

#### Virtues of Life from Indian Cinema

It was an evening well spent with family and friends, as our guest P C Bala delivered a brilliant presentation on important virtues brought out in Indian Cinema which have motivated us over the years.

A well-known movie buff, author and speaker PC shared interesting trivia about the subject of his research, and spoke from his heart about his journey. The movie clips to go with it called for an interesting presentation. The event has changed the way we watch a movie, the way we think and the significance of every scene and dialogue.

# Message from PC Bala-

Thanks for once again inviting me to address AURA. I really had a great time on the 15th evening addressing many of you.

I must compliment Vrinda for anchoring the show in a very pleasing, simple and friendly manner. I really loved that simplicity. I loved the questions put across by her.

Thanks to all the participants, it is not easy to spend two hours on a zoom presentation and it is the audience who make the prog successful and engaging. I also thank the questions raised by some of the participants. Some of them were really interesting.

I hope most of them enjoyed the session. Well done AURA and thanks once again for the opportunity and look forward to addressing all of you another day on another occasion on another subject.

Till then...bye for now







# NEWSLETTER





Topic: Melange – A Morning of Fusion

Music

Guest: Karthick lyer

(Musician and creator of IndoSoul)

Date: Monday, 7<sup>th</sup> September, 2020

Time: 11am

Venue: Zoom.

Melange- A morning of fushion music

Music washes away from the soul, the dust of everyday life. It connects people in ways, that no other medium can.

An accomplished Vocalist, Violinist and composer, Creator of IndoSoul, with over 20years of classical and Carnatic experience, Karthick Iyer has been captivating audiences with his soulful voice and emotion-led violin pieces across the world. He has played for the Indian film industry with A R Rahman and other notable music directors. Karthick then spent a few years performing in stages like Glastonbury (UK), Kennedy Centre for Performing Arts (US) and many more.

Having performed across the globe with various bands and renowned artists, Karthick formed his own band IndoSoul, a 5 piece music band which he leads as a violinist and singer. IndoSoul goes beyond the confines of genre, seeks out and welcomes other musical influences, while retaining its core identity of Indianness.

Turn up the volume, close your eyes, let the music take over your soul.

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### Members speak

It was a mesmerizing session with Mr Bala. He beautifully unveiled the virtues of life which are actually portrayed in Tamil cinema. I personally liked his description regarding the traits of a person associated with every virtue. Thank you for the memorable evening.

Kumudha Rengarajan, Artemis.

The Aura meet on Independence day was a big surprise to me as it has never happened before. Watching it along with family was even more interesting and unique. And to top it like the icing on a cake, the session by P.C.Bala sir was very lively and interactive .Mrs.Sunitha Bala's simplicity, frankness and her admiration for her husband added glory to this program.

Sunitha Raghavan, Athena.

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# **Birthdays in September**

Alamelu P	7 <sup>th</sup>
Shanthi Sukumar	13 <sup>th</sup>
Sunitha Raghavan	18 <sup>th</sup>
Kantha Kishore	21 <sup>st</sup>
Uma Rajeswari S	23 <sup>rd</sup>
Shilpa Vivek	29 <sup>th</sup>
Susheela N	29 <sup>th</sup>

# **Announcement from the Aura**

Dear all, we are just one month away from our annual event in October. Time flies, even in these Covid times.

A gentle reminder for those who are yet to renew their membership. Look forward to another rocking year together.



# Down memory lane



An evening of Carnatic progressive rock with Agam Band in 2015.



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