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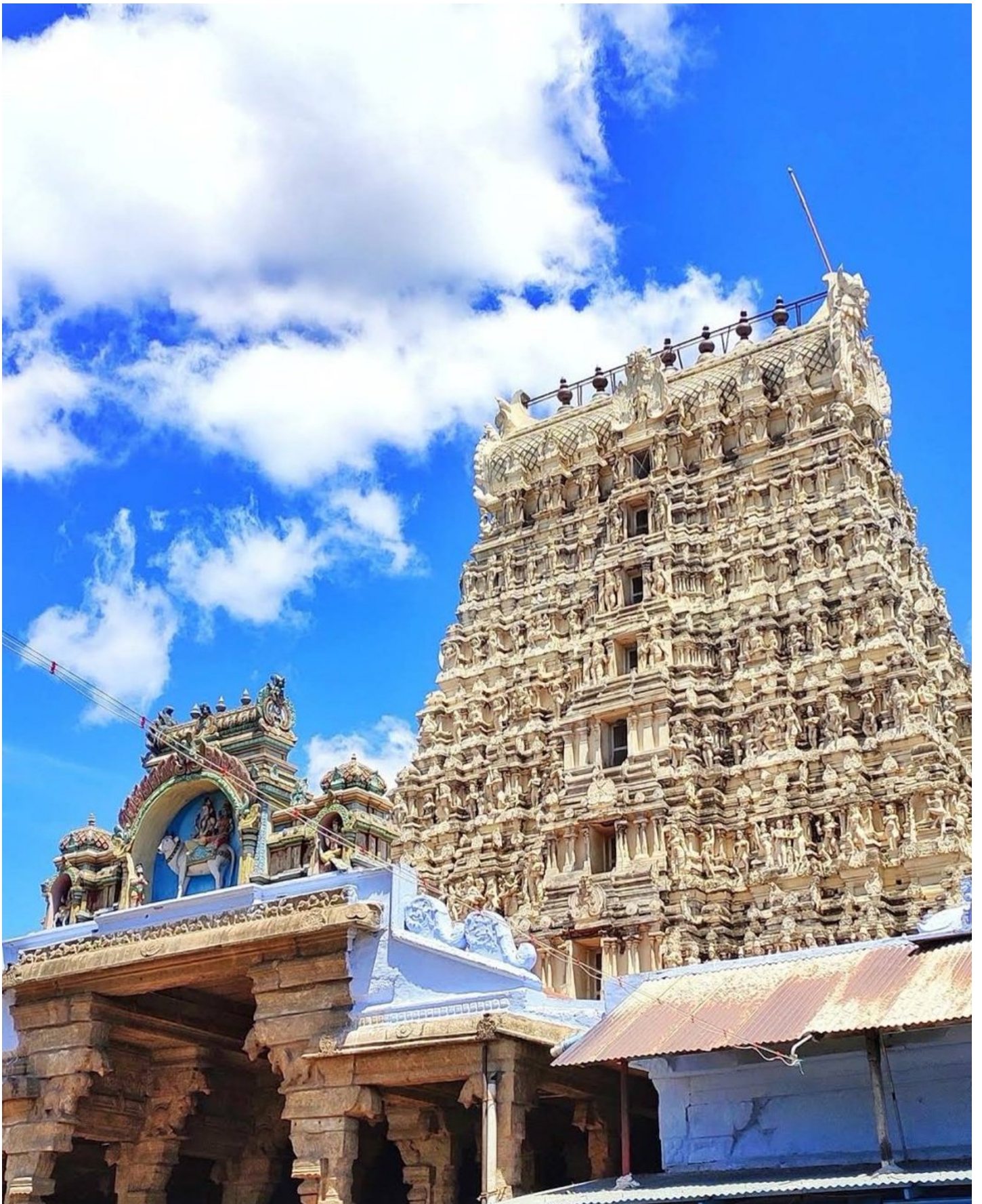


Papanasanathar temple

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Papanasanathar Kshetram, situated in Papanasam is a famous Shiva temple. Paramashiva is Papanasanathar and Parvathi Devi as Ulagammai. Temple is one among Nava Kailasa famous for Surya Deva, also called Surya Kshetram.



River Tamarabarani flows next to temple.

Sthala Puranam says that Rishi Agasthiyar, couldn't witness Shiva Parvathy Kalyanam and it is said that Bhagwan gave darshan to Muni here with Parvathy Devi in Kalyanakolam. It is also believed that Indra, who had Brahmahatya dosham,



to get relieved from dosha, Indra deva worshipped Mahadeva here. Papa means sin and Nasam means destruction, thus Papanasam means destruction of all sins. Turmeric water used for Devi's abhishekam is very famous here.



Married women have this theertha jalam which is considered to give long life for their husbands. Praying to Papanasanathar, we will be relieved from all loses and cured of all diseases.

Om Namah Shivaye

