Indian society suffered fro the system of untouchability for hundreds o years. The so-called untouchbles were treated in a manner, which was not given to dogs and cats. The dogs and cats, cows and bulls, could enter any part of the house of cat, a cow or bull, They ddoppose touching a so-called untouchable. So-called upper casts, but the so-called well for drawing drinking water for them. Thhey were told that if they tried to live like others, they would be punished in this world and in the other world also. They were totally demoralised and hd no guts t ask that theu should be treated like other han beings

There were saints and sages and political leaders who deprecated the system of untouchability . Such wise persons also were tortured for their liberal and compassionate views. Mahatma Gandhi was a against untouchability . he devoted his last years of life to enlighten the people to give up untouchability.

The cast system is prevalent in India. It has divided the society in many groups. The Congress Party is opposed to it. Because in many groups.The congress Party is opposed to it, because it helps to discriminate between the sections of te societty, it helps t disceiminate between the sections of the society. The Congress Party believes in one cast for all human beings. The human beings may chose their avocations as per their desires, liking and capabilities. They should not be recognised as persons belonging to one cast or another on the basis of the incidents of their birth. The Congres Party belongs to all and all belong to the congress Party.

There are some political parities who recognise themselves s representatives of a cast or a few casts. They do not want to be treated as inferior members of the society compared to the so-called higher casts. Unfortunately , they themselves treat the members of the schedule cast. And some other casts as inferior to themselves in social status.

In India, many times feuds take place between the members belonging to difernt casts. In recent times, the casts are more recognised to gamer support in elections, than to assist the social status, The cast feuds are becomig more intolerable because of their political character also.

In India, women were not treated on par with men. When their husbands died, many of them used to put an end to their lives, by throwing themselves in the fire burning the dead bodies of their spouses. This custom was bannedby the British.

A man could have many wives. He could marry many times in the lifetime of his wives and after their death. But a woman could not enjoy the same rights. On the death of her husband. She was expected to ramin and live as a widow. Even hen she was tortured by her husband, she was not expected to separte and take divorce from him. Sge was treated as a chattel in the family. The laws in the past did not give her a right to possess or own the property. A right to posses the property was given to her in the british period. A right to own the property was given to her in the regime of the Congress

Party.Congress sawto it that, in the Constitution woman was given a right to equality with man. She can vote inelections She can contest any election. She can occupy any position in the country. In Britain, woman was not allowed to vote until 1928. In India since the beinning of independence, she enjoys all political rights.

Pandit Jawahar Lal Nehru and Dr. Ambedkar introduced the Hindu Code Bill in the parliament. The bill aimed at giving many matrimonial, property and other rights to woman. It was opposed by many in many parties. Dr. Ambedkar was unhappy to find that the progressive legislative proposals wee opposed. To findthat the progressive legislative government of Pandit Nehru.

Pandit Nehru persuaded the opponents of the Bill , to allow it to be passed with certain modiications. Thus, it was passed as the Hindu

The Hindu Law of Marriagtes the Hindu Law of Succession, gives an equal right to the daughter

India is a land in which some most important religions in the world are born. Hinduism, Budhism,Jainism,Sikhism are some of the religions practiced in India and many parts of the world. There are many Indian citizens who prefer Christianity and Islam. Infact, all most al religions of significance are found in the country

In vedic period the cosmic forces and their sources were praised and worshipped . In later periods the religion followed in India became inward looking and concentrated on the inner cosmos more than on the outer cosmos. It then began to worship idols. More than on the outer cosmos. It then later periods it developed some defects which could not be conducicfe to the well beins of its followers it became a religion, which belived in sacrificing creatures to propitiate gods, As a reaction to these inds of aberrations Budhism came into existence. At the same time Jainism became more effective. These rligions also developed some defects.To oppose these.