

**Puññañ ce puriso kayirā,
Kayirāthetaṃ punappaṇaṃ,
Tamhi chandaṃ kayirātha,
Sukho puññaṃ uccayo.**

(Dhp. V. 118)

A person who does meritorious deeds, repeatedly performs such acts finding pleasure therein; since, accumulation of merits conduces to happiness.