Samudra Vasane Devi (prayer to Mother Earth)

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Transliteration	The Roman line is IAST transliteration derived from the Devanagari (ā = long a, ṃ = anusvara, ḥ = visarga, ś/ṣ = sh sounds, c = ch as in "church"). In Hindi, Awadhi and Braj texts the silent final "a" is dropped. Transliteration does not show Vedic accents.

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Type	Daily prayer
Version	Common version
Tradition	Common to many traditions
Source	Traditional devotional text (common printed and recited form) — Traditional morning verse
Credits	Traditional; public domain.

समुद्रवसने देवि पर्वतस्तनमण्डिते ।

samudravasane devi parvatastanamaṇḍite |

विष्णुपत्नि नमस्तुभ्यं पादस्पर्शं क्षमस्व मे ॥

viṣṇupatni namastubhyaṃ pādasparśaṃ kṣamasva me ||

Meaning

O Goddess clothed in the oceans, adorned with mountains, consort of Vishnu — salutations to you; forgive me for touching you with my feet.

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