

# MARGAM

## BY KAVYA GANESH

Saturday, May 30, 2026 • 6:00 PM  
Electric Lodge, Venice, California

Presented by  
**Shakti School of Bharata Natyam**

**Viji Prakash**  
Artistic Director & Founder

### PROGRAM

**Part I:** Choreography by Rama Vaidyanathan

Intermission

**Part II:** Indumukhi - Choreography by Kavya Ganesh

### ARTIST BIO

Kavya Ganesh is a Bharatanatyam dancer, theatre maker, and actor whose work honors the depth of classical tradition while expanding its contemporary possibilities. Trained under acclaimed choreographer Rama Vaidyanathan, she has also performed with the Akram Khan Company and Bharatanatyam visionary Mythili Prakash.

At just 23, Kavya brings remarkable maturity, imagination, and effortless grace to her art. She is known for creating innovative performance experiences such as *Stand-Up Natyam* and *Dancing to Her Own Tune*, works that bridge classical Bharatanatyam with contemporary storytelling and performance.

Kavya is Founder and Artistic Director of the *Kavya Ganesh Company*, which creates original performance works at the intersection of dance, theatre, and literature while seeking to expand Bharatanatyam's reach for new and diverse audiences.

Kavya has performed across India, the US, Europe, and Asia, and delivered the TEDx talk *Decoding Bharatanatyam: Bringing It Closer to Home*. She holds a BA in Literature and Performing Arts from Ashoka University and has trained in the Conservatory for Actors program at Yale University.

### SHAKTI

**Viji Prakash** Artistic Director & Founder, Shakti School of Bharata Natyam

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### COMING SOON

**Shakti Dance Camp with Mythili Prakash**  
**June 15 – June 26**

**Arangetram by Saya Sarma**  
**June 27** West High Performing Arts Center

**Shakti Camp – Legacy in motion**  
**June 28**  
Tribute to Kikkeri Prakash- Shakti's visionary creative force

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