# TOXIC FEMININITY: Catfights over handbags and tears in the toilets. When this producer launched a women-only TV company she thought she'd kissed goodbye to conflict...

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Toxic femininity - Dismissing the silly sexist trope that if women are in majority power they would create utopias. Gender balance is of course good, but the notion of women together would create utopias is as absurd (female dominated professions and environments are often hell) as it is sexist.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/femail/article-1168182/Catfights-handbags-tears-toilets-When-producer-lau nched-women-TV-company-thought-shed-kissed-goodbye-conflict-.html

Read article above about what happened when a woman created her utopia of a female only work place.

This post is not meant to say women are bad. It is simply posted to highlight the stupid sexist tropes going around about how all ills in the world and wars etc are made by men (conveniently forgetting war isn't a male decision; women vote to go to war just as much as men, and even shame men who don't fight e.g. white feather that even the suffragettes took part in; the difference being women vote FOR MEN to actually go and fight and leave the women and children alone. Also conveniently forgetting that if men are resole for war, then they are responsible for almost all invention, exploration (new continents, oceans, mountains, deserts, arctic), innovations, social change and progress, art, music, science etc.

It challenges the notion that "if women ruled it, the world would be an ideal utopia, toxic masculinity will not be there to harm males and others around them, etc. I mean this idea has also been put forward by Barack Obama!

Also I would like to point out that female dominated institutions that exist right now are far from utopias:

NURSING - known for large amounts of bullying culture, shaming, even racism, and tribal nature

OBGYN, PAEDS -> female dominated specialties that have many institutional problems. Some of the highest attrition / drop out / burnout rates compared to all medical specialities (PAEDS is often the sociality with highest dropouts in many countries and this along with OBGYN has the most lawsuits)

SCHOOLS -> Considering most women are primary caregivers and most boys and girls don't see a single male teacher until high school I am surprised feminists are not blaming more social ills on women raising children... not that they should, but the blame men for everything else... and this also goes against the idea of patriarchy... it is women controlling the kids and teaching them... that aside, there is a crisis in the school system which has been for long female dominated sector

NUNS -> abuse, even torture, bullying, cliques

FEMINISM -> in civil war constantly, TERFs, Equity feminists, Choice feminists, Intersectionalists (the various intersections even fight among each other). Women are regularly kicked out of feminist groups, and "no platformed" which means they are blocked from speaking, often violently. Even given death and rape threats (e.g. CHS, Erin Prizzey - who should be a hero of their but has been completely kicked out feminism)

Learn more about toxic femininity here. Please note I do not personally like the gendering of a term like this as it represent bad behaviour that either gender can do - yes it is primarily female, but it can be anyone. One again though for balance, to the argument of toxic masculinity (which is a stupid term a it merely represent bad behaviour not gendered behaviour)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bwOne6dYZLg https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DyMcbLCDJy4

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## Comments

VestigialHead • 16 points • 7 May, 2020 12:51 PM\*

Thanks for the post. Looks interesting. Just some advice. Your text could use a proof read. Got a few spelling errors and muddled up sentences that if corrected would make this a quality post.

Edit: spelling error - how ironic.

mellainadiba[S] • 5 points • 7 May, 2020 12:55 PM\*

My posts in general are very bad grammar wise etc. structure is bad too... no time... im just getting message out there and posting heavy. I hope people see content, get ideas and use that to make their own content, or repost the content, even copy and paste and edit my posts if they please as their own posts and threads, with their own take on the issue... which is good as I see that happening.... but yeah anyone free to take any of my content and reword it as they like as their own work.

I will at some point go through old posts and try and improve when I do a repost....

Also a problem in general in reddit, I think it would be really good if they collated some high quality posts, made it into a post and then stickied it e.g. mens rights FAQ's, success in MRA campaigns

Bro\_Hound • 2 points • 7 May, 2020 02:13 PM

Tried to fix it.... tried not twist the facts you ave and your personal viewpoint but please go through it once

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mellainadiba[S] • 2 points • 7 May, 2020 02:19 PM

Thank you so much! I will change it. Feel free to take anything I post as a base to edit as you wish and post yourself.

votedog • 3 points • 7 May, 2020 02:04 PM

Nah, that's not an excuse. If you can't take the time to do it right, don't do it. It's not respecting the people who do take the time to spell and grammar check. Plus we don't want to read something that is poorly written. Going back later is not how it works.

KayeMKay374 • 6 points • 7 May, 2020 02:37 PM

Bro its a reddit post not a google scholar forum

mellainadiba[S] • 5 points • 7 May, 2020 02:56 PM LMAO!!

mellainadiba[S] • 3 points • 7 May, 2020 02:13 PM\*

22,000 karma in like 9 days... clearly there is an appetite for the content and people are liking. Perhaps it isn't to your liking, just don't read it, if I break a rule e.g. spam report it, if you dislike it that much downvote it, or block it

votedog • -1 points • 7 May, 2020 04:10 PM

22,000 karma in like 9 days.

LOL Karma doesn't pay your bills so ..... congrats I guess?

mellainadiba[S] • 2 points • 7 May, 2020 04:31 PM

WTF? Its an indication of people finding some benefit or usefulness in my posts... to be technical, however, actually it does pay my bills... people have awarded me reddit premium and given coins

zeerust2000 • 1 point • 7 May, 2020 11:01 PM

The word is spelled 'advice'. Just saying.

VestigialHead • 1 point • 8 May, 2020 12:25 AM

### Yes - good catch - edited.

Noesk • 8 points • 7 May, 2020 03:41 PM

The best teachers i had (so far) where all males.

laptopdragon • 6 points • 7 May, 2020 07:09 PM

on 3 separate school years I've had the shittiest of teachers and all were female.

One where I presented a solution to traffic jams by creating glass roads where cars can drive in green zones which never stop.

Cars in yellow zones would speed up or prepare to stop at intersections.

Cars in Red zones would speed up or slow down to get into a green zone and never have to stop.

This was all theory and sand is abundant, we could easily create glass roads, and glass is super strong, free, lasts forever, and could be remelted if any cracks or potholes appear.

This paper was much more thorough but I only got a 75%... while the teachers favorite \*girl\* who earned a 98% (highest grade) was about fucking baking cookies with frosting.

bigboiwabbit24 • 2 points • 8 May, 2020 04:09 AM

man you got dogged that sounds smart af by itself then comper it to baking cookies you sound like Einstein level shit.

#### laptopdragon • 1 point • 8 May, 2020 02:25 PM

Thanks, imo we all have moments of grandeur. I was certain that paper would get me a higher grade for its insight. I only received resent, disdain and mockery from the bitch who has tenure which was probably another undeserving diversity hire who couldn't get a job in her field and decided to teach.

It was an idea formed after watching someone else who made a timer out of jars of honey that rolled down a slope. The amount of resistance vs viscosity vs gravity and I thought why not put vehicles in this path.

Similar to how air planes take off and land at an airport too. Life is all about timing and then we see people at a red light race ahead only to stop at another red light while the slower drivers can ease into speed and catch green lights all the way across town (in cities with timed lights).

The infrastructure would be time consuming but at this point all we'd need is LED strips in the road or on the sides...or (thinking about it just now, in a HUD laying a virtual map over your own path to-from wherever your destination would be).

I put a lot of time and effort into the pros and cons but had the carpet pulled from under me. I dropped out as a result of that fucking class, that arrogant student who didn't deserve half her grade and the tunnel visioned teacher on a power trip.

#### MingSushi • 6 points • 7 May, 2020 05:48 PM

Woman here and yeah no one is a woman's worst enemy than other woman. Female bullying happens so much and often goes into adulthood at the workplace or at PTA meetings. Even mothers can bully and jealous of their daughters and it all completely ruins a girls/woman's self image and self esteem but society only looks at these issues as "Men need to fix it and stop doing it" even though women are the main ones who do it to other women.

I remember in elementary through high school, girls would always get mad at me and find a way to ruin my day. In elementary school, two of the more popular girls in my class stood at my desk and kept throwing insults at me

and making fun of things like my sideburns (something I loved and still have today) and in middle school another girl made fun of my hairy legs and my sister always pointed out things like my big feet (which are pale because I never leave the house without sneakers or socks on because I'm self conscious about it).

Women can ultimately destroy you mentally but society doesn't want to acknowledge it or tries to downplay/excuse it. You can't even talk about it in female only circles.

nogg\_te\_dogg • 4 points • 7 May, 2020 06:42 PM

And women say men have all the privileges. Women can destroy a man's life, his mental health, etc... and be congratulated for it. Then women go and complain about how men are congratulated for getting laid.

[deleted] • 3 points • 7 May, 2020 06:46 PM

It's so funny some people think that corruption is tied to gender ...

MtnDream • 1 point • 10 May, 2020 02:48 PM

love how they say "women are better, men are toxic", but having an all female staff, not only is sexist, but proabably the most toxic environment you're gonna have. At least men would punch each other, then go for a beer after.

malemanjul1 • 1 point • 15 May, 2020 11:14 PM If not for men, we'll still be stuck in stone age...