

## ***KONDA DORA***

The tribe's name is derived from the word "Konda" which means hill and "Dora" means a person. So, literally Konda Dora means hill people. They are divided into a number of exogamous totemistic steps such as, Sodalu (ragi), Bidikolu (earthen vessel), Palakolu, Boralu (cobra), Koku (cow), Kotra (wild goat). In their society though polygyny and child marriages are not prohibited, adult marriage and monogamy are commonly practised. Custom of receiving bride price is common among them.

