## राग दरबारी - १

## श्रीलाल शुक्क

| adj   | adjective   | m   | masculine               |
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| adv   | adverb      | pl  | plural                  |
| conj  | conjunction | pp  | postposition            |
| f     | feminine    | ने  | verb takes ने           |
| invar | invariable  | (₹) | verb sometimes takes ने |

देहात m – countryside

सवारी f – vehicle, conveyance; passenger

सागर m - sea

छप्पर m – a thatched roof

महासागर m – ocean

सड़ा adj – rotten

यक्रीन m – certainty, confidence

स्थानीय adj – pertaining to a place (स्थान

X को यक़ीन होना - for X to be convinced, m), local

assured

क्षमता f – ability, capacity

बलात्कार m - violence, coercion; (also)

rape

X के अनुसार pp – according to X

सत्य m – सच m – truth

कबाड़ m - collection of old things,

furniture, scrap, rubbish

पहलू m – side, aspect

निगाह f – look, glance

चालू adj – current; (also) in working order

गिनती f - counting

डैना m – wing

प्रायः adv – generally, nearly, mostly

खूबसूरती f – सुन्दरता f – beauty

जनता f – people, populace

ख़तरा m - danger

मनपसन्द adj – favorite

मिटना – (lit.) to be erased, to be reduced पेय m – drink

or eliminated

| गर्द adj – dirty                         | दक्षता f – dexterity                    |
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| चीकट adj – greasy                        | सबूत m – evidence                       |
| इस्तेमाल m – use                         | नुस्खा m – recipe                       |
| इस्तेमाल करना – to use                   | कूड़ा m – garbage                       |
| खौलना – to boil                          | स्वादिष्ट adj – tasty (स्वाद m – taste) |
| आदि – etc.                               | खाद्य adj – eatable                     |
| X के सहारे pp – with the support of $X$  | पदार्थ m – substance                    |
| आँधी f – storm                           | तरकीब f – means, plan, contrivance      |
| मक्खी f-a fly                            | अकेला adj – alone                       |
| मच्छर m – a mosquito                     | तेज़ी f – speed                         |
| हमला m – attack                          | घोखा m – deceit                         |
| बहादुरी f – bravery                      | धोखा देना <sup>‡</sup> – to deceive     |
| मुक़ाबला m – confrontation, challenge    | शिकायती adj – complaining (शिकायत       |
| मुक़ाबला करना <sup>†</sup> – to confront | f – complaint)<br>कथा f – story         |
| कारीगर m – craftsman                     | साहित्य m – literature                  |
| हस्त m – hand                            |   |
| 2  | योगदान m – contribution                 |
| कौशल m – skill, dexterity                | अधिकारी m – an official (lit. – one who |
| वैज्ञानिक adj – scientific               | possess authority)                      |
| ······································   | हास्यास्पद adj – ridiculous             |

| ৰান্ত f – corner of the mouth            | कर m – hand                             |
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| बाछें खिलना idiom – to become happy      | पद m – foot                             |
| जिस्म m – body                           | अरुण adj/m – reddish brown; the sun     |
| आख़िरी adj – last                        | खद्र m – खादी f – thick, coarse kind of |
| ताकना <sup>†</sup> – to look, to gaze at | cotton cloth                            |
| छिपाना <sup>‡</sup> – to hide            | पैजामा m – pajama                       |
| निर्विकार adj – unchanged; changeless    | टोपी f – cap                            |
| ढंग m – manner                           | बदन m – body                            |
| दुकानदारिन f – a female shop             | कन्धा m – shoulder                      |
| owner/attendant                          | लटकना — to hang, to dangle              |
| लापरवाही f – carelessness                | भूदानी adj – brown                      |
| उतरना – to descend                       | चमड़ा m – leather                       |
| सम्भावना f – possibility                 | अटैची f – suitcase                      |
| घुमाना <sup>‡</sup> – to turn            | शिरिमान – श्रीमान                       |
| हुलिया m – appearance, facial features   | टेढ़ा-मेढ़ा adj – zig-zag, twisted      |
| नव adj – new                             | लपेट f – coil, circumference            |
| कंज m − lotus                            | X से फ़ुरसत f – respite or rest from X  |
| लोचन m – eye                             | वीरान adj – desolate                    |
| मुख m – face                             |   |

| सड़क f-road                             | कोण m – an angle                                  |
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| प्रयोग m इस्तेमाल m – use               | जाँघ f – thigh                                    |
| फिसलना – to slip                        | दबाना <sup>†</sup> – to press down                |
| गिरना – to fall                         | यथास्थान – in proper place                        |
| गज़ m – a yard                          | लम्बा adj – long, tall                            |
| दबना – to be pressed; to be             | सिरा m – end (of a stick, cloth), extremity       |
| suppressed                              | ठोंकना <sup>†</sup> – to drive/put in by pounding |
| रफ़्तार f – speed                       | सवार adj – mounted                                |
| हुक्मत f – शासन m – rule                | पैदल adj – walking, on foot                       |
| प्रशंसा m – praise                      |   |
| पत्र m – letter                         | इक्का m – a one-horse vehicle                     |
| ग्रहण करना – to accept, to receive      | सवारी f – vehicle; passenger                      |
| कोशिश f – effort                        | ख़ौफ़ m – fear                                    |
|   | X के मारे pp – stricken by X, because of X        |
| चाहे जितना conj – however much;         | X 47 41 < pp - stricken by X, because of X        |
| however great                           | भागना — to run                                    |
| लौटना — to return                       | निगाह f – view, glance                            |
| खाँचा m - groove                        | आग f – fire                                       |
| ऊँचा adj – tall, high                   | लहर f – wave                                      |
| अंश m – (here) degree of rotation; part | खाड़ी f – bay, gulf                               |

| उठना — to rise   | दुर्घटना f – accident  |
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| तूफ़ान m – storm of wind and rain                          | X – वश – out of, in the power of $X$                                 |
| बदकलाम adj – impolite                                      | दुर्घटनावश adv – accidentally  |
| अहलकार m – clerk, officer                                  | नंग-धड़ंग adj – stark naked  |
| पिंडारी f – a Maratha freebooter, lawless                  | बचना – to be saved   |
| adventurer<br>गिरोह m – gang                               | पुलिया f – a small bridge; a drainage pipe                           |
| 14(16 m – gang   | X के सहारे – by or alongside or with the                             |
| ऐलान m – घोषणा f – announcement,                           | support of X   |
| declaration  | छिपकली f – lizard  |
| जानवर m – animal   | C  |
| छूटना — to be released                                     | गिरना — to fall  |
| हालचाल m – state   | प्रभावित होना – to be affected                                       |
|  | ज़रा – a little bit; when it precedes a                              |
| क्या हालचाल हैं? – How are things? How are you getting on? | request it adds a sense of 'don't want to trouble you much,' 'just') |
| देहात m – countryside                                      | खुलासा m – gist, essence   |
| शिष्टाचार m – courtesy, good or proper                     | परसाल m/adv – last year  |
| conduct  | 2  |
| मुस्कुराना – to smile                                      | बीमार पड़ना – to fall sick   |
| घास f aracs  | तन्दुरुस्ती f – health   |
| घास f – grass  | बात बनाना <sup>†</sup> – to invent a story                           |
| खोदना <sup>†</sup> – to dig                                |  |
|  | सन्देह m – doubt, suspicion  |

| मासूमियत f – innocence                                   | ज़ोर से साँस छोड़ना ै – to sigh                                  |
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| लोट-पोट होना – rolling or tossing about                  | दशा f – हालत f – condition, state                                |
| with laughter; to be delighted or thrilled               | निरीक्षण m – inspection, investigation                           |
| कहना m – a remark, an account                            | बैलगाड़ी f – bullock-cart  |
| छोड़ना <sup>†</sup> – to let go, to leave                | टाँग f−leg   |
| हवालाती m – one who is detained in custody               | फैलाना <sup>†</sup> – to spread                                  |
| खून m – murder; (also) blood                             | लोकप्रिय adj – popular (लोक m – world, people; प्रिय adj – dear) |
| मामला m – matter   | सिद्धान्त m – a principle, a doctrine                            |
| खून सूखना idiom – for blood to dry up<br>because of fear | X के अनुसार pp – according to $X$                                |
| भराना – to become hoarse and husky (the                  | गाड़ीवान m – carter, driver                                      |
| throat)  | ढाँपना <sup>‡</sup> – to cover                                   |
| अजी interjection – used for calling a                    | 77.71  |
| person; sometimes used to express astonishment           | क़ाबिलियत f – ability  |
| कम पड़ना – to lessen                                     | अभ्यास m – practice  |
| थूकना <sup>÷</sup> − to spit                             | चुपचाप adv – quietly   |
| झुँझलाना – to be irritable, to snap                      | घसीटना <sup>†</sup> – to drag                                    |
| चिड़िया f – bird   | जनता f – people  |
| साँस f – breath  | जनार्दन m – a name of Vishnu, God                                |

मज़मून m – topic, sense हिम्मत f – spirit, courage उखड़ना – to become displeased or offended; (also) to be rooted up diety आरोह m - rising, ascending अवरोह m – descent X के बावजूद pp - in-spite of X horn) डरावना adj – scary राह f – way, path एकदम से adv – suddenly

छुना <sup>†</sup> – to touch घृणापूर्वक adv - with hatred डाँटना <sup>†</sup> – to display (a dress) हमला m – attack लड़खड़ाना – to stagger, to wobble जाँच-पडताल f - investigation सरलता f – ease (सरल adj – easy) तुक f – logic, sense

सीटी f – whistle

सीटी बजाना <sup>३</sup> – to whistle कुहनी f – कोहनी f – elbow कीर्तन m – group singing of rhymes to a पकड़ना <sup>के</sup> − to hold; (also) to catch बजना – to be played, to be blown (for a अनसुना adj – unheard, disregarded अनसुना करना <sup>†</sup> – to pretend not to hear; to turn a deaf ear to कनपटी f – the temple कारवाई f – operation, proceedings खौफ़नाक adj – terrifying, fearsome पटरी f – edge, border; pavement आशीर्वाद m - blessing सैंकड़ा m – an amount of a hundred सैंकडों adv – hundreds of; in hundreds संख्या f – a number, a figure, counting प्रगति f – progress

| इस्तेमाल m – use                             | दोष m – fault, defect                                    |
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| इस्तेमाल होना – to be used                   | प्रश्न m – सवाल m – question                             |
| धीमा पड़ना – to slow down                    | बहस f – argument, debate                                 |
| ख़ाकी – dust or earth colored; uniform       | दुश्मन m – enemy   |
| cloth<br>इशारा m – sign, indication          | सुलूक m – treatment, conduct (usually good or courteous) |
| अफ़सरनुमा adj – appearing like an officer    | कर्मवाद m - the doctrine that salvation                  |
| X-नुमा – (from Persian) appearing as X       | is/can be attained by doing one's Karma/<br>duty         |
| चपरासी m – orderly, peon                     | सिद्धान्त m – principle                                  |
| सिपाही m – soldier                           | सच्चा adj – true   |
| लूट f – plundering, loot                     | भगवान m – God  |
| लूट-खसोट f – plundering, pilferage           | अपमान m – insult, disrespect                             |
| छीनना <sup>†</sup> – to snatch               | बदला m – revenge   |
| खटखटाना <sup>‡</sup> – to make a knocking or | मौक़ा m – opportunity                                    |
| rattling sound                               | मौक़ा निकालना 🕯 – to find/take out an                    |
| जलाना <sup>†</sup> – to light, to kindle     | opportunity  |
| दुनदुनाना <sup>ने</sup> − to sound           | जत्था m – group, party                                   |
| छूना <sup>†</sup> – to touch                 | सामान्य adj – general                                    |
| गड़बड़ी f - disorder, confusion              | दशा f – condition  |

| आर्थिक adj – economic, financial                                       | खुशामद f – flattery, fawning                                      |
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| दुरवस्था f – दुर् – bad, inferior; व्यवस्था f –<br>state, organization | सुलगाना <sup>‡</sup> – to kindle, to light                        |
| उपस्थित adj – present  | किराया m – rent   |
| उपसमिति f – (उप – resembling, subordinate; समिति f – committee)        | पोशाक f – clothes   |
| विषय m – subject   | जाँच f – examination, inspection                                  |
| विशेषज्ञ m – specialist  | फ़र्ज़ m – obligation (moral, religious),<br>duty; responsibility |
| हैसियत f – capacity, ability; status                                   | चिढ़ाना <sup>†</sup> – to tease                                   |
| विचार m – thought  | असली adj – real   |
| खुला adj – open  | नक़ली adj – fake  |
| अधिवेशन m – session, meeting   | फेरना <sup>†</sup> – to turn (sthg.) round                        |
| गोष्ठी f – assembly, meeting   | मुसीबत f – difficulty, trouble                                    |
| मिमियाती adj – bleating  | तालीम f – education   |
| माफ़ करना <sup>के</sup> − to forgive                                   | वर्तमान adj – present, current                                    |
| हुज़्र m – Your Highness   | शिक्षा f – education  |
| चालान m – invoice, bill, fine  | पद्धति f – method, system (of teaching)                           |
| एकाध adj – one or two (एक – one, अध –                                  | कुतिया f – bitch  |
| half)<br>भरना <sup>®</sup> – to fill                                   | जुम्ला m – sentence   |

| घिरना – to collect around, to gather      |   |
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|   | वायु f – air, wind  |
| सद्भावना f – goodwill                     | सेवन m – taking, consuming  |
| अरदली m – an orderly or attendant         |   |
| सन्यासी m – an ascetic                    | लगे-हाथ idiom – to do something simultaneously with something else one is |
| Araiai III – ali ascelle                  | already doing   |
| खनक f-ringing, clinking sound             | बाज़ार जा ही रहे हो तो लगे हाथ बिजली का                                   |
| मैल f – dirt, filth                       | बिल भी जमा कर आना ।   |
| बीड़ी f – (kind of cigarette) twist of    | मल-मूत्र m – excrement and urine  |
| tobacco rolled in a tobacco leaf          | विसर्जन m – releasing   |
| आख़िरी adj – last                         |   |
| कश m – a draw, inhaling (of a cigarette,  | घूर m- heap of excrement/dung   |
| etc.)                                     | पटे adv – lying flat  |
| रवाना adj – departed, despatched          | बदबू f – foul smell   |
| गोल adj – round                           | बोझ m – burden  |
| धुन f – tune                              | गर्भवती adj – pregnant  |
| धुँधलका m – twilight; dawn                | अलसाया adj – drowsy   |
| गठरी f – bundle, package                  | घुआँ m – smoke  |
| कतार f – line                             | जाला m – web, net   |
| इत्मीनान से – with composure, contentedly | इन्कार m – denial, refusal; no  |