

Communication with Prof. R.C. Mehta
regarding
Prof. N.V. Patwardhan

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Subject **Information on Prof. N.V. Patwardhan**
From: **Joseph J. Palackal** <jpalackal@verizon.net>
Sent: **Feb 16, 2010 10:29:01 PM**
To: **profrcmehta@yahoo.com**

Dear Prof. Mehta,
Greetings from New York. Hope you remember me. I am completing my book on Syriac chants in South India. In the Introduction I am writing about my studies in Baroda; It was Prof. Patwardhan who auditioned me; he was the Head of the Dept at that time (1980s). I understand he died a few years ago. Could you please give me the exact year of his death? Has there been any publication on his contributions to Hindustani Music? I would appreciate if you can help me.

I am mentioning your name, too. It was you who told me for the first time about The New Grove (1980). The current edition of New Grove has my articles!

Take care
Looking forward to hearing from you
With gratitude

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Subject **As in this e-mail**

From: **prof r mehta** <profrcmehta@yahoo.com>

Sent: **Feb 18, 2010 07:06:54 AM**

To: **jpalackal@verizon.net**

Dear Mr. Joseph,

This is in response to your e-mail of Feb. 16, 2010.

Prof. Patwardhan was born on Oct. 10, 1925, and he died on Jan. 03, 2000.

This information I got from his daughter Mrs. Usha Pande – Delhi : Tele : 011 – 22618064.

I have no knowledge of any book on his contribution to music. There may have appeared some article (s) on the subject. Please inquire with his daughter.




Any likelihood of your visiting India / Baroda ?

My very best wishes : R.C. Mehta / Feb. 18, 2010

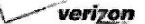
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Feb. 22, 2010

Dear Mr. Joseph Palacka,

My official title was " Prof. R.C. Mehta, Prof. Music – Ex –Principal of the College of Indian Music, Dance & Dramatics, M.S. University of Baroda".

I retired on Oct. 30, 1978, on reaching the age of 60. Born on 31-10-1918.

Sincerely yours : R.C. Mehta / Feb. 22, 2010

Prof. N.V. Patwardhan

(Born on Oct 10 1925 and Died on Jan 3 2000)

Head of the Music Dept., M.S. University, Baroda (Year 1980)

Mrs Usha Pandey, Delhi - D/O Prof. N.V. Patwardhan

Prof. R.C. Mehta

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