## Kaikyōge 開経偈

Sutra Opening Verse

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百 千 万 劫 難 遭 遇 HYAKU SEN MAN GŌ NAN SŌ GŪ

我 今 見 聞 得 受 持 GĀ KON KEN MON TOKU JŪ JĪ

願解如来真寒義 GAN GĒ NYŌ-RAI SHIN JITSU GĪ

(gassho and bow)

## Translation:

unsurpassed, profound, wondrous Dharma is rarely encountered, even in a hundred, thousand, million kalpas now that we see and hear it, pick it up, accept and uphold it, may we unfold the truth of the Tathāgata's teachings