



॥ शिवाष्टोत्तरशत नामावलिः ॥

shiva-ashtottarashata-namavali

## The 108 Names of Lord Shiva

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| 1 | ॐ शिवाय नमः ।<br>Om Shivaya Namaha              | Obeisances to the Auspicious One                                  |
| 2 | ॐ महेश्वराय नमः ।<br>Om Maheshvaraya Namaha     | Obeisances to the Great God Shiva                                 |
| 3 | ॐ शंभवे नमः ।<br>Om Shambhava Namaha            | Obeisances to the God who exists for our happiness alone          |
| 4 | ॐ पिनाकिने नमः ।<br>Om Pinakine Namaha          | Obeisances to Shiva, who guards the path of dharma                |
| 5 | ॐ शशिशेखराय नमः ।<br>Om Shashishekharaya Namaha | Obeisances to the God who wears the crescent moon in his hair     |
| 6 | ॐ वामदेवाय नमः ।<br>Om Vamadevaya Namaha        | Obeisances to the God who is pleasing and auspicious in every way |
| 7 | ॐ विरूपाक्षाय नमः ।<br>Om Virupakshaya Namaha   | Obeisances to the God of spotless form                            |
| 8 | ॐ कपर्दिने नमः ।<br>Om Kapardine Namaha         | Obeisances to the Lord with thickly matted hair                   |
| 9 | ॐ नीललोहिताय नमः ।<br>Om Nilalohitaya Namaha    | Obeisances to the God splendid as the red sun at daybreak         |

10	ॐ शंकराय नमः । Om Shankaraya Namaha	Obeisances to the source of all prosperity
11	ॐ शूलपाणये नमः । Om Shulapanaye Namaha	Obeisances to the God who carries a spear
12	ॐ खट्वांगिने नमः । Om Khatvangine Namaha	Obeisances to the God who carries a knurled club
13	ॐ विष्णुवल्लभाय नमः । Om Vishnuvallabhaya Namaha	Obeisances to Shiva, who is dear to Lord Vishnu
14	ॐ शिपिविष्टाय नमः । Om Shipivishtaya Namaha	Obeisances to the Lord whose form emits great rays of light
15	ॐ अंबिकानाथाय नमः । Om Ambikanathaya Namaha	Obeisances to Ambika's Lord
16	ॐ श्रीकण्ठाय नमः । Om Shrikantaya Namaha	Obeisances to he whose throat is shining blue
17	ॐ भक्तवत्सलाय नमः । Om Bhaktavatsalaya Namaha	Obeisances to the Lord who loves His devotees like new born calves
18	ॐ भवाय नमः । Om Bhavaya Namaha	Obeisances to the God who is existence itself
19	ॐ शर्वाय नमः । Om Sarvaya Namaha	Obeisances to Shiva who is all
20	ॐ त्रिलोकेशाय नमः । Om Trilokeshaya Namaha	Obeisances to Shiva who is the Lord of all the three worlds
21	ॐ शितिकण्ठाय नमः । Om Shitikanthaya Namaha	Obeisances to the primal soul whose throat is deep blue
22	ॐ शिवा प्रियाय नमः । Om Shivapriyaya Namaha	Obeisances to the god who is dear to Shakti
23	ॐ उग्राय नमः । Om Ugraya Namaha	Obeisances to Shiva whose presence is awesome and overwhelming
24	ॐ कपालिने नमः । Om Kapaline Namaha	Obeisances to the God whose begging bowl is a human skull
25	ॐ खमारये नमः । Om Kamaraye Namaha	Obeisances to Shiva who conquers all passions
26	ॐ अन्धकासुरसूदनाय नमः । Om Andhakasura Sudanaya Namaha	Obeisances to the Lord who killed the asura Andhaka

27	ॐ गंगाधराय नमः । Om Gangadharaya Namaha	Obeisances to the God who holds the Ganges River in his hair
28	ॐ ललाटाक्षाय नमः । Om Lalatakshaya Namaha	Obeisances to the Lord whose sport is creation
29	ॐ कालकालाय नमः । Om Kalakalaya Namaha	Obeisances to Shiva who is the death of death
30	ॐ कृपानिधये नमः । Om Kripanidhaye Namaha	Obeisances to the God who is the treasure of compassion
31	ॐ भीमाय नमः । Om Bhimaya Namaha	Obeisances to Shiva whose strength is awesome
32	ॐ परशुहस्ताय नमः । Om Parashu Hastaya Namaha	Obeisances to the God who wields an axe in his hands
33	ॐ मृगपाणये नमः । Om Mrigapanayae Namaha	Obeisances to the Lord who looks after the soul in the wilderness
34	ॐ जटाधराय नमः । Om Jatadharaya Namaha	Obeisances to Shiva who bears a mass of matted hair
35	ॐ कैलाशवासिने नमः । Om Kailasavasine Namaha	Obeisances to the God who abides on Mount Kailas
36	ॐ कवचिने नमः । Om Kavachine Namaha	Obeisances to the Lord who is wrapped in armor
37	ॐ कठोराय नमः । Om Kathoraya Namaha	Obeisances to Shiva who causes all growth
38	ॐ त्रिपुरान्तकाय नमः । Om Tripurantakaya Namaha	Obeisances to the Lord who destroyed the three demonic cities
39	ॐ वृषांकाय नमः । Om Vrishankaya Namaha	Obeisances to the God whose emblem is a bull (Nandi)
40	ॐ वृषभारूढाय नमः । Om Vrishabharudhaya Namaha	Obeisances to Shiva who rides a bull
41	ॐ भस्मोद्धूलित विग्रहाय नमः । Om Bhasmoddhulita Vighraya Namaha	Obeisances to the Lord covered with holy ash
42	ॐ सामप्रियाय नमः । Om Samapriyaya Namaha	Obeisances to the God exceedingly fond of hymns from the Sama Veda
43	ॐ स्वरमयाय नमः । Om Svaramayaya Namaha	Obeisances to Shiva who creates through sound

44	ॐ त्रयीमूर्तये नमः । Om Trayimurtaye Namaha	Obeisances to the Lord who is worshiped in three forms
45	ॐ अनीश्वराय नमः । Om Anishvaraya Namaha	Obeisances to the undisputed Lord
46	ॐ सर्वज्ञाय नमः । Om Sarvagyaya Namaha	Obeisances to the God who knows all things
47	ॐ परमात्मने नमः । Om Paramatmane Namaha	Obeisances to the Supreme Self
48	ॐ सोमसूर्याग्निलोचनाय नमः । Om Somasuragni Lochanaya Namaha	Obeisances to the light of the eyes of Soma, Surya and Agni
49	ॐ हविषे नमः । Om Havishe Namaha	Obeisances to Shiva who receives oblations of ghee
50	ॐ यज्ञमयाय नमः । Om Yagyamayaya Namaha	Obeisances to the architect of all sacrificial rites
51	ॐ सोमाय नमः । Om Somaya Namaha	Obeisances to the Moon-glow of the mystic's vision
52	ॐ पंचवक्त्राय नमः । Om Panchavaktraya Namaha	Obeisances to the God of the five activities
53	ॐ सदाशिवाय नमः । Om Sadashivaya Namaha	Obeisances to the eternally auspicious benevolent Shiva
54	ॐ विश्वेश्वराय नमः । Om Vishveshvaraya Namaha	Obeisances to the all-pervading ruler of the cosmos
55	ॐ वीरभद्राय नमः । Om Virabhadraya Namaha	Obeisances to Shiva the foremost of heroes
56	ॐ गणनाथाय नमः । Om Gananathaya Namaha	Obeisances to the God of the Ganas
57	ॐ प्रजापतये नमः । Om Prajapataye Namaha	Obeisances to the Creator
58	ॐ हिरण्यरेतसे नमः । Om Hiranyaretase Namaha	Obeisances to the God who emanates golden souls
59	ॐ दुर्धर्षाय नमः । Om Durdharshaya Namaha	Obeisances to the unconquerable being
60	ॐ गिरीशाय नमः । Om Girishaya Namaha	Obeisances to the monarch of the holy mountain Kailas

61	ॐ गिरिशाय नमः । Om Girishaya Namaha	Obeisances to the Lord of the Himalayas
62	ॐ अनघाय नमः । Om Anaghaya Namaha	Obeisances to Shiva who can inspire no fear
63	ॐ भुजंगभूषणाय नमः । Om Bujangabhushanaya Namaha	Obeisances to the Lord adorned with golden snakes
64	ॐ भर्गाय नमः । Om Bhargaya Namaha	Obeisances to the foremost of rishis
65	ॐ गिरिधन्वने नमः । Om Giridhanvane Namaha	Obeisances to the God whose weapon is a mountain
66	ॐ गिरिप्रियाय नमः । Om Giripriyaya Namaha	Obeisances to the Lord who is fond of mountains
67	ॐ कृत्तिवाससे नमः । Om Krittivasase Namaha	Obeisances to the God who wears clothes of hide
68	ॐ पुरारातये नमः । Om Purarataye Namaha	Obeisances to the Lord who is thoroughly at home in the wilderness
69	ॐ भगवते नमः । Om Bhagavate Namaha	Obeisances to the Lord of prosperity
70	ॐ प्रमथाधिपाय नमः । Om Pramathadhipaya Namaha	Obeisances to the God who is served by goblins
71	ॐ मृत्युंजयाय नमः । Om Mritunjayaya Namaha	Obeisances to the conqueror of death
72	ॐ सूक्ष्मतनवे नमः । Om Sukshmatanave Namaha	Obeisances to the subtlest of the subtle
73	ॐ जगद्व्यापिने नमः । Om Jagadvyapine Namaha	Obeisances to Shiva who fills the whole world
74	ॐ जगद्गुरुवे नमः । Om Jagadgurave Namaha	Obeisances to the guru of all the worlds
75	ॐ व्योमकेशाय नमः । Om Vyomakeshaya Namaha	Obeisances to the God whose hair is the spreading sky above
76	ॐ महासेनजनकाय नमः । Om Mahasenajanakaya Namaha	Obeisances to the origin of Mahasena
77	ॐ चारुविक्रमाय नमः । Om Charuvikramaya Namaha	Obeisances to Shiva, the guardian of wandering pilgrims

78	ॐ रुद्राय नमः । Om Rudraya Namaha	Obeisances to the Lord who is fit to be praised
79	ॐ भूतपतये नमः । Om Bhutapataye Namaha	Obeisances to the source of living creatures, including the Bhutas, or ghostly creatures
80	ॐ स्थाणवे नमः । Om Sthanave Namaha	Obeisances to the firm and immovable deity
81	ॐ अहयेबुध्याय नमः । Om Ahirbudhnyaya Namaha	Obeisances to the Lord who waits for the sleeping kundalini
82	ॐ दिगंबराय नमः । Om Digambaraya Namaha	Obeisances to Shiva whose robes is the cosmos
83	ॐ अष्टमूर्तये नमः । Om Ashtamurtaye Namaha	Obeisances to the Lord who has eight forms
84	ॐ अनेकात्मने नमः । Om Anekatmane Namaha	Obeisances to the God who is the one soul
85	ॐ सात्विकाय नमः । Om Satvikaya Namaha	Obeisances to the Lord of boundless energy
86	ॐ शुद्धविग्रहाय नमः । Om Shuddha Vighraya Namaha	Obeisances to him who is free of all doubt and dissension
87	ॐ शाश्वताय नमः । Om Shashvataya Namaha	Obeisances to Shiva, endless and eternal
88	ॐ खण्डपरशवे नमः । Om Khandaparashave Namaha	Obeisances to the God who cuts through the mind's despair
89	ॐ अज्ञाय नमः । Om Ajaya Namaha	Obeisances to the instigator of all that occurs
90	ॐ पाशविमोचकाय नमः । Om Papavimochakaya Namaha	Obeisances to the Lord who releases all fetters
91	ॐ मृडाय नमः । Om Mridaya Namaha	Obeisances to the Lord who shows only mercy
92	ॐ पशुपतये नमः । Om Pashupataye Namaha	Obeisances to the ruler of all evolving souls, the animals
93	ॐ देवाय नमः । Om Devaya Namaha	Obeisances to the foremost of devas, demigods
94	ॐ महादेवाय नमः । Om Mahadevaya Namaha	Obeisances to the greatest of the gods

95	ॐ अव्ययाय नमः । Om Avyayaya Namaha	Obeisances to the one never subject to change
96	ॐ हरये नमः । Om Haraye Namaha	Obeisances to Shiva who dissolves all bondage
97	ॐ पूषदन्तभिदे नमः । Om Pashudantabhide Namaha	Obeisances to the one who punished Pushan
98	ॐ अव्यग्राय नमः । Om Avyagraya Namaha	Obeisances to the Lord who is steady and unwavering
99	ॐ दक्षाध्वरहराय नमः । Om Dakshadhvaraharaya Namaha	Obeisances to the destroyer of Daksha's conceited sacrifice
100	ॐ हराय नमः । Om Haraya Namaha	Obeisances to the Lord who withdraws the cosmos
101	ॐ भगनेत्रभिदे नमः । Om Bhaganetrabhide Namaha	Obeisances to Shiva who taught Bhaga to see more clearly
102	ॐ अव्यक्ताय नमः । Om Avyaktaya Namaha	Obeisances to Shiva who is subtle and unseen
103	ॐ सहस्राक्षाय नमः । Om Sahasrakshaya Namaha	Obeisances to the Lord of limitless forms
104	ॐ सहस्रपदे नमः । Om Sahasrapade Namaha	Obeisances to the God who is standing and walking everywhere
105	ॐ अपवर्गप्रदाय नमः । Om Apavargapradaya Namaha	Obeisances to the Lord who gives and takes all things
106	ॐ अनन्ताय नमः । Om Anantaya Namaha	Obeisances to the God who is unending
107	ॐ तारकाय नमः । Om Tarakaya Namaha	Obeisances to the great liberator of mankind
108	ॐ परमेश्वराय नमः । Om Parameshvaraya Namaha	Obeisances to the great God

॥ इति श्रीशिवाष्टोत्तरशत नामावलिः ॥

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Whoever chants these 108 auspicious Names of Lord Shiva, will be blessed by the Lord. This Shiva-Stotra is capable of removing all sins. May the lord of all beings become greatly pleased with anyone who has learnt this by heart and/or reads or recalls these names with single-mindedness!