

CHENNAKESAVA TEMPLE, BELUR, MYSORE STATE, SOUTH INDIA - COMPLETED IN 1117 A.D. BY KING VISHNU VARDHANA - VIRTUAL FOUNDER OF HOYASALA DYNASTY. THIS TEMPLE IS THE FINEST EXAMPLE OF CHALUKYAN STYLE OF ARCHITECTURE AND IS FAMOUS FOR ITS EXQUISITELY CARVED

WALLS, CEILING, PILLARS AND STATUARY. ITS EXTERIOR WALLS ARE ENRICHED BY HORIZONTAL ANIMAL FRIEZES, SCULPTURES OF GODS, GODDESSES AND CELESTIAL BEAUTIES

चिन्नकेशवा मन्दिर, बैलूर मेसूर प्रांत, दक्षिणी भारत-

यह मन्दिर महाराजा विशणु वरधन, जो होयसाला वंश के स्थापक थे, ने 1117 ई. में बनवाया था। यह मन्दिर चालुकिया शिल्प कला और कारीगरी के

बहुत सुन्दर नमूने हैं। यह मन्दिर अति सुन्दर दीवारों, छत, स्तंभों और मूर्तियों के लिए प्रसिद्ध है। इस मन्दिर की बाहरी दीवारों पर जानवरों, देवी-देवताओं और सुन्दर आपसरों की मूर्तियों की सजावट है।

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Belur Mysore State India : Chennakesava Temple

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Your Angels spread carpets of jeweled stars across celestial valleys, stretch Prayer-Ragmalas along Your passage through their neighborhood; my mind cannot possibly grasp, my spirit cannot possible fathom, nor imagine Your mysterious Ways, or the Cosmic Grandeur.

~ Kanwal Prakash Singh ~

ਅਨਿਕ ਕਟਕ ਜੈਸੇ ਭੂਲਿ ਪਰੇ ਅਬ ਕਹਤੇ ਕਹਨੁ ਨ ਆਇਆ ॥੩॥

ਸਰਬੇ ਏਕੁ ਅਨੈਕੈ ਸੁਆਮੀ ਸਭ ਘਟ ਭੋਗਵੈ ਸੋਈ ॥

*So I have been in error, but am no more, behind all the various manifestations, there is one God; In the motions of every heart, it is God that throbs.*

~ Bhagat Ravi Dass, Rag Sorath, Page 658, **Sri Guru Granth Sahib** (Sikh Scripture) ~

**HINDUISM:** Originating in India and considered one of the oldest world religions, Hinduism is a spiritual composite of traditions and rituals of devotional and philosophical systems built over the past 4,500 years. The Vedas, Upanishads, and epics Ramayana, Mahabharata, Puranas, and Bhagavad Gita form the scriptural treasures and foundation of the faith. There are over one billion Hindus worldwide and nearly 2 million in the USA. Hinduism is polytheistic, a way of life, and believes in the doctrines of karma and reincarnation.

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