

June 5, 1964.

Dear Sir,

I was in the Netherlands for about nine months on a Fellowship from the Bureau voor Internationale Technische Hulp and was working at Kinderklinik, State University, Groningen.

During my stay in your country I had the privilege of visiting your station on Wednesday November 13, 1963 when, as a participant of an excursion, I was taken by a senior member of your staff. I was fascinated by the varieties of programmes you have with interest in arts and cultures of various nationalities. I recall a conversation I had with our guide who had spent some time with a wellknown South Indian musician (Vallathol).

I am now back in India and I must say that I have made lots of friends in your country who are still interested in Indian classical (Karnatak) music. I am writing this to say that one of my friends, a musician, is going on a holiday to London and would be visiting the Netherlands during his tour in Europe. I gather he would be willing to give talks and demonstrations of classical music if you could arrange for the same. I am enclosing some details about him and would appreciate if you could contact him direct. Needless to say that he is one of our accomplished radio artists.

I take this opportunity to thank your staff for sparing their valuable time to show us round.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

The Officer in Charge,  
Radio Netherlands,  
Wereldomroep  
Hilversum.

  
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