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IDENTITY IS MANDATORY FOR TODAY'S WOMEN

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Identity is the recognition of a person, of his work and his presence by his beliefs, personality, looks and expressions. Everyone knowingly or unknowingly posses these qualities and define them. Most humans are the replica of someone else opinion, thoughts and ideas, failing to recognize their own self. This condition is apparent in many women though knowledgeable and multifaceted, hesitate to express their inner self due to lack of confidence and fear the society. It's high time to concede their need, talent and believe they are the better half of the family as well as the society. Competing and co-working with men in all field has become mandatory for today's women, she must learn to face the challenging roles with gracefulness, confidence and respect her own identity, which is mandatory in the present Era.

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Women, the epitome of all relationship is been rhetorically portrayed as the divine power, the Goddess of strength, the savior of the tradition, culture and beliefs but in reality it is contrary. She has lost touch with who she is, failing to realize the strong role she posses in the family and society. she keeps on running away from her feelings, because she has been busy masking herself in order to maintain her family and have no time to pursue her own desires and goals.

Woman's life revolves around her children and husband; her responsibilities are never far from thought. Woman is expected to be a mother, nurturer, housekeeper, teacher, doctor, cook, chauffeur and more increasingly, a career woman. Becoming a career woman was the biggest transformation in her life but it also became an added pile on her shoulders. She plays the dual role of handling and satisfying the family as well as being a task achiever in her work field. Though she earns and helps the family to meet out the ends she doesn't take the liberty to enjoy and

make use of her earnings. Recognition and appreciation for her work is not been given and considered as part of her duty.

Women is satisfied with her current status, first she must learn to self-respect and treat herself with dignity and pride believing she's at par with men. Her intelligence, efficiency, creativeness, knowledge is no lesser to the other sex. New education has gradually made her conscious of the futility or emptiness of the various long-preserved notions and taboos about women, and she has started opposing and breaking them. And this crusade at times makes her feel alone and alienated.

The striving of the modern woman to be free and self-reliant is often restricted by her timidity and diffidence. Acquiring confidence and trust is a must for today's women- for trust leads to approachability and open communication. She no longer needs to sacrifice her dreams and desires instead should acquire the skill of effectively communicating her deeper emotions. She has to make others realize her rights andstrongly demand for it. In trend we have many feminist writers and writer's speaking about feminism, the concept is not about being and talking feminism, the ultimate is to recognize the originality and efficiency of an individual and how they are been deprived of their rights. Compromising and giving up alone doesn't create harmony and peacefulness in the family. Though in the beginning creates a mirage of sacrifice, in the later stage of life leads to the realization of losing oneself for no reason and leads to stress and dejection in life.

Women should accept their own responsibility for what they are; see how much they have contributed to their own victimization, instead of putting the blame on everybody except themselves. The dependency syndrome in women is responsible for their victimization and she need to offer resistance and emerge as a strong- willed individual to face life. She no longer needs to be recognized along with her father as a daughter, likewise being a married women having the husband name as a protective measure is not mandatory, let her know her identity and her value and lead a life where she can take care of herself without depending on others. The education and employability not only give economic freedom but also a hope for understanding her identity. In the recent decades lot of transformation has come into being in law, attitudes and rights of women leading to restructuring and reforming their live. It is only through self-analysis and self-understanding, through vigilance and courage they can change their lives. It is the women to decide to be her-self.

Women characters have a strong sense of individuality, though in search for self-expression they are not totally against conventional rules. They abide by these rules when they are essential and do not impede their self-accomplishment, they develop a mature outlook by taking decisions based on their individual feelings. They have to be bold and rebellious to protect against exploitation and strive to ascertain their identity. The woman undergoes various transitions in her life.

Self-realization is a must and need of the hour; the potential is unknown until a necessity arises. The identity is a must not only for the career women but also for the home-maker.

"A strong woman stands up for herself; a stronger woman stands up for everyone else"

Though encountered by many defeats she must never give up on herself. The most beautiful thing a woman can wear throughout her life is her confidence.

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