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## Kako biti ženska<sup>2</sup>

Ah, biti ženska – to je zabavno.

Če ti je vseč roza barva ter govoriš o svojih lepih nohtih in frizuri – potem si barbika. Če ti roza barva ni vseč in ne maraš govoriti o svojih nohtih in laseh – potem nisi dovolj ženstvena.

Imela naj bi dobre ocene in bila odlična v VSEM.

Bila naj bi odločna in samozavestna, vendar ne svojeglava.

Imela naj bi svoje mnenje, vendar samo dokler je enako mnenju osebe, s katero se pogovarjaš.

Skrbela naj bi za svoj videz, vendar o tem ne smeš govoriti, saj te bodo imeli za samovšečno.

Znala naj bi zamenjati žarnico in preveriti količino olja v avtomobilu, vendar bi to vseeno morala prepustiti moškim rokam.

Znala naj bi kuhati, likati, šivati, saj drugače nisi primerna za poroko. Če pa to znaš in želiš narediti za svojega partnerja, si staromodna.

Bila naj bi izobražena in samozadostna, vendar naj bi tudi znala najti pravega moškega, se poročiti in imeti otroke. Če se odločiš za otroke mlada, si neodgovorna. Če pa najprej poskrbiš za svojo kariero, ne pričakuj, da se boš izognila kritikam.

Tukaj pa se zabava šele začne.

Otroke naj bi imela rada, vendar ne preveč, sicer jih boš razvadila.

Prebrala naj bi vse knjige tega sveta o starševstvu, vendar vseeno zaupala le svojemu občutku.

Poslušala naj bi vse nasvete, ki ti jih dajo, pa čeprav so v popolnem nasprotju z vsem, kar si ravnokar prebrala v teh knjigah.

Če imaš kariero, potem gotovo premalo skrbiš za svoje otroke in svojega moškega, če pa ostaneš doma in skrbiš za svoj dom, potem nisi samostojna.

Hišo naj bi imela brezhibno, medtem ko skrbiš za otroke, moža, službo, ... pri tem pa

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*naj bi seveda ne pozabila nase.*

*Svojim otrokom naj bi bila mati, učiteljica, vzornica, svetovalka in zaupnica, možu pa žena, ljubica, gospodinja in tolažnica.*

*Nikoli naj ne bi pokazala svoje prave starosti.*

*Aja, in vedno naj bi bila nasmejana.*

*Ah, biti ženska – to je res zabavno.*

## **How to be a woman**

*Oh, what fun it is to be a woman.*

*If you like pink and talk about your pretty nails and hair - you are too girly. If you don't like pink and don't care that much about your nails and hair - you are not girly enough.*

*You should have good grades and be the best at EVERYTHING.*

*You should be strong-minded and confident, but not so much so that it makes you too opinionated.*

*You should have your own opinion as long as it is the same as the persons with whom you communicate.*

*You should take care of your appearance, but not talk about it, so you are not too much into your looks.*

*You should know how to change a light bulb or check the oil level in your car, but still should let men do it, so you don't emasculate them.*

*You should know how to cook, iron, sew or you are not marriage material. If you know and want to do that, you are old fashioned.*

*You should be educated and self-sufficient, but also find a man, get married and have children. If you decide to have kids young, you are irresponsible. If you have your career first, well... you will be judged about that too.*

*This is when the fun starts.*

*You should love your children but not so much, or you will spoil them.*

*You should read every book about parenting known to mankind but still rely solely on your instincts.*

*You should listen to the advice given to you, even if it contradicts everything you*

*just read in those books.*

*If you have a career, then you don't take care of your children and your man enough, but on the other hand, if you are a stay at home mom, you are not independent.*

*You should have your house spotless, while taking care of kids, husband, work... and don't forget about yourself.*

*You should be a mother, teacher, role model, counsellor and confessor to your children, and a wife, mistress, housewife and comforter to your husband.*

*You should never show your true age.*

*Oh, and you should always have a smile.*

*Oh, what fun it is to be a woman.*