

12. Venkataramana Temple Place – Midigeshi

District : Tumakuru
Taluk : Madhugiri
Locality : Midigeshi

Geo – Coordinates:
Lat : 13.8322°N
Long : 77.2004°E

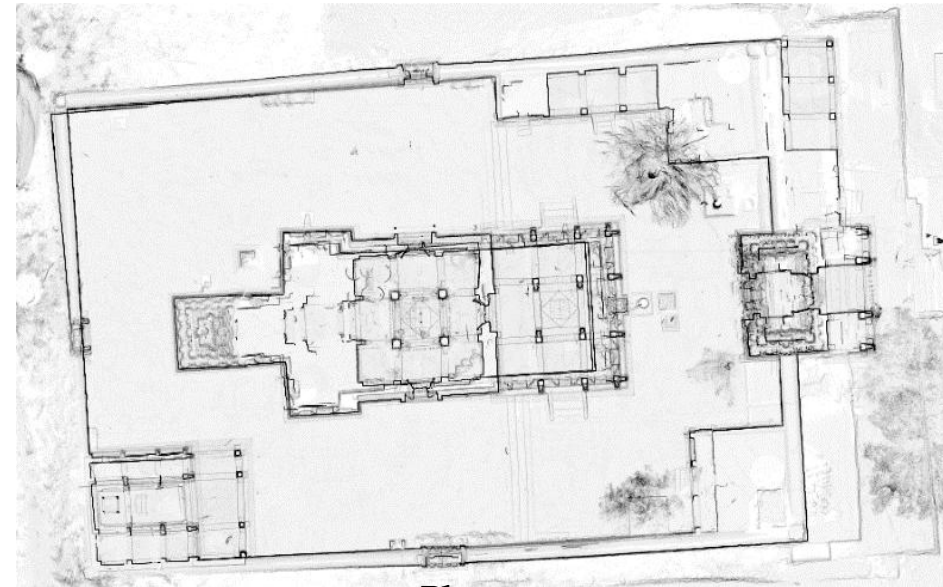


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History

Venkataramana Temple is located at Midigeshi Village, Madhugiri Taluk, Tumakuru district.

This temple is similar in plan to the temple of the same name at Madhugiri. It is said to have been built by a chieftain named Nagareddi. [The place is said to have been so named by a local chief, Nagareddi, after his wife Midigesi, who was so called because her hair (kesha) was so long that it touched her heel, (nidi)]. Its *dvaramantapa*, which has a large Dravidian brick tower and lion-bracket pillars, has a Ganesa in the south cell and Bhairava in the north cell. Its *mukhamantapa* has a set of fine pillars with ribbed brackets. The *garbhagriha* appears to be an ordinary late Hoysala structure.



Plan