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Dear Nondini Hussain

I am so happy to find your appreciations on my writings which I am sending time to time for posting in Satrong, and some of which are published in various magazines and dailies in Bangladesh.

As a woman, I have been observing the torture and atrocities inflicted on women-kind all over the world, specially in rampant in Bangladesh, by some classes of men who seem to have lost the sense of their consciousness and do not give any value to the women, irrespective of whether they possess qualities or not, and also fail to show due honour and respect to the women-kind as human-fellow. I think the men class in general maintain deep in their thinking that women are but a class too below the status of men and do not deserve any respect or equality. These types of men must have been nourishing an in-born concept that women are not worth to be treated as a human being and any sort of atrocities committed on them are justified and not unfair, the women are best treated if they are placed under the feet of men-kind and the women must not feel ashamed if insults are thrown on them physically or mentally, and horribly that women must not open mouth even if physical tortures are committed to them brutally by the men class. Some class of immoral men think that women feel pleasure if they are tortured and their existence is totally ignored. What a vile thinking they nourish !! Pity on them.

Over a long time I had been thinking of writing on these issues to bring awareness among the conscious people so that the deep borne concept on women kind are changed and the women are relieved from all sorts of atrocities caused by the men class, some times by a class of women also.

I also maintained a dream to see that the women class get due respect for their contributions to the society as well as to their homes as a human

being and their human rights are well protected.

I feel that the rights of women will be achieved only if the women themselves are aware about their rights and put out all relentless efforts to gain it. It is true that the men class will not come forward to hand over

the rights to women class on a gold plate with love and honour. The men are enjoying supremacy over the women from the very primitive age by virtue of their mere physical strength and have sowed cleverly in the mind of women that the pleasure of women lies only in pleasing the men kind.

The women should be obliged to fulfill the wishes of men in every way, right or wrong, and not to protest against the atrocities committed to them for any reason. The women class should sacrifice their lives, dreams, wishes, everything only for the up-liftment of the men ego and image.

I have also observed that women class, at home and outside as well, are oppressed, criticized, bullied, deprived of rights and hushed down to express free thinking. It is expected in the male dominated society that women should confine their activities and thinking only in pleasing the husbands, bear the children of the husbands at the sole wishes of the husbands without protest, rear up the offsprings, maintain the house in ways as desired by the husbands. The women are not expected to have any individual idea about life and family as well. The wives should be ever submissive and do whatever the husbands and or their family members wish and direct. In fact ultimate surrender of the women to the men kind are designed cleverly and women are rather compelled to obey the orders and wills of men kind.

Now the time has come the women kind do the right thing to break the taboo and ascertain their own rights and attain the due respect in the society and at home also.

With a view to give a shape of my thinking I started reading various

books and journals regarding the issues of women right and find ways to bring a full-stop to all sorts of torture and atrocities committed to women, mainly by the men class in addition to some class of the women also.

While going through my learning, I happened to come across the writings and articles of one Mr.Md.Abdus Salam in the web page of Satrong.

I was amazed, being a member of the men clan, how could he so clearly understand all such problems of the women kind and describe those with open frankness with suggestions to eradicate the crimes from the face of

the world and help establishing the right and deserved status of women in the world. Inspired, I started reading all his writings and have become

quite impressed by the style and theme of his writings. It has influenced

me much, and I have started writing my articles following his style and theme.

Even in many cases I have borrowed reference and ideas from his writings.

I am thankful to him and express my gratitude for raising inspiration in me

for taking the pen in hand and face the world of men kind for the right causes.

I wish all men in the world would think like him and earnestly try to do

everything possible for establishing the rights of women and create awareness to all in the society to put a dead stop to all sorts of torture,

physical as well as mental, to the women kind. I agree with his writings & views.

I am also grateful to you for allowing me to pick many inspiring ideas from your various writings in the Satrong. I wish, I could write like you and help bringing effective awareness in the women kind about their true status in the competitive world and fight relentlessly for achieving

the rights of women at any cost. You are really great !!!

8th March is recognized as the WORLD WOMEN'S DAY.

This is the time we all the women in the world must assimilate our thinkings & ideas together and stand united raising voice to establish the women rights and do everything needed to oust the black culture of women torture from the face of the world with a view to establishing a society where all women will stand on the same platform side by side of the men kind, with honour and dignity. We should acquire the required knowledge and perfect techniques to compete with the men in every field of life. We must understand that the rights are not something as a gift or reward from the men kind, rather it is a thing to be achieved with courage and intellect. I believe that men and women are completing partners of life to each other. The world can be made worth living with the joint efforts of men & women duly recognizing the contributions of each other.

May I humbly join the voice of all women on this auspicious occasion for achieving the cherished goal. Our slogans be : to acquire our due rights with dignity & honour, to stop all kinds of torture on the women class forever from the world, stop depriving the women from their right share of recognition, attain the status of standing on the same platform of activities by the side

of men, create a world where the women will be the true partners of men.

Lastly I would call upon all the women to raise voice with me in unison

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We are women, no less than men.

We are not ashamed to be born as women.

We are not to be humiliated or looked down by any one.

We are also human being and must be given our due share of  
recognition and honour in everything  
with  
dignity.

May I be permitted to put down my pen now, of course for the time  
being.

Sincerely yours ever,

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