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## Samyak Krtam

**Subhāśitam** By Kavita Shah, Mumbai

The third *Paddhatiḥ* of *Nītiśatakam* is मानशौर्यपद्धति: (*Mānaśauryapaddhatiḥ*), which highlights the मान: (*Mānaḥ* Honour) and शौर्य: (*Śauryaḥ* Valour) of the being.

## सिंहः शिशुरपि निपतति मदमलिनकपोलभित्तिषु गजेषु ।

प्रकृतिरियं सत्ववतां न खलु वयस्तेजसां हेतुः ।।

simhaḥ śiśurapi nipatati madamalinakapolabhittiṣu gajeṣu / prakṛtiriyaṁ satvavatām na khalu vayastejasāṁ hetuḥ //



The lion cub even though young, attacks on the forehead of the wild elephant. It's the lion cub's nature by birth (of courage). To be courageous does not depend on one's age.

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