

Attitude of working women towards traditional family living

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■ **ABSTRACT :** Women are the backbone of Indian society. In all the religions, women hold a venerable position. Unfortunately, since ages, the role of women was confined to household chores and limited to domestic issues. In changing times, mostly women are involved in various service sectors. Historically, society believed a woman's place was in her home, caring for her family, as opposed to her workplace. Valued feminine traits such as a meek nature and submissiveness were feared to be lost if women entered the workforce. The attitude of traditional resident has been portrayed as being more conservative than the attitude of modern residents. The traditional family believes that the place of women is in their homes to run the domestic affairs of family unit and taking care of children, is no longer accepted in present developing society. The earliest cases of women began extending their work outside the home. Thus, the present study attempts to study some of the important issues concerns working women, her dual role conditions of work, problem of adjustment between work/domestic duties.

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