

Paragraph Writing

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Women Empowerment

"No nation can rise to the height of glory unless your women are side by side with you," said Muhammad Ali Jinnah. This quote perfectly encapsulates the very idea of women's empowerment and its importance in shaping a nation's future. Women empowerment refers to the emancipation of women's rights from the vicious grips of social, economic, cultural and gender-based discrimination. It does not mean elevating women above men, but rather removing patriarchy and replacing it with parity. Many of the barriers to women's empowerment and equity stem from rigid cultural norms. Historically, women have been held two steps behind men, often treated as taboos in society. However, as time progresses women must step forward. By birth, they possess equal social, legal, economic, educational, and political rights, and must be allowed to enjoy these rights through fair means. Women are born with the freedom of speech and thought and must be encouraged to

participate in societal reforms. Legally, they have share in the property and the right to ~~marry~~ by their own choice rights granted by both religion and the constitution. Economic empowerment ~~involves~~ granting equal opportunities in jobs and business. A nation's political growth equally depends ~~on~~ men's and women's participation in governance. Equal representation of women in politics promotes peace, reduces ~~conflicts~~, and ^{supports} ~~representation~~ of long-term sustainability. Ultimately, women are not passive beneficiaries of change but active agents of transformation. A society that ~~ignores~~ half its population cannot dream of progress and prosperity.

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