The Song of Enlightenment

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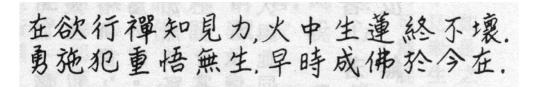
TEXT:

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COMMENTARY:

PRACTICE DHYANA IN THE MIDST OF DESIRE, THROUGH THE POWER OF KNOWLEDGE AND INSIGHT./ Although Great Master Fu and Kumarajiva had women attendants, they were not affected by desire, and they cultivated Dhyana Samadhi and other practices. Their power of knowledge and insight was not misdirected.

THE LOTUS BORN IN THE FIRE IS NEVER DESTROYED./ What was explained above is like a lotus which is planted in the midst of a fire and yet is never destroyed.

COURAGEOUS DONOR'S OFFENSES WERE SERIOUS; HE AWAKENED TO NON-PRODUCTION./ Although the Bhikshu Courageous Donor committed a serious offense, he was nevertheless able to repent, and he awakened to non-production.

HE REALIZED BUDDHAHOOD EARLY, AND IS HERE NOW./ He has already become a Buddha, and is here right now.