

sri ketustotra mahaamantram

asya shri ketustotra mahaamantrasya vaamadeva
rushih anushtupp chandah ketur^ devataa ketuprasaadasiddhyar^tthe jape viniyogah

goutama uvaacha:

munindra suta tatvaj~ja
sar^vva shaastra vishaaradah
sar^vvarogaharam bruhi
ketoh stotramanuttamam. /*1*/

soota uvaacha:

shrunu gautama vakshyaami
stotrametadanuttamam
guhyaat guhyatamam ketoh
brahmanaa kir^ttitam puraa /*2*/

adyah karaalavadano
dvitiyo raktalochanah
trutiyah pimgalaakshashcha
chatur^ttho j~jaanadaayakah /*3*/

pa~jchamah kapilaakshashcha
shashthah kaalaagnisannibhah
saptamo himagar^bhashcha
dhumravar^nno&shtamastathaa /*4*/

navamah kruttakanthashca
dashamo narapidaka
ekaadashastu shrikantha
dvaadashastu gadaayudhah /*5*/

dvaadashaite mahaakruraah
sar^vopadravakaarakaah
par^vvakaale pidayanti
divaakaranishaakarou /*6*/

naamadvaadashakam stotram
ketoretan^ mahaatmanah
pathantiye&nvaham bhaktyaa
tebhyah ketuh prasidati /*7*/

kulatthadhaanye vilikhet

shatkonam mandalam shubham
patmamashtadalam tatra
vilikheccha vidhaanatah /*8*/

nilam ghatam cha samsthaapya
divaakara nishaakarou
ketum cha tatra nikshipya
poojayitvaa vidhaanatah /*9*/

stotrametat pathitvaa cha
dhyaayet ketumvarapradam
brahmanam shrotriyam shaantam
pujayitvaa kutumbinam /*10*/

keto karaalavaktrasya
pratimaam vastrasamyutaam
kumbhaadibhishcha samyuktaam
chitraadhaare pradaapayet /*11*/

daanenaanena supritah
ketuh syaat^ tasya soukhyadah
vatsaram prayatobhutvaa
poojayitvaa vidhaanatah /*12*/

moolamashtottarashatam
ye yajanti narottamaah
dosham ketuprasaadena
na kadaachit bhayam bhavet /*13*/