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Compare the contribution of L. P. Vidyarthi and D. N. Majumdar to the study of Indian tribes

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5.1 Indian Village-Significance of village study in India; Indian village as a social system; Traditional and changing patterns of settlement and inter-caste relations; Agrarian relations in Indian villages; Impact of globalization on Indian villages.

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D. N. Majumdar

Lucknow anthropologist of Himalayan and tribal groups; major teacher of the subject.

L. P. Vidyarthi

Ranchi anthropologist of Maler, Gaya, and tribal development concepts.

Nature-man-spirit

Vidyarthi's model of tribal ecology, society, and religion as one complex.

Sacred complex

His model of tirtha organisation linking villagers, including tribal clients, to civilisation.

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