

MOIRANGTHEM MEINA SINGH

OTHER MAJOR TRADITIONS OF MUSIC – NATA SANKIRTANA OF MANIPUR



Shri Moirangthem Meina Singh was born on 1 February 1977 at Tentha Khongbal, Manipur. He received training in Nata Sankirtana from Shri L. Ibohalmacha Singh, Shri L. Lakpati Singh, Shri E. Chaobhal Singh and Shri N. Shyamchand Singh. He obtained Post Diploma in Nata Sankirtana from Jawaharlal Nehru Manipur Dance Academy, Imphal.

As an Eshei Hanba, the lead singer in the performance of Nata Sankirtana, Shri Moirangthem Meina Singh has emerged as one of the talented performers in Manipur. He has participated in major festivals including 5th Guru Kirtana Khubak Eshei, Imphal; Festival of Dance and Music, Delhi; Festival of Classical and Traditional Dance Forms of Manipur, Mumbai, and has made a mark as a young talent early in life in the Nata Sankirtana tradition of Manipur.

Shri Moirangthem Meina Singh has been duly rewarded for his talent in the field of Manipuri Music by Guru Gulapi Nata Sankirtana Academy.

Shri Moirangthem Meina Singh is awarded the Ustad Bismillah Khan Yuva Puraskar of Sangeet Natak Akademi for the year 2009 for his notable talent in the field of Nata Sankirtana.