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संवादमिममश्रीपमद्भुतं रोमहर्षणं ॥  
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तेभ्यस न मे सिन्धु त्वदन्यः प्रियतरो भुवि ॥

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*So have I read this wonderful and spirit-thrilling speech,  
By Krishna and Prince Arjun held, discoursing each with  
each;*

*So have I writ its wisdom here,—its hidden mystery,  
For England; O our India! as dear to me as She!*

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