

# The Role of Women in Islamic Society

## Outline

### 1. Introduction:

1.1 Hook

1.2 Background Information

1.3 Thesis statement: In an Islamic society women are playing very important role in the fields like in family, in education, in economy and also in leadership. Unlike an unIslamic society a women in Islamic society are enjoying many liberties given to them by Islam.

### 2. Role of Women in Islamic Society

2.1 Spiritual Role of Women  
seek knowledge, worship Allah, engage in acts of charity.

2.2 Family Role of Women  
foundation of the household, responsible for nurturing children

2.3 Education and Intellectual Role  
Women

seek knowledge and earn money according to skills

2.4 Economic Role of Women

Engagement in business and financial activities, owning property

2.5 Active Participation in Society

Right to express opinions, contributions to social welfare



- 2.6 Leadership and Influence  
Hold positions of leadership,  
also can serve as teachers,  
counselors to influence.

### 3. Hurdles in the Role of Women in Islamic Society:

- 3.1 Cultural and societal norms  
Deep-rooted gender biases and  
stereotypes
- 3.2 Limited access to education
- 3.3 Economic dependence.  
Women financial dependence  
on men
- 3.4 Political marginalization  
limited representation in  
decision making process.
- 3.5 Social constraints  
Restrictions on mobility  
dress and social interactions.

### 4. Conclusion:



# The Essay:

O mankind! Be dutiful to your Lord, Who created you from a single person (Adam) and from him (Adam) He created his wife and from them both He created many men and women. (Quran 4:1). As it is rightly depicted in the Quranic verse that every man and woman are created from the single person and both are ~~answ~~ <sup>answ</sup>erable to God for his/her duties. Owing to this responsibility Islam has given many liberties to women in an Islamic society. Women are free to play their role in spiritual, family, education, economic social and leadership role in an Islamic society. However, certain hurdles are impeding their way to perform their role. Like cultural and societal norms, limited access to education, economic dependence on men, political marginalization and social constraints.