**Rome was not built in a day**

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He was none of a kind of God of deity but as the ancestors say “Destiny favours the brave”. He was a fierce fighter, a passionate lover and a merciless rebel. The only reason for which the foes feared from the Sibis tribe was due to him. I am talking about none other than the lord himself Shiva or Adyah (the supreme lord). Shiva was the leader of his tribe with his best friend Bhadra as his commander of the tribal soldiers.

According to one of the legends, it was a dream of the lord of make four pillars at the corners of their land in four different directions with inscription of them dedicated to all his followers and which would signify the existence of the tribe. But observing the condition of his tribe, he never tried to achieve his dream for the good of his people, but the thing which can favour anyone generously is time. Time changed and the lords and his tribe’s destiny changed hence prosperity showered on his tribe. The tribe became very rich and prosperous thus they flourished.

Shiva felt that this was the time when his dream could come true so without wasting any further time he ordered all the workers to come together and work on the pillars. It was just when the work had started when the enemy tribe attacked them. They were not just invaders as they not only devastated the properties but also looted all the resources present.

The whole tribe was very disappointed as their leaders dream wreck and ruined. They lost hope but one of all broke the ice taking a stand and saying “I won’t improvise but speak the truth they have not defeated us but have lit a fire which will burn until we execute the last one to in vade. The fire which is burning inside me the volcano which is irrupting inside me will take down each one who will try to shatter my leader’s hopes. So come with me and let’s crush our enemies. This raged each and every person of that tribe ever one was vexed all the soldiers armed themselves. All the classes of people marched keeping in mind that losing was no option.

The soldiers fought bravely for about days and did not surrender till they had embraced victory with their blood. It took a lot of courage and determination to recover the resources and retreat their base land. They started working or the pillars without any delay and completed the construction. Today these pillars are at Tamil Nadu and provide us with abundance knowledge about the ancient times. Whenever I think about the sacrifice of those people and the strive of the others the only think that comes to my mind is Rome was not built in a day nor was it built effortlessly.