

Requests to the Lineage Gurus

Gyäl wa gya tshöi rig Dag Dor je chhö

**To Vajradharma, lord of the family of
the ocean of victorious ones;**

- *Vajradharma, family holder;*

Gyäl wäi yum chhog Dor je näl jor ma

**Vajrayogini, supreme mother of
the victorious ones;**

- *Vajrayogini, supreme mother;*

Gyäl sä thu wo na ro ta päi zhab

**Naropa, preeminent child of
the victorious ones,**

- *Naropa, chief son of the victors:*

SöI wa Deb so lhän kye ye she tsöI

**I request: please bestow the innate exalted
wisdom.**

- *Please bestow great bliss and void wisdom.*

Sang chhen lob shä Dzin päi pham thing pa

**To the Pamtingpas, holders of the explana-
tions of the great secrets for disciples;**

- *Pamtingpas, holders of great secrets;*

Sang Dzö kün gyi ter gyur she rab tseg

**Sherab Tseg, you are a treasure of all
the secret treasures;**

- *Sherab Tseg, treasure of all secrets;*

Sang ngag gya tshöi nga Dag mäl löi zhab

**Mal Lotsawa, chief of the ocean of secret
mantra,**

- *Mäl Lotsawa, secret mantra lord:*

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wisdom.**

- *Please bestow great bliss and void wisdom*



Dor je chhang wang la chhen sa kya pa
**To the great Sakya lama [Kunga Nyingpo],
 powerful lord Vajradhara;**

- *Sachen Kunga Nyingpo, Vajradhara;*

Dor jei sä chhog je tsün sö nam tse
Jetsun Sonam Tsemo, supreme vajra child;
 ▪ *Sönam Tsemo, supreme vajra child;*

Dor je Dzin päi tsug gyän Drag päi zhab
**Dragpa [Gyaltsen], crown ornament of vajra
 holders,**
 ▪ *Dragpa Gyältsen, vajra holders' crown:*

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 wisdom.**

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Sa kya pän chhen gang chän khä päi Je
**To the great Sakya Pandita, lord of
 the scholars of the land of snows;**
 ▪ *Sakya Pandita, master scholar;*

Sa sum kye güi tsug gyän phag päi tshän
**[Chogyal] Phagpa, crown ornament of all
 beings of the three levels;**
 ▪ *Chögyäl Phagpa, crown of all three realms;*

Sa kyäi tän Dzin zhang töön chhö Jei zhab
**Shangton Choje, holder of the Sakya
 doctrine,**
 ▪ *Shangtön Chöje, holder of Sakya:*

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 wisdom.**

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Drub päi wang chhug nam za Drag phug pa

To Namza Dragpugpa, powerful lord of adepts;

- *Naza Dragpugpa, lord of adepts;*

Drub chhog khä päi De pön chhö kyi je

Dharma Lord [Sonam Gyaltsen], supreme adept, helmsman of scholars;

- *Sönam Gyältsen, master realized one;*

Drub rig nyän gyü nga Dag yar lung par

Yarlungpa, chief of the whispered lineage of adepts,

- *Yarlungpa, realized lineage chief:*

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Dag zhän Dro wäi kyab gön gyäl wa chhog

To Gyalwa Chog, refuge-protector of all living beings, myself and others;

- *Gyälwa Chog, protecting all beings;*

Dag nyi chhen po jam yang nam khäi tshän

Dagchen Jamyang Namkha Gyaltsen;

- *Jamyang Namkha Gyältsen, great being;*

Dag chhen chhö je Io Drö gyäl tshän zhab

Dagchen Lodro Gyaltsen, lord of the Dharma,

- **Lodro Gyältsen, great lord of Dharma:*

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Ka Drin nyam me je tsün Do ring pa

To Jetsun Doringpa, unparalleled in kindness;

- *Jetsün Doringpa, kindness unmatched;*

Ka zhin Drub päi tän Dzin lo säl wang

Holder of the teachings, powerful Losal [Gyatso], who practiced as advised;

- *Losel Gyatso, practiced gurus' words;*

Ka gyü sang chhen ma wa khyen tsei zhab

[Jamyang] Khyentse, propounder of the oral lineage of the great secrets,

- *Jamyang Khyentse, expounds great secrets:*

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Rig ngag chhang wa lab sum gyäI tshän

Dang

To Labsum Gyaltsen, holder of knowledge mantras;

- *Labsum Gyältsen, mantra knowledge one;*



Rig gyäI khyab Dag wang chhug rab tän päI

Glorious Wangchug Rabten, pervasive lord of the hundred families;

- *Wangchug Rabten, hundred family lord*



Rig kyi tso wo je tsün kan gyur wa

Jetsun Kangyurwa, principal of the families,

- *Jetsün Kagyur, family principal:*

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KyiI khor nya tshöi khyab Dag zha lu wa
To Shaluwa, pervasive lord of the ocean of mandalas;
 ▪ *Shaluwa, mandala ocean lord;*

KyiI khor kün gyi tso wo khyen rab je
Khyenrabje, principal of all the mandalas;
 ▪ *Khenrabje, head of all mandalas;*

KyiI khor khor löi Dag po mor chhen zhab
Morchenpa, lord of the circle of mandalas,
 ▪ *Morchenpa, mandala circle lord:*

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Nyän gyü nya tshöi De pön nä sar wa
To Nesarwa, helmsman of the ocean of the whispered lineage;
 ▪ *Nesarwa, the whispered-line helmsman;*

Nyän gyü nga Dag lo säI phün tshog Dang
Losal Phuntsog, chief of the whispered lineage;
 ▪ *Losel Phuntsog, lord of whispered line;*

Nyän gyü pel khä tän Dzin thrin lä zhab
Tenzin Trinley, skilled in spreading the whispered lineage,
 ▪ *Tenzin Trinley, whispered-line scholar:*

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Gan Dän tän Dzin khyab Dag kan gyur wa
To the pervasive lord Kangyurwa Ganden Tenzin;

- *Kangyurwa, lord of Ganden doctrine;*



Gan Dän Dar gyä nyig Dü Dro wäi nyen
Ganden Dhargye, friend of living beings in the time of degeneration;

- *Ganden Dhargye, friend of all beings;*



Gan Dän Iug Dzin Dhar ma bha Dräi zhab
Dharmabhadra, holder of the Ganden tradition,

- *Dharmabhadra, Ganden line holder:*



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Do gyü kün gyi lam gyi nä Dzog päi
To Lozang Chophel, chief of sutra and tantra,

- *Losang Chöpel, sutra-tantra lord,*



Do gyü nga Dag lo zang chhö pheI Dang
Who completed the essentials of the paths of all sutras and tantras;

- *You completed main points of all paths;*

Do gyü peI khä jig me wang pöi zhab
Jigme Wangpo, skilled in spreading sutra and tantra,

- *Jigme Wangpo, sutra-tantra sage:*



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Na ro kha chö min Dröl lam zang nä

To Dechen Nyingpo, blessed by Naropa

- *Dechen Nyingpo, blessed by Naropa,*

Na ro pa zhin leg par Dom pa la

To instruct perfectly—just as Naropa did—

- *Explains like Naropa perfectly*

Na rö jin lab De chhen nying po la

**In the essentials of the excellent ripening
and liberating paths of Naro Khechari,**

- *Essence of Naro dakini path:*

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Dor jei go phang Drüb päi nye lam chhog

To Lozang Yeshe, vajra-holder,

- *Losang Yeshe, the vajra holder*

Dor je tsün möi min Dröl Dam päi Dzö

**Treasury of instructions on the ripening
and liberating paths of the Vajra Queen,**

- *Of treasure of Vajra Queen teachings,*

Dor je Dzin pa lo zang ye she la

**The supreme quick path for accomplishing
the vajra state,**

- *Quick path to attain the vajra state:*

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wisdom.]**

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The verse for your own root guru⁵ or the verses to Lama Zopa Rinpoche and his gurus can be inserted here.⁶

Kye rim zab mo kha chö näI jor Dang

Please grant me blessings that, through the force of meditating

- *Bless me please through the force of my practice*

Dzog rim ü mäi näI jor gom päi thü

On the profound Khechara yoga of the generation stage

- *On Dakini yoga of kye rim*

De chhen lhän kye ye she kye wa Dang

And the central channel yoga of the completion stage,

- *And shushuma yoga of dzog rim*

Kha chö go phang thob par jin gyi lob

I may generate the exalted wisdom of innate great bliss and attain the state of Khechara.

- *Please grant spontan'ously born great bliss.*

Blessings of the Four Initiations

Request three times, saying:

Kyab nä kün Dü la ma la

To the guru encompassing all objects of refuge,

- *I request you, dear Lama,*

SöI wa Deb so jin gyi lob

I request: please grant blessings;

- *Essence of refuge jewels,*

Wang zhi Dzog par kur wa Dang

Please confer the four initiations completely,

- *Please grant four empowerments.*

Ku zhii go phang tsäI Du söI (3x)

And bestow the state of the four bodies. (3x)

- *Bestow please, the four bodies. (3x)*