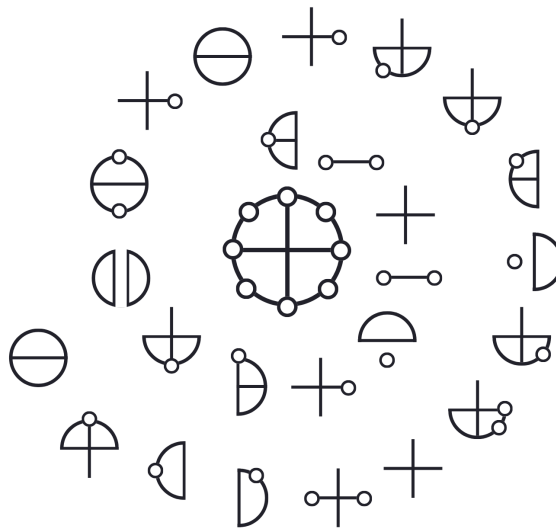


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The Declaration of Forty-Eight: Katakamuna Verse 04 as the Opening of the Song Sequence

A Structural Reading of Katakamuna Verse 04

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IHA TO HANI KAMI NA RI TE KA TA KA MU NA
YO SO YA KO TO HO KU SI U TA

Acoustic Protocol (Romanized)

Ee-Hah-Toh-Hah-Nee · Kah-Mee-Nah-Ree-Teh · Kah-Tah-Kah-Moo-Nah

Yoh-Soh-Yah · Koh-Toh · Hoh-Koo-Shee · Oo-Tah

ABSTRACT

Katakamuna Verse 04 is the fourth of eighty songs — and the last of the four that form the structural preface to the full sequence. Where Verses 01 through 03 described the primordial resonance, the root of all individual existence (KAMI), and the condition of life (MIKOTO), Verse 04 closes the preface and opens the main body: it declares that the forty-eight Sonic Elements (YO SO YA KO TO) will now be laid out and systematically presented (HO KU SI U TA). The structural preconditions are established first: ISR and VPR are confirmed (I HA TO HA NI), the root force KAMI is released into phenomena (KA MI NA RI TE), and KA TA KA MU NA names the mediating mechanism. Then the declaration: forty-eight elements, systematically given as song. The seventy-five Verses that follow proceed from this declaration. This reading is offered as structural suggestion to future investigators.

Index Terms — Katakamuna, Forty-Eight Sonic Elements, ISR/VPR Framework, YO SO YA, HO KU SI, Declaration, Structural Reading.

INTRODUCTION: THE FOURTH SONG

Verse 01 established the primordial resonance (HI BI KI) and the permanent ISR/VPR connection (U TSU SHI MA TSU RU). Verse 02 named KAMI as the root of all individual existence in the VPR. Verse 03 described the condition of life (MIKOTO) and the universal principle of existence (FU TO MA NI). These three Verses form a structural preface: the foundational framework on which everything that follows rests.

Verse 04 is the fourth song and the last of the preface. Seventy-five Verses remain. Verse 04 stands at the threshold between the foundational framework and the main body of the eighty songs, and it declares what is about to begin: the forty-eight Sonic Elements, laid out systematically as song.

PHASE 1: I HA TO HA NI THE STRUCTURAL PRECONDITIONS

SE: I / Ee



SE: HA / Hah



SE: TO / Toh



SE: HA / Hah



SE: NI / Nee

I: Numeral 5 — the state in which positive and negative have arisen; the condition of bipolarity.

HA: the character whose geometrical structure places small circles at both the ISR-side and VPR-side positions — the bipolar field spreading across the full extent of both realms.

TO: the crossing and integration of ISR and VPR.

HA: the bipolar field spreading again — the second HA confirming the bilateral extension.

NI: settling with certainty; becoming defined as a stable presence.

I HA TO HA NI: from the state in which positive and negative have arisen (I), the bipolar field spreads (HA), ISR and VPR cross and integrate (TO), the bipolar field spreads again (HA), and the result settles with certainty into the phenomenal world (NI). The structural preconditions for all phenomenal generation — confirmed and in place.

PHASE 2: KA MI NA RI TE THE ROOT FORCE RELEASED

SE: KA / Kah



SE: MI / Mee



SE: NA / Nah



SE: RI / Ree



SE: TE / Teh

KA: the root force; the source energy of the ISR.

MI: as realised form; as a manifest entity.

NA: repeating, continuing, particularising.

RI: separating, dividing; the quality of differentiation.

TE: in a state of positive and negative; the bipolar condition.

KA MI NA RI TE: KAMI (established in Verse 02 as the root of all individual existence) releasing itself (KA MI) through repeated separation (NA RI) into bipolar phenomenal form (TE). The root force passes through the preconditions established in I HA TO HA NI and arrives in the phenomenal world as differentiated, bipolar phenomena.

The modern Japanese kaminari (雷, thunder and lightning) preserves this sonic sequence directly: the electrical discharge between sky and earth — the root force released as a bipolar phenomenon between two realms — carries the structural image of KA MI NA RI TE. The Katakamuna concept came first; the Japanese word inherited it.

KA TA KA MU NA: THE MEDIATING MECHANISM

SE: KA / Kah



SE: TA / Tah



SE: KA / Kah



SE: MU / Moo



SE: NA / Nah

KA TA KA MU NA has appeared in each of the first four Verses, each time in a different structural role: as declaration (Verse 01), as structural mechanism (Verse 02), as the operative connection between the realms (Verse 03). Here, placed after I HA TO HA NI and KA MI NA RI TE, it names the mediating mechanism through which the preconditions and the released root force are connected — the interface that makes what follows possible.

PHASE 3: YO SO YA KO TO THE FORTY-EIGHT SONIC ELEMENTS

SE: KA / Kah



SE: MI / Mee



SE: NA / Nah



SE: RI / Ree



SE: YO / Yoh



SE: SO / Soh



SE: YA / Yah



SE: KO / Koh



SE: TO / Toh

YO: Numeral 4.

SO: Numeral 10. In archaic Japanese, the word for ten was so — a distinct term from the modern jū. The use of SO rather than TO (Numeral 10 in the standard progression) is structurally significant: TO carries the specific thought-image of ISR/VPR crossing and integration, and this meaning would have been incompatible with its use as a simple numeral here. SO preserves the count of ten without importing an unintended thought-image — a constraint that reveals the priority of the sonic element system over the numeral system.

YA: Numeral 8.

YO (4) × SO (10) + YA (8) = 48.

KO: repeating, ceaselessly.

TO: integration, arrival at completion.

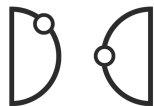
KO TO: the forty-eight words — the forty-eight Sonic Elements of Katakamuna. Preserved in the modern Japanese koto (, word, language): the words that will be laid out in what follows.

YO SO YA KO TO: the forty-eight (YO SO YA) Sonic Elements (KO TO) — the complete set of structural units from which all eighty Verses are built, declared here at the opening of the main body.

PHASE 4: HO KU SI U TA LAID OUT SYSTEMATICALLY AS SONG



SE: HO / Hoh



SE: KU / Koo



SE: SI / Shee



SE: U / Oo



SE: TA / Tah

HO: the initial particles of ISR and VPR in a state of positive-negative affinity — the harmonious background environment.

KU: freely, without restriction, across the full range.

SI: shown, indicated; made manifest.

HO KU SI: the initial particles of ISR and VPR freely and fully shown — the forty-eight Sonic Elements laid out and made available across their full range. The modern Japanese hogushi (, to loosen, to break down, to lay out systematically) connects directly: to take something whole and present it in its constituent parts, in an ordered and accessible way.

U: the ISR/VPR interface.

TA: arising as an independent presence in the VPR.

U TA: established in Verse 01 — from the ISR/VPR interface (U), an independent presence arises (TA): the song, the utahi. The forty-eight Sonic Elements, laid out systematically (HO KU SI), given as song (U TA).

HO KU SI U TA: the forty-eight elements of Katakamuna, systematically laid out and presented as song. The seventy-five Verses that follow are this song.

STRUCTURAL OBSERVATIONS

- **The close of the preface.** Verses 01 through 04 form a structural preface to the eighty songs. Verse 01 declared what the songs are (the Song of Katakamuna). Verse 02 named the root of all individual existence. Verse 03 stated the condition of life and the universal principle of existence. Verse 04 declares what is about to begin: the forty-eight Sonic Elements, systematically given. The remaining seventy-five Verses proceed from this declaration.
- **YO SO YA and the priority of the sonic element system.** That SO (archaic ten) is used rather than TO (Numeral 10 in the standard progression) reveals a structural constraint: the thought-image of TO — ISR/VPR crossing and integration — was incompatible with a simple numeral function. The sonic element system and its thought-images were prior; the numerical expression had to work within their constraints. This is a structural argument for the internal consistency of the Katakamuna system.
- **KA MI NA RI TE and the direction of inheritance.** The modern Japanese kaminari (, thunder and lightning) preserves KA MI NA RI TE directly in its sound. As with KAMI (Verse 02) and MIKOTO (Verse 03), the Katakamuna structural concept came first, and the Japanese vocabulary inherited it.
- **KA TA KA MU NA across four Verses.** The name of the system itself appears in each of the first four Verses, each time in a different structural role: declaration, mechanism, operative connection, mediating interface. Its appearance here — between the release of the root force and the declaration of forty-eight elements — names the interface through which the structural framework of Verses 01–03 connects to the main body of the eighty songs.

CONCLUSION

Katakamuna Verse 04 closes the structural preface and opens the main body of the eighty songs.

The preconditions are confirmed (I HA TO HA NI). The root force KAMI is released into phenomena (KA MI NA RI TE). The mediating mechanism KA TA KA MU NA connects the framework to what follows. And then the declaration: forty-eight Sonic Elements (YO SO YA KO TO), systematically laid out as song (HO KU SI U TA).

The seventy-five Verses that follow are this song. They begin here.

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