Prayers for the Swift Reincarnation of
Kyabje Dodrupchen Rinpoche

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Kye ma ho! Ku-sum chig-dzog gyal-wa dro-we-gon
Alas! The Victorious One, Lord of Beings, Embodiment of the three Kayas,

Nga-gyur ten-pe nyi-ma Do-drub-je
The sun of the doctrines of the Ancient Translation Tradition -- Dodrupchen,

Thub-ten nyin-jed Thrin-le Pal-zang-po
(Known as) Thub-Tan Thrin-le Pal-Zang-Po, --

Thug-je'i jug-pa ma-lhod ying-ne-gong
From the ultimate sphere - please pay attention to us without resting,

Ten-pa nyin-zhin gud-pa'i dü-tha-dir
At such a decadent time when the Dharma is degenerating day by day,

Ten-pe ded-pon khyed-nyid chi-chir-sheg.
Why has the leader of teachers of Buddhism left us?

Gyu-drey lang-tor chö-chod mi-shey-pa'i
At such a time, when people do not know the principles of karmic cause and effect or how to practice Dharma,
Gon-med nyig-dū do-wa su-la-re
On whom are such protection-less beings of this age of dregs to rely?

Tsa-sum dam-chan sung-me lha-tshog-kyee
Assembly of the Three Roots and the Protectors,

Jin-lab den-thu lu-wa med-pa-yee
By the power of your truth, free from deception,

Tshung-med thub-ten thrin-le pal-zang-pö
You who are the incomparable Thubtan Thrin-le Pal-Zang-po --

Yang-tul dro-wa'i pung-nyen myur-jon-tsol
Please reincarnate to serve all beings.

Do-ngag chö-kyi khor-lor wang-gyur-wa'i
You who are empowered over the cycles of all sutras and tantras,

Nying-thig Ten-pa'i nyi-ma nyur-jon-tsol
And who are the sun of the teachings of the Heart-Essence -- please arise again.

Rim-nyee nal-jor lam-kyi tsal-dzog-pe
You who have perfected the skills of the trainings of the two-stages,
Gyu-thrul nga-wa chen-po nyur-jon-tsol
And achieved the great illusory accomplishments --
please manifest again.

Kye-wa kun-tu pal-den la-ma-yi
In all our successive births, may we never be separated from

Dor-je sum-kyi shee-dang mi-dral-war
The true nature of your three Vajras.

Kun-kyang rig-dzin nam-zhi'i sa-drod-de
May all beings accomplish the four stages of Vidyadhara-hood and

Tshe-chig zung-jug ku-ch'og drub-par-shog
Attain Supreme Union Body in one life-time.

As requested by the Lamas, Tulkus, Monks, and devotees of Gangtok, Sikkim, this is prayed by Long Yang, a mere holder of the name of the Fifth Dodrupchen on the 27th day of the 11th month of Iron Ox year of Rab-gyan. (International year - 29th day of the first month of 2022). May the Three Roots and Protectors please grant this prayer as prayed.
Prayer for Swift Rebirth of Dodrupchen Rinpoche
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Namo guru vajradharāya!

Emanation of Sangye Lingpa, the universal sovereign of the profound treasures

Of the deathless vidyadhara Padmasambhava,

Vital axis of the teachings of the kama and terma, Lord Dodrupchen,

Tubten Trinlé Pal—'Glorious Enlightened Action for the Sage’s Teachings'—to you I pray.

Although the pure kaya, the indestructible essence, is all-pervasive,

Clear light, naturally arising, the actual nature of great bliss,

And is beyond the conceptual characteristics of departing and returning,
Still, I pray you may return in an illusory rupakaya with all the signs and marks of perfection.

From the qualities of scriptural learning and realization, like the mandalas of sun and moon,

Your teaching and practice illuminate the Buddha’s teaching throughout the four continents,

Magnificent and incomparable protector of the teachings and beings,

Glorious guru, may your emanation swiftly reappear!

In the Great Perfection’s clear light of awareness and emptiness,

The four visions, the most secret essence of the paths,

Manifest the fourfold results of spontaneous presence:
dzin la drenmé yangtrul nyur jön sol
Peerless holder of these teachings, may your emanation swiftly reappear!

palden chok sum gyukar trengvé zi
Resplendent amidst the constellation of the glorious Three Supreme Ones,

zakché zakmé lek jé bum gyi tü
Through the power of a hundred thousand positive deeds, tainted and untainted,

tsungmé lamé yangtrul dawé zhal
May we swiftly have the good fortune to encounter

nyurdu jalwé kalzang ngöngyur chik
The moon-like face of this incomparable guru’s emanation!

As the auspicious interdependent condition for the swift return of an emanation of this incomparable lord of refuge and root guru, Dodrupchen Rinpoche, and in response to a request from the community at his seat of Dodrup Monastery in Sikkim, the one called Tudeng Nima, who holds the name of a disciple of this sole refuge and lord of the mandala and who was the lowest of his devoted subjects, made this prayer in Hong Kong on the twenty-sixth day of the eleventh month of the Iron Ox year (28 January 2022). May virtue abound!
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By Tulku Theglo

E-ma-ho! Rig-tong Trö-tral chö-kü lha-lam-yang
Wonderful! From the boundless divine sphere of Dharmakaya, the union of awareness and emptiness, freedom from concepts,

Lhun-drub sal-tong dzin-med nyin-ched-kyi
The spontaneously accomplished (unity of) clarity and emptiness -- the sun, free from grasping,

Rol-tsal gag-med dul-cha'i tsal-zhed-pa
Is ceaselessly playing to inspire the garden of disciples to blossom.

Pal-den la-ma'i zhab-la sol-wa-deb
At the feet of the glorious Lama I pray.

Kang-ki zug-ku'i kod-pa nang-ying-bub
The display of your form-body has merged

khyad-chö drug-den bum-kur sang-gye-kyang
Into the inner sphere of the youthful vase with sixfold extraordinary qualities.

Dag-sog ded-den mö-pa'i dang-tsho-ru
However, for us faithful devotees, clear as a lake,
myur-du yang-tul thrul-med da-zhon-sar
May the youthful-moon of your undeluded reincarnation please

Wang-chog sa-dzin thrag-ne char-wa-mon
Arise from the shoulders of the earth in the West.

La-ma chog-sum den-pe jin-lab-dang
By the blessings of the truth of the Lamas, the Triple Jewels, and

Kha-dro chö-kyong sung-me'i nü-thu-sog
By the power of the Dakinis and Dharmapala protectors

Dag-chag lha-sam dag-pa'i den-tob-kyee
And the power of the absolute purity of our intentions --

Deng-dir mon-pa yid-zhin drup-par-shog
May our aspirations be accomplished as we prayed.

At the time Kyabje Dodrup Rinpoche attained nirvana -- this aspiration prayer for unmistakable swift rebirth was composed by Padma Thegchog Tenpe Gyaltse on the 25th of 11th month of Iron Ox year of the 17th Rabjung.
Prayer for the Swift Reincarnation of Kyabje Dodrupchen Rinpoche

This was adapted from Kyabje Dudjom Rinpoche’s long life prayer for Dodrupchen Rinpoche by Ven. Tulku Thondup Rinpoche

Lu-med kyab-ne gya-tsho’i chin-thu yee
By the power of the ocean-like infallible refuges,

Jig-med Thub-ten Thrin-le Pal-Bar kyi
May Jigme Thubten Thrinle Palbar’s

Chok-ki Tul-ku’i Nyin-Jed Nang-ba-yee
Excellent Tulkus, blazing like suns,

Lab-ch’en Ten-dro’i Zhed-don Nyur-drup-shog
Swiftly accomplish all his wishes for the Dharma and beings.