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TAMIL HINDU CALENDAR FOR August- 2024 – CANADA / USA EST / INDIA HINDU RELIGIOUS RITUALS
Year: Krodhi Varsham [From April 13 (North America) /14 (India), 2024]
Thiruvalluvar Year:– 2055
Kollam Year:– 1199 - 1200

UttarAYaNam begins from January 14th/15th, 2024, To July 15th, 2024 from (Thai to AaNi)
DakshiNaayaNam from July 16th, 2024, To January 13th, 2025 (Aadi to Margazhi)

Season: June 22, 2024 to Aug 22, 2024 (Varsha Rithou) – Canada / USA & India

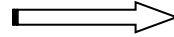
Season: August 23, 2024 to October 22, 2024 (Sharad Rithou – Canada / USA & India)

Masam: From July 16, 2024 to August 15, 2024 (Adi / Kataka masam)

Masam: From August 16, 2024 to September 15, 2024 (Avani / Simha masam)

The sixty Samvatsaras (Prabhava to Kshaya) are divided into three groups of 20 Samvatsaras each, with Lord Brahma assigned to the first group of 20 Samvatsaras (Prabhava to Vyaya), Lord Vishnu assigned to the next group of 20 (Sarovajit to Parabhava), and Lord Shiva assigned to the last 20 (Plavanga to Kshaya).

KRODHI VARSHAM/KRODHI SAMVATSARAM STARTS (APRIL 13/14, 2024)



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| 01/08/2024 | Thursday | Pradosha Vratam |
| 02/08/2024 | Friday | Adi Perukku |
| 03/08/2024 | Saturday | Sarva Amavasai (Canada / USA EST), Star: PushyA |
| 04/08/2024 | Sunday | Sarva Amavasai (India), Star: PushyA |
| 09/08/2024 | Friday | Garuda Panchami |
| 10/08/2024 | Saturday | Sashti Vratam |
| 15/08/2024 | Thursday | Ekadashi Vratam (Canada / USA EST) |
| 16/08/2024 | Friday | Ekadashi Vratam (India) |
| 16/08/2024 | Friday | Varalakshmi Vratam |
| 16/08/2024 | Friday | Avani / Simha masam begins |
| 17/08/2024 | Saturday | Pradosha Vratam |

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| 18/08/2024 | Sunday | Rig Veda Upakarma (Canada/USA EST, Star: shravaNa) |
| 19/08/2024 | Monday | Yajur Veda Upakarma (Canada /USA EST, Star: sravishTA & India, Star: sravaNa upto 8:10 am, thereafter sravishTA) & Raksha Bandhan |
| 19/08/2024 | Monday | Rig Veda Upakarma (India) |
| 19/08/2024 | Monday | PourNami |
| 20/08/2024 | Tuesday | Gayathri Japam (Star: sathAbhishak) |
| 22/08/2024 | Thursday | Shankathahara Chathurthi |
| 26/08/2024 | Monday | Gokulashtami / Janmashtami |
| 29/08/2024 | Thursday | Ekadashi Vratham |
| 30/08/2024 | Friday | Pradosha Vratham (Canada / USA EST) |
| 31/08/2024 | Saturday | Pradosha Vratham (India) |

What I understand about Rithus:

India (6)

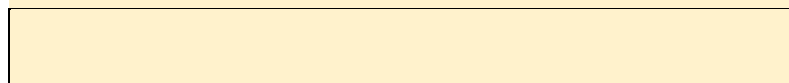
*In India there are 6 seasons [Spring (vasantha), Summer (greeshma), Monsoon (varsha), Autumn (sharad), Early Winter (Hemantha), Late Winter (shishira)]**

North America – 4 (Spring, Summer, Fall & Winter)

**(To align with India, it will be in North America [Spring (vasanth & Greeshma), Summer (greeshma, varsha, sharad), Fall (sharad, hemantha), Winter (hemantha, shishir & vasant)])*

| North America - Seasons 2024 | India - Seasons 2024 (as per Drik Panchang) |
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| Spring: March, Apr, May, June (3/20 – 20/6) - Astronomical | Vasant Ritu: 19 Feb to April 19 |
| | Grishma Ritu: 20 April to June 21 |
| Summer: June, July, August, Sept (20/6 – 22/9) - Astronomical | Varsha Ritu: 22 June to 22 August |
| Fall/Autumn: September, October, November, December (22/9 – 21/12) - Astronomical | Sharad Ritu: 23 Aug to 23 October |
| | Hemant Ritu: 23 Oct to 21 December |
| Winter: December, January, February, March (21 – 20/3/2025) - Astronomical | Shishir Ritu: 21 Dec to 18 February, 2025 |

Ritus assigned as per my interpretation for North America (I shall try to follow this consistently in the future). There might be a minor variation each year about the months!



North American Spring season coincides with Vasant Ritu (20th March to 19th April) or Grishma Ritu (20 April to end of May)

North American Summer season coincides with Grishma Ritu (1 June to 21 June) or Varsha Ritu (22 June to 22 August) or Sharad Ritu (23 August to 31 August)

North American Fall season coincides with Sharad Ritu (1 Sep to 23 October) or Hemant Ritu (23 Oct to 30 Nov)

North American Winter season coincides with Hemant Ritu (1 December to 21 Dec) or Shishir Ritu (21 December to 18 February next year) or Vasant Ritu (18 Feb to end of February)

(A) TharpaNa Sankalpams

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1. Sarva Amavasai – August 3, 2024 (Saturday) – Canada / USA EST

krodhi nAma Samvatsare **dakshiNAyane, varsha** Rithou, **kataka** mAsa, **krishna** Pakshe, Adhya
, **amAvasyAyAm** Subathithou vasarahA **sthira** vAsara yukthAyAm, **pushya** Nakshatra Yukthaayaam,
Subha Yoga Subha KaraNa Evam GuNa VisheshaNa Vishishtaayaam, Asyaam, **amAvasyAyAm**
puNyathithou

(Praacheenaaveethi)..Put poonal in the wrong side (Right Shoulder)

.. Go to Main TharpaNam - Use as appropriately for **Sarva Amavasai**

(Ubhaya Vamsa, PithruNaam, Akshayya, Thriptyartham, Amaavasya puNyakaale, Darsa sraadham thila
tharpaNa rupeNa adhya karishye)

2. Sarva Amavasai – August 4, 2024 (Sunday) – India

krodhi nAma Samvatsare **dakshiNAyane, varsha** Rithou, **kataka** mAsa, **krishna** Pakshe, Adhya
, **amAvasyAyAm** Subathithou vasarahA **bhAnu** vAsara yukthAyAm, **pushya** Nakshatra Yukthaayaam,
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(B) Varalakshmi Vratham (Aug 16, 2024) – Details will be updated & emailed soon!

(C) Rig Veda Upakarma (Aug 18, 2024 – Canada / USA EST) – Details will be updated & emailed soon!

(D) Rig Veda Upakarma (Aug 19, 2024 – India) – Details will be updated & emailed soon!

(E) Yajur Veda Upakarma (Aug 19, 2024 – Canada / USA EST & India) – Details will be updated & emailed soon!

(F) Gayathri Japam (Aug 20, 2024 – Canada / USA EST & India) – Details will be updated & emailed soon!