

## **HYMN TO BUDDHA VAJRADHARA (Dorje Chang Buddha), H.H. GREAT DHARMA KING WAN KO YESHE NORBU**

To the magnificent Buddha Vajradhara whose brilliance outshines the suns of a billion galaxies and whose wisdom surpasses all holy and ordinary beings;  
I humbly bow and offer my devotion.

To the bearer of the Holy Scepter whose emanation graces this mundane world and blesses us with His sacred words and holy actions,  
I humbly bow and offer my devotion.

To He who has as disciples the Five Buddhas of the Five Directions and through whom we fortunate ones can gain realization of our true nature,  
I humbly bow and offer my devotion.

To the One who teaches Buddhas and other Holy Beings the secret doctrines and delights the Universe,  
I humbly bow and offer my devotion.

To the One who reincarnated as the great layman, the Honorable Vimalakirti, to teach Buddhas and Bodhisattvas as well as the close disciples of Shakyamuni Buddha,  
I humbly bow and offer my devotion.

To He who is praised by Buddhas and Bodhisattvas as well as Dharma kings and enlightened beings and unenlightened beings from the six realms,  
I humbly bow and offer my devotion.

To He who shows a tiny glimpse of what is possible through His incredible achievements in the Five Vidyas,  
I humbly bow and offer my devotion.

To the Great Artist and Creator, who blesses us with works of such beauty and skill as to delight the senses and touch our hearts,  
I humbly bow and offer my devotion.

To the Great Healer, who by using the Galloping Horse Vajra Instrument of Hayagriva eliminates our suffering and pain and who fixes all that is broken,  
I humbly bow and offer my devotion.

To the Master of Sound, who can compassionately caress with soft words and roar like a lion and whose poetry and couplets inspire countless followers,  
I humbly bow and offer my devotion.

To the Great Logician, who understands the workings of karma and knows our pasts and future,  
I humbly bow and offer my devotion.

To the Fully Realized One, who possesses the supernormal powers that can raise the dead and  
confer longevity and blessings,  
I humbly bow and offer my devotion.

To He who Communicates with the Buddhas and Bodhisattvas and brings us Their blessings and  
empowerments  
I humbly bow and offer my devotion.

To the Great Compassionate and All-Generous One, who endlessly gives of himself and His  
wealth so that we unworthy vessels may learn and practice the True Dharma,  
I humbly bow and offer my devotion.

To He who can answer any question and selflessly shares His own boundless merit to help us  
inferior ordinary beings find the Way,  
I humbly bow and offer my devotion.

To the Fearless Leader, who gives us the shortest of lineages and the true Buddha Dharma for  
this dark era,  
I humbly bow and offer my devotion.

To He who expounds the Truth in such simplicity and demonstrates its practice in ordinary  
things,  
I humbly bow and offer my devotion.

To the One who enables me to expiate my negative karma through His many empowerments  
and blessings,  
I humbly bow and offer my devotion.

To He who uses his own merit to raise the consciousness of my dear relatives so that they may  
go to the Buddha Lands,  
I humbly bow and offer my devotion.

Even though these pitiful words are woefully inadequate in their praise and ability to express  
my admiration and gratitude to my priceless Master,  
I humbly bow and offer them in loving devotion.

*Composed by a grateful disciple with a heart of utmost devotion,  
Zhaxi Zhuoma Rinpoche at Hua Zang Si in San Francisco, California on November 17, 2006 and  
revised when I learned He was H.H. Dorje Chang Buddha III.*