

- a) Men being dominant happened before society itself; women were almost property, controlling of women's sexuality; personal issue
- b) States (nation-state/country/civilization/government) were created with males as dominant, so to keep the state, they want to keep that structure, in men's best interest
- c) Men have adapted to ownership - they did this to women and then transferred it to other people/groups (ex. slavery)
- d) Women at lower social status, enforced people & laws, women forced to be financially unstable unless attached to a man.
- e) Class distinctions (levels in society) for a man comes from \$ and power, class/respect for women depend on their attachment to a man (marriage/family)
- f) Woman's power is giving life, nurturing
- g) goddesses turned into a single God
- h) Women's Sexuality seen as a sin, as evil, women need to be held captive
- i) Woman only have a connection to God in being a mother
- j) Women are incomplete and different than men (common thinking)

- a) Men trying to control woman's sexuality/fertility, since before even class systems
- b) Governments originally patriarchal, so in best interest to keep it that
- c) Male dominance was learned through the control of women in their own groups & then enslaving others too
- d) Women forced to rely on men, government played a huge role enforcing the rules
- e) Men seen as providers, women were wrong (not respectable) if not attached to a man
- f) Power of women appreciated in them nurturing and giving birth
- g) Women dethroned and denounced to wife of a powerful god
- h) Belief in singular god, any sexual habits not to do w/ marriage & kids would be considered sin/evil
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