THE THUNDERING DRUMBEAT INVOKING WISDOM MIND

A Prayer for the Swift Rebirth of Dudjom Sangye Pema Shepa Rinpoche

DAY CHEN DÜN NA YO MÉ NAY CHA ZHING
You who abide unwaveringly in front of those with faith,

T'HUK JÉ JUK PA LOK WAY RAB NYUR WA
And whose compassion reaches us even more swiftly than lightning,

TSHO KYEY GYAL WA RIK DZIN LHA YI TSHOK
Lake-Born Buddha, awareness holders, and hosts of deities,

DUNG WAY BÖ DO YÜ TSAM DIR GONG SHIK
I call out to you in despair – please look upon me for a brief moment.

DÜ JOM KYÉ T'HRENG SANG GYAY Ö KYI TER
Dudjom incarnations, treasures of the light of the Buddhas

KÜN MONG MAK GI MÜN PA T'HAR TRÉ NAY
Who banish the black darkness of ignorance
And make the Lotus petals of the Great Secret Nyingma Teachings

Blossom in every direction, to you I pray.

Your authentic study and practice was the face of the clear mirror

In which the vivid reflection of the hosts of deities of your experience and realization appeared.

Supreme Nirmanakaya Emanation, you suddenly passed into parinirvana

Before you had even reached maturity – what is this display?

Alas! Alack! How the assemblies of your genuine disciples cry out,

Like travelers who have lost their way!
Now none of us can see the activity of your wisdom form,

And we are bereft of the good fortune to be able to hear your wisdom speech.

May the sun of your unmistaken emanation,

Led by the green wind-horse of your compassionate vow,

Shine upon the eastern mountain peak of your fortunate disciples,

Blazing with light and brilliantly clear.

This was written by Sakya Trichen Ngawang Kunga at the request primarily of His mother, and of all of his retinue and followers together, which was conveyed by Tulku Pema Wangyal Rinpoche. May it be meaningful.