This text is supposed to be a letter to a newspaper's opinion column. I want to write a letter where I criticize and complain about the society, because I believe people in general do it too much. I have started to be irritated over people who are complaining without doing anything instead, like some politicians in my opinion. This letter will hopefully be amusing to read, but I hope it also will create thoughts of how you can twist the view of an issue like this. It may sound funny, but everything <u>can</u> be possible. This does not only concern the issue of gender roles, but may also be applied on racism and religion too. I believe that if you have the gift of rhetoric, you can convince a whole nation that false is right. Enjoy the reading.

## Women should be happy with 75% of a man's wage!

Most women are unhappy, irritated, and complaining. Women's right organizations grow like on trees. We will soon be oppressed. Women try to fool us with their sexy and mystical bodies, to seduce men to have their will done.

Let's take it from the beginning. God created this earth for mankind to rule and live a life in peace and harmony. First he created a man, Adam, as a copy of himself. He saw that Adam was a perfect copy, and that he could rule the creation himself. But, unfortunately he was alone and missed someone to speak to, so God created a woman to keep him company, and help him cook and gather fruit etc. Eve was very helpful and loved Adam, but she wasn't clever enough to understand that what God said was important, that she should not eat the forbidden fruit. What happened? SHE ATE

## IT! And more; she gave the fruit to Adam. Stupid woman!

The punishment was a fact. Adam had to work and Eve should have babies for Adam. Quite simple, right! This has worked for over 6,000 years, and no-one has said anything until 1792, when Mary Wollsonecraft wrote a book, A vindication of the Rights of Women, where she claims that man and woman is equal worth, that women should have the right to education, and the right to vote.

They had the right to education very early. But they were not satisfied. They wanted more.

In 1928 women got the right to vote in Great Britain; a defeat for humanity. Ten years later went the whole world to WAR.

"Behind every great man, there is a even grater woman." Hitler was a great man, without his wife and lover he wouldn't have killed that many Jews, maybe none at all. The negative influence from Eva Braun was probably the most important source of ideas and thoughts, but perhaps she was the one that ended W.W.II. He actually committed suicide the day after their wedding.

Even since the day that they were created have women tried to control men. Ewe, Eva Braun, Mata Hari, Lady Diana, and Margaret Thatcher for example. They have all changed history with their witchcraft and immorality. And now, women all over the world wants the equal wage for equal work, it's like if a pilot should have the same wage as if he were a doctor. The society must have people with lesser wage, and women cannot work as hard as men can so it is only natural this way.

I think women are to greedy. They could have been off worse. We could have treated them like the Yanomamö men treat their women.

Women, be satisfied with what you have and don't complain, it could have been worse.

/An irritated Man

Can this be a possible and real article? It surely sounds funny some times. I must underline that this is <u>not</u> my opinion, but I was quite amused myself when I wrote it. I have no support for my arguments. The language I have used is supposed to be somewhere between formal and informal, a mix, because this is supposed to have been written by a normal man somewhere in the world. I imagine that he is a worker in a middle-class home that tries to be formal sometimes to sound educated and sophisticated. (Like I did now.)

This was a quite funny article to write, maybe not so serious.