

Factors that are Associated with Homosexuality

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Abstract

The both comparative and affirmatives studies about homosexuality, truth, fact such all things were included in this paper. In this century, changes have evolved in the society and the acceptance of the society towards the LGBT community. That acceptance can give much strength to the people. Also, in this paper, we discuss about a movie and how he changed his behavior. Here I have an anthology called Yarana and examine some of the poems.

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Homosexuality is considered as a sin and people think or consider it as a taboo. There we can go with three stages of one a person tells his identity towards his friend. Once a individual tells their identity to one of his close friends, maybe he spread the news to others and the rest of the people will get started to bully him or he will keep this as a secret and will start give them advice like you are not supposed to do the same also he may get manipulated or get harassed by the people. Once people gets something they will start to think it in different perspective and those perspectives can be wrong or right. While thinking about homosexuality, there are number of people who only consider it as for the sexual works. Without actually knowing the fact there are so many people who will get starting to react to the same. World has started to evolve in a new direction. People have started to think out of the box. Though we live in the twenty first century, when we compare the two generation like

old and new generation, everything has changed. The price of the commodity, dressing style, perspective like changes which is happening in day to day life.

Whatever we say like world has changed or people have started to think in different perspective, still people are not ready to accept the changes which have come in the society. There is a wide spread of misconception about homosexuality in our society. People, what they thought in their mind, homosexuality is only of sexual pleasure. That is one of the pre conceptions. If men and women, both are getting married and they will be having a sexual relationship as normal. As like the same, when two men or two women are getting married as like heterosexual, homosexuals will also be having the sexual relation.

Today in India, we can able to identify like so many are coming out of the shell and they are letting to the society about their identity. So many homosexuals are dating, some of them are getting married, some of them are in a living together relationship, and some of them are dating but not accepting it. What society thinks? That was the usual question which people ask. Society can think and can tell whatever they wish actually, the problem is all about how they think. As we are living in the society, we can't able to make others happy all the time. We are living for ourselves but as the same time we are not supposed to make others in a trouble.

We can take an example like; lesbian couples are low in India. They are living in a society which people actually made some kind of restrictions for women and still they are having so much of barriers in order to overcome that. They are fear in one or the other. That fear which they had in their mind and how people will consider them, how people will treat them. All such concept which people are had in their mind. There is a phrase which people actually hear from the society like, he is a boy but you are a girl. Actually the only difference which the both gender is having is the physical changes. The mental change comes when we

bother about the society, when we hear the comment from different people also with the perspective.

The fear we all have in our mind will make us to take different turns in our life. In the work “Poems from a Vacation” by S. Anand, the protagonist of the poem is Anand. He wish to be true with himself. At one point he realized his identity and he wish to keep it with him. He realized in later that he and his identity which both of them are alone. Whatever the life or whatever people says it doesn’t matter for him. He don’t want to make his identity to consider as taboo. So that he is keeping it as a secret in him. Here the poet is always protecting his identity with himself. As the same time he is in a fear about what people will say or how they consider me once he tells his identity. Here the poet is a Brahmin, the upper cast. Thinking in out of box is having some restriction, and thus restricted which is having a mark from the ancient period. So, like breaking such marks which even can’t able to think of it. Again the poem “Bomgay” is an poem by Raj Rao, here the poet clearly says about how homosexual people are getting exploited by others. Bombay was considered as a sex tourist place and yes there are people who is haunting for the sexual pleasure also there are people who is getting used by the different people. There is no a fixed place for the sex, if it is night, people will get start of there pleasure from the public places. There are immense places like stations, theaters and all such places are filled with homosexual people. In the majority of them are getting exploited by the different people from different places and there are people who is intentionally going for the sexual pleasure which they are not bothered about the value of homosexuality. We began to like according to others opinion and finally what happens is that, we forget live for ourselves. When we compare with gay and lesbian, gay marriages are happening more than lesbians. Gay couples; they were living in the society. Initially there is some group of people they were started to bully them. It was not a new thing because initially there will be some issues to accept such people and later they will get used by it.

It is like the thought of our society is like; heterosexual marriage is supposed to be a good one. Those who marry a girl, they are good. This is the custom which people are following from the earlier stage. In almost all the religion it says that homosexual marriage or relationship is a sin. Why it is suppose to be considering as sin? Why a person is getting married? It is like, our ancestors got married and that same custom even today they are following. When we look in to the entire world, people are following the same. This is the only concept which people know. Getting married, having babies and showing others as like this is my spouse and they are my children. Family is not supposed to be a commodity to show to others.

It is important to have a companion ion our life. But that companion should select by the partner according to their wish not by the compulsion of family or others. People says like as we have to make this world like this, marriage is necessary. But actually speaking, marriage is not important but procreation is important. Science says that people who were born in the society, twenty percentages of the people are born as homosexuals. When people are being in the uterus itself the gene will decide how he or she should be. He or she can be a homosexual, bisexual or heterosexual.

Imitation plays a major role here. If he is being like this, then why can't I. Majority of the people are converting to the homosexuals is because of the social medias. By using fake ids in social media and being attached with many people and without knowing themselves they were converting towards homosexuality. Being stage people maybe in the stage of bisexuals and by the way people think, by hearing the various information, maybe because of the society people were starting to consider themselves as homosexuals.

We can identify immense number of dating application is there in social medias and people were using the same. By using the same people were identifying there partner, they were dating them and so on. But the saddest part is that as this dating application is suppose

to meet someone who is going to be a part of your life forever, but what actually happens is that, this application is using for the sexual relation. It is like hunting for their needs.

The way people treats us is also being an important factor here. For an example, “Chanthupottu” is a Malayalam movie directed by Lal Jose. In this movie the protagonist Dileep plays a role of a transgender. The character which Dileep portrays as Radha. He was born as a man but his family treats him as a women. Especially grandmother, which she needs a girl child, but the born baby was a boy. So finally what she does is that, she started to treat him like a girl, the dress, the body language, all such things which has converted as a girl. That is what the imitation.

Today in this society, people are craving for their needs. Once they need something they will put an effort for the same. Here gender identity places an important factor. Once a person realizes there gender identity, they wish to make it aware to the society because they are conscious about themselves. And that consciousness always gives an upper hand for the people. There are so many people who is taking a part in the LGBT pride show which is happening in the world. Not only LGBT community, even heterosexuals were participating in the pride shows. Each year the member in the pride show is having a rapid growth. Thus growth actually replicates the strength which they are having in themselves and they wish to mark some changes to the world. In many countries, there are differences in the acceptance of homosexuality by age, income, education, etc, and also in some cases gender and in many cases these differences are substantial. In addition, religion and its significant in people’s life are shaping opinion in many countries. In some countries those who are affiliated with a religious group are less likely to accept homosexuality than those who are not affiliated with a group but at sometimes it can call as religious nonsense. .

Political ideology also plays a important role in the recognition of homosexuality. In many countries those on a political right do not recognize homosexuality more than those on

the left. Supporters of many right wing populist parties in Europe are less likely to view homosexuality as acceptable. The 2019 survey shows that global divisions persist with a majority of 16 of the 34 countries. Surveyed saying that homosexuality should be accepted by the society. While 94% of those surveyed in Sweden agree to accept homosexuality. In total 34 countries surveyed majority of the countries has accepted the homosexuality and some of them are not ready to accept because of their religious barrier. Generally the parents of India urged children to be treated as homosexuals or lesbians and asked to be corrected or will take them to some counselor. The fear of losing their families and social status was strong. As because of the same, people usually want to get out of this. Generally some counselors were show provoking photos of men and women naked or slightly dressed and then give a small shock. So while doing this for sometimes, there is a possibility of hating the same gendered person or it will develop further development of hatred.

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