

Verse 1

*Karanīya mattha kusalena
Yantam santam padam abhisamecca
Sakko ujū ca sūjū ca
Suvaco cassa mudu anatimāni*

He who is skilled in good, and wishes to
attain that state of Peace, should act thus:
he should be able, upright, perfectly upright,
amenable to corrections, gentle and humble.

	<u>Meaning</u>
<i>Karanīyam</i>	Should be done
<i>attha</i>	(in) good
<i>kusalena</i>	with skill, skilful
<i>Yam tam</i>	that which
<i>santam</i>	peace, peaceful
<i>padam</i>	state
<i>abhisamecca</i>	(wish) to attain
<i>Sakko</i>	able, capable
<i>ujū</i>	morally upright
<i>ca</i>	and
<i>sūjū</i>	perfectly upright, honest, sincere
<i>Suvaco</i>	easy to advice, amenable to corrections
<i>cassa</i>	and (he) would be
<i>mudu</i>	gentle, mild, malleable
<i>anatimāni</i>	not proud, humble