

DELAYED MARRIAGES CAUSES AND CONSEQUENCES

OUTLINE

1. INTRODUCTION

1a. **HOOK:** "when marriages are delayed society begins to decay."

1b. **UNDERSTANDING THE CONCEPT OF DELAYED MARRIAGES.**

1c. **THESIS STATEMENT:** "Delayed marriages are the emerging social threat that is influenced by various social, political, economic and cultural factors."

2. CAUSES OF DELAYED MARRIAGES

2a. **SOCIO-ECONOMIC INSTABILITY**

- Unemployment. **Rising unemployment**
- financial constraints.
- Lack of resources to manage a family.

EDUCATIONAL ASPIRATIONS

- Delay in achieving educational goals
- ~~Aim to become financially independent.~~
- Rise of educational awareness
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OVER EXPENDITURE ON MARRIAGE RITUALS

- High Priced marriages
- Lack of financial resources to fulfill their demands.
- Demand of high-end dowry from girls
- poor parents, ~~unab~~ Unable to fulfill the dowry demands.

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INVOLVEMENT IN SOCIAL EVILS

- Rise of relationship culture.
- Lack of commitment
- Irregular marriage.
- Involvement in immoral practices.

ROLE OF MEDIA

- Promotes the negative /side of the marital life.
- Promoting the extra-marital relations.

INFLUENCE OF WESTERN CULTURE

- Youth influenced by western traditions
- Decadence of religious values
- Influence from religious values.

- Lack of religious knowledge
- Religious practices

2g. SOCIAL EXPECTATIONS

- High beauty standards
- ~~High financial status~~ Demands of high financial status
- ~~High social status~~

3. CONSEQUENCES

3a. ~~INCITIVE~~ Psychological Stress AND Deepening EMOTIONAL LONELINESS.

- Unavailability of partner to share up and downs of life.
- Emotional loneliness.
- ~~Increased psychological stress~~ Social pressure.

3b. HEALTH ISSUES

- ~~Decreased libido~~
- ~~Health problems. Increased risk of genitourinary infections~~
- Difficulty in Conception, miscarriages and

pregnancy complications.

3c. RISE OF SOCIAL EVILS

- Immoral Adoption of immoral ways
- Lack of Commitment leads to high divorce rate.
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3d. INCOMPATABLE MARRIAGES

- Settle for incompatible partners
- Settle in incompatible environments
- Compromised marital life.

3e. QUESTIONS ^{ABLE} ON CHARACTER

- Questions on - the character of the women
- Question on men's masculinity.
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3f. ECONOMIC CONSTRAINTS

- because of ~~lack of~~

- Low - population affects Consumption patterns.
- ~~all the above~~ ~~influences~~
- Disrupts the trading pattern.

4. RELIGIOUS INTERPRETATION OF ISLAMIC IMAGE:

- Hadith: "Holy Prophet (P.B.U.H) advised the Muslims to get married as soon as possible."

5. THE WAY FORWARD:

- Provide ~~supportive environment~~ ^{Supportive} environment to fulfill education/ ~~ambitions~~ along with marital obligations.
- Over Come the financial constraints by creating job opportunities.
- Reduce the marriage expenditure.
- ~~difficult to~~ ~~over do~~ Elimination of dowry culture.
- Media should promote positive

aspect of the marital life.

→ limit the + of marriage.

CONCLUSION

INTRODUCTION

"When marriages are delayed,
Society ~~begins to~~ ^{Begins to} decay."

Marriages are Considered as the Cornerstone of the Society, the basic institution upon which the whole family life is built.

In recent times, the Society is on the verge of destruction due to delayed marriage.

Delayed marriages means, the marriage that took place after the pre-determined age, that is fixed by the Social and Cultural standards. However, Several factors

~~Contribute~~ towards the issue of delayed marriage such as; high expenditures on

marriage rituals, unemployment, western

influence, high social standards and educational aspirations. The reflection of As Ayesha - a 32 years Pakistani doctor, achieved the educational as well as the professional milestones in life but is unmarried, as at the time of her ideal age (set by the society) she was busy in achieving her professional ambitions, but now due to her status of being unmarried or 'single' she is being banished out of each and every family gathering. Ayesha is the reflection of an average Pakistani who is being pressed between ambitions and traditions, and ~~and~~ at the ~~age~~ struggling to balance dreams with societal expectations. As marriage is considered as the basis of morality in society, but delay in marriage gives birth to many social evils.

Amena

Likewise, delayed marriages are equally a ~~marriage~~ ^{the} ~~emerging threat~~ marriages. Therefore, delayed marriages are regarded as the emerging threat of the Society that is influenced by various social, political, economic and cultural factors.