| A Woman's Rights and Responsibilities in Islam | A Man's Rights and Responsibilities in Islam |
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| A woman has no financial responsibilities and Islam doesn't impose any | A man is required to earn and support family |
| restriction on a woman to work | |
| A woman has no responsibility to protect husband or family or to | A man is responsible to protect woman and family and participate in |
| participate in war | war |
| A mother has a greater honor and respect than father | Father has lesser honor and respect than mother |
| Islam recommends half the share of inheritance for a woman than a man | Islam recommends twice the share of inheritance for a man than a |
| unless a will specifies otherwise | woman unless a will specifies otherwise |
| A woman is required to cover two areas of body | A man is required to cover one area of body |
| Upon death of husband, the wife get 4 month and 10 days worth of living | Upon death of husband, the wife is paid 4 month and 10 days worth of |
| expenses | living expenses |
| A woman receives expenses related to taking care of children | A man pays expenses related to taking care of children |
| A wife gets full amount of Mehr-Mukadam immediately upon marriage | A husband pays pay full amount of Mehr-Mukadam immediately upon |
| as agreed in marriage contract | marriage as agreed in marriage contract |
| A wife gets full amount of Mehr-Muakhar as agreed in marriage contract | A husband pays full amount of Mehr-Muakhar as agreed in marriage |
| or any amendments thereafter, anytime during marriage or at divorce, | contract or any amendments thereafter, anytime during marriage or at |
| but do not receive half of everything by default upon divorce | divorce, but do not pay half of everything by default upon divorce |
| There is no mention if a wife can or can't beat a husband in case of | A husband can mildly beat a wife in case of insurrection as a last resort |
| insurrection to avoid divorce | only to avoid divorce |
| Only in financial disputes, two female witnesses are required against one | |
| male witness | female witness |
| Islam doesn't put any responsibility of cooking, cleaning or taking care of | |
| children upon a wife. | of children upon a husband |