



NEYYATTINKARA NARAYANAN VASUDEVAN
Akademi Award: Carnatic Vocal Music

Born in 1940 at Neyyattinkara, Kerala, Shri Neyyattinkara Narayanan Vasudevan received his training in Carnatic vocal music from masters like Ramanad Krishnan and Semmangudi R. Srinivasa Iyer. He also attended the Swathi Thirunal College of Music, Thiruvananthapuram.

Neyyattinkara Vasudevan has had a long and successful career on the concert platform, performing within India and in several other countries. He has been working with All India Radio as a staff artist in Trissur and Thiruvananthapuram since 1974 . He is known especially for his repertoire of compositions by Swathi Thirunal, a number of which he has recorded on discs and cassettes. He has also sung in Malayalam films.

For his outstanding work in the field of music, he has received the Award of the Kerala Sangeetha Nataka Akademi in 1982 and its Fellowship in 1989.

Shri Neyyattinkara Narayanan Vasudevan receives the Sangeet Natak Akademi Award for his contribution to Carnatic vocal music.



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