

Bharatanatyam Arangetram

of

SHRAAVYA SANTHANAKRISHNAN

{ DISCIPLE OF GURU SMT. SOUNDARYA SANTHANAKRISHNAN }

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Shraavya Santhanakrishnan

Shraavya Santhanakrishnan is the daughter and disciple of Guru Smt. Soundarya Santhanakrishnan. She commenced her journey in Bharatanatyam at the tender age of 4 under her mother's tutelage. Since then, she has graced numerous stages both as part of groups and as a solo performer.

In 2017, she participated in the Guinness World Record Event for the largest gathering of Bharatanatyam dancers. Additionally, she is mastering Carnatic Vocal under her mother's guidance, showcasing her talent through various stage performances.

Further expanding her musical repertoire, she is learning Harmonium and Keyboard from Smt. Sowmya Shankar at Sai Swaralaya School of Music in Charlotte, North Carolina. Currently, she is a freshman at The Stanton College Preparatory School.

Today marks a significant milestone in her journey as she presents her first full-length Bharatanatyam performance before an esteemed audience.



Program

Pushpanjali

Raagam : Nattai

Taalam : Ekam

Ganesha Stuti - Prabho

Ganapathey

Raagam : Tilang

Taalam : Adi

Alarippu - Kanda Jathi

Jathiswaram

Raagam : Khamas

Taalam : Roopakam

Shabdam- Devi thaye

Raagam : Ragamalika

Taalam : Mishra Chappu

Varnam - Gokula Bala

Raagam: Kalyani

Taalam: Adi

Keerthanam - Harihara

Putram

Raagam : Vasantha

Taalam : Kanda Ekam

Padam- Netrandinerathile

Raagam : Huseni

Taalam : Roopakam

Thillana

Raagam : Kanada

Taalam : Roopakam

Mangalam



Guru Smt. Soundarya Santhanakrishnan

Guru Smt. Soundarya Santhanakrishnan embarked on her Bharatanatyam journey at the age of 4 under the tutelage of Ms. Saroja Rani from Shankara Natyalaya in Chennai. Continuing her training, she sought guidance from Smt. Jayashree Nair at Upasana Academy in Mumbai, culminating in her arangetram under Nair's mentorship. Further advancing her skills, Soundarya pursued an advanced course in Bharatanatyam under the guidance of Smt. Madhavi Chandrasekhar in Tiruchirapalli.

Throughout her journey, Soundarya has graced numerous stages across India and USA with her Bharatanatyam performances. In addition to her dance prowess, she has also honed her skills in Carnatic Vocal and Veena under the guidance of Smt. Saroja Hariharan in Mumbai.

Her talents have earned her recognition, including the Award of Merit from Tamil Veteran Actor/Director Shri S.P. Muthuraman and a Guinness World Record for participating in the largest gathering of Bharatanatyam dancers on stage.

Expanding her influence, Soundarya has established her own academy in Jacksonville, where she imparts her knowledge and expertise to numerous students in Bharatanatyam and Carnatic Vocal.

ORCHESTRA



Smt. Soundarya Santhanakrishnan

Vocal & Nattuvangam



Dr. Latha Parameswaran

Vocalist



Shri: M.R.Venupuri Srinivas

Percussionist
Instrument: Mridangam



Chi. Skandaprasad Rao

Flutist



Shri. Sanjay Chandran

Violinist



Smt. Ranjani Ramkumar

Compère



Ramana Murthy and Adam Madrid

Photo & Videography



Smt. Sai Sailaja Bandaru.

Make Up Artist



THANK YOU FOR YOUR PRESENCE

Venue: 2264 Bartram Rd, Jacksonville, FL 32202
at Bolles Middle School Auditorium, Jacksonville, Florida

Social hour : 3:00 pm | Event : 4:00 pm followed by Dinner

Santanakrishnan's family expresses heartfelt thanks to all our loved ones for their contributions and support for making this event grand. Your presence and blessings made it truly special. We are grateful for your kindness and love.



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