Mallana Madayagari
(15-16th Century)

Name: Mallana
Family: Madayagari
Father: Madaya
Contributions: raajasekharacharitramu,
Language: Telugu

Mallana was one of the Ashtadiggajas (see http://www.vepachedu.org/krishnarayalu.htm) in the literary assembly of emperor Sri Krishnadevaraya. He dedicated raajasekharacharitra to Appamatyudu Nadendla. Mallana was a Shaivite (a member of an ancient Indian religion, the followers of which believe in Lord Shiva as the supreme being).

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"Earth provides enough to satisfy every man's needs, but not every man's greed." - Mahatma Gandhi

Hinduism is a way of life, with diversity of religion, and Indian teachings share the importance of seva (service).

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Om! Asatoma Sadgamaya, Tamasoma Jvotrigamaya, Mrtvorma Amritamgamaya,
Om Shanthi, Shanthi, Shanthi!
(Aum! Lead the world from wrong path to the right path, from ignorance to knowledge, from mortality to immortality, and peace!)