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Best of all creatures,  
Who set me and many others  
Free from pain.

All pain is understood,  
The cause, the craving is dried up,  
The Noble Eightfold Way unfolds,  
I have reached the state where everything stops.

I have been,  
Mother,  
Son,  
Father,  
Brother,  
Grandmother;  
Knowing nothing of the truth  
I journeyed on.

But I have seen the Blessed One;  
This is my last body,  
And I will not go  
From birth to birth again.

Look at the disciples all together,  
Their energy,  
Their sincere effort.  
This is homage to the Buddhas.

Maya gave birth to Gautama  
For the sake of us all.  
She has driven back the pain  
Of the sick and dying.
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