

Title Poverty preserves humanity.

Title: The value of Poverty Over wealth

In contemporary world, people believe having a wealth is only a form of tranquil life. They did not know how humble poor cottage is, free of any type of jealousy which often come with wealth. children of wealthy man- attended by servant- unable to experience how honest and happy the home of poor cottage. Now a days, people willing to abolish poverty over luxury; despite admitting how valuable poverty is - provide a path of virtues which is essential for the progress of civilization.

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humble cottage of the poor man than in the palaces of the rich. I always pity the sons and daughters of rich men, who are attended by servants, and have governesses at a later age; at the same time, I am glad to think that they do not know what they have missed. It is because I know how sweet and happy and pure the home of honest poverty is, how free from perplexing care and from social envies and jealousies-how loving and united its members are in the common interest of supporting the family that I sympathize with the rich man's boy and congratulate the poor man's son. It is for these reasons that from the ranks of the poor so many strong, eminent, self-reliant men have always sprung and always must spring. If you will read the list of the "Immortals who were not born to die," you will find that most of them have been born poor.

It seems nowadays a matter of universal desire that poverty should be abolished. We should be quite willing to abolish luxury; but to abolish honest, industrious, self-denying poverty would be to destroy the soil upon which mankind produces the virtues that will enable our race to reach a still higher civilization than it now possesses. (Wren and Martin)

Precis

It is commonly thought that poverty is a bane and if everyone were affluent, life would be better but more often true happiness emanates from small homes than large castles. Privileged children should be pitied as they are missing out on the genuine glee of cottages that are not confined to social pressures. Therefore, most great men have been raised from humble beginnings. Luxury should be eradicated instead of poverty, as ceasing austerity would take away the necessary ground for producing an advanced generation in the future.

Suggested Title: Poverty Molds Greatness

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Exercise 29: Write a précis of the following passage and suggest a suitable title

The situation of Columbus was daily becoming more and more critical. In proportion as he approached the regions where he expected to find land, the impatience of his crews augmented. The favourable signs which increased his confidence were decided by them as delusive; and there was danger of their rebelling and obliging him to turn back, when on the point of realizing the object of all his labours. They beheld themselves with dismay still wafted onward over the boundless wastes of what appeared to them a mere watery desert surrounding the habitable world. What was to become of them should their provisions fail? Their ships were too weak and defective even for the great voyage they had already made, but if they were to be driven still farther forward, adding all every moment to the