

Pad Kirtan:

“Shyam haun kab Braj basihaun jay”

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

श्याम हौं कब ब्रज बसिहौं जाय ।

Shyam haun kab Braj basihaun jaya.

Oh Krishna! When will I live in Braj forever?

श्यामा श्याम नाम गुन गावत, कब नैनन झरि लाय ।

Shyama Shyam nam gun gavat, kab nainan jhari laya.

When will my eyes overflow with tears while singing
the names and virtues of Radha Krishn?

कब विचरौं गहवर वन वीथिन, राधे राधे गाय ।

Kab vicharaun Gahavar-van vithin, Radhey Radhey gaya.

When will I wander on the footpaths of Gahvar garden
and while crying, sing 'Radhey Radhey'?

कब झूमत वृंदावन-कुंजनि, फिरौं हिये हुलसाय ।

Kab jhoomat Vrindaban-kunjani, phiraun hiye hulasaya.

When will that day come when I will be overcome with Your love
and wander in the various kunjans and bowers of Vrindaban?

कब लपटाय लतन गोवर्धन, कहौं हाय पिय हाय ।

Kab laptaya latan Govardhan, kahaun, 'Haya, Piya haya!'

Embracing the plants and vines of Govardhan, when will that day come that,
overcome with the feeling of intense separation from You, I cry out, 'Oh, my Beloved!'?

कब लोटत 'कृपालु' ब्रज रज बिच, हौं जैहौं बौराय ॥

Kaba lotat 'Kripalu' Braj raj bich, haun jaihaun bouraya.

When will that day come when, rolling in the holy dust of Braj and
experiencing Your close presence, I will become mad in Your love?