## SREE MAHAABHAARATHAM

## AADHI PARVVAM

#### 6. Agni Saapam or Curse of Agni

Having realized that she was the same lady, who he wished and wanted to marry, Puloma Raakshasan abducted and carried her away. On the way Puloma, who was pregnant, delivers the child. His name is Chyavana. The child was shining like Soorya or Sun-god. Under the power of the brilliance of that child the Raakshasa was burnt into ashes. Puloma went back with the child. Bhrigu came to know that it was Agni who told the truth to the Raakshasa Puloman, Bhrigu cursed Agni.

#### Soothan Said:

Oh, Dhvijoththama or Braahmana Sreshtta Saunaka! Having heard truthful words like these from Agnidhevan, the Raakshasa Puloman disguised in the form of a boar and carried away Puloma in the speed of Vaayu or wind - even of imagination. 1

Suddenly, the child lying in the womb of Puloma got angry and annoyed and dropped with its own power. Because it got dropped by itself the child got the name Chyavanan, meaning the one dropped. 2

Seeing the child who abandoned the womb of his mother and came out as shining as brilliant Sun of the noon, the Raakshasa left Puloma and burned to ashes with the effulgence of the new-born Chyavana. 3

Carrying that new-born offspring Chyavanan, the son of Bhrigu Muni, Puloma, who was afflicted and distracted with pain and grief, rushed back to the Aasramam. 4

Brahma Pithaamaha, who is the grandfather of all, saw his son's - Bhrigu's - wife, who was faultless, respectable, and fully chaste, weeping non-stop and dripping tears continuously. 5

Brahmadheva consoled and pacified the wife of Bhrigu. The tears came out of her eyes got converted into a river. 6

Seeing the river of the tears formed along the path of the foot-step she went, Padmajan or Brahmadhevan said- 7

This river will be known by the name Vaddhoosara - thus Brahmadhevan put the name to this river as Vaddhoosara or Vaddhoosarith - and it flows even today to the Aasramam of Chyavana Maharshi. 8

That is the story of the birth of Chyavanan, the son of Bhrigu Muni. The father having seen his son, Chyavanan, and the charming young lady 9

Bhrigu became a little bit angry, and rage asked Puloma.

## Bhrigu Said:

Who told the Raakshasan, Puloman, who came to steal and abduct you. 10

He could have never recognized the most beautiful and charming wife of me. Come on! Tell me immediately. I am raged with anger and curse him. 11

Who in the world is not scared of my curse? Who committed this mischief?

# Puloma Said:

It was Agni who told about and shown me or identified me to that Raakshasan. 12

Then the Raakshasan carried me, who was crying like a Kurari Pakshi or female osprey, and ran away in the speed of wind. Then I was saved with the splendor and effulgence of your, this new-born, son. 13

That Raakshasan abandoned or left me and got burned to ashes.

# Soothan Said:

Having heard like that as told by Puloma, his wife, Bhrigu got extremely angry and enraged. 14

# And Bhrigu cursed Vahni or Agnidhevan that 'let you become the eater of all.'

So ends this section.

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