

WHO IS SUPERIOR

MAN OR WOMAN?

Islam is quite clear about the issue of the claimed superiority or inferiority of any human, male or female. The sole basis for superiority of any person over another is piety and righteousness not gender, colour, or nationality.

Allah says:

“O mankind! We have created you from a male and a female and made you into nations and tribes that you may know one another. Verily, the most honourable of you with Allāh is that (believer) who has At-Taḳwa [i.e. one of the Muttaḳūn (pious)]. Verily, Allāh is All-Knowing, All-Aware.

[Qur'an: Al Hujurat: 13]



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