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**A very rare combination of two wonderful deities - "Pachu" and "Varadhu".**

**(Parthasarathy of Thiruvallikeni and Varadarajar of Kanchi, TN).**



Sri Partasarathy:

The name 'Parthasarathy', in Sanskrit, means the 'Charioteer of Arjuna', referring to Lord Krishna's role as a charioteer to Arjuna in the epic Mahabharata.

His face is full of scars depicted to show the injuries caused by the arrows of Bhishma in the war.

Sri Varadarajar:

The Puranic History reveals that the Lord Varadaraja appeared from the flames of Yaga Agni (Holy Fire) in a most beautiful

form carrying five weapons and with his consorts Sri Devi and Bhudevi.

The scars in His face are due to the heat caused by the those flames of Yaga Agni.