



**BHARAT SHARMA VYAS**  
Akademi Award: Folk Music (Bihar)

Born on 1 August 1957 in Nagpura, Bihar, Shri Bharat Sharma Vyas got his training from Shri Jagdish Singh.

Shri Bharat Sharma Vyas is a reputed artist who has performed extensively across the nation and abroad including Oman, Mauritius, Thailand and Nepal.

Shri Bharat Sharma Vyas has received numerous awards including Bhikhari Thakur Samman, Bhojpuri Samrat Samman, Bhojpuri Ratna Samman, Bhojpuri Bhishm Pitamah Samman and Lok Gourav Samman.

Shri Bharat Sharma Vyas receives the Sangeet Natak Akademi Award for the year 2023 for his contribution to the folk music of Bihar.