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## Abhimanyu

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A serene tranquil aura of Subhadra's son,  
Possessing Arjuna's valour and virtues abound;  
Lord Krishna's blessings armouring shielding him,  
Calm placid lionhearted Abhimanyu!

Adept in warfare second to none,  
Dauntless unflinching a paramount warrior;  
Acclaimed applauded for his heroic deeds,  
A defender of harmony, an apostle of peace!

Righteous conduct dignified persona,  
Nobility of character elevated soul;  
Unperturbed temperament reposed self,  
In times of peace and war alike!

When confronting astute canny skilful adversary,  
An enemy cleverly contriving a circular array, the Labyrinth;  
Challenging the warrior fearless mettlesome,  
Conspiring conjointly attacking concomitantly!

Fought like a lion in the unjust combat,  
Charging pouncing showering arrows,  
As a mountain stood the fighter till the end,  
Concurrently striking in enclosed Chakravyuh!

The rival's wrongful unfair acts exposed,  
The pride, the arrogance shattered to the ground;  
Jointly and severely seven fought one,  
Flouting all rules of warfare at once!

High spirited Abhimanyu dashed them down,  
Until to the point when he fell to the ground;  
Arose then again as the tides rise high,  
The broken wheel of the chariot his armour new!

Simultaneous hurling continued though,  
Thence fell the lion roaring through;  
Unmasking the humans' immoral deeds,  
Unveiling the pride-smitten arrogant beings!

Infringement of rules, inhuman conduct,  
Brutal callous acts in the war;  
Humbling humanity, heads shamefully hung,  
Abhimanyu's death, the downfall of humankind!

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