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Samaṃ paçyan hi sarvatra samavasthitam āçvaram
Na hinañi ātmanā ātmanāṇaḥ. Tatō yāti param gatim.

Qui videt, ut cunctis animantibus insidet idem
Rex et, dum pereunt, haud perit—ille videt!
Nolet anim, sese dum cernit in omnibus ipsum,
Ipse nocere sibi: quo via summa patet.

Çṛś-Bhagavad-Gītāsu, xiii. 27, 28.
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