

Fourth Wave Feminism:

You're wrong. Well... you're right but in the wrong way. There still needs to be female empowerment -much more than currently- but, women do not do what men do. Women are NOT men. First and foremost, men need to step up and give women the platform they need. Men must realize the real position women must take in society. Backwards men believe that they must be the ones driving the direction of society in totality -which as of now they actually are, wrongfully. Thus, when women start to get some of their rightful power, men feel their position is in danger. As of now there is belittlement, degradation, and at its core, hatred. And so we men are receiving the same in return from women; this is just. But men are not seeing the bigger picture. They do not see that women and men operate in two different spaces, which ideally, are quite independent; but must have constant openings and feedback loops for collaboration and cooperation. A constant give and take is not only essential, but critical. For men though, we must realize that while we build out the base of society, it is women who must build the direction/vision of the society with the input from men. Men need to let go of the wheel they have taken by force. We need to relinquish what is not ours. This will be very difficult to achieve given outdated mentalities and testosterone-fueled egos.

Women! The path you are choosing is an incredible betrayal to your sex. You have been given some bit of power. Now is the time to start applying it in the right way. You have the opening. You have the initial tools to start building. It is time to recognize your place in society and stop going down the incorrect path; the path with men. It is time to take the wheel that is rightfully yours; this will require that you grow teeth. Real teeth. None of this catty, clique-y, fake stuff. Those kind of teeth break in 2 seconds against a man. Not only that, I also see too much sister on sister violence using those teeth. It is time to embrace your differences from men, not shun them. The world does not need more men. So take the unique perspectives of your sex and use them to help build the world we need. Do not try to emulate men (we have a different job), because that is all it will ever be, an emulation. An imitation. You will rightfully feel like you do not belong if you attempt this (which you are attempting). Women need to realize that while you build the direction/vision of society, it is men who build the base for your vision; side by side, as equals. Now, we live in a free world. If you wish to choose to get down in the dirt with men, you can; but, you will be treated like a man, you will get 'roughed up', you will get dirty, and you (more than likely) will feel like an outsider. It seems clear that you must let the men get dirty while we are building the base; and you should stay clean while building the vision on top of that we are building - which at the end of the day (when the moon rises)- is for women. Getting dirty is part of how men push each other and drive progress; so if you wish to join us, you need to understand the conditions.

Thus, given their responsibility, women cannot just sit, looking pretty, resting on laurels, grazing. Women need to start working their asses off building vision. So yes, women work too. Which is why men need to relinquish the wheel and let women work. Women and men have the added responsibility of telling each other what kind of women and men each need to be, which ultimately yields what kind of society we will have. Women drive the vision with constant feedback from men. Men drive the progress with constant feedback from women. In this way, by giving up the wheel under the correct conditions -with trust, understanding, and love that women will not abuse power in the same way men do- what will end up happening is both men and women will drive the future of mankind. Together.