

## ■ Indian Chess Grandmaster Karthikeyan Murali Triumphs over World Number One Magnus Carlsen

In the prestigious Qatar Masters Chess Tournament, 24-year-old Indian chess grandmaster, Karthikeyan Murali, emerged victorious over the world's number one player, Magnus Carlsen, in a classical showdown. Karthikeyan Murali now joins the esteemed company of Indian chess legends Harikrishna and Viswanathan Anand, becoming the third Indian to claim victory against Carlsen. During the seventh round of the tournament, Karthikeyan, deftly wielding the black pieces, outmaneuvered the reigning world champion, exhibiting his strategic brilliance and tactical prowess.



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