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गृहः साक्षात् परव्रतम् तस्मै श्रीगुरवे नमः।

for Swamiji (Shri Swami Shishu Satyavidhehanand Saraswati).

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द्योमातीतो निररुप्तः।
बिन्दुः नाद कलातीतः।
तस्मै श्री गुरवे नमः।

The meaning of above mentioned Sanskrit sloka is: That Guru who is the representative of the unchangeable, ever present, peaceful spirit, who is one pointed and beyond the realm of space and time, whose vision is always enchanting, I salute such a Guru.

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