Prayer for the Swift Return of Barway Dorje

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Emaho!

DÜ NE MI GYUR KUN ZANG TUK KYI ZHI
From the ground, Samantabhadra’s mind, unchanging from the beginning,

JA TSOL DREL WA NYUK MA'I LONG CHEN POR
The great effortless natural expanse,

DE CHEN DOR JE RANG TSAL CHI YANG TRO
Flows the infinite display of vajra great bliss.

RANG RIG DÖN GYI LA MAR SOL WA DEP
I pray to self-awareness, the ultimate guru!

PEMA KARA JE BANG NYER NGA DANG
Padmākara, twenty-five disciples,

NANG SI ZIL NŌN KARMA PA LA SOK
Karmapa who overpowers apparent existence,

DRUB PA'I RIK DZIN CHEN PO NAM KYI Tǌ
And all great accomplished vidyādharas: Through your power
DRO WA'I GÖN PUNG NYUR DU JIN GYUR CHIK
May he come back soon to protect and help beings!

MI SÜN GÜ PA SHIN TU DAR WA YI
Uncontrollable ruin is everywhere now

NYAM TAK NYIK MA'I DRO LA TSER GONG NE
Think with love of desperate degraded beings.

SE CHE GYAL WA'I TUK JE CHIK DÜ PA'I
You embody in one the compassion of all victors and their children.

KYAB NE RIN CHEN ZHING DIR NYUR CHAR SHOK
Precious source of refuge, please come back here swiftly!

DE LA BAR CHE LOK PAR TSOM PA YI
Guardians of the teachings with samaya and your retinues

JUNG PO'I YI CHEN TAM CHE TSER CHÖ PA'I
Of the eight classes who eradicate those

TEN SUNG DAM CHEN DE GYE KHOR CHE KYI
With demonic minds who would perversely prevent this:
TÜN PA'I DROK DANG PA WA'I PUNG KYE CHIK
Please assist in this; be strong and mighty!

DE TAR CHÖ KHOR LO KYIL KHOR NE
From the mandala of dharma’s wheel

CHÖ MIN YI KYI DÜN PA TSE CHIK PA'I
I pray this with one-pointed, unfabricated longing.

DUNG WA'I BÖ PA GYANG NE SEN NGE NA
I know you hear my distant cry, my need.

DREL TOK MA LÜ JE SU DZIN PAR DZÖ
Please care for all who are connected to you!

I first met the third Barway Dorje when I was little. With unwavering faith and samaya he served the teachings and especially the supreme victor Rigpe Dorje, the lord of his family. He was extremely kind to me through his whole life. As he has passed into peace for a while, his consort Chötso asked me to write a prayer for his swift return; so I, known as Ogyen Trinley Dorje, moistened by the blessed dew of the Karmapa’s name, wrote down whatever occurred to me on April 4, 2021. Virtue!