

**Na taṃ kammaṃ kataṃ sādhu,
Yaṃ katvā anutappati,
Yassa assumukho rodaṃ,
Vipākaṃ paṭisevati.**

(Dhp. V. 67)

It is not befitting that one should do any deed, which having done, one repents, and the result of which has to be reaped with tearful eyes and lamentation.