

## UNIT-6B

### Introduction:

**About the poet:** **Harindranath Chattopadhyaya** was born on 2<sup>nd</sup> April, 1898 in Hyderabad and died on 23<sup>rd</sup> June, 1990 was an Indian English poet, a dramatist, an actor, a musician and a member of the 1<sup>st</sup> Lok Sabha from Vijayawada Constituency. He was the younger brother of Sarojini Naidu. He was born to Aghorenath Chattopadhyaya and Barada Sundari Devi. His famous poems are Noon and Shaper Shaped.

**About the poem:** The poem **“The Earthen Goblet”** by Harindranath Chattopadhyaya is composed to highlight the value of living a natural and unsophisticated life while enjoying the simplicity of life. The poet in this poem also symbolises through the potter and the goblet the reality of the society.

