

Three Jewels Chant

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Moderate ♩ = 132

Piano introduction in 3/4 time. The piece is in C major. The first four measures are whole rests in the treble clef. The bass clef plays a steady eighth-note accompaniment. Chords are indicated above the staff: C, Bb, C, Bb.

Repeat several times
Stack in optional harmonies on repeats

9 C *Melody* Bb C
Bud - dham sa - ra - nam, ga - cha - - mi.
Harmony

Vocal and piano accompaniment for the first line of the chant. The melody is in C major, and the harmony is in Bb major. The lyrics are: "Bud - dham sa - ra - nam, ga - cha - - mi." The piano accompaniment consists of a melody in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand.

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B♭maj⁷

Om

24

Shan - ti

29 B♭

C

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Dhammam saranam gacchami- I take refuge in the Dharma (enlightened teachings)

Sangham saranam gacchami- I take refuge in the Sangha (enlightened community)

All Voices

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Bud-dham sa-ra-nam, ga-cha-mi.

Harmony

21 Bbmaj⁷

Om Shan-ti

28 Bb C

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Melody

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C B \flat C B \flat

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9 C *Melody* B \flat C

Bud - dham sa - ra - nam, ga - cha - - mi.

21 B \flat maj⁷

Om Shan - ti

29 B \flat C

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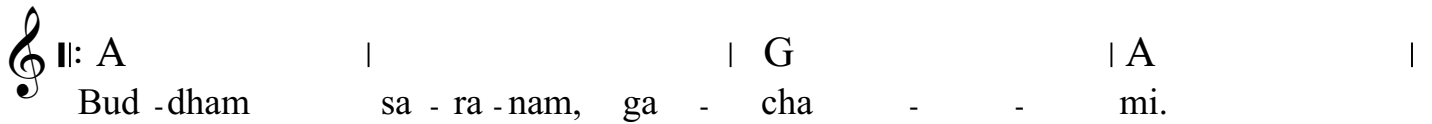
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Capo 3rd fret



Melody Repeat several times
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Gmaj⁷ | | |

Om _____

G | | A | ||

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Buddham saranam, gachami.
Dhammam saranam, gachami.
Sangham saranam, gachami.
Om Shanti Omm.

(Repeat several times.)

Interpretation of Lyrics:

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