

## Dheem Dheem (Revathi Thillana)

Ragam: Revathi (2nd Melakartha (Ratnangi) Janyam)

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Revati\\_\(raga\)](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Revati_(raga))

ARO: S R<sub>1</sub> M<sub>1</sub> P N<sub>2</sub> Š                    ||  
AVA: Š N<sub>2</sub> P M<sub>1</sub> R<sub>1</sub> S                    ||

Talam: Misra Chapu

Composer: Lalgudi Jayaraman

Version: Ram Kaushik (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9DBMXJt4sj8>)

Lyrics/Meanings Courtesy: Lakshman Ragde <https://www.rasikas.org/forums/viewtopic.php?t=4770>

Youtube Class/Lesson: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mALxHcB4EWc>

MP3 Class / Lesson: <http://www.shivkumar.org/music/revathi-lalgudi-thillana-class.mp3>

### **Pallavi:**

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jhaNuta dhIm tanata dhIm tata NatOm tOm tAm tAm tAm dhIm dhIm

### **Anupallavi:**

tAkiTatOm dhIm takiTatOm dhIkiTa jham dhIm takiTa jham  
tataratAni dhIm taratAni dhIm tatAni dhIm tatAni dhImta

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Meaning of the charana sahityam: (Courtesy: <https://sapthaswaras.blogspot.com/2009/02/thillana-in-revati-raaga.html> )

*I have been waiting (kAttirundEn) all my life (kAlam ellAm) just to behold (kANa) the beautiful/handsome (kOla) murugan, but I am not sure (EnO) if it is artful pretence (jAlamO) on his part, or the consequence of my own karma (kAlamO) that has made the spear-weilding Lord (vElanO) to have forgotten (marandAn) me (enai).*

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R ; ; | ; ; | ; ; ||  
dhIm - - - - - -

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R ; ; | ; N | R S || ; M N | P ; | M R ||  
dhIm - - nA dru dhIm - tom dru dhIm ta na

mpm pnp | n s n-p | m-rmr || mpm- n p m | rr-pn | p-nsn ||  
dhIm dhIm ta na na na na dhIm dhiM ta na na nana dhIm - dhIm

rmrr ; ; N | R S || ; M N | P ; | M R ||  
dhIm - - nA dru dhIm - tom dru dhIm ta na

N S R | R M | ; R || MP-N | ; ; | PN ||  
Jha Nu ta dhIm - ta na ta dhIm ta na

S-R, n | ; S | , p -N ||, M, P |, p m n | p-R, ||  
Na tOm tOm - tOm ta tAm tAm tAm ta-dhIm - dhIm

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S n p M | R ; | ; | ; ; | ; | ; | ; ||  
tAki Ta tOm dhIm - - - - - - - -

S n p M | R , m | p n S || ; ; | ; | ; | ; ||  
tAki Ta tOm dhIm ta ki TatOm

S n p M | R , m | p n S || R s n P | M , p | n s R ||  
tAki Ta tOm dhIm ta ki TatOm dhI kiTa jham dhIm- ta kiTa jham

Srs n p M | R , m | p n S || R s n P | Mpm , p | n s R ||  
tA- ki Ta tOm dhIm ta ki TatOm dhI kiTa jham dhIm- ta kiTa jham

n s r - r m r | N - n s | r s n p || , s N p m | , n P | m - R , ||  
tata ra tA- ni dhIm ta ra tA-ni dhIm ta tA ni dhIm tatA ni dhIm  
Srs n p M | R , m | p n S || R s n P | Mpm , p | n s R ||  
tA- ki Ta tOm dhIm ta ki TatOm dhI kiTa jham dhIm- ta kiTa jham

n s r - r m r | N - n s | r s n p || , s N p m | , n P | m - R p ||  
tata ra tA- ni dhIm ta ra tA-ni dhIm ta tA ni dhIm tatA ni dhIm ta

mpm pnp | n s n - p | m - rmr || mpm- n p m | rr - pn | p - nsn ||  
dhIm dhIm ta na na na dhIm dhiM ta na na nana dhIm - dhIm  
rmrr ; | ; ; | ; S || ; ; ; | ; ; | ; ; ||  
dhIm -

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*Sahityam: kOla muruganaik-kANa eNNi kAlamellAm kAttirundEn*

*Meaning: I have been waiting (kAttirundEn) all my life (kAlam ellAm) just to behold (kANa) the beautiful/handsome (kOla) murugan,*

P N P | M M | M M || r m P pm | m r R | R ; ||  
kO- la mu ru ga naik- kA- - Na eN- - Ni -  
rsnp np | R ; | R ; || s r r m - mp | pnsn | NP ||  
kA- la mel- lAm - kA- - tti- run-- dEn-  
nnP-mpN np | M M | M M || mmR rmP pm | m r R | R ; ||  
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mpns r- s | R ; | ; || ; ; | ; | ; ||  
vE- - - la nO-  
mpns r- s | R ; | , r R || R , R , | ; n r | r s S || ; ; | ; | ; ||  
vE- - - la nO- e nai E nO - maran - - dAn  
mpns r- s | R ; | , r R || R - p m R | , n r r | S S ||  
vE- - - la nO- e nai E nO - maran - - dAn

mpns r- s | R ; | , r R || R - Mpm R | ; n r | , s S ||  
 vE- - la nO- e nai E nO - maran - dAn

nnP mpns r- s | R ; | , r R || R - Mpm R | ; n r | , s S ||  
 vE- - la nO- e nai E nO - maran - dAn

R m r N | P ; | M - N || s n n p mrR | - N R | S ; ||  
 jA- - la mO en kA - - la mO a ri yEn

mpns r- s | R ; | , r R || R - Mpm R | ; n r | , s S ||  
 vE- - la nO- e nai E nO - maran - dAn

R m r N | P ; | M - N || s n n p mrR | - N R | S ; ||  
 jA- - la mO en kA - - la mO a ri yEn

### Chitta Swaram:

(14 = 4 + 4 + 3 + 3 )

s S r - m m | , p - n n | , s r n ||  
 tAm tAm ta dhIm dhIm ta tOm tOM ta ki Ta

S ; ; | ; ; | , s r n ||  
 Jham sa ri ni

s S r - m m | , p - n n | , s r n ||  
 tAm tAm ta dhIm dhIm ta tOm tOM ta ki Ta

S , n s - p | n - m p - r | m - s r n ||  
 Jham ni sa- pa ni ma pa ri ma sa ri ni

( 3 + 3 + 3 + 3 = 12 ; 5 + 6 + 5 = 16.... and ... **12 + 16 = 28** }  
 r R - m M | n N - r | R - m m || , R - m m - r | r n n - m | M R ||  
 tatAm tadhIm tajham ta Nam ma ma ri mama ri ri ni ni ma mA rI

(khanda, 2nd speed)

s s s S r r r R m m m M | N ; | n P P n n n N ||  
 takajhaNU takajhaNu takajhaNu dhIm taLAngu takajhaNu

R - r N N s s s S | R - s N N | s s s R M . ; ||  
 dhIm taLAngu takajhaNu dhIm taLAngu takajhaNu dhIm

; r M - s S r | s s s r n s ; | ; s R || n S s p p p n mp | ; n S | p P N - m m m M ||  
 tattit taLan gu takajhaNU dhIm - tattit talAngu taka jhaNu dhIm tattit taLAngu takajhaNu

mpm pnp | n s n - p | m - rmr || mpm- n p m | r r - pn | p - nsn ||  
 dhIm dhIm ta na na na na dhIm dhiM ta na na nana dhIm - dhIm

rmrr ; | ; ; | ; S ||  
 dhIm - - - - <repeat chitta swaram>

(final finish)

mpm pnp | n s n - p | m - rmr || mpm- n p m | r r - pn | p - nsn ||  
 dhIm dhIm ta na na na na dhIm dhiM ta na na nana dhIm - dhIm

rmrr ; | ; N | R S || ; M N | P ; | M R ||  
dhIm - - nA dru dhIm - tom dru dhIm ta na

N S R | M, m | ; R || M P - N | , n ; | P N ||  
Jha Nu ta dhIm dhIM - ta na ta dhIm dhIM ta na

S - R , n | ; S | , p - N || , M , P | , p m n | p- R , ||  
Na tOm tOm - tOm ta tAm tAm tAm ta-dhIm - dhIm

mpm pnp | n s n - p | m - rmr || mpm- n p m | r r - pn | p - nsn ||  
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rmrr ; | ; ; | ; S || ; ; | ; ; | ; ; ||  
dhIm - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -