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## A son keeps a father's legacy alive

VETERAN Gujarati film star-turned-politician Naresh Kanodia passed away in October after contracting the Coronavirus infection. As a tribute to his contribution to regional cinema, Kanodia's son Hitu has recreated and released his father's 1995 hit number Sajan Tara Sambharna in a new music video on Ultra Gujarati, a YouTube channel. "The magic of the original song is unmatched as it has been



immortalised by my father in his own inimitable style. I am confident that this song will also do well. After all, Gujarati songs of yore are

timeless gems of our culture and need to be passed on," said Hitu, who is seen in the video with actor Mamta Soni (in picture).

# Naresh Kanodia's son to reprise father's popular Gujarati song

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NEARLY TWO months since actor-turned-politician Naresh Kanodia passed away in Ahmedabad due to Covid-19-related complications, his son Hitu Kanodia, who is also an MLA from Idar constituency, will be seen recreating the title song of the senior Kanodia's 1985 Gujarati romantic film Sajan Tara Sambharna, in a video planned for release on YouTube on December 19.

The reprised video will feature Hitu along with actor Mamta Soni and will see the title track sung by singers Himanshu Barot and Nayana Sarma. The film in 1985 starred Naresh with Snehalata Gadkari and Arvind Rathod in lead roles and the music of the original song composed by Naresh himself.

On stepping into his late father's shoes for the tribute video, Hitu says, "I am confident that this song will also be a chartbuster hit."