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TOPIC: VOILENCE AGAINST WOMEN

(Sexual Violence)



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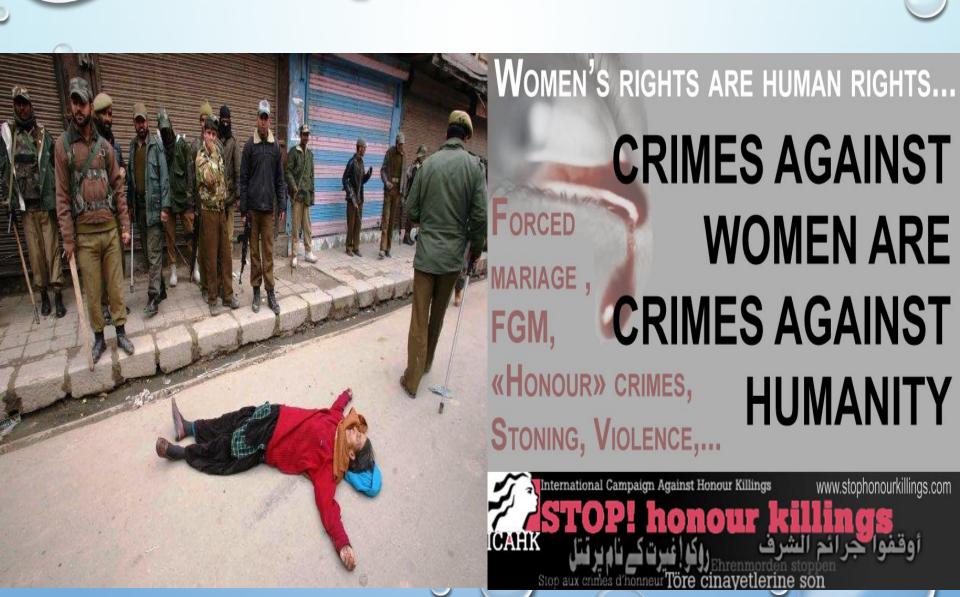
- There are 933 women for every 1000 men.
- ➤Only 54 percent of women in India are literate as against 76 percent men.
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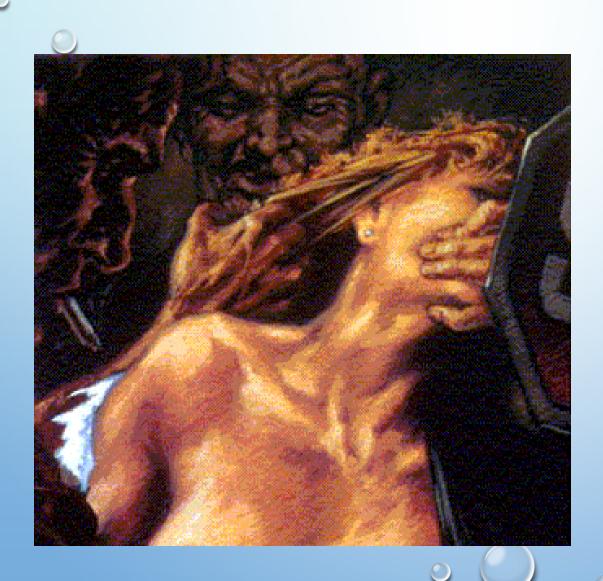
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- A woman is molested every 26 minutes.
- >A rape occurs every 34 minutes,
- >A woman is kidnapped in every 43 minutes.
- >A woman is murdered every 93 minutes.
- A woman commits suicide every 98 minutes.
- The portrait of women in TV/Film and other media & materials.
- women face torture inside and outside the family





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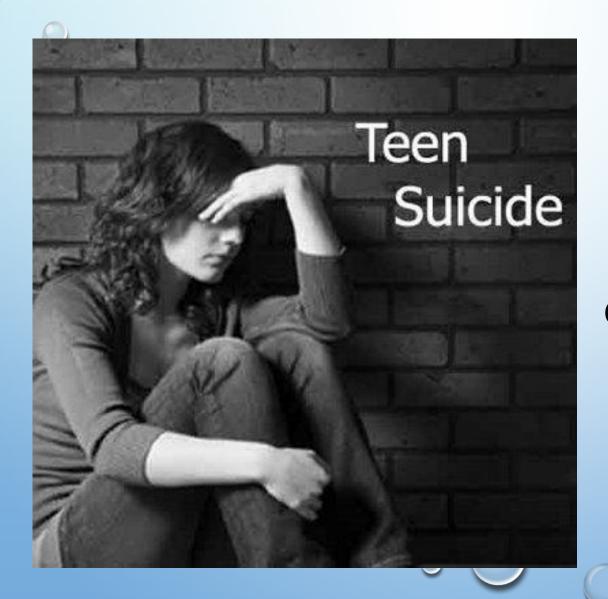
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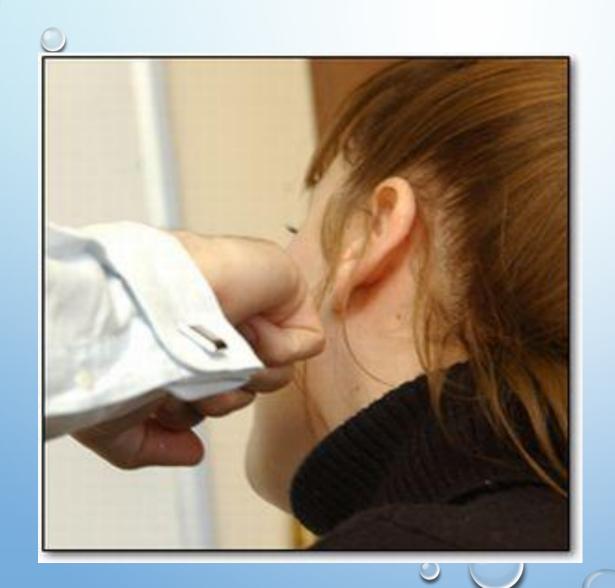
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THE REASONS BEHIND

- i. Psychological
- ii. Cultural
- iii. Educational and Economical
- iv. Exploitation of women in the world of work
- v. The Invisible Girl Child Labour
- vi. Vulnerable to Abuse

Psychological:

- From childhood, girls are encouraged to play passive role.
- They are subjected to mental conditioning, to do and think only the way the elders of the society deemed right.
- They are given little opportunity or no opportunity to make decisions.
- The denial is all in the name of tradition followed by the society.

Cultural:

- They are trained in housework, obedience almost bordering on servility.
- They are groomed to be an ideal house (maid) wife.
- The expectations from a girl are her submissiveness and culinary prowess.
- >She is expected to be a good nurse and a nanny.

Cultural....

- ➤ The Indian culture advocates tolerance in women.
- This was glorified in our mythology and treated as standard of an ideal women.
- Idolization and idealization of such characters from mythology forced women to be like them.

Educational and Economical:

- Financial dependence is the major factor for women's vulnerability.
- She is treated as a liability and a burden in the household.
- Investing on her education, which would not fetch dividends, is not considered at majority times.
- Struck to the confines of the house, especially the kitchen, her contribution towards financial growth is not significant.



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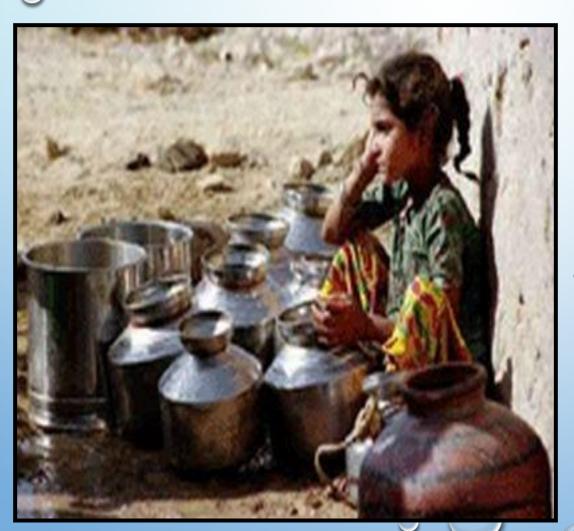


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- ➤ Development has marginalized women.
- Women have to work more than the stipulated hours.
- >Sexual harassment.
- Women are victims of casualisation and intermittence of work.

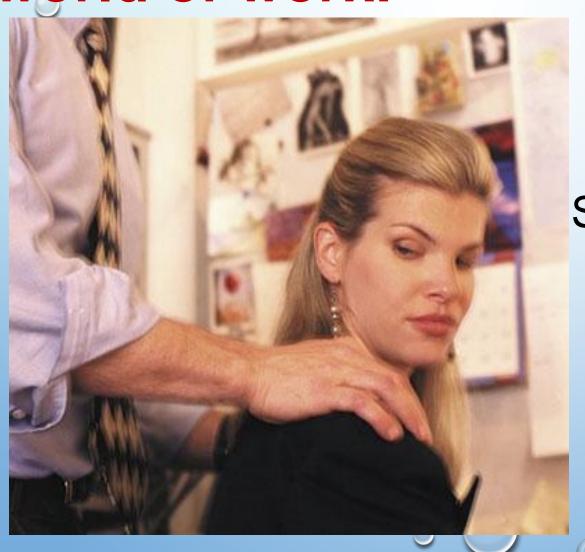
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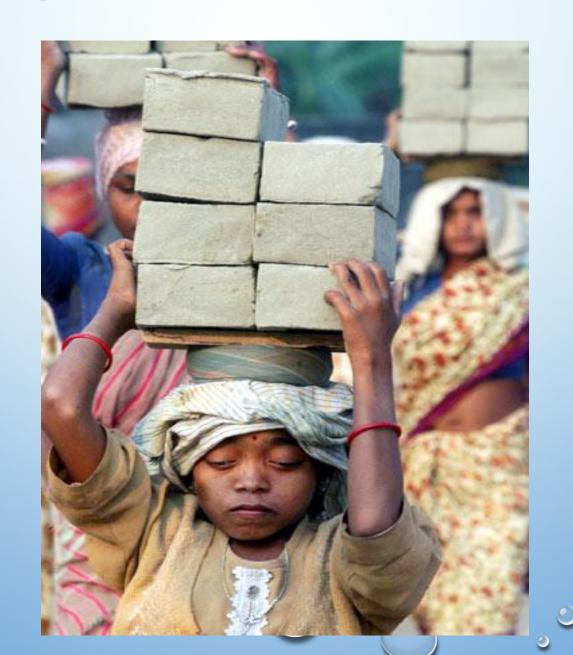


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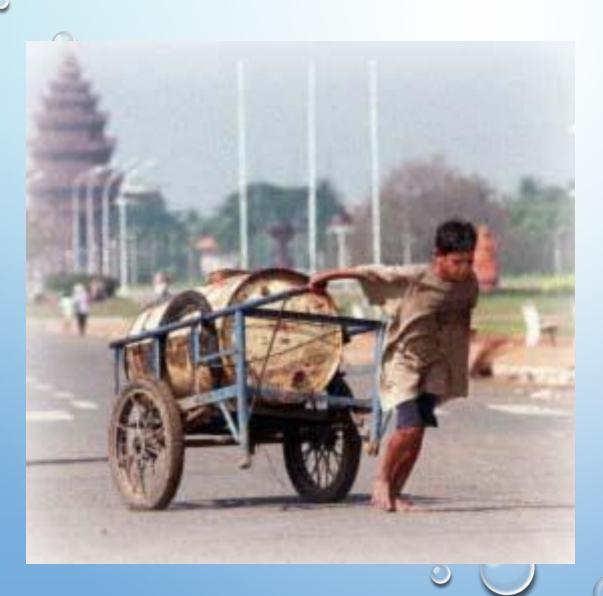


The Invisible Girl Child Labour:

- Children below the age of 14 years, are employed in factories, mines and any hazardous work.
- ➤ According to the 2001 Census, there were 43.59 million working children in India.
- ➤ The National Sample Survey found 37.36 million working children.
- The Operations Research Group (Baroda) estimates 80 million working children in the country who belong to the rural and urban poor.

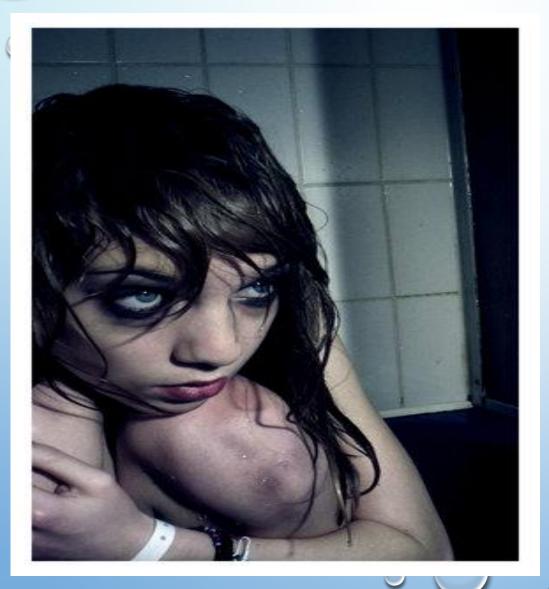
- Girls are seen as sharing 20 per cent of the agricultural work of women.
- Women and girls account for more than 50 per cent of the total household energy.
- Girls are involved in substantial numbers in hazardous industries like beedi making.
- A large number of girls are involved in gen polishing, domestic work, garments, cotton and groundnut pod shelling, hand embroidery, grain cleaning, processing of red chilies, etc.

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- Indian society is still largely male-dominated, and most women and girls do not have real freedom.
- A cultural, psychological, educational struggle are needed to sweep away for women and girls.
- These should be replaced with scientific thinking and genuine and complete equality between men and women.

This is only possible by means of a complete revolution in our thinking and attitude towards women, what is needed a massive cultural struggle involving of millions of people which will sweep away all remands of the disgusting feudal practices, particularly with respective women.

Thank you