

Tantric Series Course III The Path to Bliss, Part Three

A Complete Outline of The Path to Bliss

The following is an outline to the first and second parts of *The Path to Bliss, a Dissection Text on Steps of the Path to Enlightenment, to be used for Traveling to Omniscience.*

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[Tantric Series I, Class Two]

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I. How we rely upon a Lama, which is the very root of the path (Tibetan text page 1a)

A. What we do during our meditation sessions (1b)

[TS I, Class Three begins on 3a]

र्शेर्य

1. The preparation (1b)

[TS I, Class Four]

र्देशमाली

2. The actual practice (4b)

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a. Relying upon our Lama in our thoughts (4b)

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i. Practicing faith, which is the root of everything (5a)

[TS I, Class Five]

ii. Developing respect, through remembering our Lama's kindness (5b)

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b. Relying upon our Lama in our actions (6a)

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3. The conclusion (6b)

बुद सर्वस्थार सुद्देश्य म्यून स्वर्था

B. What to do between our meditation sessions (6b)

[TS I, Class Six]

यक्षेत्रत्वरार्ते हे सूर सुद प्रदेशया

II. How to train our mind, once we have taken ourselves to a Lama (6b)

र्वायम्रेरावा श्रीराधा मिरावत स्रीया व

A. Urgent advice that we should try to get the very essence out of our spiritual opportunities and resources (6b)

बुद ग्री दें चें या है ख़ूर ग्रु च

1. What to do during our actual meditation sessions (6b)

श्रुराय

a. The preparation (6b)

नर्देशःयादी।

b. The actual practice (7a)

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i. Contemplating how important our opportunities and resources are (7a)

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ii. Contemplating how hard it is to find these opportunities and resources (7b)

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c. The conclusion (8a)

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2. What to do between our meditation sessions (8a)

[TS I, Class Seven]

न्यावर्त्तेरायाक्षेटार्याहे सूरायेतायते स्वीता

B. The method for getting the essence out of our spiritual opportunities and resources (8a)

श्चेशन्तुः सुदः दुः दृदः श्वरः र्यदः त्ययः त्ययः श्चेः देशः दाः वा श्चेः सुदः वा

1. Training our minds in the steps of the path that are shared with those of lesser capacity (8a)

धुन मुँदिर्ने यह सूर मुन्त

a. What to do during our actual meditation sessions (8a)

श्चेंरःय

i. The preparation (8a)

५देशयाले।

ii. The actual practice (9a)

वक्रे'च'से'ह्या'य'चर्यस्याया

a) Contemplating impermanence, in the form of our coming death (9a)

[TS I, Class Eight]

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b) Contemplating the sufferings of the lower realms (9b)

[TS I, Class Nine]

c) Practicing taking shelter in the Three Jewels (10a)

[TS I, Class Ten]

यश्यत्वश्याये दिश्या मुन्ति ।

d) Developing intelligent belief in the laws of karma and its consequences (10b)

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iii. The conclusion (11a)

ধ্বুর'মর্ক্রমঝ'ঝ'ই'ঝুম'ন্ত্র'না

b. What to do between our meditation sessions (11a)

[TS II, Class One]

श्चीरानु त्रवेद न्दर शुर् सेंद नवे त्यस श्ची देसाय तार्मे श्वीद न

2. Training our minds in the steps of the path that are shared with those of medium spiritual capacity (11a)

बर-ध-र्नेब-वाहेर-क्री-क्री-नश्चे-पा

a. Learning to develop an aspiration for freedom (11a)

ब्रुम् क्यों दें के त्या है स्ट्रुम् क्या

i. What to do during our actual meditation sessions (11a)

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a) The preparation (11a)

र्देशयादी

b) The actual practice (11b)

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i) A contemplation upon the pain of the cycle in general (11b)

[TS II, Class Two]

विष्राचार्श्वार्श्वती स्थ्या मर्थिता चर्या सा

ii) A contemplation upon the various specific sufferings of each form of life in the cycle (12b)

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c) The conclusion (13b)

बुद्रासर्वस्थाः सुःहे सूरानुः न

ii. What to do between our meditation sessions (13b)

[TSII, Class Three]

वर पर तर्में नदे त्या मी रट नबिर निर्म तर दिन रा

b. Establishing just what the path for traveling to freedom is like (13b)

बुद्रा ग्री दें तें त्या है सूर ग्रामा

i. What to do during our actual meditation sessions (13b)

श्चेंरःय

a) The preparation (13b)

इर्देशयाली

b) The actual practice (14a)

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c) The conclusion (15a)

बुद्र सर्वस्य स्युः हे सूर हु न

ii) What to do between our meditation sessions (15a)

[TS II, Class Four]

श्चेरानु के देवे यया शुःरेयायाया स्री श्चराना

3. Training our minds in the steps that belong to the path of people of highest spiritual capacity (15a)

चिट क्रिन हैं स्थेयश नश्चेत

a. How to develop the Wish for enlightenment (15a)

वुरःकुवःहुःशेश्रशःवश्चुदःयःदर्देश

i. The actual practices for developing the Wish (15a)

a) How to develop the Wish for enlightenment through the advices on seven steps of cause and effect (15a)

बुद्रा की दें के लाहे सूर कुर का

i) What to do during our actual meditation sessions (15a)

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a1. The preparation (15a)



b1. The actual practice (15b)

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a2. Developing a sense of equanimity (15b)

[TS II, Class Five]

b2. Recognizing that all beings are our own mother (16b)

[TS II, Class Six]

c2. Remembering our mothers' kindness (17b)

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d2. Working to repay our mothers' kindness (18b)

[TS II, Class Seven]

e2. Developing love for our mothers (18b)

[TS II, Class Eight]

f2. Developing compassion for our mothers (19a)

[TS II, Class Nine]

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g2. Deciding to take personal responsibility to save our mothers (20a)

[TS II, Class Ten]

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h2. Reaching the Wish for enlightenment (20a)

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c1. The conclusion (21a)

बुदासर्वस्थाः सुद्देश्यान्या

ii) What to do between our meditation sessions (21a)

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[TSIII, Class One]

यन्याःयाल्यःसहसःयहेदःक्षेत्र्यःयुमःकुयःकुतःकुराःस्रेस्याय

b) How to cultivate the Wish for enlightenment through the dual practice of treating oneself and others the same; and then exchanging oneself and others (21a)

[TSIII, Class Two]

श्रेश्चराम्ब्रीट्र के म्यान्य स्ट्रिया

ii. Committing oneself to the Wish for enlightenment through a formal ceremony (22a)

र्श्रेसप्रसार्वित पर्वित परावुः व

a) Going from not having bodhisattva vows to having them (22a)

b) Keeping oneself from breaking the vows (23a)

[TSIII, Class Three]

शेसरानश्चेत्रत्राः श्चेत्रायः श्चेतः द्वा

b. How to train oneself in the actions of a bodhisattva, once we have attained the Wish (23b)

क्रियानवे स्रमाग्री सेंद्राया सेंद्राया सेंद्राया संदर्भा

i. How to train oneself in the general activities of a child of the Victors (23b)

बुदाग्री दें चें लाहे सूरा गुपा

a) What to do during our actual meditation sessions (23b)

ब्रुंर्य

i) The preparation (23b)

नर्देशःयाले।

ii) The actual practice (23b)

र्रक्रिन्ध्रेन्द्रेन्यरः ध्रेन्द्र्ग

a1. Practice relating to those actions which serve to ripen ones own mental continuum—the six perfections (23b)

श्रुव पद नुस्रम्य यो व

a2. The practice of giving (23b)

b2. The practice of an ethical way of life (24a)

[TSIII, Class Four]

c2. The practice of patience (24b)

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d2. The practice of joyful effort (25a)

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e2. The practice of meditation (25a)

विश्वास्यामी मुस्राया यो ब

f. The practice of wisdom (25b)

यालमः स्ट्रान् स्ट्रीमः द्वीतः प्रस्य प्रस्य विदेशः स्रम्य विदेशः

b1) Practice relating to the actions which ripen the minds of others—the four methods of gathering disciples (25b)

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iii) The conclusion (26a)

व्यन्यक्षर्यास्य हैं स्ट्रेम् मुन्ति सर्वे व

b) What to do between our meditation sessions (26a)

[TSIII, Class Five]

विराधराधराष्ट्रीय द्याया मेरेशाया श्रेतार्क्या

ii. How to train oneself, more particularly, in the last two of the perfections (26a)

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a) How to train ourselves in stillness (*shamatha*), which is the very essence of meditative concentration (26a)

विष्मी देश ता है कि मधित है की

i) What to do during our actual meditation sessions (26a)

a1. The preparation (26a)

नर्देशयाले।

b1. The actual session (26b)

[TSIII, Class Six begins at f. 27b]

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c1. The conclusion (28b)

विष.शक्षश्वादी, हा. क्षेत्र वि. यदु विषा

ii) What to do between our meditation sessions (28b)

[TSIII, Class Seven]

विश्वास्त्राणुः दे 'र्वा भूवा अर्थेद 'या वश्चव र्तुया

b) How to train ourselves in vision (*vipashyana*), which is the very essence of wisdom (28b)

बुद्रा हो दें दें त्या है सूर हु पदे रहें त्या

i) What to do during our actual meditation sessions (28b)

क्षेत्रःय।

a1. The preparation (28b)

नर्देशयाली

b1. The actual session (28b)

यादः बयायोः यद्याः स्रोदः यानुद्रः याः स्रयः द्रश्चा स्रोदेः र्दुः या

a2. How to meditate by establishing what the lack of a self to the person is like (28b)

यात्रशः दरः र्घः दयायाः चुतः श्रूदः र्तुत्यः देशः यतः यात्र नात्र दा

याबर याब्रेश या द्वियाय देश यदे याबर।

b3. Second of the four crucial points: seeing that the possibilities are covered (29b)

[TSIII, Class Eight]

यात्रद्रायाशुक्षायायदेत्रायदेशयाश्चियाययादेशायदेशयात्रद्रा

c3. Third of the four crucial points: coming to a definite understanding that the object is not one "real" thing (29b)

याबर प्रवेश्यायदेव प्रवे त् प्रवेश देश प्रवेश्यावर ।

d3. The fourth crucial point:

coming to a definite under-standing that
the object is not
multiple "real" things (30b)

[TSIII, Class Nine]

र्केशःग्रीःचन्नाः सेन्यान्त्रः यायनः त्रसः चर्त्तेसः यदेः र्कुवा

b2. How to meditate by establishing what the lack of a self to the person is like (31a)

स्र्रुंशः दुंशः स्टः चित्रेषः स्रोतः स्यः यात्रवः त्यः स्यः व्या

a3. How to meditate by establishing the lack of any self-nature to caused things (31a)

नेयार्थे।

a4. Material things (31a)

क्षाया

b4. Mental things (31b)

ख्र से र तर् हिरा

c4. Changing things
which are neither
material nor mental (31b)

त्तर्भः म्राचित्रः स्ट.चबुषः म्राट. त्याप्तरः व्याप्तरः व्यापत्तरः व्य

b3. How to meditate by establishing the lack of any self-nature to uncaused things (32a)

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c1. The conclusion (32b)

রুব মর্ক্রমশ শু ই শ্বেম দ্র দের র্থ

ii) What to do between our meditation sessions (32b)

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[TSIII, Class Ten]

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How—once we have prepared our mind with the shared path as described above—we *must now enter* the way of the diamond (32b)