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Followers and disciples [of Padmasambhava],
These are beings of extraordinary conduct.
Sons of the mountains, they chose mist as their clothes
and contemplation as their food,
To mentally transcend the eight worldly concerns.

bDe chen 'od gsal rdo rje, *The Clear Mirror of Profound Meaning and Perfect Essence* (1990: f. 11a).

Ad memoriam Tulku Tsezang Samling Rinpoche (1972-2009) dear friend, invaluable teacher

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