

## daSaratha nandana, asAvEri rAgam, Adi tALam

daSharatha nandana dAnava mardhana dayayA mAm pAhi

chAlunu mAyAjAlamu chEya jAlanu tOya jAlayA rAya

|| daSaratha ||

dhanikuni nenchi tanuvunu penchi vanitala gAnchi varaduDu ponchi

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nE paradESi nErpuna gAsi bApavEDAsi pAvanu jEsi

|| daSaratha ||

sarvamu nIvu sAreku rAvu garvamulu lEvu grakkuna brOvu

|| daSaratha ||

sAgara Sayana sArasa nayana tyAgarAjAvana tAraka suguNa

|| daSaratha ||

### Meaning:

O son of Dasharatha! Destroyer of Rakshasas! Show me mercy and protect me. Enough of your deceptive tricks! I can no longer tolerate them. You are the Lord with a lotus heart! I am a stranger to the path of right behavior. Please understand the hopelessness of my plight. Please come near me and purify me. Please remove all impure thoughts from me. With an attractive blue complexion, beautiful eyes and virtuous attributes, how long will you sleep on your serpent couch? Please do not be angry and protect pTyagaraja now!