**NAMO BUDDAYA!**

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**Namo Tassa Bhagavato Arahato Samma Sambuddhassa !..**

Homage to the Blessed One, the Worthy One, the Supremely Enlightened One !.

**Dhammapada - Chapter 2: Appamada vagga –Diligence**

**1**. Appamado amatapadam - Pamado maccuno padam

Appamatta na miyanthi - Ye pamatta yatha mata

**The one who develops virtue, concentration, and Wisdom diligently reaches the deathless, nibbana. The negligent, one who is intoxicated by sense pleasures, repeatedly dies. The diligent Dhamma practitioner goes beyond death. The negligent are as it already dead.**

**2**. Evam visesao natva - Appamadamhi pandita

Appamade pamudanthi - Ariyannam gocare rata

**The diligent, wise Dhamma practitioner clearly understands the difference between diligence and negligence. Delighting in the dwelling of the noble ones which is the thirty seven aids to enlightenment, they rejoice in diligence.**

3. Te jhayino satatika - niccam dalhaparakkama

Phusanti dhiriya nibbanam, - Yagakkhemam anuttaram

**Wise, energetic disciples of the Biuddha meditate frequently. Working hard, they practice the Dhamma, giving it top priority. They experience the incomparable freedom from bondage, Nibbana.**

**4**. Utthanavato satimato - sucikammassa nisammakarino  
sannatassa dhammajivino - appamattassa yaso bhivaddhati.

**The wise person is energetic, mindful, pure in conduct, considerate in action, self-restrained, and righteous. that diligent person’s glory grows day by day.**

**5**. Utthanenappamadena - samyamena damena ca  
dipam kayiratha medhavi - yam ogho nabhikirati.**The wise disciple of the Buddha practices the Dhamma energetically, diligently, with self-restraint, and with self-control. He makes for himself the island called Nibbana, which no flood can overwhelm.**

**6**. Pamadamanuyuñjanti - bala dummedhino jana  
appamadañca medhavi - dhanam setthamva rakkhati.  
**Unwise, foolish people indulge in sense pleasures. They are caught up in negligence. But the wise protect diligence as their best treasure.**

**7**. Ma pamadamanuyuñjetha  
ma kamaratisanthavam  
appamatto hi jhayanto  
pappoti vipulam sukham.

**[Unwise, foolish people waste their life celebrating auspicious times.]Do not give yourself to negligence; do not become intoxicated with sense pleasures. Do not indulge in sense pleasures. If you meditate diligently you can attain great happiness.**

**8**. Pamadam appamadena - yada nudati pandito  
pannapasadamaruyha - asoko sokinim pajam  
pabbatatthova bhumatthe - dhirobaleavekkhati.  
**The wise disciple of the Buddha drives away negligence with diligence. Ascending from the place of wisdom, freed from sorrow, this sage looks at sorrowing people. It is like someone standing on a mountain observing those on the ground below.**

**9**. Appamatto pamattesu - suttesu bahujagaro  
abalassa mva sighasso - hitva yati sumedhaso.  
**The wise sage is diligent among the negligent. He is awake and meditates when others sleep. He advances like a swift horse leaving the weak one behind.**

**10**. Appamadena maghava - devanam setthatam gato  
appamadam pasamanti - pamado garahito sada.  
**Sakka, the leader of gods, collected lots of merit diligently when he was in the human world as the youth Magha. That is how he became the greatest of the gods. Diligence is always praised by buddhas, and negligence is always despised.**

**11**. Appamadarato bhikkhu - pamade bhayadassiva  
samyojanam anum thulam - daham aggiva gacchati.  
**The monk who delights in diligence and fears negligence reaches Nibbana, destroying all bonds, large and small, like a fire burning everything in its path.**

**12**. Appamadarato bhikkhu - pamade bhayadassi va  
 abhabbo parihanaya - nibbanasseva santike.  **The monk who delights in diligence and fears negligence in incapable of losing wholesome qualities. He is close to Nibbana.**

Sadhu! Sadhu! Sadhu!