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===== Dr 'Ampasayya' Naveen is a prominent Telugu novelist who graduated from Osmania University. His life during college inspired his first novel, Ampasayya. He won the prestigious Sahitya Academy Award in 2004 for his novel Kala Rekhalu. Born on December 24, 1941, in a middle-class family in Warangal, Telangana, Naveen adopted the pen name 'Naveen' fifty years ago. Throughout his five-decade career, Naveen has published 28 widely acclaimed novels and over 70 short stories collected in several volumes. His most significant contribution to Telugu fiction is introducing the 'stream of consciousness' mode of narration, which helps readers understand characters' psyche. Three popular novels, known as the 'Ravi Trilogy', have mastered this technique: Ampashayya, Mullapodalu, and Antasravanti. Naveen has received numerous honors, including a Senior Fellowship from the Ministry of Human Resource Development to write a trilogy of novels. His novel Antasravanti won the Telugu University's Best Novel Award in 1994. In 2004, he was awarded the Central Sahitya Akademi Award for his novel Kalarekhalu, and Kakatiya University honored him with a Doctor of Letters degree. As a prominent writer, Naveen has participated in various awards ceremonies and served as a member of several academic boards. He has also traveled abroad to deliver lectures at universities, showcasing the reach of Telugu literature. In 2010, he received Gopichand's National Literary Award for his contributions to Telugu literature.