

Akataññutā Sutta

AN IV 223 Ingratitude

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*P*ossessing four things,

*One who is foolish, immature, not a person of Good,
Keeps himself severed and uprooted [from the Dhamma]
He is blameworthy, and blamable,
And he generates much demerit:*

What four?

*Physical misconduct
Verbal Miscanduct
Mental misconduct
Ingratitude, non-appreciation*

[...]

Possessing four things,

*One who is wise, mature, person of Good,
Keeps himself connected and firmly planted, [In the Dhamma]
He is blameless and unblameable,
He generates much goodness:*

What four?

*Physical good conduct,
Verbal good conduct,
Mental good conduct,
Gratitude and appreciation.*

[...]

Third.