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Women and Women Rising : A Study on Indian Political Scenario

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Abstract

From ancient times, Indian women were bounded in various types of social order. Naturally, in the context of women's role was insignificant. By the appearance of a new concept in the nineteenth-century, Indian society gave the women's seclusion and political consciousness, which came into the front of the independence movement and then the political power of women in the twentieth century India. The Indian women were directly participated in the armed revolution. Women joined the Gandhian Satyagraha movement at the maximum level. The result of participation in Civil Disobedience and Quit India movement against British rule, women were bearing torture and jail, even death. Housewife also came forward in the Gandhi's social development projects. The next phase of India's democratic and environmental movement women were the main driving force. However, women were participating in the democratic governance of India; but women's political empowerment is still unable to fulfill. This effect has not been too much effort to carry out the various political parties. In the current century however, the continuous pressure of feminist organizations and women activists within the political parties' the government has taken a number of steps to ensure the political participation of women. The present research article mainly based on the minor sources, the study will be discussed on women's political consciousness, women's participation in the mass movements and political empowerment of women in various analytical aspects.

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