

Verse 60

*Dīghā jāgarato ratti
dīgham santassa yojanam
Dīgho bālānam samsāro
saddhammam avijānatam*

Long is the night to the wakeful;
long is the league to the weary;
long is *samsāra* to the foolish
who knows not the Sublime Truth.

Meaning

<i>dīgha</i>	[Adj.] long
<i>jāgarato</i>	(to be) awake
<i>ratti</i>	night
<i>santa</i>	tired, wearied, exhausted
<i>yojana</i>	league (a measurement of distance)
<i>bāla</i>	[Adj.] the foolish, ignorant
<i>samsāro</i>	the cycle of birth and death
<i>saddhammam</i>	the true doctrine, sublime truth
<i>avijānam</i>	not knowing, ignorant