



LEAVES

FROM THE BODHI TREE

❧ *O Buddha, the worship of thee consists in doing good to the world. --Bhakti Sataka.*

❧ *Why should we cling to the perishable body? In the eye of the wise, the only thing it is good for is to benefit one's fellow creatures. --Katha Sarit Sagara*

❧ *Our deeds are not lost, they will surely come back again. --Kokaliya-sutta.*

❧ *He who is tender to all that lives . . . is protected by heaven and loved by men. --Fa-kheu-pi-u.*

❧ *Who is a (true) spiritual teacher? He who, having grasped the essence of things, ever seeks to be of use to other beings. --Prasnottaramalika.*

❧ *Humble in mind, but large in gracious deeds, abundant in charity to the poor and helpless.*

❧ *Day and night the mind of Buddha's disciples always delights in compassion. --Dhammapada.*

❧ *Surely if living creatures saw the consequence of all their evil deeds, . . . with hatred would they turn and leave them, fearing the ruin following.*

❧ *When pure rules of conduct are observed, then there is true religion. --Fo-sho-king-tsan-king.*

❧ *Not superstitious rites, but kindness to . . . servants, reverence towards venerable persons, self-control with respect to living creatures, . . . these and similar virtuous actions are the rites which ought indeed to be performed. --Rock Inscription of Asoka.*

❧ *Hear ye all the moral maxim, and having heard it, keep it well; "Whatsoever is displeasing to yourselves never do to another." --Bstahgyur.*

For my Husband
With my deepest
love -
Sarah

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