

# Khasi folk songs of North East India

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## Culture of North East India

The people of this community celebrate various festivals like Ka Shad Suk Mynsiem, Ka Pom-Blang Nongkrem, Ka-Shad Shyngwiang-Thangiap, Ka-Shad-Kynjoh Khaskain, Ka Bam Khana Shnong, Umsan Nongkharai, and Shad Beh Sier. It is an honour for me to have played alongside maturing musicians like Dawad akka Weet, Baiaeinh akka Nah, Ador, Greg, Pynsuk and Dajied who understand the sensitivities of the music and the culture we believe in. The dancers skillfully dance within vertical and horizontal movements of bamboo staves.

## North East India

Archaeology of Gauhati, Bulletin of the Deccan College Post-Graduate and Research Institute, pp. The dancers usually put on their traditional attire while performing during the festivals or any religious occasions.

## Dance and Music Meghalaya, Meghalaya Folk Dance, Traditional Dance of Meghalaya

Men and women holding arms together perform this dance. All this, to repurpose the Music from merely entertaining the audience to engaging with the audience. Primarily an oral language, they had no script of their own, they used the Bengali script until the arrival of the Welsh missionaries.

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## North East India

The Khasis, before the white man came, were not a band of barbarians roving the hills for heads and scalps.

## Of Stories from the Khasi Hills

The staple food of the people of Meghalaya is rice, dried fish and meat. The dance is essentially performed during the festivals or any religious

ceremonies. The Shillong grapevine was rife with stories of the personal dynamics between them.

## **MEGHALAYA CULTURE AND TRADITION**

The monoliths represent the megalithic culture of the Jaintia people representing thus the Stonehenge of North-east India. Although there are various regional varieties of Khasi, they are all more or less related to the main language. The dance is mainly performed by the women folk who place their hands at each other back, while moving synchronously in a rhythmic motion.

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