



K. M. MANI

[K.C.(M)–PALA]

Son of Karingozhackal Shri Thomas Mani and Smt. Aleyamma Mani; born at Marangattupilly on 30th January 1933; B.A., B.L.; Advocate, Politician.

Right from his school days, participated in the revolt for the formation of a responsible Government in Travancore. After enrolment as an Advocate, started legal profession at Calicut Bar for a short while and set up practice at Pala and District Court, Kottayam.

Entered politics as a worker of the Indian National Congress; was a member of K.P.C.C. and General Secretary of Kottayam D.C.C.; Was founder member and General Secretary of the Kerala Congress Party. Became Chairman of Kerala Congress (M); Was a member of the State Planning Board; Chairman, State Law Reforms Committee.

Served as Minister for Finance and Law (1975-77), Home Affairs and Ports (April 1977 to December 1977 and September 1978 to July 1979); Finance and Law (January 1980 to October 1981); Finance, Law and Transport (December 1981 to March 1982); Finance and Law (May 1982 to March 1986); Irrigation and Law and Urban Affairs (June 1986 to March 1987); Revenue and Law (June 1991 to May 1996 and May 2001 to May 2006); Finance, Law and Housing (May 2011 to November 2015)

Holds the record of getting elected from the same constituency in 13 elections continuously, serving as a Member for a total period of 52 Years and holding office of Minister for 25 years. As Finance Minister, has presented 13 Budgets.

In 2014-15, he also served as the Chairman of the Council of State Finance Ministers for the implementation of the Goods and Services Tax.

Won the election in 1965 and was previously elected to the KLA in 1967, 1970, 1977, 1980, 1982, 1987, 1991, 1996, 2001, 2006 & 2011.

- Languages known : Malayalam and English
- Wife : Smt. Annamma Mani
- Children : Five daughters and one son
- Travels Abroad : U.S.A., U.A.E., U.K., Bahrain, Kuwait, Italy, Hong Kong, Egypt, Japan, France, Denmark, Norway, Germany, Kenya, Rome, Canada, China, Singapore, Nepal, European Union, Thailand, Philippines, Czechoslovakia, South Korea.
- Hobby : Reading
- Recreation : Films and Music
- Literary Activities : Author of:
1. Fiscal Problems of Kerala - Causes and Remedial Measures
 2. The People's Socialism
 3. The Eighth Five Year Plan - An Alternate Approach

4. India and Globalisation - Asian Economic Community - Need of the Day
5. Toiling Class Doctrine
6. The Fall of Marxist Doctrine and Reconstruction of Democracy
7. Constitutional Changes and the Special Parliament
8. Guideline for Agricultural Development
9. People's Right and People's Welfare
10. Economic Development of Kerala
11. A Developmental Agenda for Kerala
12. Agricultural Threats and Possibilities in the Context of the Global Economy.

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Voting Results

Electorate	: 1,79,829
Votes Polled	: 1,38,909
Shri K. M. Mani [K.C. (M)]	: 58,884
Shri Mani C. Kappen (N.C.P.)	: 54,181
Shri N. Hari (B.J.P.)	: 24,821