Ja 65 — The Story about Discontent

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Text

Verse 1 — Pali source

1. Yathā nadī ca panto ca, pānāgāraṁ sabhā papā,

Evaṁ lokitthiyo nāma – nāsaṁ kujjhanti paṇḍitā ti.

Verse 1 — English

Just like rivers and highways, taverns, assembly halls and cisterns, so are women in the world – the wise do not get angry with them.