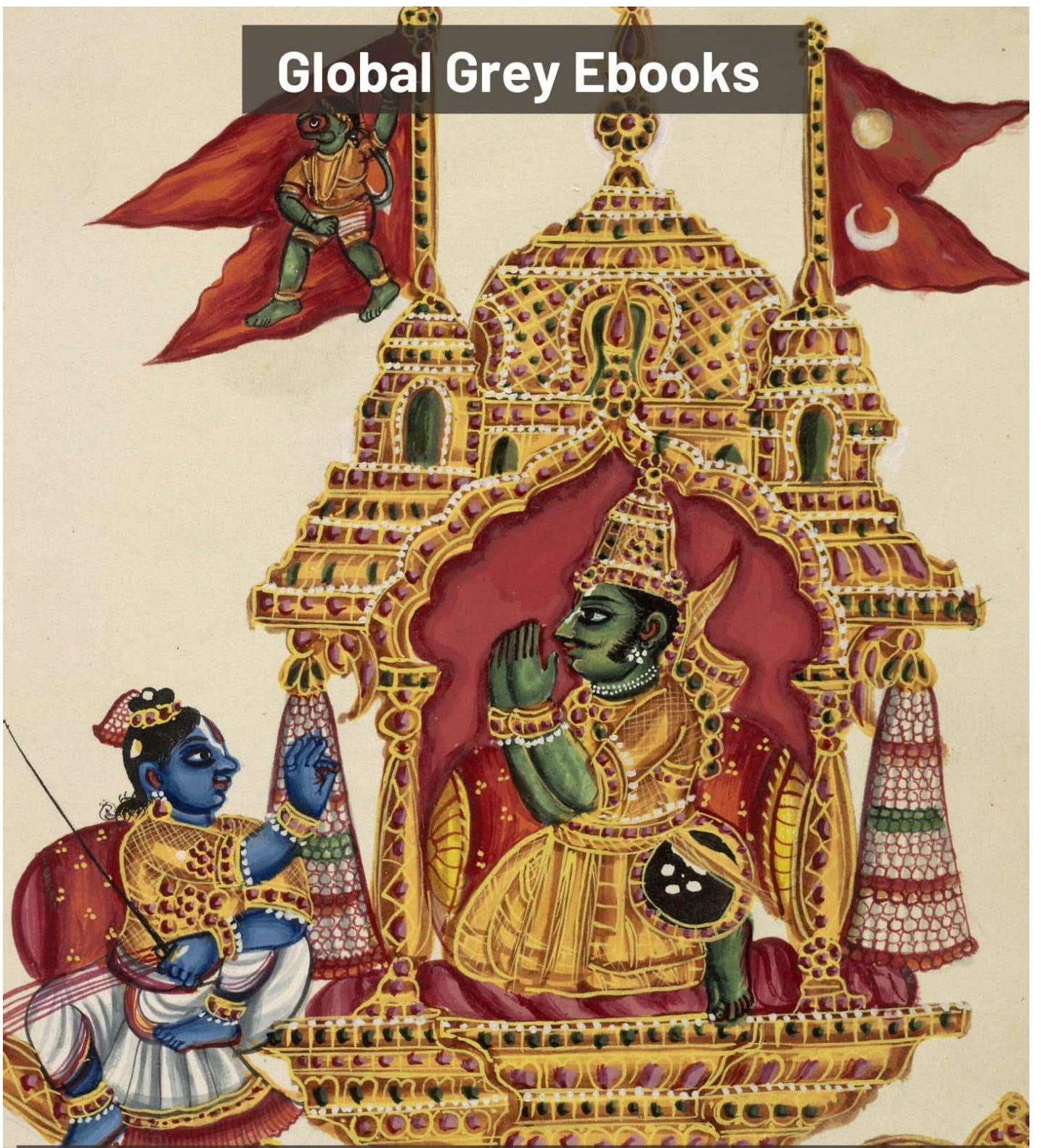


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The gift churlishly flung, at evil time,
In wrongful place, to base recipient,
Made in disdain or harsh unkindliness,
Is gift of Tamas, dark; it doth not bless!³⁷

HERE ENDETH CHAPTER XVII. OF THE BHAGAVAD-GITA,
Entitled “Sradhatrayavibhagayog,”
Or “The Book of Religion by the Threefold Kinds of Faith.”

³⁷ I omit the concluding shlokas, as of very doubtful authenticity.

