

bolai saykh fareed pi-aaray alah lagay

Aasw sK Prld j lau] (488-12)	aasaa saykh fareed jee-o.	Aasaa, The Word Of Shaykh Fareed Jee:
bd YsK PrldipAary Al h l gy]	bolai saykh fareed pi-aaray alah lagay.	Says Shaykh Fareed, O my dear friend, attach yourself to the Lord.
iehuqnuhsI KwK inmxI gr Gry]1]	ih tan hosee khaak nimaanee gor gharay. 1	This body shall turn to dust, and its home shall be a neglected graveyard. 1
Awj uiml wv sK Prld twikm kVI A w mnhu mic h V I A w]1] rhwau]	aaj milaavaa saykh fareed taakim koonjarhee-aa manhu machind-rhee-aa. 1 rahaa-o.	You can meet the Lord today, O Shaykh Fareed, if you restrain your bird-like desires which keep your mind in turmoil. 1 Pause
j y j wxw mir j weIAY Gim n AweIAY]	jay jaanaa mar jaa-ee-ai ghum na aa-ee-ai.	If I had known that I was to die, and not return again,
JUFI dnIAw I ig n Awpuv\weIAY]2]	jhoothee dunee-aa lag na aap vanjaa-ee-ai. 2	I would not have ruined myself by clinging to the world of falsehood. 2
bd IAY scuDrmu JUUn bd IAY]	bole-ai sach Dharam jhooth na bole-ai.	So speak the Truth, in righteousness, and do not speak falsehood.
j o gur dsYvwt mrdw j d IAY]3]	jo gur dasai vaat mureedaa jolee-ai. 3	The disciple ought to travel the route, pointed out by the Guru. 3
CV I G h y p u i r g r l m n u D l i r A w]	chhail langhanday paar goree man Dheeri-aa.	Seeing the youths being carried across, the hearts of the beautiful young soul-brides are encouraged.
k l t n v h y p u s y k l v i q c l i r A w]4]	kanchan vannay paasay kalvat cheeri-aa. 4	Those who side with the glitter of gold, are cut down with a saw. 4
sK hXwql j ig n kael iQru rihAw]	saykh haiyaa ^{tee} jag na ko-ee thir rahi-aa.	O Shaykh, no one's life is permanent in this world.
ij su A w s i x h m b T y k y b l s g i e A w]5]	jis aasan ham baithay kaytay bais ga-i-aa. 5	That seat, upon which we now sit - many others sat on it and have since departed. 5
kiqk kVI W cjq fau swix ibj d IAW]	katik koo ^N jaa ^N chayt da-o saavan bijulee-aa ^N .	As the swallows appear in the month of Katik, forest fires in the month of Chayt, and lightning in Saawan,

sIAwI yshdIAW ipr gil buhVIAW]6]	see-aalay sohandee-aa ^N pir gal baahr _h ee-aa ^N . 6	and as the bride's arms adorn her husband's neck in winter; 6
cl ycl xhwr ivcwrw l je mno]	chalay chalan _h haar vichaaraa lay-ay mano.	Just so, the transitory human bodies pass away. Reflect upon this in your mind.
gIfjdAW iCA mwh qVIdAW ihku iKno]7]	gandhaydi-aa ^N <u>ch</u> hi-a maah turhandi-aa hik <u>kh</u> ino. 7	It takes six months to form the body, but it breaks in an instant. 7
ij ml pCYAsmwn Prldw Kyt iklh gey]	jimee puch _h hai asmaan fareedaa khayvat kinn ga-ay.	O Fareed, the earth asks the sky, "Where have the boatmen gone?"
j wI x grW nwil ad wmyj IA shy]8]2]	jaalan _g goraa ^N naal ulaamay jee-a sahay. 8 2	Some have been cremated, and some lie in their graves; their souls are suffering rebukes. 8 2