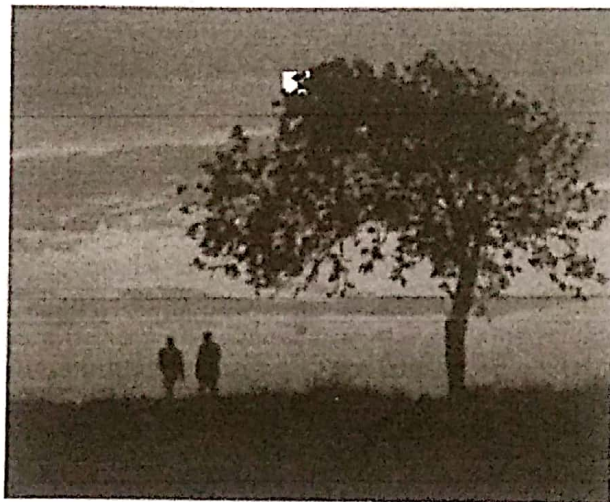


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Introduction

Prakash Ram Bhat, a poet-mystic from nineteenth century Kashmir, is counted alongside those mystics who have been appealing and influential across religions. As a poet-mystic, Prakash Bhat is famous for writing a two volume *Ramayana* in Kashmiri language, which is actually a regional version of the Valmiki *Ramayana*. Since a devotee of lord Rama, Prakash Bhat penned down the *Ramayana* in two books, titled as *Ramaavtaarcharit* and *Lav-Kush-charit*. As the names suggest,