

5

**M.A. Lalitha Kumari**  
14, 'Thevervelil'  
Jawahar Nagar  
Aluva-6  
Kerala, India

---

## **DECLARATION**

I hereby declare that the work has been originally carried out by me under the guidance of Dr. C. J. Davees, Department of English, St. Thomas' College, Thrissur, Kerala. This work has not been submitted either in full or in part for any degree at any university.

Aluva

August 2007

*M. A. Lalitha Kumari*  
**M. A. Lalitha Kumari**