

# Pearls of Wisdom

## Mantra Pearls



### Lakṣmī Mantra

### A Verse From the Devīsūktam (Mārkaṇḍeya Purāṇa)

yā devī sarvabhūteṣu lakṣmīrūpeṇasamsthitā  
namastasyai namastasyai  
namastasyai namo namaḥ

Unto self-effulgent-limitless-Goddess who (as material-cause) is inand-through the entire universe; who manifests as all forms of grace; who is wealth-sustenance-nourishment; salutations to Her; salutations to Her again and again; in every heartbeat, my salutations to Her.



## om hrīm śrīm paramalakṣmyai namaḥ

My reverential salutations to she who is absolute wealth free from any limitation.

Laksmi is the goddess of wealth & abundance. She manifests as all wealth in the form of children, house, food, animals, strength, knowledge, health, money. She represents the sustenance principle. Laksmi represents the ever flow of life. All that comes and goes. If wealth comes, it has to be shared. When there appears to be no wealth, than one is worthy of asking for help. As you are Laksmi. All that is here, is Laksmi. She helps us to neutralize the sense of unworthiness.

## Laksmi's sacred number

8

## Guided Meditation

**Laksmi tools & seeing her as Goddess**

**Laksmi's hands:** are always open, one in Abhaya Hasta , the hand of fearlessness and the other in Varada Mudra, the hand of every giving, sharing . The most common form of Laksmi is the one where money flows from one hand and from the other hand. Wealth has to be shared for the greater good of all beings.

**Laksmi sitting in a lotus flower** - most attractive- coming from the mud blooming into a sacred flower after having processed pain, denial and the unconscious



**Laksmi as a goddess** - all is sacred - everything is her expression  
Laksmi as the cause of the whole universe - everything comes from her, exists in her and goes back to her, she is the manifest and the unmanifest. She is consciousness, awareness, being, that lends existence to all the temporary appearances: names, forms and functions.

**Laksmi as all power** - as she is the powerful she gives and takes without being at somebody's side. She is sideless, sideless intellect free from binding likes and dislikes.

**Laksmi as the giver of the fruits of our actions** - she is the law of karma, abiding in dharma, appearing as dharma, universal values

**Laksmi as the infallible mother** - she is free from limitations, she cannot fail.

**Laksmi Consort of Vishnu** - the left side, the sacred feminine ever in harmony with the sacred masculine, ultimately resolving in pure being relationshiplessness as pure awareness pure existence through self knowledge of aham brahmasmi, i am Laksmi.

## Invocation of Laksmi Devi

with the mantra om hreem shreem paramalaksmiyai namaha: 3 times, 11 times or more.

Visualize offering flowers with each chant after the word Namaha from your heart to Laksmi

Devi in your preferred form.

State your sankalpa 'intention':

Example:

I invoke Laksmi Devi to grant me the vision where I can see myself and look at myself with love, awe and gratitude.



I invoke Laksmi Devi to help me neutralize the sense of unworthiness.  
I invoke Laksmi Devi to help me manage my desires and discriminate between auspicious desires and non auspicious desires that are ultimately good for me and others.

I invoke Laksmi Devi to help me see all my relationships as a blessing so that I can grow.

I invoke Laksmi Devi's grace to neutralize any sense of possessiveness and see all possessions as a gift, knowing that they are temporary and have nothing to do with my wholeness, happiness or security.

I invoke Laksmi Devi's grace to see her in all that is.

I invoke Laksmi Devi to see the infinite abundance that is, resides and pervades in and through all that is, including the ever changing nature of this world.

I invoke Laksmi Devi to neutralize comparison, competition, jealousy and rivalry and discover myself as ever unique with all the gifts that have been gifted to me in order to embody and share the love that I am.