



Rk— (*Rc*) of the Vedas;¹ learnt by the Asuras.²

¹ Bhā. X. 7. 14; 53. 12; XII. 11. 47; 12. 62.

² Br. II. 33. 36; IV. 12. 17.

Rk—one of the names in the fourth *Marut gana*.

Vā. 67. 127.

Rkāra—8th face of the fourteen-faced god; Sāvarṇi Manu from.

Vā. 26. 40.

Rkṣa (i)—followed Rāma in his Lāṅkā expedition. Took the shield when Bharata carried the Pāduka.¹ A son of Śuka; took Virajā as wife given by Prajāpati. Rakṣā, mother of Jāmbavān, was his sister.²

¹ Bhā. IX. 10. 19 & 44. ² Br. III. 7. 210-17; 51. 11.

Rkṣa (ii)—a son of Ajamidha and Dhūminī, and father of Samvaraṇa; pañcarṣeya.

Bhā. IX. 22. 3; M. 50. 19; 196. 50; Vā. 99. 214; Vi. IV. 19. 74-5.

Rkṣa (iii)—the name of Vyāsa in the 24th (25th-Vi. P.) *dvāpara*; Śūli, the *avatār* of the Lord.

Vā. 23. 206; Vi. III. 3. 18.

Rkṣa (iv)—the son of Devātithi.

Vā. 99. 233.

Rkṣa (v)—a son of Purañjaya and father of Haryaśva.

Vi. IV. 19. 57-8.