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The thesis "The society as reflected in Hindi and Konkani Proverbs" in 6 chapters gives a detailed picture of the societies reflected in Hindi and Konkani proverbs with their similarities and dissimilarities. The different phases of the society viz. the caste system, family relationships, place of women in the society. customs and manners. Code of Conduct, different beliefs, religious rités, rituals etc. are dealt with in detail on the base of the proverbs in Hindi and Konkani. Both the Societies reflected in Hindi and Konkani proverbs have common features which they acquired from one common source, i.e. the ancient Indian Society. The researcher has proved in this study that both the societies, though different in their outer structures have a common origin with the important features of the ancient Indian Society.