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Women's Liberation - LDS women have always felt liberated.

Since turn of Century 7 before LDS women have been pursuing higher education & have made significant contributions in fields of Education, Medicine, social [...], Arts, Drama, farming, business, politics Dance & Music.

Some didn't have opp. for mg. & fam. Others did & were successfully combined motherhood & their public contrib. generally for purpose of making poss. additional opp. for their husb. & ich. as missionary service business help dev. of talents & higher educ. Not afraid to make own opportunities to reach out for fulfillment outside as well as inside home as long as it doesn't interfere with main [...] as wife & man. But their primary consideration & goal is to be the perf an ideal help-mate to a worthy husband & with him lay the foundations for a happy family unit solidified by mutual respect and love and a desire to prepare & contribute & give of ones self toward the cr[...] perpetuation of a better & uplifting world to live in. All that is just and humane in the word.

(Taught to try to be satisfied on husb. salary. Give all poss. atten. to to primary role of wife & mother. Some have been success of comb. (2) both careers but only these take personal ability & strain can be severe.

It started with

Lois a. Smith B. dau. of a Dr. - well read, intell - musical.

June A.B. Smith teacher & psych. Dr. wanted to help solve people's prob. 7 children - all college ed. 4

miss. sons. 2 of 3 dau. worked pt. at diff. time when needed. 49 gr. all happily md.

self Dor. Smith. Clark - dev. talents part time to assist miss. support & coll. e. 9 ch. 8 coll. ed. 7 grad. 5 miss. 6 (1 Navajo) - all happily md. Most have abt. 4-5 ch.

1975 31 gr. 3 dau - all worked dur. 1st yr. of mg. teach, bus., soc. r[...]

Bus, Health, Soc. Sc., Research, Creative Arts & Entertaining

What is an earth for (Adam & Eve) - to provide beauty & m[...] surroundings in which to raise a family ingrained in p[...] & loyalty, self control, reverence, & personal achievement or merely as [...] for them & (us) to dissipate our powers & live for s[...]