

Correlation between early marriage with the harmony of married couples in Talang subdistrict, Tegal district

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ABSTRACT

Marriage is an inner and outer bond between man and woman as a husband and wife in order to make a happy and eternal family (household) based on the almighty god's will. 19 years old for man and 21 years old for woman is considered as a legal marriage. The main purpose of marriage is to make a happy and eternal family. Besides, family harmony is also the purpose in which must be achieved by couples cooperation. Happy family is a family without fights and any hazard things, so that couples can run family well. Marital harmony can be realized if there are understands, trustee, and self acceptance between each others. In realizing a marital harmony, partners must have emotional maturity, whereas early marriage is believed have no emotional maturity. This research aim is to understand the correlation between early marriage and marital harmony in Talang sub-district, Tegal district.

Research method used is descriptive analytic correlation with cross-sectional design. This research is executed in Talang sub-district, Tegal district. Research subject are half of or representative of aimed population.

The amount of research subject are 130 people, from Talang sub-district, Tegal district. All subject are experiencing early marriage. By spearman's test, correlation between early marriage and marital harmony have sig. Value of 0,300 ($p > 0,05$)

As conclusion, there is no correlation between early marriage and marital harmony in Talang sub-district, Tegal district.

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