lord, His associates and devotees

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MADHYA 3: LORD ŚRĪ CAITANYA MAHĀPRABHU'S STAY AT THE HOUSE OF ADVAITA ĀCĀRYA



1-40: Lord Nityānanda Diverts Lord Caitanya to Śāntipura from His Way to Vŗndāvana

41-78: The Lord Accepts Prasāda at Advaita Ācārya's House

79-107: Joking Dealings between Advaita Ācārya and Lord Nityānanda

108-136: Kīrtana at Advaita Ācārya's House

137-159: Meeting of Śacīmātā and Lord Caitanya

1-15: Lord Caitanya, after accepting sannyāsa starts for Vrndāvana
chanting the Avantī-brāhmaņa verse, manifesting ecstatic
symptoms and inducing people to chant.

16-28: Through some cowherd boys, Nityānanda Prabhu cheats Lord Caitanya and brings him to the bank of the Ganges.

29-40: Advaita arrives and explains the matter and takes Lord Caitanya to his home at Śāntipura.

41-57: The description of the food preparations and arrangement at Advaita Ācārya's house.

58-65: The two Lords attend the ārati and Lord Caitanya is pleased to see the offerings to Kṛṣṇa.

66-77: The Lord denies to eat opulently and Advaita persuades Him to eat

Nityānanda Prabhu jokingly expresses that the food provided by Advaita is insufficient for Him and Advaita calls Him bhrastaavadhūta (indirectly glorified Him as paramahamsa) who troubles the brāhmaņas. Nityānanda throws some remnants at Him and Advaita becomes ecstatic.

The people of Śāntipura come to see the Lord and in the evening Advaita holds saṅkīrtana, during which Lord Caitanya manifests ecstatic symptoms.

137-149: Candraśekhara brings Śacīmātā. The Lord offers her obeisances and she caresses His body requesting Him not to be indifferent like Viśvarūpa. The Lord assures her that He would execute her orders.

150-159: The Lord met other devotees from Navadvīpa and Advaita made arrangements for their accommodation and prasāda. **160-172:** Śacīmātā's maternal affection for Lord Caitanya

173-192: Śacīmātā desires that the Lord stay at Jagannātha Purī

193-197: Conversation between Lord Caitanya and Haridāsa Ṭhākura

198-205: The Lord spends a few more days with devotees

206-219: Lord Caitanya departs for Purī Sacīmātā prays to Viṣṇu that the Lord's body shouldn't be hurt when He falls in ecstasy during kīrtana. Then she requests the devotees to be able to cook for her son during His stay at Advaita's house.

Lord Caitanya expresses His concern that people might criticize Him for staying at home after sannyāsa. Then Śacīmātā suggests that the Lord stay at Purī where she would get news about Him and He could also remain aloof as a sannyāsī.

Haridāsa was concerned that he can't see the Lord as he can't come to Purī. The Lord reassured him that He would petition Lord Jagannātha.

Upon Advaita's request the Lord agrees to stay for a few more days and Advaita holds a great festival everyday with kṛṣṇa-kathā, saṅkīrtana and prasāda.

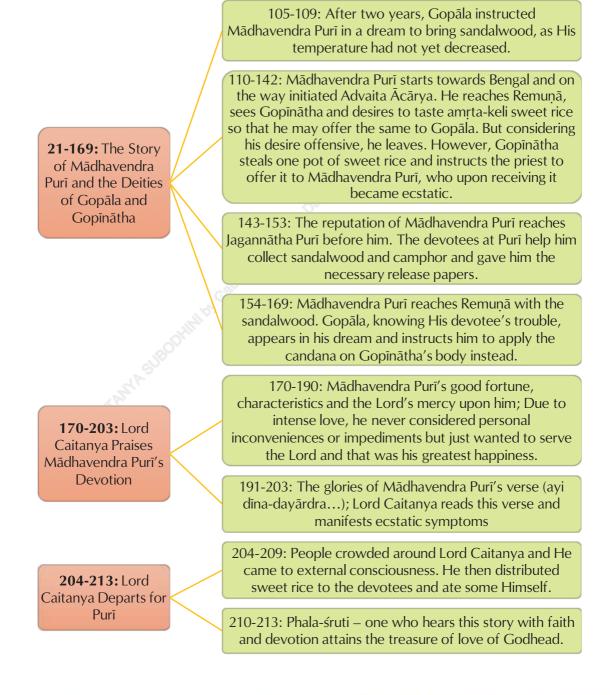
Though the devotees including Advaita were lamenting, the Lord was unaffected and departed to Purī without anxiety. He did this to set an example for a devotee to be neutral towards worldly affection.



MADHYA 4: ŚRĪ MĀDHAVENDRA PURĪ'S DEVOTIONAL SERVICE

1-9: Prelude	Obeisances unto Mādhavendra Purī; Kavirāja Gosvāmī's humility and appreciation of Vṛndāvana dāsa Ṭhākura's Caitanya-Bhāgavata
10-20: Lord Caitanya Reaches Remuņā	Gopīnātha's puṣpa-cūḍā falls on Lord Caitanya. The servants of Gopīnātha wonder at Lord Caitanya's beauty and ecstasy. He begins to narrate the story of Mādhavendra Purī.
j.	21-34: Mādhavendra Purī reaches Govardhana and an unknown cowherd boy offers him a pot of milk and doesn't return to take the pot back.
21-169: The	35-51: Śrī Gopāla (the boy who gave the milk) appears in Mādhavendra Purī's dream and requests him to rescue His deity lying in the jungle. Mādhavendra Purī laments for not recognizing Gopāla and with the help of the villagers excavates the Deity of Gopāla.
Story of Mādhavendra	52-66: Installation of the Śrī Gopāla Deity – Altar preparation, Abhiṣeka, dressing, decorations, bhoga offerings and ārati.
Purī and the Deities of Gopāla and Gopīnātha	67-88: Annakūța ceremony – Many devotees cooked for Gopāla and tastefully arranged the preparations. Gopāla ate everything, yet everything remained there. By Gopāla's potency, the wonderful festival was arranged in one day. The Deity was then put to rest and prasāda was distributed to all.
	 89-104: Knowing about Gopāla's appearance, people from different villages arrived and performed the Annakūța ceremony. Big capitalists from Mathurā presented gold, silver, garments, etc. A rich kṣatriya constructed a temple. Mādhavendra Purī initiated two brāhmaņas and entrusted them with the daily service of Gopāla.

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MADHYA 5: THE ACTIVITIES OF SĀKṢI-GOPĀLA

1-9: Lord Caitanya's Arrival at Kataka

Lord Caitanya's party saw the Varāha temple at Yājapura village and reached Kaṭaka and saw the Sākṣi-gopāla temple. Nityānanda Prabhu narrated the pastime of Sākṣi-gopāla

10-35: Two brāhmaņas from Vidyānagara went for a pilgrimage and reached Vṛndāvana. Pleased with the service of the younger brāhmaṇa, the old brāhmaṇa promised before the Deity of Gopāla to offer him his daughter in marriage.

36-47: Coming back to Vidyānagara, the old brāhmaņa revealed about his promise to his family members, who then disapproved this and even threatened him that they would take poison and die if the daughter was given to the poor brāhmaņa. The old brāhmaņa helplessly prayed to the Lord.

10-133: The Pastime of Lord Sākṣigopāla 48-86: The young brāhmaņa came the next day and the old brāhmaņa's son threatened him with a stick. The young brāhmaņa then put this matter before the villagers. The old brāhmaņa's son falsely accused the young brāhmaṇa, who then narrated what had happened at Vṛndāvana. Upon everyone's approval, it was agreed that the old brāhmaṇa would offer his daughter to the young brāhmaṇa if Gopāla came to bear witness.

87-112: The young brāhmaņa then went to Vrndāvana and appealed to Lord Gopāla. Gopāla said that deities do not walk, but the brāhmaņa argued that if a Deity can speak, then He can walk also, since He is not a statue anyway, but directly Vrajendra-nandana. Gopālajī agreed and travelled with him. After they reached the village, Gopāla bore witness and the old brāhmaņa offered his daughter to the young brāhmaņa.

113-133: After the marriage, at the request of both the brāhmaņas, Gopāla stayed in Vidyānagara and a nice temple was built by the king. Later King Purușottama-deva of Orissa conquered Vidyānagara and took Gopāla to Kaṭaka and worshipped Him with devotion along with his queen. **134-140:** Pleasure of Seeing Lord Caitanya and Sākṣi-gopāla

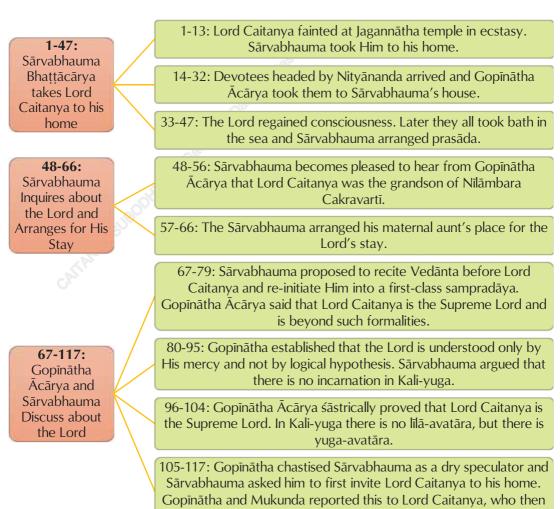
141-158: Daṇḍabhaṅga-līlā After the narration of the Sākṣi-gopāla pastime, Lord Caitanya and the devotees were pleased and all the devotees could see that Lord Caitanya and Sākṣi-gopāla were the same. The next morning they all departed for Purī.

Arriving at Kamalapura, Lord Caitanya took bath in the Bhārgīnadī River leaving His sannyāsa daņḍa with Lord Nityānanda, who then broke it into three pieces and threw it into the river. Lord Caitanya later became angry at this and proceeded towards Jagannātha Purī alone.

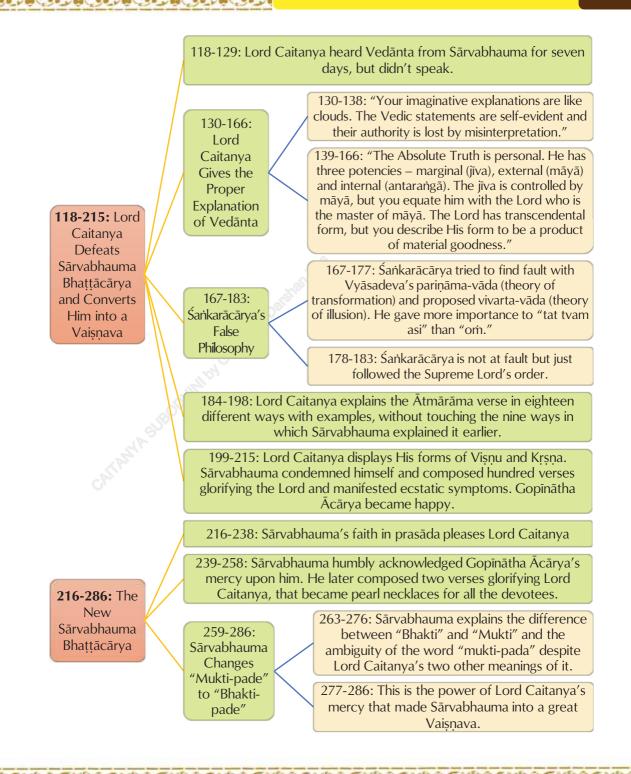




MADHYA 6: THE LIBERATION OF SĀRVABHAUMA BHAŢŢĀCĀRYA



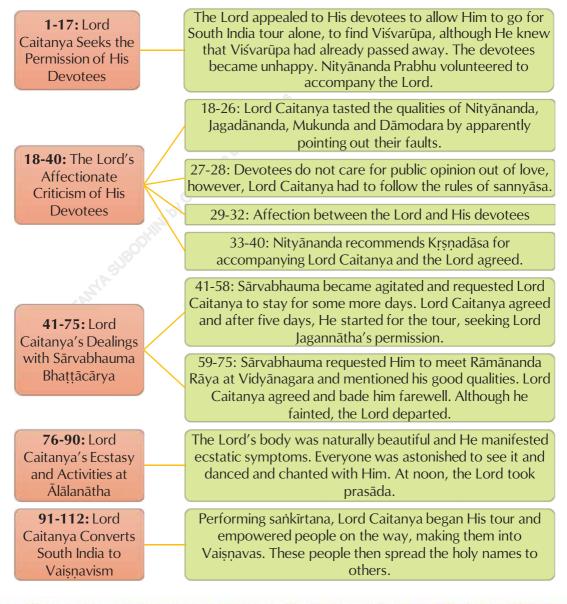
recollected Sārvabhauma's favour upon Him.





MADHYA 7: THE LORD'S TOUR OF SOUTH INDIA





113-135: The Episode of Kūrma Brāhmaņa

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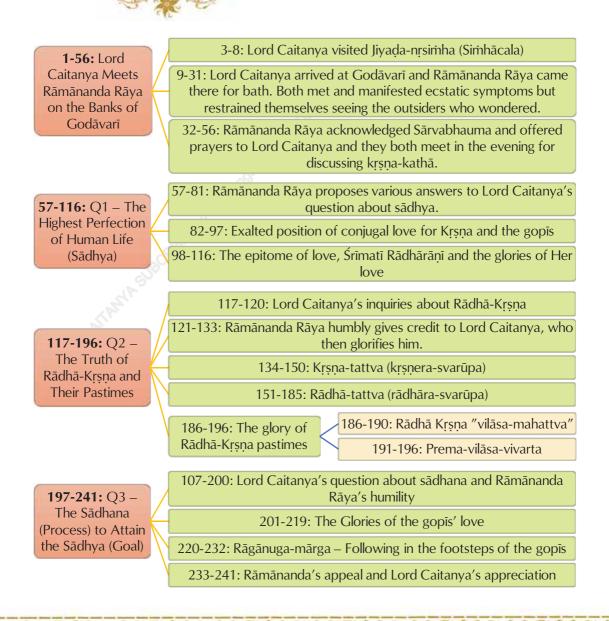
At Kūrma-kṣetra, a brāhmaṇa invited the Lord and treated Him respectfully offering fervent prayers and requested Him to let him go with Him. The Lord instructed him to chant Kṛṣṇa's names always and instruct everyone to follow Kṛṣṇa's orders by becoming guru.

136-155: The Episode of Vāsudeva Leper

A brāhmaņa named Vāsudeva, suffering from leprosy, came to Kūrma brāhmaņa's house to meet Lord Caitanya. Knowing that the Lord left, he lamented. The Lord then returned there to show him mercy and cured his leprosy, and advised him to chant and preach.



MADHYA 8: TALKS BETWEEN ŚRĪ CAITANYA MAHĀPRABHU AND RĀMĀNANDA RĀYA



Madhya-līlā Overview

242-259: Q4 – The	è
Greatest Things	

260-292: Lord Caitanya Reveals His Form to Rāmānanda Rāya

293-313: Glorious Conversation of Lord Caitanya and Rāmānanda Lord Caitanya asked various questions on what or who is the highest and Rāmānanda answered them.

Rāmānanda inquired about Lord Caitanya's identity because he was seeing Him as Śyāmasundara. Lord Caitanya replied that an advanced devotee sees Kṛṣṇa everywhere. Rāmānanda asked the Lord not to conceal His real form, and then the Lord revealed His real form. Rāmānanda Rāya became ecstatic and Lord Caitanya pacified him.

It cannot be described exhaustively. One who hears it with faith and without argument will attain prema-bhakti.



MADHYA 9: LORD ŚRĪ CAITANYA MAHĀPRABHU'S TRAVELS TO THE HOLY PLACES

1-13: Glories of Lord Caitanya's Travels	The speculators, materialists and nondevotees in South India abandoned their own opinions and became Vaiṣṇavas by the influence of Lord Caitanya.
	14-39: From Gautamī-gaṅgā to Siddhavaṭa – Mercy on the Brāhmaṇa at Siddhavaṭa, making him chant Kṛṣṇa's name.
	40-63: Defeating philosophers and establishing bhakti – The episode of the Buddhists
TANKASIBODY	64-165: From Tirupati to Śrī Raṅga-kṣetra – Stay at Śrī Raṅgam during the Cāturmāsya; Mercy to the Illiterate Brāhmaṇa, Conversation with Veṅkaṭa Bhaṭṭa about Lakṣmī's entrance into Rāsa-līlā and Supremacy of Lord Kṛṣṇa
14-365: Places visited and people	166-217: From Ŗṣabha Hill to Madurai – Mercy on Rāmadāsa Vipra at Madurai
met	218-233: From Pāṇḍya-seśa to Vetāpani – Saving Kāla Kṛṣṇadāsa from the Bhaṭṭathāris
	234-277: From Payasvinī River to Uḍupī — Defeating the Tattvavādīs at Uḍupī
	278-303: From Phalgu-tīrtha to Pāṇḍarapura – Meeting Śrī Raṅga Purī at Pāṇḍarapura
	304-365: From Kṛṣṇa-veṇvā River to Jagannātha Purī – Meeting Rāmānanda Rāya and reaching Jagannātha Purī; Loving Exchanges with the devotees at Purī and Phala-śruti





MADHYA 10: THE LORD'S RETURN TO JAGANNĀTHA PURĪ



1-23: Conversation Between King Pratāparudra and Sārvabhauma

24-48: Devotees Meet the Lord at Kāśī Miśra's House

49-61: Bhavānanda Rāya Meets the Lord with His Four Sons

62-74: Lord Caitanya Rejects Kālā Krsņadāsa

7**5-90:** Kālā Kṛṣṇadāsa's Visit to Bengal

91-101: Paramānanda Purī's Arrival at Jagannātha Purī

102-129: Svarūpa Dāmodara Gosvāmī's Arrival at Jagannātha Purī

130-150: Lord Accepts Govinda as His servant Pratāparudra inquired to Sārvabhauma about Lord Caitanya and requested an interview with the Lord. Sārvabhauma explained Lord Caitanya's position as the Supreme Lord, that He wouldn't meet kings, and that He had already left for South India. Pratāparudra accepted his words and upon his request arranged for Lord Caitanya to stay at Kāśī Miśra's house.

After Lord Caitanya's return from His tour, Sārvabhauma introduced several devotees to Him.

Lord Caitanya embraced Bhavānanda Rāya, who then glorified Him as the Supreme Lord because He touched a śūdra. Bhavānanda dedicated everything to the Lord and left Vāņīnātha Paṭṭanāyaka in His personal service.

Kāla Kṛṣṇadāsa began to cry, but the Lord left. The devotees engaged him in the service of going to Bengal and informing the devotees of the Lord's arrival in Purī.

Kāla Kṛṣṇadāsa gave the good news to all the devotees at Navadvīpa, headed by Advaita Ācārya. All the devotees then started for Purī

Paramānanda Purī travelled from South India via the banks of the Ganges. He stayed at Śacīmātā's house and then arrived at Purī. Lord Caitanya welcomed him and arranged for his stay.

Characteristics of Svarūpa Dāmodara and his prayers to Lord Caitanya.

130-141: Upon Govinda's arrival, Sārvabhauma asked why Īśvara Purī kept a servant from a śūdra family. Lord Caitanya explained the mercy and the independent nature of the Supreme Lord.

142-150: Sārvabhauma explains, by quoting scriptures, that the guru's order is very powerful and cannot be disobeyed. Then Lord Caitanya accepts Govinda as His personal servant, as instructed by His guru, Īśvara Purī. **151-183:** Brahmānanda Bhāratī's Arrival at Jagannātha Purī

184-190: Lord Caitanya Receives Kāśīśvara and All the Other Devotees 151-162: Lord Caitanya disapproves of the deer skin worn by Brahmānanda Bhāratī. After putting on sannyāsī robes instead, the Lord offers him respects.

163-183: Loving arguments between Brahmānanda Bhāratī and Lord Caitanya – about the two Brahmans at Purī

Just as all the rivers flow into the sea, devotees throughout the country came to Lord Caitanya's shelter.



MADHYA 11: THE BEDĀ-KĪRTANA PASTIMES OF ŚRĪ CAITANYA MAHĀPRABHU

1-13: Sārvabhauma Requests Lord	1-8: Lord Caitanya explains how for a sannyāsī, meeting kings and women is just like drinking poison.
Caitanya to Meet King Pratāparudra	9-13: Although Sārvabhauma says that Pratāparudra is a great devotee, Lord Caitanya declines to meet him.
14-40: Rāmānanda Rāya's Arrival at	14-25: Rāmānanda Rāya glorifies Pratāparudra's devotion and his favour in releasing him from government service.
Purī and Meeting with the Lord	26-40: Lord Caitanya says that Kṛṣṇa will show the king mercy, since the king had shown affection for a devotee. Rāmānanda then went for Jagannātha darśana.
41-61: Meeting of King Proteingrudra	41-49: Pratāparudra becomes unhappy to hear that Lord Caitanya doesn't want to meet him. He wants to give up his life if he cannot meet the Lord.
King Pratāparudra and Sārvabhauma Bhaṭṭācārya	50-61: Sārvabhauma encourages the king, saying that because of his firm determination, he will certainly meet the Lord. He also advises him to go to the Guṇḍicā garden and read rāsa- pañcādhyāya on the day of Ratha-yātrā.
/	62-64: On the day of Snāna-yātrā, Lord Caitanya goes to Ālālanātha in separation from Jagannātha and again returns when the Bengal devotees arrive in Purī.
62-123: Arrival of	65-70: Pratāparudra volunteers to arrange accommodation and prasāda for the Bengal devotees
Bengal Devotees and Pratāparudra's	71-93: Gopīnātha Ācārya tells Pratāparudra about the glories of the Bengal devotees
Inquiries	94-100: Pratāparudra is astonished at the glorious prema- saṅkīrtana
	101-118: Lord Caitanya is Lord Kṛṣṇa and therefore His darśana can come before Lord Jagannāṭha's darśana; Injunctions for mahā-prasāda

124-184: Lord Caitanya's Dealings with the Bengal Devotees

185-196: The Lord Glorifies Haridāsa Țhākura and Offers Him Residence

197-211: Prasāda Distribution

212-243: Saṅkīrtana and Beḍā-nṛtya 124-168: At Kāsī Miśra's house, the Lord has several exchanges with Advaita Ācārya, Vāsudeva Datta, Śrīvāsa Ṭhākura, Dāmodara, Śaṅkara, Śivānanda Sena, Murāri Gupta, Haridāsa Ṭhākura and other devotees.

169-184: Lord Caitanya requests Kāśī Miśra for a solitary room (for Haridāsa Ṭhākura) and then the Vaiṣṇavas depart for their residences.

Lord Caitanya says that by touching Haridāsa He is purifying Himself. He offers him a residence and promises to send prasāda there.

The Lord accepted prasāda with the devotees and carefully delivers prasāda for Haridāsa.

In the evening, at the temple, four parties are formed to perform saṅkīrtana and Lord Caitanya dances circumambulating the temple. He performs the miracle of looking at everyone simultaneously. Pratāparudra watched this from atop his palace and became more anxious to meet Him.

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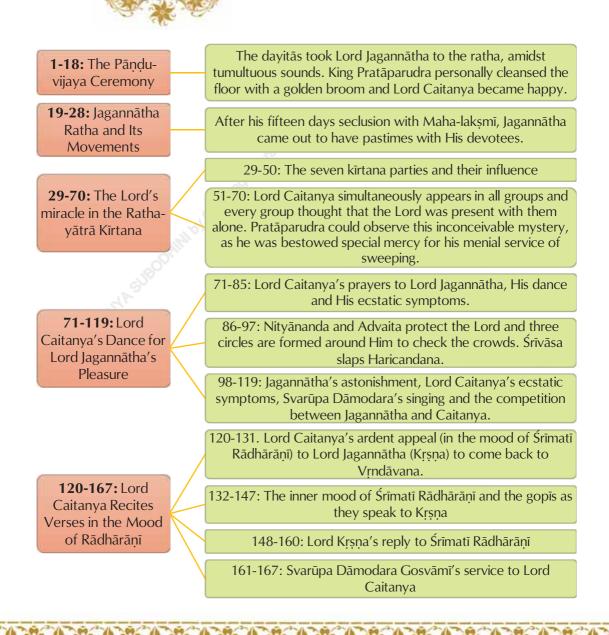
MADHYA 12: THE CLEANSING OF THE GUNDICA TEMPLE



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MADHYA 13: THE ECSTATIC DANCING OF THE LORD AT RATHA-YĀTRĀ



168-209: Other Remarkable Features of the Rathayātrā

168-173: Lord Caitanya's ecstasy u	pon seeing Lord Jagannātha

174-179: Response to Lord Caitanya's symptoms

180-188: Lord Caitanya's external anger upon King Pratāparudra

189-204: Bhoga offering to Lord Jagannātha at Vipra-śāsana

205-209: Phala-śruti and conclusion

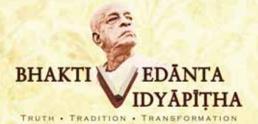
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MADHYA-LĪLĀ - II

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MADHYA 14: PERFORMANCE OF THE VŖNDĀVANA PASTIMES

Pratāparudra enters the garden and recites the Gopi-gitā. This 1-22: Lord Caitanya's pleases Lord Caitanya who then shows His mercy and divine Mercy upon King Pratāparudra opulence to Prataparudra. 23-46: Lord Caitanva Vānīnātha and Pratāparudra arrange a large quantity of prasāda Accepts Prasāda with the and it is distributed to everyone including beggars. **Devotees** When Jagannātha's ratha didn't move despite being pulled by the 47-64: Lord Caitanya gaudas, elephants and wrestlers, Lord Caitanya pushes it with His Pushes the Jagannātha head and within a moment it reaches Gundicā temple. Everyone Ratha to Gundicā Temple performs sankīrtana. Lord Caitanya goes to Aitota. In Indradyumna-saroyara, the 65-105: Invitations, devotees enjoy water sports in pairs. Gopīnātha Acārya glorifies Sankīrtana, Water Sports Lord Caitanya's mercy on Sārvabhauma. For nine days devotees and Vrndāvana Pastimes extend invitations and Lord Caitanya performs various pastimes in the Jagannātha-vallabha garden. King Pratāparudra tells Kāśī Miśra to organize Herā-pañcamī in 106-115: The Herāsuch a way that Lord Caitanya is pleased. During the festival Lord pañcamī Festival Caitanya arrives with His associates. 116-127: Why Lord When Lord Caitanya asks why Jagannātha doesn't take Laksmī to Jagannātha Doesn't Take Gundicā, Svarūpa Dāmodara replies that except for the gopīs no Laksmīdevī to Gundicā one can attract Krsna's mind. 128-135: Laksmīdevī Laksmī arrives at Gundicā in an opulent palanguin and her Arrives at Gundicā maidservants arrest the servants of Lord Jagannatha. 136-154: The Egoistic Svarūpa Dāmodara explains the varieties of egoistic pride (mānera Pride and Anger (Māna) prakāra) exhibited by different types of heroines (nāyikā) of the Lord's Consorts 155-202: The Qualities of 154-165: Qualities of Lord Krsna, the gopis and Śrimati Rādhārāni Krsna, the Gopis and 166-202: Transcendental Ecstasies of Śrīmatī Rādhārānī Śrīmatī Rādhārānī In the mood of Nārada Muni, Śrīvāsa Thākura glorifies Laksmī 203-217: Śrīvāsa Thākura over the gopis. He describes how Laksmi's servants bound Describes the Opulence Jagannātha's servants, who then said that they would bring of Laksmīdevī Jagannātha to her the next day.

218-228: Svarūpa Dāmodara Glorifies the Opulence of Vrndāvana

229-243: The Ecstasy of Lord Caitanya

244-257: Jagannātha's Silk Ropes Break During the Return Pāṇḍu-vijaya Vrndāvana is filled with cintāmaņis, kalpa-vrkṣas, kāma-dhenus, gītas, nṛtyas, etc. He cites Brahma-samhitā and Bilvamangala Ṭhākura.

Hearing about the pure mellow of Rādhārāņī, Lord Caitanya danced in ecstasy and appeared in Rādhārāņī's form.

Lord Caitanya ordered Rāmānanda Vasu and Satyarāja Khān to make stronger ropes.

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MADHYA 16: THE LORD'S ATTEMPT TO GO TO VRNDĀVANA



216-244: Raghunātha Dāsa's Eagerness and Lord Caitanya's Counsel	 216-230: Raghunātha dāsa meets Lord Caitanya at Šāntipura after His sannyāsa. Being detached, he would run away from home and his father would keep him back. 231-244: Raghunātha thinks how to get free from his father's servants and go with Lord Caitanya to Nilācala. The Lord instructs him to be patient, not to be like a false renunciant, but to act like an ordinary man at home for the time being. Then Kṛṣṇa would soon
	deliver him. 245-251: The Lord bids farewell to the Śāntipura devotees and leaves for Purī.
245-290: Lord Caitanya Returns to Jagannātha Purī	252-278: At Purī, He is received lovingly and He recounts His travels in front of all the devotees. He mentions His resolve to go to Vṛndāvana alone.
	279-290: Gadādhara Paṇḍita's love, ecstasy and invitations to Lord Caitanya.
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MADHYA 17: THE LORD TRAVELS TO VRNDĀVANA



1-20: The Devotees Permit Lord Caitanya to Go to Vrndāvana

21-56: Lord Caitanya Passes through the Jhārikhaṇḍa Forest

57-81: Balabhadra Bhaṭṭācārya's Service Pleases Lord Caitanya

> **82-146:** Lord Caitanya Stays at Vārāņasī

147-157: Lord Caitanya Arrives at Mathurā

158-189: Lord Caitanya's Interactions with the Sanodiyā Brāhmana

190-234: Lord Caitanya Visits Holy Vṛndāvana

Upon being requested by the devotees, Lord Caitanya agrees to take Balabhadra Bhaṭṭācārya with Him.
The animals and birds in the forest chant and dance along with Lord Caitanya. The Lord gives everyone including the Bheels the

ord Caitanya. The Lord gives everyone including the Bheels the holy name and kṛṣṇa-prema.

57-65: Balabhadra cooks for Lord Caitanya and affectionately serves Him.

66-81: Lord Caitanya expresses His happiness and embraces Balabhadra, who then offers his prayers.

82-103: Lord Caitanya meets Tapana Miśra and Candraśekhara

104-114: A brāhmaņa speaks about Lord Caitanya to Prakāśānanda Sarasvatī

115-121: Prakāśānanda Sarasvatī criticizes Lord Caitanya

122-128: The brāhmaņa informs Lord Caitanya about Prakāśānanda's comments

129-143: Lord Caitanya explains why Māyāvādīs cannot chant Kṛṣṇa's names

Lord Caitanya went to Prayāga, bathed there and bestowed krṣṇa-prema on the people He met on the way to Mathurā.

158-175: Lord Caitanya meets an elderly brāhmaṇa disciple of Mādhavendra Purī who displays ecstatic symptoms during kīrtana.

176-187: Lord Caitanya accepts food cooked by the Sanoḍiyā brāhmaṇa

190-207: Lord Caitanya's reciprocation with the forest animals

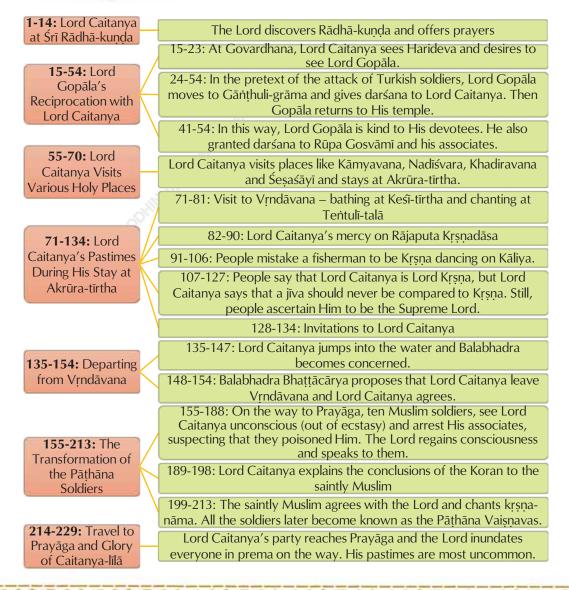
208-216: Śuka and Śārī glorify Śrī Kṛṣṇa and Śrīmatī Rādhārāṇī

217-222: The Lord's ecstasy in Vrndāvana



MADHYA 18: LORD ŚRĪ CAITANYA MAHĀPRABHU'S VISIT TO ŚRĪ VŖNDĀVANA







MADHYA 19: LORD ŚRĪ CAITANYA MAHĀPRABHU INSTRUCTS ŚRĪLA RŪPA GOSVĀMĪ



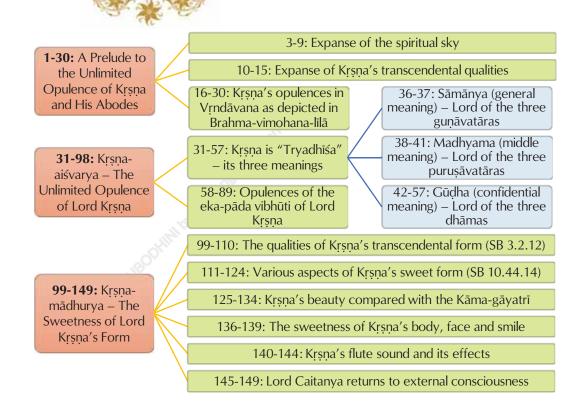


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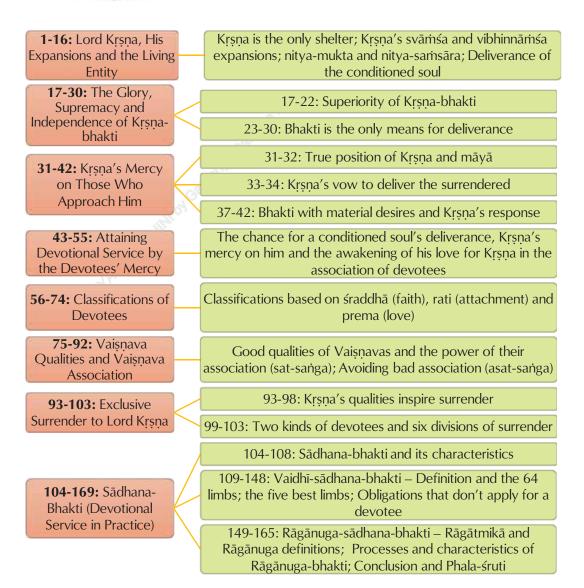
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 92-101: Realization of Rasas by Devotees
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311-323: Lord Caitanya Glorifies Śrīmad-Bhāgavatam

324-355: Lord Caitanya Gives a Synopsis of Vaiṣṇava-smṛti Meanings of: ātmārāma, muni, nirgrantha, urukrama, kurvanti, ahaitukī, bhakti, ittham-bhūta-guṇaḥ, hari, ca, api 71-78: The words "brahma" and "ātmā" indicate the Absolute Truth Kṛṣṇa

79-88: Three ways of attaining the Absolute Truth Kṛṣṇa

89-96: Glories of devotional service and the different categories of devotees

97-104: Sādhu-saṅga and Duḥsaṅga

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121-144: Mokṣākāṅkṣīs (those who desire liberation)

145-153: Seventh meaning - Nirgrantha muni

Sagarbha and Nigarbha yogīs — 3 types each (yogārurukṣu, yogārūḍha and prāpta-siddhi)

165-210: Ātmā = mind, endeavour, endurance, intelligence of two types, nature

211-219: Four explanations considering the meaning of "ātmā" to be "deha" (body)

221-224: Ātmārāmas and munis

225-283: A nirgrantha (a hunter or a poor person) is attracted to kṛṣṇa-bhakti by the association of a devotee. Example: Mṛgāri delivered by Nārada Muni Vidhi-bhakta and Rāga-bhakta further categorized into

sixteen (four multiplied by four) groups each.

"Ātmārāmāś ca", "ātmārāmāś ca munayaś ca nirgranthāś ca" and considering "ātmā" as "kṣetrajña jīva"

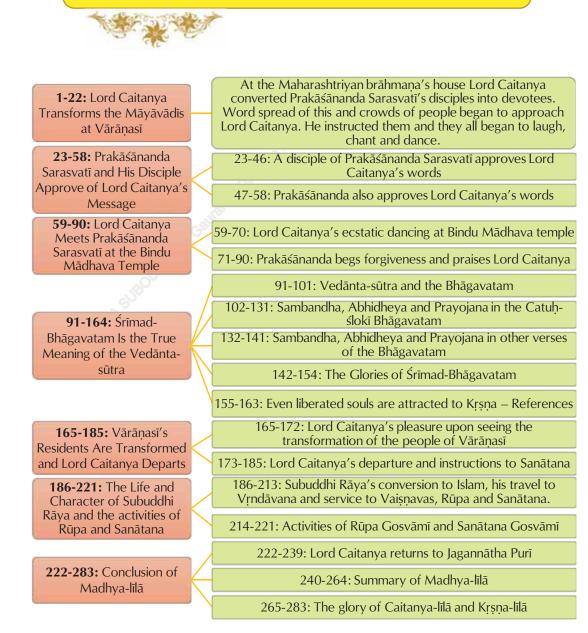
311-316: Sanātana offers prayers to Lord Caitanya and glorifies Him as the true speaker and knower of Bhāgavatam

317-323: Lord Caitanya describes the position of Bhāgavatam

Upon the request of Sanātana Lord Caitanya gives him only a synopsis and assures him that by Kṛṣṇa's favour he will be able to write everything. Phala-śruti.



MADHYA 25: HOW ALL THE RESIDENTS OF VĀRĀŅASĪ BECAME VAIṢŅAVAS

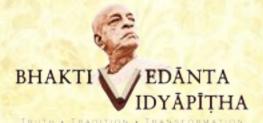


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ANTYA-LĪLĀ AT A GLANCE

Rūpa Gosvāmī writes two dramas, Vidagdha-mādhava and Lalitamādhava, and Lord Caitanya and the devotees praise him. (Antya 1)

Junior Haridāsa begs rice from Mālatīdevī and Lord Caitanya rejects him for talking intimately with women, to caution the renunciants. Lord Caitanya's āveša in Nakula Brahmacārī and āvirbhāva to Nṛsimhānanda Brahmacārī (Antya 2)

Haridāsa Țhākura's activities at Purī (discussions with Lord Caitanya about the holy name), Benāpola (transforming a prostitute), Cāndapura (preaching the glories of holy name) and Śāntipura (association with Advaita Ācārya and initiating Māyādevī). Dāmodara Pandita criticises Lord Caitanya. (Antya 3)

Sanātana Gosvāmī develops itching sores and decides to commit suicide. Lord Caitanya saves him, later tests him in the hot sun and cures him. (Antya 4)

Pradyumna Miśra desired to hear kṛṣṇa-kathā and Lord Caitanya directs him to Rāmānanda Rāya. Svarūpa Dāmodara Gosvāmī chastises the Bengali poet. (Antya 5)

Raghunātha dāsa Gosvāmī organizes cidā-dadhi-mahotsava and escapes from home. Lord Caitaya entrusts him to Svarupa Dāmodara Gosvāmī and later gifts him govardhana-silā and guñjā-mālā, impressed with his deep devotion and renunciation. (Antya 6)

Vallabha Bhatta becomes falsely proud of his scholarship and attributes, and Lord Caitanya dismantles it. (Antya 7)

Rāmacandra Purī comes to Purī and criticizes Lord Caitanya for eating sweets, and the Lord reduces His eating. (Antya 8)

Gopinātha Paṭṭanāyaka gets arrested by the prince for misappropriating government's money. Lord Caitanya disapproves his act, but ultimately delivers him with His mercy. (Antya 9)

Part A: Lord Caitanya's exemplary dealings with various devotees

> [Antya 1-13]

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[Antya 1-13]

Rāghava Paṇḍita brings his prasāda bags and offers to Lord Caitanya. Lord Caitanya tests Govinda and thus reveals His service attitude. (Antya 10)

Haridāsa Țhākura desires to depart from this world before Lord Caitanya concludes His pastimes. And the Lord personally performs his final rites. (Antya 11)

Jagadānanda Paņdita brings sandalwood oil for Lord Caitanya, but the Lord doesn't accept it. Jagadānanda becomes angry and breaks the oil pot and fasts. The Lord pacifies him and later permits him to go to Vrndāvana. (Antya 12-13).

Raghunātha Bhaṭṭa Gosvāmī comes to Purī and Lord Caitanya tells him not to marry, but serve parents, study Bhāgavatam, and later to go to Vṛndāvana and be with Rūpa and Sanātana. (Antya 13)

Jagannātha as Vrajendranandana: Spiritual trance; Falling unconscious at the Simha-dvāra. Caṭaka-parvata as Govardhana. (Antya 14)

Garden as Vṛndāvana: Mistaking a garden on the seashore to be Vṛndāvana and searching for Kṛṣṇa like the gopīs during the rāsa dance, and recitation of verses. (Antya 15)

Kṛṣṇa's adharāmṛta: Showing mercy to Kālidāsa and Śivānanda's son, Purī dāsa; Asking a doorkeeper about Kṛṣṇa and seeing Jagannātha; Relishing the taste of Kṛṣṇa-prasāda and glorifying the nectar from Kṛṣṇa's lips with verses. (Antya 16)

Kṛṣṇa's flute and other sounds: Falling among the cows and assuming the form of a tortoise; Attraction to various sounds related to Kṛṣṇa and His flute. (Antya 17)

Sea as Yamunā: Getting caught in a fisherman's net; Seeing the water pastimes of Kṛṣṇa in a dream, and reciting relevant verses. (Antya 18)

Kṛṣṇa's scent: Devotion to mother; Advaita Ācārya's sonnet; Rubbing face against the walls in increased separation, smelling the scent of Kṛṣṇa's body, wandering in a garden on a spring night. (Antya 19)

Śikṣāṣṭaka: The final instructions in the form of the Śikṣāṣṭaka and relishing its meaning. (Antya 20)

Lord Caitanya's ecstatic

Part B:

feelings of separation from Kṛṣṇa

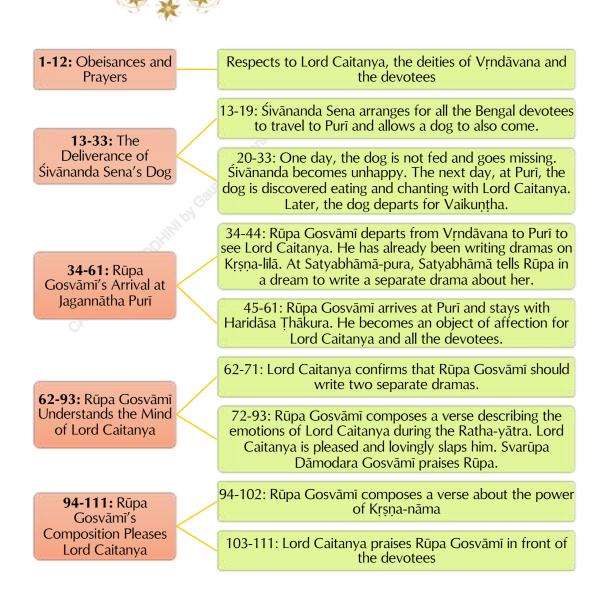
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ANTYA 1: ŚRĪLA RŪPA GOSVĀMĪ'S SECOND MEETING WITH THE LORD

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112-126: Rūpa Gosvāmī recites the initial verses of Vidagdha-mādhava in front of the devotees and Rāmānanda inquires further

127-128: Nāndī-śloka (Introductory verse)

129-133: Iṣṭa-devera varṇana (Description of Rūpa's worshipable Deity)

134-136: Pātra-sannidhāna (Introducing the players)

112-171: Rāmānanda Rāya Examines Rūpa Gosvāmī's Vidagdhamādhava

172-191: Rāmānanda Rāya Examines Rūpa Gosvāmī's Lalitamādhava

192-223: The empowerment and mercy that Rūpa Gosvāmī received 137-139: Prarocanā (Inducing the audience to become eager, with praise)

140-146: Premotpatti-kāraņa (Causes of loving affairs between Kṛṣṇa and the gopīs)

147-155: Bhāvera svabhāva and Premera lakṣaṇa (Characteristics of emotional love and love of Godhead)

156-160: Vrndāvana

161-164: Muralī-niḥsvana (Kṛṣṇa's flute)

165-168: Kṛṣṇera varṇana (Description of Kṛṣṇa)

169-171: Rādhikāra varņana (Description of Rādhārāņī)

172-182: Rūpa Gosvāmī recites the initial verses of Lalitamādhava

183-191: Some quotations from the Lalita-mādhava

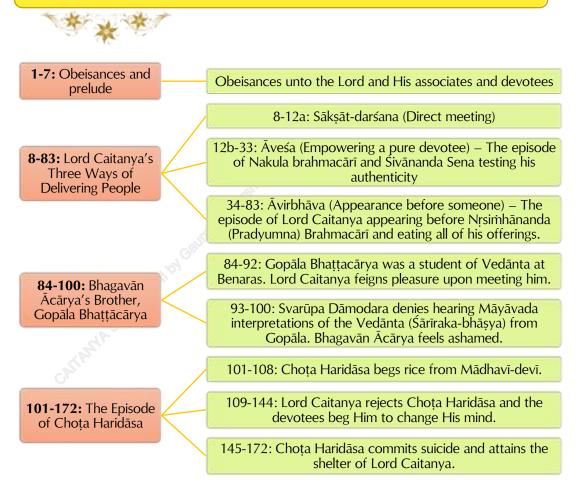
192-212: Rāmānanda Rāya, Lord Caitanya and Haridāsa Țhākūra praise the poetry and qualities of Rūpa Gosvāmī and Rūpa Gosvāmī humbly acknowledges the mercy of Lord Caitanya upon him.

213-223: Lord Caitanya instructs Rūpa Gosvāmī and bids him farewell. Rūpa Gosvāmī departs to Vrndāvana.





ANTYA 2: THE CHASTISEMENT OF JUNIOR HARIDĀSA





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ANTYA 3: THE GLORIES OF ŚRĪLA HARIDĀSA ŢHĀKURA

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229-272: Māyā comes to Test Haridāsa Ṭhākura

229-249: Māyā personified appears before Haridāsa Ţhākura

250-260: The woman (māyā) surrenders to Haridāsa

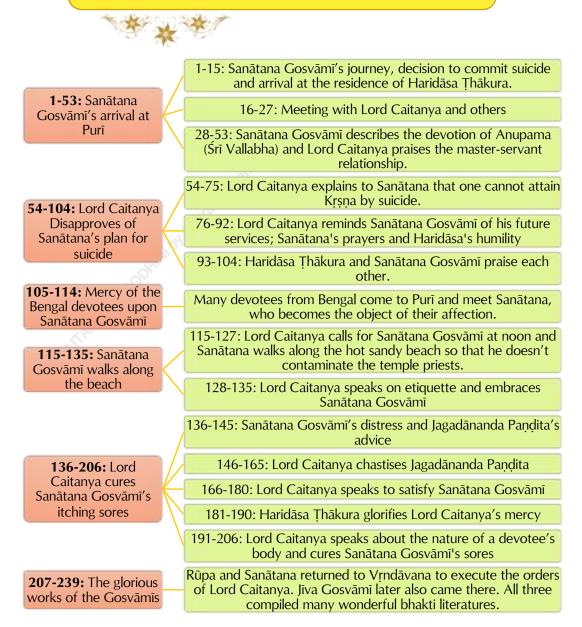
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261-272: One should have faith in these descriptions. Not just māyā-dāsī but all of the Lord's associates descended in the form of human beings during the incarnation of Lord Caitanya.

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ANTYA 4: SANĀTANA GOSVĀMĪ VISITS THE LORD AT JAGANNĀTHA PURĪ





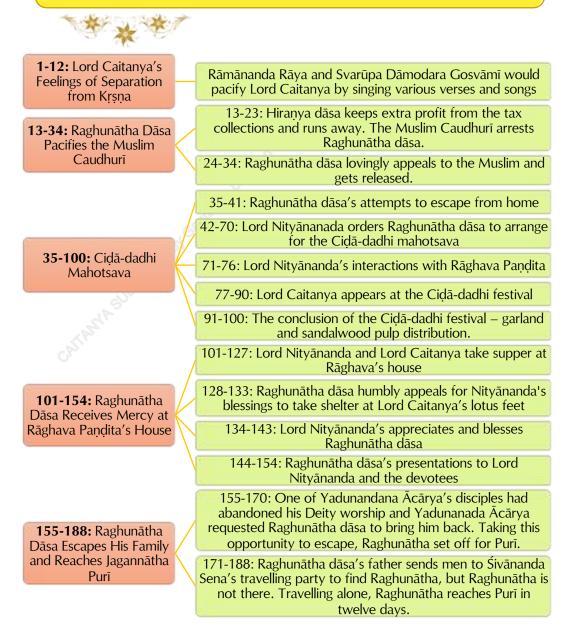
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ANTYA 6: THE MEETING OF ŚRĪ CAITANYA MAHĀPRABHU AND RAGHUNĀTHA DĀSA GOSVĀMĪ

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189-213: Lord Caitanya Entrusts Raghunātha Dāsa to Svarūpa Dāmodara	Raghunātha dāsa meets Lord Caitanya and His devotees at Purī. Lord Caitanya comments about materialistic household life and entrusts Raghunātha under the care of Svarūpa Dāmodara Gosvāmī (Svarūpera Raghu)
214-241: Lord Caitanya's Instructions to Raghunātha Dāsa Gosvāmī	214-227: Raghunātha dāsa begs at the Simha-dvāra and Lord Caitanya is pleased with his renunciation
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	242-265: Śivānanda Sena describes the renunciation of Raghunātha dāsa to the messenger of Govardhana Majumdāra
242-286: Raghunātha Dāsa Gosvāmī's Increasing Renunciation	266-280: Raghunātha dāsa invites Lord Caitanya for two years and then stops
	281-286: Raghunātha dāsa begs food at the charity booth and Lord Caitanya appreciates it
287-308: Lord Caitanya Gives His Govardhana- śilā to Raghunātha Dāsa	Lord Caitanya instructs Raghunātha on how to worship the govardhana-śilā; Raghunātha dāsa's sincere worship
309-329: The Transcendental Qualities of Raghunātha Dāsa	Raghunātha's strict principles and renunciation; His eating of the decomposed food that even cows would not eat; Lord Caitanya's satisfaction with Raghunātha.

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# Antya 7: The Meeting of Śrī Caitanya Mahāprabhu And Vallabha Bhaṭṭa

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# ANTYA 8: RAMACANDRA PURI CRITICIZES THE LORD

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- 18-27: Rāmacandra Purī offends Mādhavendra Purī by instructing him about Brahman
- 28-37: Īśvara Purī's humble service and Mādhavendra Purī's departure

38-51: Rāmacandra Purī criticizes Lord Caitanya by saying that He eats too many sweets

**38-103:** The Lord cuts down His meals due to Rāmacandra Purī's criticism

- 52-71: Lord Caitanya cuts down his meals
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84-95: The independent nature of Lord Caitanya

96-103: Conclusion – Rāmacandra Purī departs and everyone becomes relieved; Lord Caitanya's character



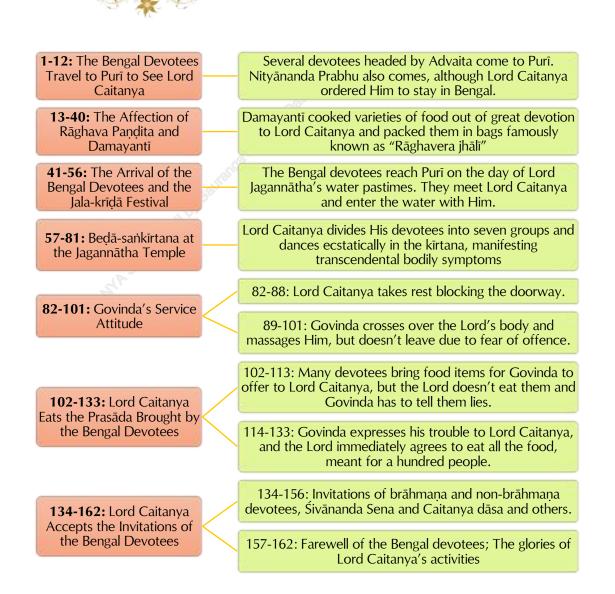
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# ANTYA 10: ŚRĪ CAITANYA MAHĀPRABHU ACCEPTS PRASĀDAM FROM HIS DEVOTEES





## ANTYA 11: THE PASSING OF HARIDASA THAKURA

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1-15: Kavirāja Gosvāmī's Prayers to Lord Caitanya and His Associates

**16-42:** Haridāsa Ṭhākura's Appeal to Lord Caitanya

**43-108:** Haridāsa Ţhākura's Passing Away and the Rituals 1-10: Obeisances to Lord Caitanya, Lord Nityānanda, Advaita Acarya, the six Gosvāmīs and the other devotees

11-15: Lord Caitanya's feelings of separation

16-26: Haridāsa Ṭhākura says that cannot complete his chanting and Lord Caitanya asks him to reduce his number of rounds.

27-42: Haridāsa Țhākura expresses his desire to leave this world before Lord Caitanya concludes His pastimes.

43-63: Haridāsa leaves his body meditating on Lord Caitanya. Lord Caitanya carries his body and dances in procession.

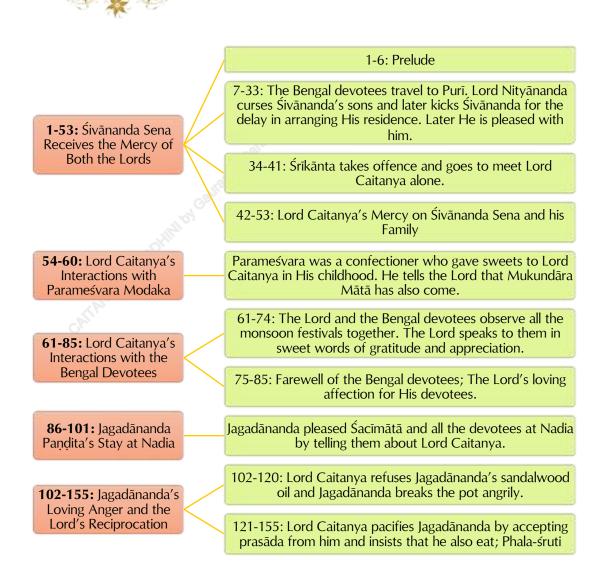
64-72: Haridāsa's body is buried near the sea and the devotees perform saṅkīrtana around the tomb.

73-93: Prasāda is distributed on the occasion of Haridāsa's departure

94-108: Glorification of Haridāsa; Lord Caitanya's affection for Haridāsa; Phala-śruti.



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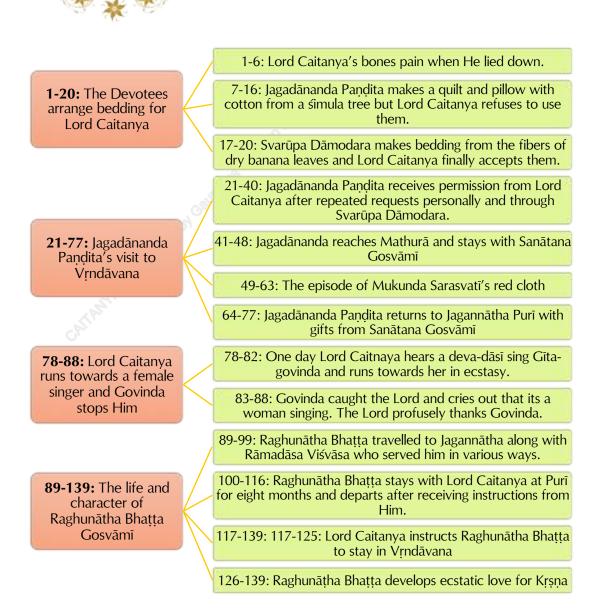


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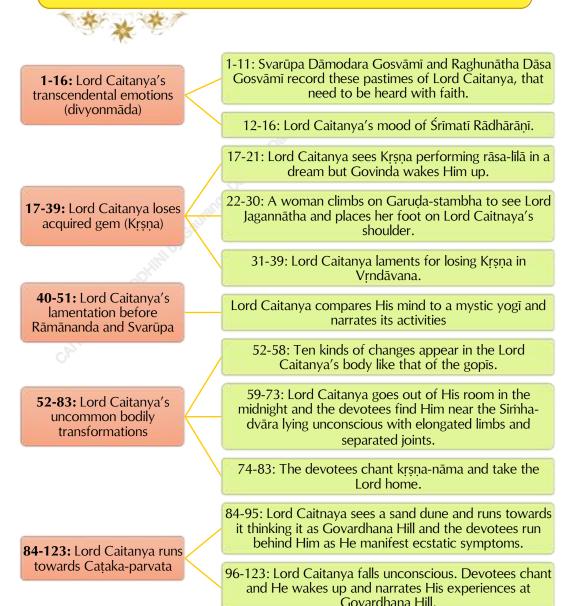


#### ANTYA 13: PASTIMES WITH JAGADĀNANDA PAŅŅITA AND RAGHUNĀTHA BHAṬṬA GOSVĀMĪ





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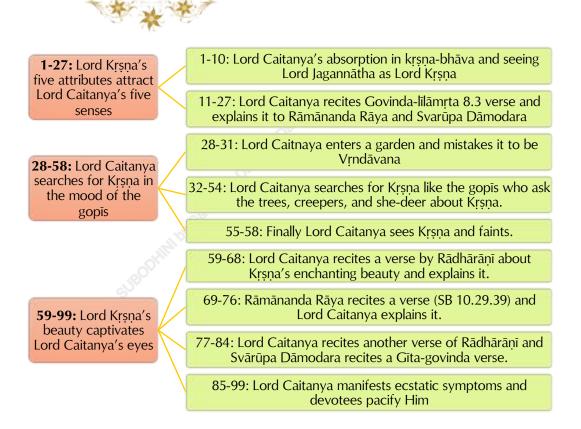
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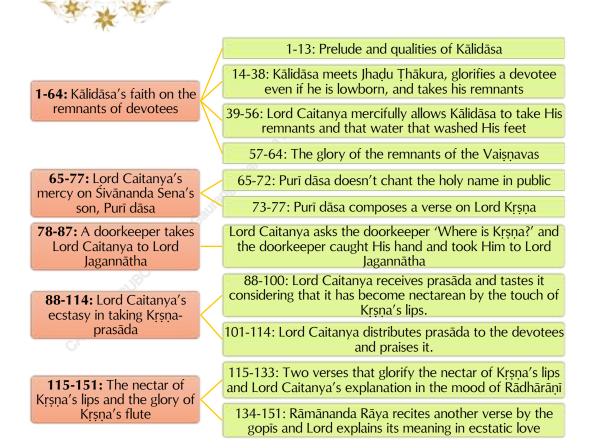
#### ANTYA 15: THE TRANSCENDENTAL MADNESS OF LORD ŚRĪ CAITANYA MAHĀPRABHU

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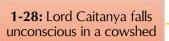


### ANTYA 16: LORD ŚRĪ CAITANYA MAHĀPRABHU TASTES NECTAR FROM THE LIPS OF LORD ŚRĪ KŖṢŅA





#### ANTYA 17: THE BODILY TRANSFORMATIONS OF LORD ŚRĪ CAITANYA MAHĀPRABHU



**29-38:** The irresistible vibration of Kṛṣṇa's transcendental flute

**39-48:** The influence of various sounds related to Lord Kṛṣṇa

49-62: The heart's longing to meet Lord Kṛṣṇa

63-71: Conclusion

After manifesting ecstatic symptoms till midnight, Lord Caitanya was made to sleep, but He left the locked room and fell unconscious in a cowshed. The devotees searched for Him and found Him.

Svarūpa Dāmodara recites a Bhāgavatam verse (SB 10.29.40) by the gopīs and Lord Caitanya explains it.

Lord Caitanya recites a verse by Rādhārāņī from the Govinda-līlāmṛta and explains it.

Lord Caitanya recites a verse by Rādhārāņī from Kṛṣṇakarṇāmṛta and explains it.

The indescribable ecstatic transformations of Lord Caitanya; Lord Caitanya's mercy and summary of the chapter.

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#### **ANTYA 18: RESCUING THE LORD FROM THE SEA**

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**1-23:** The inconceivable nature of the ecstatic emotions of devotees

24-79: Lord Caitanya jumps into the sea and a fisherman catches Him

80-121: Lord Caitanya narrates His vision of Kṛṣṇa's water pastimes 1-12: Lord Caitanya's ecstasies in separation from Kṛṣṇa and verse recitations

13-23: The limitless pastimes of Lord Caitanya and the inconceivable emotions in love for Kṛṣṇa

24-40: Lord Caitanya dives into the sea thinking it to be Yamunā River, and the devotees search for Him.

41-79: A fisherman catches Lord Caitanya in his net and thinks of Him as a ghost. Svarūpa Dāmodara pacifies the fisherman, who then took the devotees to the Lord.

Kṛṣṇa's sporting pastimes with the gopīs in the waters of the Yamunā; Phala-śruti



#### ANTYA 19: THE INCONCEIVABLE BEHAVIOR OF LORD ŚRĪ CAITANYA MAHĀPRABHU

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1-14: Lord Caitanya's devotion to Mother Sacī

15-29: Jagadānanda Paņdita's visit to Nadia and Advaita Ācārya's sonnet

**30-77:** Lord Caitanya's increased feelings of separation from Kṛṣṇa

78-102: Lord Caitanya smells the scent of Kṛṣṇa's body

103-112: The inconceivable nature of a lover of Kṛṣṇa

Lord Caitanya's message to Sacīmāta through Jagadānanda Paṇḍita who goes to Nadia every year to console her.

Jagadānanda gives happiness to the devotees at Nadia and Advaita Ācārya sends with him a sonnet which only Lord Caitanya could understand.

30-54: The scene of Kṛṣṇa's departure manifested in Lord Caitanya's mind and He recited and explained the verses of Lalita-mādhava (3.25) and Śrīmad-Bhāgavatam (10.39.19) in the mood of Rādhārānī.

55-65: Lord Caitanya rubs His face against the walls of Gambhīrā.

66-77: Śaṅkara Paṇḍita stays with Lord Caitanya during the nights.

78-89: Lord Caitanya enters the beautiful Jagannāthavallabha garden and smells the fragrance of Kṛṣṇa's body and sees Kṛṣṇa.

90-102: Lord Caitanya recites Śrīmatī Rādhārāņī's verse (Govinda-līlāmṛta 8.6) and explains it.

Understanding Lord Caitanya's pastimes with faith and without logic and argumentation.



# ANTYA 20: THE ŚΙΚṢĀṢṬAKA PRAYERS



1-69: Explanation of the eight Śikṣāṣṭaka verses

70-101: Kṛṣṇadāsa Kavirāja Gosvāmī's humble mood as a spiritual author Lord Caitanya composed His own verses called the Śikṣāṣṭaka and relished their meaning.

Kavirāja Gosvāmī describes the expanse of Lord Caitanya's pastimes and his personal inability to describe them all. He then profusely glorifies Vrndāvana Dāsa Ṭhākura, the author of Caitanya-bhāgavata, as the original Vyāsadeva of Caitanya-līlā.

**102-151:** Summary of Antya-līlā and concluding words 102-139: A short description of all the chapters of the Antya-līlā

140-157: Glorification of Caitanya-caritāmṛta.