



Murappennu

India/1965/35mm/B&W/176'/Malayalam

homage

Direction: A Vincent

Producer: Shobana Parameswaran Nair

Screenplay: M T Vasudevan Nair

Cinematography: A Venkitt

Editing: G Venkittaraman

Music: Chidambaranath

Cast: Premnazeer, Madhu, Ummar, Sharada, Jyothi Lekshmi, Santha Devi, P J Antony

The film is about a middle class agrarian joint family in Kerala grappling to find balance and meaning as the values of urbanisation start seeping in to the relationships. The transition will also mean a readjustment and redefining of relationships. Balan, a home grown agriculturalist, struggles hard to provide for his aged mother, teenager sister and to educate his selfish younger brother. While shouldering the heavy responsibilities of the family, Bhagi, his uncle's daughter and fiancée is the only solace he has. Things change when his brother comes back after completing his studies in the city. Relations tilt and Bhagi is snatched away from Balan.