

THREE RARE PADAVARṆAS FROM TIRUVĀRŪR TEMPLE

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[In Śrī Tyāgarāja temple, Tiruvārūr, there are some *Padavarṇas* which were played by the temple *Nāgasvara-kāras* on the *bāri-nayanam*. Already, *Saṅgīta saṁpradāya pradarśini* has given with notations, seven of these in *Tōḍi*, *Hindōḷa*, *Śrīrañjani*, *Khamās*, *Pūrṇacandrikā*, *Nilāmbari*, and *Hindōḷavasanta*.

Three of these *Padavarṇas*, in *Śuddhasāvēri*, *Pūrṇacandrikā*, and *Māḷavagaḷa*, not brought to light so far, are published here.

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1 pada varṇam — śuddha sāvēri rāgam — aṭa tālam

pallavi

S ; S ; R m r R p m P ; ma ma tā rē		D ; D Ś D P D P M , p D ṭi cā	
P D d p M nē		M ; ; ; .	
M ; P d ś D P P M P M ma gu va		R S R ; P ; M p m R R rō vi na	
M ; ; ; vē		R ; ; ; .	

anupallavi

; P D ; D Ś Ś ; ṛ Ś ṛ M sū ma śa ru nī		Ṛ ; Ś Ṛ Ṛ Ṛ Ś ; D ; . ka n na	
D Ś D P		D Ṛ Ś ; . . . ṭṭi	
; P D Ṛ Ś ; D ; ś d P su gu ṇa pa ri		P d m m p D P D Ś D D P ma . . . ḷa . . . raṅ . . . ga . . .	
D P P M nī . pai		P M R S	

muktāyi svaram

R S D S R ; R S R M		R S R M P M R S R M	
P M P ;		P ; D P	

MMRSRMPDŚD		ŘŚMŘŚŘŘŚDP	
MPDP		;MRS	

caranam

:: P ;;; P ;;;		M;PDśdPDP P M	
pā pa		jā ti . mā .	

PMRS		R; ;;	RM.
. . ru		ni	. .

1) R; ;S; ;;; R;		R; M; ;;; R; S;	
R; RS		DSRS	RM-(P p)

2) RR; MRSRR; P		PMRSRMP DŚD	
PDPM		PMRS	RM-(P p)

3) P; PMRSR; R;		M; RS RP; MRS	
R, S, D		S; RR	

PM P, D, D		Ś; RŚM, Ř, ŚDP	
MPDP		; MRS	RM-(P p)



2 pada varṇam — pūrṇacandrikā rāgam — rūpaka tālam

pallavi

S ;		P ; p m G		m g m r		g m p m · g m r s	
yā		· · · la		nan · · ·		nē · · · cē · · vu	
R ;		<u>g m P</u>		Ḍ r s		R ; S ;	
ē		<u>rā · · ·</u>		kkē · · ·		rā ·	
		<u>· · · m r o · · ·</u>					

anupallavi

P ;		d p m g m R r		g m r s		R G M P	
jā		la · myā · · · la		rā · · ·		nā · · · tō	
Ś ;		n n ś n p m g m		r g m p		ś n p m R g m r s	
sā		mi · · · śrī · · ·		tyā · · ·		gē · · · · · · · śa	

muktāyi svaram

S ṇ p		ḍ ḍ r r S s r		g m R		G m p p ś Ś	
Ś n p		, m M P m g		, m r g		m P m G m r	

(yāla)

caraṇam

P ;		d p g m r s ṇ p		R ;		<u>g m P</u> g m R S	
mā		ru bā · · · · ri ·		tā		ḷa · · · lē · · · rā	
1) R ;		r g m P m g m		r g m r		S , S r g m	
S , s		ṇ p - ḍ Ḍ - R R		g G - m		m m g m R g m	

- 2) S, s | ṅp-ḍḐ-rR || gG-m | pmgmRgm ||
- 3) Mpm | gmR;rg || mPm | gmR;gm ||
 rgmp | S,ṣnppsṅ || pnpm | pmgmRgm ||
- 4) P,p | ,mgmPmg || ,mrs | R,Rsṅp ||
 Ḑrs | R;rsṅp || ḍrsr | rgmRgmp ||
 pdps | ,ṣnppsṅpp || ,mpm | gmrSrgm ||



3 pada varṇam — mālāvagaṭa rāgam — ādi tālam

pallavi

S ; R grG;;G ; nin nē · · cā		MmpDp d pm la · · · nam · · ·		mgMgrrSN mi · · ti · · · ·	
Nnśnd P –mgMgrrsṇ nī · · · kṛpa · jū · · · ṭa ·		S RgrG vai · · · ·		mpgM–P d ya · · · sāmi	

anupallavi

P ; P mgpgMP ; van ya mī · · · ra vē		DN Śnś da puri · ·		nśR ś nN Ś · · · śva · · ra	
n śnśR Ś NnŚnD D dnD vai · · · · dyanā · · · · thē · · ·		p d pm gm nd śva · ra · ja · ga		d ppmgrrsṇ dī · · · · śa ·	

muktāyi svaram

S;;rrsNḍpṃḡṃ		Ṣ·ḌNś		,rgmpmgr	
srgMpG ,mpDnśṛ		ḡṛŚndnd		P–mgmgrṇ	

(ninnē)

caraṇam

P dd / P; DP mgM parā · · paramū · ·		gr r sSSrr · · rtti · · nī · ·		S ,r–GM vē · sāmi	
1) S;;R;G;M		D ,P ,M		GRGM	

2) S r s g r s r G m g M g m | P d n p d m p | G p m g r g m ||

3) p d n p d p m g m n d P m g r ṅ | s r g s r s ṅ ḍ | ḍ g r g M ||

 n d p g m p d n ś ṛ ġ ṁ ġ ṛ ś n | ġ ṛ ś Ś , n d | p P - m g r g m ||

(parāpara)

