EIAD 78. Memorial pillar from Gangaperuru

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〈1〉 [1+][1×]r[.] Ācariyana(ṁ) _putasa〈2〉 (na)radasagotasa sivadā(sa) gogaha(ṇa)〈3〉sagām(e) saga(gatasa) chāy(ā)khaṁbh(o)

Apparatus

〈1〉 [1×] r[.] ◇ *[.]ura* Srinivasan 1965–1966; *(pari)* Parabrahma Sastry 1977. — 〈1〉 Ācariyana(ṁ) ◇ *Ācariyanaṁ* Srinivasan 1965–1966; *Ācariya* Parabrahma Sastry 1977.

〈2〉 naradasagotasa ◇ *sudasa gonasa* Srinivasan 1965–1966; *bhārādasa gotasa* Parabrahma Sastry 1977. — 〈2〉 sivadā(sa) • We expect *sivadā(sa)〈sa〉*, a clear instance of haplography. — 〈2〉 gogaha(ṇa) ◇ *gogahane* Srinivasan 1965–1966; *(gārgabha)* Parabrahma Sastry 1977.

〈3〉 saga(gata)sa ◇ *sagaha(ta)sa* Srinivasan 1965–1966; *-sa ge [2×](sa)* Parabrahma Sastry 1977. — 〈3〉 chāy(ā)khaṁbh(o) ◇ *chāyakhaṁ(bha)* Srinivasan 1965–1966; *chāya khaṁbha* Parabrahma Sastry 1977.

Translation

Memorial pillar of Sivadāsa of the Nārada gotra, son of the (...) masters, who died (lit. went to the heavens, *svargagata*) in battle, (on the occasion of) a cattle raid.

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First edited by Srinivasan 1965–1966 and then by Parabrahma Sastry 1977, p. 1 (1). Although no reference is made to any previous edition, Parabrahma Sastry's 1977 publication almost certainly concerns the same inscription as that published by Srinivasan. It is re-edited here from published documentation.

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