# Malayalam krithis of Dr.Prabodha Chandran nair

I have translated 32 Malayalam Krithis of this modern composer

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# Attukkal vaazhunna devi (Malayalam Krithi)

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(This is a Krithi in Malayalam by a great composer in Malayalam about the Aathukkal Bhagawathi of Trivandrum. Every year several lakhs of lady devotees assemble at her temple to prepare Pongala(Pongal) and offer to this Goddess.)

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Ragam Panthuvarali Talam Aadhi

Pallavi

Aatthu kal vazhunna devi maheswari, Pothuka nee yenne nithyam krupakari

### Pallavi

Oh goddess who lives in atthukal, Oh great goddess , Daily you please look after me, Oh merciful one.

### Anupallavi

Payasanna priyaya Visweswari , Manasa vase , tripureswari.

### Anuppallavi

Oh Goddess of universe who likes Payasam, Oh Goddess of three cities who lives in my mind

#### Charanam

Nee mama chaithanyamai maruveetane , Nee man manassin mani vilakkavane , Nee yen prabodhadham tharakamavane , Nee yen janikku artha poornatha yekane.

### Charanam

You please live as my mental activity, You become gem studded lamp in my mind, You become the star that lights my intelligence, And You please make my life to be meaningful.

# Ambala puzhayile Chembaka meyyane-Malayalam Krithi

#### Bv

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(In Kerala Amalapuzha Krishnan is as famous as the Krishnan of Guruvayur. This temple is very near to Alapuzha town of Kerala. The Pal Payasam prasadam of this temple is simply matchless in taste . It is believed that when Tipu Sulthan attacked Kerala , the idol of Guruvayurappan was taken to this temple for protection.)

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Ragam Kapi Talam aadi

### Pallavi

Ambala puzhayile chembaka meyyane, Ambala kadavathu kathirikkum jnan,

### Pallavi

I would be waiting for the God whose body, Is of colour of Champa flowers, In the bathing ghat of the temple.

### Anupallavi

Chempavizha chundil, punchiri, pon kuzhal, Anbumai aa maayan Vannu nilkkum.

### Anupallavi

That enchanter would come and stand there with a smile, Golden flute and friendship.

#### Charanam

Ambala poo maala peeli kolothu jnan, Ambadi Kannannu kaazhcha vekkum, Ambodha roopande ,minnalanee yezha, Yen bodham ammattil annudhikkum.

#### Charanam

I would present him with humility,
The flower garland of the temple and,
The stick with the feather of peacock,
And in the brain of this poor one who is the lightning of that God,
Of him who looks like cloud, a new consciousness would rise.

# Amburuha lochani-A Malayalam Krithi

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(This is a song extolling Goddess Parvathi)

Ragam Madhyamavathi Thalam Aadhi

#### Pallavi

Ambooruhalochani , Kambu manojna kandi, Shambhu mano Mohini , Malini , kalakandi

#### Pallavi

Oh goddess with lotus like eyes, Who has an attractive conch like neck, Who is the bewitcher of the mind of Lord shiva, who is Goddess Parvathi and who has a neck like peacock.

### Anupallavi

Amboja sambhavan thottu ullor yellam innu , Nin pon kal podi aadi maruvunnu

### Anupallavi

All the people down from Lord Brahma are today, Taking showers from the golden dust of your feet.

#### Charanam

Sambal pradhhe, They pada renu onnengilum, Nin pada dasan than moordhavil anachalum, Yen papam sakalavum theerane, Chinthamane, Anbalen bodham thelinju vilangane.

### Charanam

Oh giver of wealth , please place on the head , Of the slave of your feet at least one dust of your feet, Oh wish giving gem , Let all my sins be wiped out, And due to your love let n my wisdom become clear.

# Amruthabdhi Puthri-A Malayalam Krithi

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( A song about Goddess Lakshmi)

Ragam Saranga Thalam Aadhi

Pallavi

Amruthabdhi puthri , Amalabja nethri, Amrutha pradathri , Bhuvanaika dathri

Pallavi

Oh Daughter of sea of nectar, Oh Goddess with a pure lotus like eyes, Oh giver of nectar, Oh mother of the entire universe.

Anupallavi

Avanthinai nee allathillarum, Bhavanam they mamamkam manamayal porum.

Anupallavi

To my protection there is no one except you, It is enough, if you make my mind as your home.

Charanam

Oru nalurakkathil varille nee yanthike, Tharukille may varam Abhayambike? Puru moha jalathil vazhuthi jnan vizhaathe, Uru bodha pasam nalkukille?

Charanam

One day would you not come in my dream when I am asleep, Oh Goddess who gives protection , would you not give me boons? Would you know give me the rope of wisdom, so that , I do not slip and fall in to the net of desires?

# Ananda bhairavi-A Malayalam Krithi

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Ragam Ananda Bhairavi Talam Aadhi

(Bhairavi is a form of Goddess Parvathi called Durga.)

Pallavi

Ananda Bhairavi , ayiravilli, Anandavalli ,Aaruyir neeyalli

Pallavi

Oh joy full Durga who holds thousand bows, Oh Joyfull Durga , Are you not the dear soul of all ?

Anupalllavi

Sanandam mannithil mevidanamme, Anandamrutham may nalgename.

Anupallavi

Please give me the nectar of Joy, So that I can live happily in this world.

Charanam

Ananda leelaa lole , Trinethri , Meena sukethana jeeva dathri, Suna samanvitha santhana vallike , Manasa bodhadhaa nee Ambike,

Charanam

Oh Goddess interested in joy full dance who has three eyes, Who gave again life to Kama, whose flag is that of fish, Oh tree of children (wish giving tree) blessed with flowers, Oh Mother who gives wisdom to my mind.

# Ani ven pattambara - A Malayalam Krithi

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(This is a Krithi extolling Lord Ganesa.)

Ragam Natta Thalam Aadhi

Pallavi

Ani ven pattambara samalankrutha, Mani mandapamithil Gana nadha

Pallavi

Oh Lord of Ganas , wearing white silk,

And sitting on the decorated gem studded pavilion.

Anupallavi

Yila kolluga nee , Mahesa nandana , Yila neeraal abhishechikkan

Anupallavi

You please take rest, oh son of great God

Charanam

Avalada malarum , Kadali gulavum,

Davalam chor nei payasavum, Mani maya thalikayil nedichidam, Mathi bodham may theliyaname

### Charanam

I would offer you in a plate made of gems, Beaten rice, Ada, puffed rice, banana fruit, jiggery, Pure white cooked rice, Ghee Payasa (kheer), Let the clarity of mind may become more chear.

# Ayyappan theeyattil-a Malayalam Krithi

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(Theeyattu is ritual of worship followed in certain temples dedicated to Lord Ayyappa, who is one of the most important Gods worshipped in Kerala.)

Ragam Atana

Thalam Thisra eka

#### Pallavi

Ayyappan theeyattil , chenda melathilen, Meyyellam kori tharichu pokum , Poyyalla ninne jnan kanum kalathil, Yennayya varnanchitha roopanai

#### Pallavi

In the ritual worship of lord Ayyappa , hearing the sound of drums , My entire body would get benumbed. It is not a lie , I would see in the Kalam (ground of worship) , As a person who has been decorated by various colours.

### Charanam 1

Neyyabishekathal suprasannasyanai , Ayyappa, nee arulukename, Meyyariyaam grahya moortha swaroopame , Veyyayathi prabha kaakename.

### Charanam 1

Greatly pleased by the anointing in ghee , Oh Ayyappa , t you should shower your grace , For knowing the truth ,oh God who has a form simple to understand, Oh God who has luster greater themn the Sun , please protect me.

#### Charanam 2

Dharmathil ninnu vyathichalicheedolen , Karmangal , yennalla narmangalum, Dharma sasthave , nee allathillarum, Dharma prabodhakam deepamai may.

#### Charanam 2

Let not my activities move away , From Dharma and not even from my sport , Oh Dgharma Satha , I do not have any one except you,

# Gaja Mukha Sundara-Malayalam Krithi

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Ragam Hamsadhwani Thalam Aadhi

( A krithi about Lord Ganesa.)

Pallavi

Gaja mukha Sundara , Girijanandana , Gadhamellam may Pokkename.

Pallavi

Oh pretty one with head of an elephant , who is son of Goddess Parvathi, Please destroy all my sorrows.

Anupallavi

Manmathi mohana , nandana vaniyil,

Nanmayiladam Ponnuyal.

Anupallavi

Oh Lord who bewitches my mind, I want to swing, With pleasure in the swing in the garden of heavens.

Charanam

Iniya vara pradha , Prabodha Janaka , Panineer dharayil aadikkam, Mayil mel murugan varume kaanaan, Athil melundo aanandam.

Charanam

Oh Lord who gives sweet boons, who is the one who creates wisdom in me, I would give you bath in the water of Attar, And Lord Subrahmnya would come riding on a peacock to see you, Is there any greater joy than that.

# Gurupavanalaya- A Malayalam Krithi

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(Guruvatur is one  $\ f$  the most important Krishna temple of Kerala . This song is about Guruvayurappan.)

Ragam Madhyamavathi

### Thalam Aadhi

#### Pallavi

Guru pavanalaya . kuru , mayi karunaam, Guru karunalaya, nirupama guna gana

#### Pallavi

Oh Lord of Guruvayur , please show me mercy, Oh Lord who is the temple of mercy , And who has several matchless qualities.

### Anupallavi

Uru pavanasana viracitha thalpa , Puru bhava nasana mahoushadhi kalpa.

### Anupallavi

Oh Lord who has bed of snake which eats only air, Oh great medicinal wish giving tree, Which destroys the great sorrow of Samsara,

### Charanam

Yen mathi moha nibadha-masaktham, Karma phalolbhava sankha dagdham, Nanmayil bodham theliyaan athil nin, Ven mathi susmitham yethename.

#### Charanam

My brain is tied with passions and is weak, And is getting burnt by doubts arising out of results of Karma, And so bless me so that your white moon like smile, Reaches there so that goodness leading to welfare.

# **Guruvayurile Kanna**

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(A great Krithi expressing his desire to once more see Guruvayurappan.)

Ragam –Charukesi Thalam - Aadhi

### Pallavi

Guruvayurile Kanna, ninne, Oru kuri koodi jnan kandotee

#### Pallavi

Oh Darling Krishna ofg Guruvayur, Let me please see you once more

### Anupallavi

Oru kri koodi nin hari Neela varnathil, Iru mizhiyum nattu ninnotte

### Anupallavi

Once more let me stand there planting my two eyes, On your greenish blue colour.

#### Charanam

Nin mrudu meniyil izhukiya chandanam, Yen manassil kulir peithotte,

Nin malar kal nakha Chandra prakasam may,

Nanmayelum bodhamaikotte.

#### Charanam

Let that Sandal paste that was rubbed on your body, Rain coolness in my mind,

Let the moon like luster of the nail of your lotus like feet,

Bring consciousness in my welfare.

# Harihara soono- A Malayalam Krithi

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(A song about Lord Ayyappa, the son of Lord Vishnu and Lord Shiva.)

Ragam Bilahari

Thalam Aadhi

### Pallavi

Harihar soono , Dhyuthi jitha bhano, Arinikarathinnu dhaya krusaano.

#### Pallavi

Oh Son of Hari and Hara who by his luster wins over the sun, Oh forest fire to the groups of your enemies.

### Anupallavi

Athi Dheenan jnan, adi malar thozhunnen, Gathiyathon, yen Saranam neeye.

#### Anupallavi

I am very suffering person and I salute his flower like feet, I do not have any protection and you are my protection.

#### Charanam

Sruthi bodhadha , Giri samuchitha Geha, Rathi pathi thulya manohara deha, Mathikamalathinnu vidaraan aasa, Kadhirukal thoovuka , sAbari dinesa.

### Charanam

Oh Lord who grants knowledge through Vedas , Who made the mountains his home, Who is as pretty as God of love , Who has very pretty body, The lotus of the brain desires to open,

Spray your rays . Oh Lord Sun of Sabari

# Kali Yuga Varada- A Malayalam Krithi

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Ragam Gauroi Manohari

Thalam Aadhi

(A krithi about Lord Ayyappa who is supposed to be an incarnation to save us in Kali age.)

Pallavi

Kaliyuga Varada , Sri Mani Kanda , Nilsayam thavakamaka manam may

Pallavi

Oh Lord who gives boons in Kali age, Oh Manikanda, Please make my mind as the place for you to live.

Anupallavi

Malayil perugina , karunakarame , Malaratiyingal layikkename

Anuplaavi

Oh doer of mercy who flows from the mountain, Please allow me to merge with your flower like feet.

Charanam

Saranam neeye , Harihara soono, Sura muni sevitha , Manju thano, Mahishi mardana , Subodha nandana , Mahitha gunangalkkani sadana.

Charanam

I surrender to you, Oh son of Shiva and Vishnu, Who is served by sages and devas, Who has a pretty body, Who is the killer of Mahishi, who pleases devotees by his intelligence, And who is the place of stay of great qualities.

# Kannu urangeedilum-A Malayalam Krithi

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(A krithi addressed to Lord Krishna)

Ragam Kanada

Thalam Aadhi

Pallavi

Kannu urangeedilum, ullu urngunnela, Kanna jnan inniyum yenthu cheyyan,

Pallavi

Even the eye sleeps, my mind does not sleep. Oh Krishna, What can I do now.

Anupallavi

Kannil kadannu nee parppu thudangi, yul, Kanninum ulliil irangi poi.

Anupallavi

You entered in to my eyes and started living there, And you climbed down in to my inner eyes also.

Charanam

Vinnil thilangunna tharaka menthine , Mannili cheril puthanju poi, Yenniyithokkeyum jnan inigirippai, Ninnil alinju jnan illathai.

Charanam

Why did the star which shines in the Sky, Got completely drowned in the slushy mud, Thinking about all these, I started just sitting, And merging with you completely, I ceased to be there.

# Kar Varna-A Malayalam Krithi

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Ragam Kalyani Thalam MIshra Chapu

(A krithi about Lord Krishna who is the colour of the cloud.)

Pallavi

Kar varna ,nin kala murali ganam, Karnamrutha Shubha vahini noonam.

Pallavi

Oh lord with colour of cloud, Your indisctinctly sweet song from flute, Is definitely is the auspicious vehicle of the nectar to ears.

Anupallavi

Yennaninin jnan athu kettu unaruga, Yennanen paazh manam uzhareeduga

Anupallavi

When will hear that music and wake up, When will my poor mind become sorrowful.

Charanam

Kanna, neeraja nayana, mukil oli, Vrnaa, nine kandaavu, Kanna, mohana kaya, bodham, Poornam mathiyil uthikkavu.

Oh Lord Krishna, Oh lotus eyed one, Who has the colour of the light of the moon, I woulfd like to see you Lord Krishna, the pretty one, Let wisdom rise in my mind.

# Krishna Thulasi-A Malayalam Krithi

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(Krishna Thulasi is the black Thulasi which is considered as very dear to Lord Krishna..This Krithi is about Lord Krishna.)

Ragam Ranjini Thalam Aadhi

Pallavi

Krishna thulasi poo choodi jnan innum, Krishna , jnan nine Orthiriopoo

Pallavi

Oh Krishna wearing the black thulasi flower, I would remain remembering you.

Anupallavi

Kanna, Kari mukhil varna, nee, Yennanen kannil kulirai vannirupoo

Anupallavi

Oh Krishna who is of the colour of black cloud , You have come and staying in my eye as coolness.

Charanam

Kalindi vechi kala ganathin sruthi , Melikkan thano , ninnodakkuzhal ? Gokula vasikalkkayi mathramo ninde, Lokaika bodham Venuganam.

Charanam

Was your sweet music of the Flute to merge, With the sound produced by the waves of River Yamuna? Was the music of your flude which made the world wise, Only meant for the people of Gokula?

### Krishna ninne kurichu

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( IN this Krithi, the poet says that when he thinks about Lord Krishna, he becomes like a peacock.)

Ragam Khamboji

Talam Mishra chapu

Pallavi

Kishnaa nine kurichorkkumbozh yen manam,

Krishna Mayooramai Maari povum,

Pallavi

Oh Lord Krishna, whenever I remember you, My mind would turn in to a blue-green peacock.

Anupallavi

Chithra varnancchitham peeli virich ko-, Ndethrayum modhaal athodi povum.

Anupallavi

Opening its multi coloured feathers completely, It would run away with joy , with great speed.

Charanam

Peeli yonnengilum mangu kai kollukil, Chelianrutham thudarnnu povum, Peeli yoronnilum yen prema goodamai, Neela kkar varnaa , jnan vachirikkum,.

Charnam

If at least one of those are caught by hand, That pretty dance would continue further. And in each oof those feathers, Oh God of the colour of blue cloud, I would have kept my love.

# Mahishi Mardhana-A Malayalam Krithi

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Ragam Nattakurichi

Talam Aadhi

(A Krithi about Lord Ayyappa-the killer of ogress Mahishi.)

Pallavi

Mahishi mardhana, Manjula vadans , Mahimaa nirjitha surari sena

Pallavi

Oh killer of Mahishi, Oh pretty faced one,

Who won over the enemies of Devas by his own power

Anupallavi

Thuhina karopama, manojna hasaa, Ahibhooshana, hari nandana Basa,

Anupallavi

He who is  $\,$  similar to the oon , who laughs in an attractive manner , And who makes happy the God wearing snakes and Lord Vishnu.

Charanam

Gananaatheetha, gunasritha bodhaa, Gana guha sahajaa, BHootha nadha, Anayaan aruluga samsyuthi vahni, THuna nilkaanaa a, athil nee yenni.

Charanam

He who is beyond estimation , who is wise depending on good qualities, He who is the friend I of Ganas as well as subrahmanya who is the lord of Bhoothas, Please command the fire which is raging to stifle,

And in that who else except you would be support too me.

# Mookambika kshethra -A Malayalam Krithi

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(The Great Mookambika temple at Kollur in Karnataka is considered as one of the most important temples by Every Malayali. This Krithi is about Goddess Mookambika.)

Ragam Kalyani Talam Misra chapu

Pallavi

Mookambika kshethra thirunadayingal jnan, Ekantha dhayathil aandu ninnen.

Pallavi

In the auspicious door of the Mookambika temple, I Stood in solitary meditation.

Anupallavi

Rakamathi mukhi devi saudamini , Lekangi munnil thilangi ninnal.

Anupallavi

The goddess with a full moon face, who is like, Lightning stood shining in front of me.

Charanam

Devi than thejassu Mamakathmavine , Ppavithamakki uyarthi nirthi, Poovil manam pole , ravil kuliru pole , Devi yennullile bodhamayi.

Charanam

The luster of that Goddess purified, My soul and made it stand high, Like scent in a flower, like cold in the dawn, The goddess became the wisdom of my mind.

# Neelambara-A Malayalam Krithi

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Ragam Saraswathi Thalam Aadhi

(A krithi praising Goddess Saraswathi)

Pallavi

Neelambara nibha , mohana veni, Lolapanga vinirjitha Harini.

Pallavi

Oh Goddess who is like the blue sky, who has pretty braid of hair, And who by her shifting corner of eyes completely wins over the doe.

Anupallavi

Vena venuswanalaya modhini, Ganalapa vinodhini, Vaani.

Anupallavi

Oh Goddess who becomes joyous at the merger of Music of Veena and Flute, Who enjoys hearing music and who is Goddess Saraswathi.

Charanam

Vaanaalum nee man mana malaril, Chenaalum pati may jani melil, Kanaravuka nin smitha galitham, Yenangaabham bodham sathatham.

Charanam

Oh Goddess, please live in the flower of my heart,
So that the future life of mine would be pleasant,
Let me be able to see my smile which has been lost,
And let me always be able to see the wisdom similar to the full moon.

# Nin mayil peeliyil-A Malayalam Krithi

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(A song praising Lord Krishna,)

Ragam Sahana

Thalam Misra Chapu

Pallavi

Nin mayil peeliyil oru naarayaal , Nanmayil mahitham mama janmam.

Pallavi

If I were a thread in your peacock's feather, My life would be drowned in good.

Anupallavi

Nin thiru mizhikal ozhukeedum alivaal, Nan mizhiviyalanam yen karmam.

Anupallavi

By the water moistening your divine eyes, It is my Karma the my eyes also became wet.

Charanam

Yen pul kudilil bodham nirayum, Nin pattada ponnoliyaal , Ninnude pullakuzhal oli yennalum, Yen uyiril then mazha peyyum.

Charanam,

Wisdom would fill in my thatched hut of mind, And by the light of the golden silk that you wear, And the music coming from your flute for all times, Would rain a honey rain in my life.

# Oru nalengilum-A Malayalam Krithi

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(A prayer addressed to Lord Krishna.)

Ragam Malaya Marutham Thalam-Aadhi Pallavi

Oru nalengilmen, mani varna,

Karuthuka nee yen vevum novum.

Pallavi

At least for one Oh lord who has the colour of the gem, Think about my pains as well as about my getting scorched.

Anupallavi

Maruvuka nee yen karalinnullil, Thiru madhura punchiriyodum.

Anupallavi

You please live inside my mind, Along with your sweet smile.

Charanam

Varuthiyil varuvaan uyirin novukal, Oru nimishardham mathiyallo kannaa! Urukarunakara bodha dhanaam nee , Viruthukalenni, choriyaname.

Charanam

Oh darling Kanna, to come to any position, Is not half a minute sufficient, Oh Lord with a merciful form, you who are wise, Should pour great honours on me.

# Paal Kadalil-A Malayalam Krithi

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Ragam Kalyani Thalam Aadhi

(This Krithi is addressed to Lord Vishnu of Vaikunta)

Pallay

Paal kadalil bhoomi-Lakshmimaar nin mrudu, Kalkal sirassum thalodi vaazhvu.

Pallavi

In the ocean of milk , Goddess earth and Goddess Lakshmi live, Fondling your soft feet and head .

Anupallavi

Palkarikal ninne Kayambu varnanaayi, Pai kidangalkku oppam kathu nilpu.

Anupallavi

The gopis are waiting for you as one,

With the colour of Kayambu (Blue flower of iron wood tree) along with their calves.

Charanam

Kathu kathen kankal yethra kazhakkunnu,

Orthu kanna, ninne jnan iripoo,

Perthum nin snigdha subodhasda susmeram,

Parthu jnan ul kannal ingiripoo.

Charanam

Waiting and waiting, how my eyes are paining,
Thinking about you darling Krshina, I am waiting,
Repeately waiting with joy for your friendly smile giving wisdom,
I would be sitting here waiting for you.

# Parama pavani Parameswari-A Malayalam Krithi

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Ragam Khamboji Talam Aadhi

(A Krithi praising Goddess Parvathi)

Pallavi

Parama Pavani , Parameshwari Gauri, Paramennil krupa venam , varadhe, Giri Jathe .

Pallavi

Oh Very pure one, Oh consort of Lord Parameshwara, Oh White x coloured Goddess, I need your very great mercy, Oh Goddess who blesses, and who was born to a mountain.

Anupallavi

Nirupadhika Bhakthi oru puthu poovu pol, Nirupame , jnan nin kazhal thumbil archikkam.

Anupallavy

Oh matchless one, like a new flower, I would shower, A devotion without conditions on the tip of your feet.

Charanam

Varum ororo Vighna jalam, azhalkalum Maha Maye, Varuthilyilavaye nee nirthuka mama Thaye, Tharuka may Bodha rathnam varamen maheswari, Karunalaye sarva hrudayeswari.

Charanam

Oh great enchantress due to net of hindrances several sorrows would come, And my mother, you please order to stop them while they are coming, Please give me the boon of the gem of wisdom, Oh great goddess, Oh temple of mercy, Oh Goddess of my heart.

# Poornathrayeeswara-A Malayalam Krithi

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(Poorna THrayesan is Lord Shiva who is the God of the Cocin kings and his temple is located in Tripoonithura , the capital of former Cochin state.)

Ragam Sindhu Bhairavi Thalam Aadhi

Pallavi

Poornathrayeeswara, nin uthsava naalil,

POurnami poo nilappalalayil

Pallavi

Oh God Poorna thrayeeswara , on the day of your festival, On the full moon day , in the shine of your flowery moon light

Anupallavi

Yen manam poovani thoniyonnil keri, Nin mani trukkovil nadaiyil yethum

Anupallavi

My mind would get in to a boat decorated with flowers, And reach the main door of your gem like temple.

Charanam

Ninnude sopanathil ninnu annu jnan, Yennude novella pattayi padum, Yen karal annu Oru idakka yavum, pinne, Pankajaksha, jnan nin pattilaavum.

Charanam

ON that day from the stepping stone of yours, I would sing all my pains as songs, And my heart that day would become a hand held drum, And then lotus eyed one, I would come under your control.

# Prasanna Varade - A Malayalam Krithi

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(A Krithi about Goddess Parvathi.)

Ragam Bahudhari Thalam Aadhi

Pallavi

Prasanna Varade , Pramodha Bharithe Prasada janye, Praharsha lasithe,

Pallavi

Oh Goddess with pleasing looks who blesses with boons, Who fills me with joy , who makes happiness grow in me , And who played with thrill of joy.

### Anupallavi

Prapanna rakshaa nirathe , mahthe ,

Prapancha mathe, Sri Shiva dhayithe.

### Anupallavi

Oh Goddess who is busy protecting her devotees, Oh great one, Oh mother of the world, Oh darling of Lord Shiva.

#### Charanam

Prakasa poorithamakkuka sathatham, Prabodha nilaye , manmathi Sadanam , Yen vazhi janiyum vilakkidavu , Nin vara jatha thoonilaavaal.

#### Charanam

Oh Goddess who stays in my wisdom,
Please always light up, the house of my intellect,
And by the blessed pure moon light you create,
You can light up the way to my growth.

# Sabarigireeswara-A Malayalam Krithi

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(A krithi about Lord Ayyappa of Sabari mountain,)

Ragam Shanmukha priya Thalam Aadhi

#### Pallavi

Sabarigireeswara, saradhindhu sundara, Satha mukha shubhakara, sanakaroo may

### Pallavi

Oh Lord of Sabari mountain, who is as pretty as the autumn moon, Who helped the hundred faced Indra to get auspiciousness, Please bless me with auspiciousness.

### Anupallavi

Nibida vananthara vihitha vihara , Khachitha Manohara mani gana haara

### Anupallavi

Oh Lord who lives and plays in very thick forests, Who wears pretty necklaces with many gems.

#### Charanam

Pranatha janarchitha sumachaya pada, Guna kalithakhila sajjana modha, Vara Panthalesa samarpitha bodha, Varanam, thava thiru Charanam, Saranam.

### Charanam

Oh Lord who has a feet covered with flowers worshipped by people , Who due to his very good qualities gives joy to all people.

# Sankara Sankuru-A Malayalam Krithi

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(A krithi praising Lord Shiva.)

Ragam Saveri

Thalam Mishra chapu

Pallavi

Sankara samkuru sankata jala nidhi-Thankara kanathuzhalum may.

Dallavi

Oh Lord Shiva, give me who is struggling, In the great ocean of sorrow, great peace.

Anupallavi

Thingal keerani jatayudayone, Gangaye mutiayathil aandone.

Anunallay

Oh Lord who has the crescent of moon on his matted hair And who also keeps river Ganga on his matted hair.

Charanam

Sangakalaal karal saklippon,

Nin kazhaingal manam nilpon,

Kinkara nennil iyathuka bodham,

Pankaja bhava nuthas sathatham abhaadham.

Charanam

When my mind is tossed about by doubts,

Give me who is your servant the wisdom,

To concentrate my mind on t your feet,

Oh Lord who is always worshipped by Lord Brahma,.

# Sauparnika theera Vasini-A Malayalam Krithi

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Ragam AAbhogi

Thalam Aadhi

(Sauparnika , the daughter of Sun God flows as river near Kollur and this Krithi is about Goddess M Mookambika.)

Pallavi

Sauparnika theera Vasini,

Saundarya lahari vahini

Pallay

)Oh Goddess who lives in the banks of Sauparnika river, Who brings with her "Saundarya Lahari" (waves of beauty)

Anupallavi

Sarva bhavika sreni kaarini,

Garva samastha sambhedhini.

Anupallavi

Oh Goddess who is the cause of swarms of good happenings,

Who completely destroys all types of pride.

Charanam

SArvareesadhika shobhini -Guru,

Parvathadhi nadha nandhini,

Sarva Gansa Guha nandhini-bhava,

Sarva prabodha vidhayini.

Charanam

Oh Goddess who shines better than the moon,

Who is the daughter the lord of the mountains who is a guru,

Who makes Lord Shiva, Ganesa and Lord Subrahamanya happy,

And who manages to give us all types of wisdom.

# Shyamala Komalakruthe- A Malayalam Krithi

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Ragam Kamas

Thalam Roopakam

(This Krithi is about Goddess Meenakshi of Madhurai)

Pallavi

Shymala KOmalakruthe

Sri Mahureswari Pahi

Pallavi

Oh Goddess who has a pretty black form,

Oh Goddess of Madhurai , save me.

Anupallavi

NEE mama pavana manasam,

Kshema mayam kuru sadayam.

Anupallavi

Please be kind enough to make,

My very pure mind in to a holy one.

#### Charanam

AAmaya mozhiyaan Ambike , Srimaya Charanam Saranam, Nee mahi bodhadha yaradhe , shubhadhe ,

Varmathi kalayai theliyenam.

#### Charam

To make free my mind from sorrow, I surrender to your feet which is filled with divinity. Oh Godess who grants wisdom in brain, Who gives boons and who makes good events come to me, You should shine before me as the crescent of the sky.

# Sri Chakra Raja - A Malayalam Krithi

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(A Krithi praisingjm

Ragam Nadhga Nama kriya Thalam Aadhi

Pallavi

Sri Chakra raja mani radha madhyathil, Sri Deviyayadhichu yezhunnoramme.

#### Pallavi

Oh Mother  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right)$  The middle of the gem studded chariot of Sri Chakra.

### Anupallavi

Sri Vidhyayai yende manasatherilum , Nee vannirunnu theliyename.

### Anupallavi

You should please come as Sri Vidhya, And shine in the chariot of mind also.

#### Charanam

Chaithanya soomamayen karmam oronnum, Nee tharum sthanthinangename , Vaibhavamathu prabodham vidathennum, SAmbhavi , Sarvadhe, Kaakename.

### Charanam

Let all my acts which are done with great enthusiasm, Get merged in the places that are allotted by you, Without leaving the wisdom mingled with my capability, Oh Darling of Shambhu, who is there always, Please protect me.

# Sri Rama , Bhanu vamsa sudhakara-A Malayalam grithi

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Ragam Surutti Thalam Aadhi

( A Krithi o praising Lord Rama.)
Pallavi
Sri Roma, Rhany yamsa sudhakara

Sri Rama , Bhanu vamsa sudhakara, Sri Ramalalama bhoopathri sukha kara

#### Pallavi

Oh Rama, the full moon of the solar dynasty, Who provides happiness to the daughter of earth, Who is the Thilaka among auspicious ladies.

### Anupallavi

Romancha kanchukitha kapi veera nutha padhaa, SEma vilangi bujha Vikrama.

### Anupallavi

Oh Lord whose feet were saluted by Hanuman who was horripilated, Who has the power and strength to cross all boundaries.

### Charanam

Premardhra Bhakthi soona santhatha samaradhyaa, Ramaa , Manobhirama , Manjulakaaraa, Nee mathram gathyenne j karuthi vazhumen paapaam, Namanthamaakki nalkenam mama Bodham.

### Charanam

Oh Lord who is always worshipped by people with devotion, Oh Rama, Oh bewitcher of the mind, Oh Lord with a very pretty form, You should destroy the sins of me who is living thinking that, You are my only protection and also give me my wisdom.

# Vel Muruga-A Malayalam Krithi

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Ragam Sri Ranjini Thalam Aadhi

(Lord Muruga of Pazhani is an ishta devatha of Keralites. This Krithi praises Lord N Muruga.)

#### Pallavi

Vel Muruga , nin neel vel munayaal, Verpuzg=hagenam vignangal

#### Pallay

Oh Lord Muruga with Vely, using the tip of your long Vel, You should uproot all hindrances.

### Anupallavi

Ner varum azhal malayellame nin, Ther naadham kettu akalenam.

### Anupallavi.

All the mountains of sorrow which come towards me , Should go away hearing  $\,$  the sound of your chariot.

### Charanam

Nin mayil, peeli vitharthaadumbol, Yen manam eenam nalgenam, Nanmayil yen mathiyingal bodham, Unmayodennum valarenam.

#### Charanam

When your peacock opens its feathers and dances , My mind should sing the suitable melodious tune And in my brain wisdom for the good , Should grow along with the truth.