Long Life Prayer for Lama Sonam Tsering
by Thinley Norbu Rinpoche

OM SWASTI:

Pag med sod nam lay drub ye shey ku:
Wisdom body of the immeasurable merit of accomplishment,

Chhi med tse lhai ngo wor’tag tan ching:
Who is always abiding in the essence of all deathless deities,

Ring tsoi ngo drub ter wai pal nga wa:
Having the glorious power to bestow the siddhi of long life

Lhun drub rig dzin pad mai jin lab kyiy:
By the blessing of self-attainment, the Vidyadhara Padmasambhava,

Gyur med shiy kyi nay lug yang dag don:
The meaning of the actual unconditional changeless nature,

Dri med lo dro rig pay ton dzad pa:
You reveal from stainless awareness-intelligence:

Drin chan la mai ku kham yun zang nay:
Our kind Lama, may you live long in good health,

Dro p’han thrin lay khyog thar gyay gyur chig:
And may your beneficial activities flourish in all directions!

*Pema Chodron requested with a white scarf and gift that I write a long-life prayer for Lama Sonam Tsering, and I, Thinley Norbu, wrote it on a good day during the crescent moon.*