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Sources

- 1. Nilmatpurana Written in 6th - 7th (Oldest extant text)
- 2. Kalhana's Rajatarangani Written in 1149 - 1150
- 3. Jonaraja's Rajatarangani Covers 1150 - 1459
- 4. Jaina Rajatarangani by Srivara Pandit Covers 1459 - 1486
- 5. Rajavalipataka by Prajyabhatta Covers 1486 - 1512
- 6. Chaturtha Rajatarangani by Suka Covers up to the arrival of Asaf Khan

(Shah Jehan's, 1628-1657, Prime Minister)

Chronology

Ancient Hindu Era

3120 B.C. - 598	3,718 years	92 kings
(chronology speculative - based on Kalhana		
		and Ghulam
Hassan Shah (1832 - 1898), in Tarikh-i-		
		Hasan. The
only source of 47 Lost Kings, based on		
		Ratnakar
Purana, compiled by Anand Kaul.		
		Kalhana
starts with King Gonanda I		
Karakota Dynasty	600 - 855	255 years
Tsiang visits Kashmir (631 - 633)		Hieun
Utpala Dynasty	855 - 1003	148 years
great engineer. Sopore named after him		Suyya, the

Muktapida, built Martand Temple.				Lalitaditya
				Avanti
Varman (855 – 883). Built Samarsvamin				Temple in
Avantipura.				Vasagupta,
founder of Kashmir Shaivism				Ksemgupta
(950 – 958). Married Didda.				Didda (980
– 1003)				
1 st Lohar Dynasty	1003 – 1101	98 years		King Harsha
(1089 – 1101)				
2 nd Lohar Dynasty	1101 – 1339	238 years		Pandit
Kalhana wrote Rjatarangani during				Jayasimha's
reign (1128 – 1154)				Suhadeva
(1301 1320). During his reign Dulcha,				Rinchana,
and Shah Mir came to Kashmir				Rinchana
(1323 – 1323). Converted to Islam.				Udyandeva
(1323 – 1338), brother of Suhadeva				Kotarani

(1338 - 1339). Murdered by Shah Mir.

Lal Ded

born in 1335

Total Ancient Hindu Era **4,457 years**

Muslim Era

Sultanate (Shah Mir) 1339 - 1342)	1339 - 1561	222 years	Shams'Din
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Sikandar

Bhutshikan (1389 - 1413) -

Most

tyrannical to KPs. Forced conversion

of KPs to

Islam

Zain-Ul-

Abidin (Budshah) 1420 - 1470

Most

secular Muslim king. Death of Sheikh

Nur-ud-Din

Rishi

Chaks Khatoon	1561 - 1586	25 years	Habba
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Moguls Bhavani (Shah Jehan's reign 1628 - 1657)	1586 -1752	166 years	Rupa
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Afghans era for KPs	1752 - 1819	67 years	Most brutal
born in 1791			Parmanand
			Arnimall
Total Muslim Era		480 years	

Modern Hindu Era

Sikhs Amristar	1819 - 1846	27 years	Treaty of
Dogras Kashmir to Gulab Singh for 75 lak rupees	1846 - 1947	101 years	Britain sold
Zinda Kaul			Master
Total Modern Hindu Era		128 years	

History of Srinagar

The city of Srinagri was founded by King Ashoka (273 - 232 B.C.) at the present-day village of Pandrethan, about 3 miles of the present-day Srinagar. (Panderthan was called Purnadisthan until 14th cent.). Present-day Srinagar was founded by King Pravarsena The Second (Gonandiya Dynasaty) and used to be called Pravarpura. When the name Srinagri changed to Srinagar and replaced Pravarpura is not known.

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History Of Kashmir