

A Grand Carnatic Vocal Concert

by

“Dr. Nagavalli Nagaraj”



A distinguished vocal artist from Bangalore, India.

Accompanied by our well known local artists

Jayashankar Balan & Rajasekhar Atmakuri

on Violin

on Mridangam

ON Saturday, 7th of October 2006, 4.30 PM to 7-30 PM

At William M. Costick Activities Center

*28600 Eleven Mile Rd.
Farmington Hills, MI 48336
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Admission: \$10 for Adults, \$5 for seniors and College Students and Kids free

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About the artist

Dr. Nagavalli Nagaraj, a distinguished vocal artist of surpassing quality is bestowed with lingering and pleasant voice capable of covering all the three octaves effortlessly, and comes from a family of musicians. She is the grand daughter of late Kolatur Ramakrishna sastry a vaaggeyakara. She learnt music from her father late Sri. K.S. Satyanath. Dr.Nagavalli started giving concerts at an early age of 12 years. She has performed thousands of concerts.

She did her post-graduation in music from Bangalore University in the year 1982 & has been a visiting faculty. She has been awarded Ph.D for "Integrated study of kritis of Mysore Vasudevacharya".

Dr.Nagavalli Nagaraj is a grade 'A' artist in A.I.R & Doordashan for over 20 years, apart from performing for private channels. She has performed in National programme of music and Akashvani sangit sammelan. She has to her credit having telecast continuously for the last four years a programme on the great epic Mahabharata written by Kumara vyasa.

She has represented the State many times in inter-state cultural festivals and National festivals & has performed in almost all the leading sangita sabhas and music festivals of the Nation.

She has released more than 100 cassettes and a few C.D's covering all the nuances of music which are very popular to her credit & was elected as the **President** of young musicians conference in the year 2000 by Karnataka gaana kala parishat a cultural forum of musicians of Karnataka and was awarded the title Gaana kala shri.

She has won Gold medal in 1977, presented by none other than Dr.Balamurali krishna for rendering Dr. Balamurali krishna's kritis at Murali ravali at Channai. She has won many awards and titles given by distinguished sabhas and maths. To name a few are

1. Sangita Chudamani
2. Sangita Vidyavaridhi
3. Sangita Sudhavarshini
4. Sneha Simha award by Lions cub & many others

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