

Pad Kirtan:

“Gaho re man! Shyama Shyam sharanai”

**From “Prem Ras Madira” (“Nectar of Divine Love”)
by Jagadguru Shri Kripalu ji Maharaj**

गहो रे मन ! श्यामा श्याम शरणाई ।

Gaho re man! Shyama Shyam sharanai.

Addressing his own mind, a devotee says, “Oh my mind!
Surrender to the lotus feet of Radha Krishna.”

अंत समय कोउ काम न अइहैं, मातु पिता सुत भाई ।

Ant samay kou kam na aihain, matu pita sut bhai.

“Your near and dear ones (mother, father, brother, son,
and so on) will not accompany you after death.”

काम, क्रोध अरु लोभ, मोह, मद, इन सों कछु न बसाई ।

Kam krodh aru lobh moh mad, in son kachu na basai.

“There is no way to defeat lust, anger, greed, infatuation, false pride
and other such vices except to surrender to Radha Krishna.”

यह जग मृग-तृष्णा सम दीखत, सुख लवलेश न पाई ।

Yah jag mrig-trishna sam dikhat, sukh lavlesh na pai.

“The happiness of this world is like a mirage – it is only an illusion;
in reality there is not even a trace of true happiness here.”

धन-यौवन-तन छन-भंगुर सब, त्यों कपूर उड़ि जाई ।

Dhan-youvan-tan chan-bhangur sab, tyon Kapoor urdi jai.

“Material wealth, youth and this body are all momentary,
disappearing with the passage of time like camphor.”

बहुरि 'कृपालु' न नर-तनु पाइय, बिगरी लेहु बनाई ॥

Bahuri 'Kripalu' na nar tanu paiya, bigari lehu banai.

Jagadguru Shri Kripalu ji says, “Oh mind! You will not get this human body again and again,
therefore surrender to Radha Krishna and immediately strive to attain Divine happiness,
which you have been longing for since eternity.”