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THE ROLE OF WOMEN IN ISLAM

NOT WHAT YOU'VE BEEN TOLD.
NOT WHAT YOU THINK.

DISCOVER THE REALITY
BEYOND THE HEADLINES.

*"Paradise lies under the feet of your
mother."*

————— Prophet Muhammad (sa)

"LOVE FOR ALL, HATRED FOR NONE"

————— The Ahmadiyya Muslim Community



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THE TRUE STATUS OF WOMEN IN ISLAM

Forget the stereotypes.

Let's talk about what Islam actually teaches.

Women in Islam aren't oppressed — they're elevated.

The Holy Quran was the first religious scripture to declare the spiritual equality of men and women.

"Whoever does righteous deeds, whether male or female, and is a believer — We will surely give them a pure life."

_____ (Holy Quran 16:98)

Over **1,400 years** ago, Islam gave women:

- ✓ The right to inherit
- ✓ The right to own property
- ✓ The right to education
- ✓ The right to work
- ✓ The right to choose their spouse
- ✓ The right to vote (long before modern democracies)

While the West was debating whether women had souls, Islam was uplifting them as leaders, scholars, and visionaries.

MOTHERHOOD: A SACRED HONOR

In Islam, a mother is honored three times over the father.

WOMEN WHO SHAPED HISTORY

"Paradise lies under the feet of your mother."

_____ Prophet Muhammad (sa)

A woman's role as a mother is not a restriction — it is a divine trust and one of the highest spiritual stations.

FREEDOM TO CHOOSE. POWER TO LEAD.

- ✓ Women can **earn, lead, speak, and teach.**
- ✓ Islam never forced a woman into marriage her consent is legally required.

No role is inferior. Whether at home or in public life, women are **partners in building a just society.**

"The believers, men and women, are allies of one another. They enjoin what is right and forbid what is wrong..."

_____ (Holy Quran 9:71)

A successful businesswoman and the first believer in Islam.

_____ Khadija (ra)

A brilliant scholar who narrated over 2,000 hadith.

_____ Aisha (ra)

A spiritual role model known for her strength, humility, and piety.

_____ Fatima (ra)

Islam's early women weren't background figures — they **were frontline changemakers.**

IT'S TIME TO RETHINK ISLAMIC WOMANHOOD

What you've heard is not always what's true.

What the Quran teaches is **empowering, liberating, and timeless.**