Kanteerava Narasaraju Immadi (1704-1713 AD)

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**Languages:** Telugu

After the Vijayanagara empire disintegrated, Chikkadevarayalu ruled Mysore kingdom and supported Telugu literature. After him, his son Kanteerava Narasaraju Immadi became the king despite being deaf and dumb. Kanteerava Narasaraju was writer and wrote 7 yakshganas: *panchaayudhkatle, lakshmeevilaasamu, kalavaanee vilaasamu, naatyavidyaa vilaasamu, vasantoatsava vilaasamu, vibhaktikaamtaa vilaasamu, and ashtadikpaalaka vilaasamu.*

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**Poverty Stricken Brahmins in India:** Brahmins are about 2% of the total population (~80 million) of Andhra Pradesh ([http://www.vedah.net/manasanskriti/Brahmins.html](http://www.vedah.net/manasanskriti/Brahmins.html)).
The latest on Brahmins in Telugu by Indrasenareddy Nallu
(www.vepachedu.org/manasanskriti/Status%20of%20Brahmins%20at%20present.pdf).
Poor Brahmins (http://www.vepachedu.org/brahmana-tribe.html#The_Mouths_that_Recited_Vedas_are) in Andhra Pradesh today.

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Om Shantih, Shantih, Shantih!
(Aum! Lead the world from wrong path to the right path, from ignorance to knowledge, from mortality to immortality, and peace!)