

Women in Islam

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What is involved in the training program of advancement for the women who accept Islam today under the leadership of the Honorable Elijah Muhammad? The answer to this question will supply us with the necessary informative ammunition with which to battle our adversaries and will enlighten the masses of our women to the significant and provocative role of the women in Islam.

It is a serious and grave error on the part of intelligent women to be discriminant without proper analysis and to protest about the absence of light without the willingness to recognize the power that produces the light. May we thus proceed with the intelligence to weigh the evidence at hand and to finally have the courage to recognize and act upon the truth of our discovery.

THE BASIC training that is necessarily a part of well developed, well groomed and refined women entails a definite study of Home Economics. Under the guidance of the Honorable Elijah Muhammad such training units designed to produce good mothers, gracious wives and well trained and disciplined children have been established throughout North America wherever the

spread of Islam has penetrated this part of the Western Hemisphere.

These classes which were Divinely orientated by the Saviour of our Nation and the World, Master Fard Muhammad (Almighty God Allah in Person), are entitled M.G.T. and G.C.C. which means Muslim Girls Training and General Civilization Class.

FROM THIS title alone, we are able to shape and to draw a perspective which is not merely a social, economical and educational conglomeration which projects its parallel with other women's organizations. It implies in depth a study and a science which is capable of producing a world civilization.

This involves learning the art of living in every facet of human encounter. To develop our personal and intergroup activities by employing both a practical and ascetic science of living is a basic study or criterion for advancement held sacred by the women who accept Islam today.

THE QUICKER we are able to discard the burden of improper habits and indecent moral behaviour, the swifter we will accomplish the art of real living and enrich our resources towards acquiring success.