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Śrī Śrī Girirāj-Govarddhan Ārati

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**jaya jaya girirājer āratika śobhā
śrī-braja-maṇḍala mājhe jaga mana lobhā [1]**

All glories to the beautiful ārati of Śrī Girirāj which is going on in Śrī Vraja-maṇḍal, attracting the minds of all living entities of the universe. [1]

**pramoda-madana-lila śrī-rādhā-ramaṇa
yathā nitya-lilā kare laye sakhi-gaṇa [2]**

Lord Śrī Rādhā-Ramaṇ is eternally playing His joyful Loving Pastimes there in the association of the Sakhīs of Śrīmatī Rādhārāṇī. [2]

**mālatī-mādhavī-kuñja kandare kandare
nigūḍha nikuñja-lilā hari manohare [3]**

Here deep within the groves of mālatī flowers and mādhavī creepers, the confidential Pastimes of the charming Lord Hari are going on. [3]

**śyāma-kuṇḍa rādhā-kuṇḍa kusuma sarovara
mānasa gaṅgā dāna-ghāṭī yāra abhyantara [4]**

Within this holy place are Śyāma Kuṇḍa, Rādhā Kuṇḍa, Kusum Sarovar, Mānasa Gaṅgā and Dānaghāṭī. [4]

**śrī-govinda-kuṇḍa lilāsthali nāhi sīmā
divānīśi-bhakta-vṛnda kare parikramā [5]**

With Śrī Govinda Kuṇḍa, these holy places of divine Pastimes are without limit. Day and night the devotees are performing circumambulation in worship. [5]

**‘śrīdhar-swāmī-sevāśram’ parama śobhana
yathā nitya-sevā kare sāraswata-gaṇa [6]**

Here there is the supremely beautiful Śrīdhar Swāmī Sevāśram where devotees of Śrī Chaitanya Sāraswat Maṭh are performing their eternal service. [6]

**abhinna śrī kṛṣṇa jñāne bhajibāra tare
mahāprabhu samarpilā raghunātha kare [7]**

Śrīman Mahāprabhu gave Śrī Śrī Girirāj-jīu to Śrī Raghunāth Goswāmī so that Śrī Dās Goswāmī could worship His Lordship knowing Him to be non-different from Krishna. [7]

**goswāmī śrī-raghunātha dāsere smariyā
nirantara sevā kare antarmmanā haiyā [8]**

The devotees of Śrī Chaitanya Sāraswat Maṭh worship Śrī Śrī Girirāj-jīu in a deep mood of devotion in remembrance of Śrī Raghunāth Dās Goswāmī. [8]

**jaya giri-govarddhan divya-rasālaya
rūpa-sanātana-jīva-raghunāthāśraya [9]**

All glories to Śrī Giri Govarddhan which is the abode of divine Rasa and the shelter of Śrī Rūpa, Sanātan, Jīva and Raghunāth Goswāmīs. [9]

**surendra-munindra-śiva-śuka-mahājana
dekhena āratī-śobhā durllabha-darśana [10]**

The beauty of the āratī of Śrī Girirāj-jīu which is rare and precious is being seen by Lord Indra, Nārada Muni, Lord Śiva, Śuka Goswāmī and all the great personalities. [10]

**sevyā o sevaka-rūpe nitya parakāśa
sānande āratī dekhe e adhama dāsa [11]**

Śrī Śrī Girirāj-jīu is eternally manifested as both the worshipable Lord and the servitor Lord. This fallen servant sees the āratī of Śrī Girirāj-jīu with great ecstasy. [11]
