

## II Prize Winner Mr. Peeyush Pande's Solution

**Given :**

$\angle ACB = 60^\circ$  and CE bisects  $\angle ACB$

$AD \perp BC$ ,  $AK \perp BK$

To prove :  $BK^2 = BD^2 + DK^2 + 2AK^2$

In  $\triangle ODC$

$\angle OCD = 30^\circ$      $\angle ODC = 90^\circ$

$\therefore$  It is  $30^\circ - 60^\circ - 90^\circ$  right  $\triangle$

$\therefore OD = \frac{1}{2} OC$

$\angle DAC = 90^\circ - 60^\circ = 30^\circ$

$\therefore OA = OC$                       ( $\angle OAC = \angle OCA = 30^\circ$ )

$\Rightarrow OD = \frac{1}{2} AO$      $\Rightarrow AO = \frac{2}{3} AD$

According to concurrency theorem

$$\frac{AG}{OG} = \frac{AD}{OD} \Rightarrow \frac{AG}{OG} = \frac{3}{1}$$

$$\therefore AG = \frac{3}{4} \times AO = \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{2}{3} AD = \frac{AD}{2}$$

$\therefore G$  is midpoint of  $AD$  implies  $AG = GD = \frac{AD}{2}$

$\therefore$  In  $\triangle AKD$ , by Apollonius Theorem,

$$AK^2 + DK^2 = 2(AG^2 + GK^2)$$

$AGK$  - Right  $\triangle$

$$AG^2 = AK^2 + GK^2$$

$$AK^2 + DK^2 = 2AK^2 + 2GK^2 + 2GK^2$$

$$\Rightarrow DK^2 = AK^2 + 4GK^2$$

$$\Rightarrow DK^2 = AK^2 + 4AG^2 - 4AK^2$$

$$\Rightarrow DK^2 + 3AK^2 = (2AG)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow DK^2 + 3AK^2 = AD^2$$

$$\Rightarrow DK^2 + 2AK^2 - AD^2 + AB^2 = -AK^2 + AB^2$$

$$\Rightarrow DK^2 + 2AK^2 + BD^2 = BK^2$$

