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一國巍巍一寶王。無朝無暮起祥光。

尼拘律樹真金果。優鉢羅華輭玉房。

見體自明非日月。知春長在不冰霜。

又遊佛刹歸來也。贏得天葩滿袖香。



By Chan Master Chu Shi Fanqi of Tianning Monastery in Haiyang County (1296 - 1370)

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Most magnificent is the world of the supreme Jewelled King!

Amidst the profusion of auspicious lights, there is no day or night.

Giant nyagrodha trees bear fruits of pure gold;

Blue utpala flowers form pods of supple jade.

Perceive one's intrinsically bright nature, unaided by sun and moon;

Realize the state of perpetual spring, free of frost and ice.

Returning from yet another visit to the myriad Buddha-lands,

One's sleeves are perfumed by the fragrance of heavenly blossoms.

