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CULTURES RESEARCH FOCUS GROUP, AND UCSB DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC PRESENT

# KABIR IN SONG:

## A Night of North Indian Devotional Music



### Prahlad Singh Tipanya and Ensemble

The poetry of Kabir, the acclaimed fifteenth-century poet-saint of North India, has had a transformative influence on both Hindu *bhakti* traditions and the Sikh scriptural tradition enshrined in the Adi Granth. Prahlad Singh Tipanya and his ensemble of singers make Kabir's poems come to life in the vigorous and joyful folk style of Madhya Pradesh's Malwa region. From his beginning as a village schoolteacher with no musical background, Mr. Tipanya has risen to receive the Padma Shri award for the arts, one of the highest honors bestowed by the Indian government. Join us for a truly unique concert where Linda Hess, a leading scholar of Kabir, will present translations of the powerful poetry put to song.



**SUN, APRIL 23, 8 PM**  
**MUSIC PERFORMANCE/MCC THEATER**

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