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Sri Vanamutti Perumal, Kozhikuthi, Mayiladuthurai, TN.

Idol of Lord is made of Athi wood (15 feet tall in the Athi tree with its roots and is more than 800 years old).



King Serfoji of Thanjavur prayed to Lord to save him from Yuddha dosha (trouble of wars).

Perumal granted darshan to the king in this tree.

The king desired that every one should have this benefit and made the idol of this tree wood scaling 15 feet.

Lord appears standing majestically with His discus, conch, Mother Mahalakshmi on His chest and Abhaya Hastha-hand promising boons to devotees.

As the posture is tall, He is named Van-Sky, Mutti-Hitting, Perumal – Van Mutti Perumal.

No abishek is performed on Perumal as the idol is of wood, only Thaila Kappu is done.