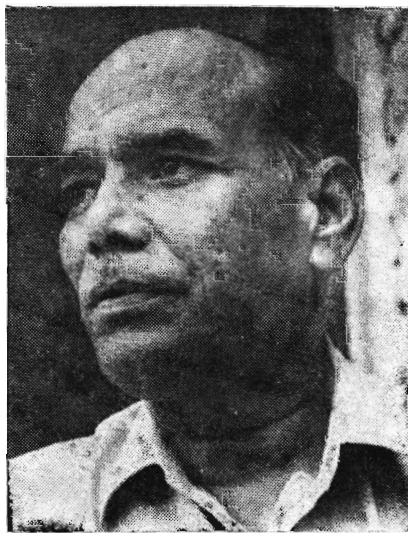


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The Palaeontological Society of India records with deep sense of grief the sudden and untimely demise of Dr. Suresh Narayan Singh (1927—1980), Professor & Head of the Geology Department, Lucknow University on September 17, 1980. A Founder Member of the Society, he served it in various capacities and was Chief Editor and Vice-President for the last 10 years.

A gold medalist of Lucknow University, he is widely acclaimed for the discovery of Kirthars in Rajasthan; zonation and correlation of the Eocene of Rajasthan; erection of a new foraminiferal family and two new foraminiferal subfamilies; and the proposal of a new terminology on arenaceous foraminiferal wall-structure. He was one of the main architects, who initiated microplaeontological researches in Oil & Natural Gas Commission, Dehra Dun.

He will be remembered for his nobility, generosity, confidence, power of decision and, above all, for his spirit to fight out the rigid norms and values unacceptable to a free-thinking individual like him.

The Society owes him much of its development and expresses its gratitude for his unfailing support ever since the Society came into existence.