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Feminism, a word that has a meaning of, a belief that women and men should have equal rights and opportunities. But, nowadays, it seems like women have completely transformed the definition of Feminism into something else. Over the last decade, it has been seen that the crime rates against women such as Rape, Sexual Harassment, Assaults, Murders, and Domestic Violence is proliferating at an extensive rate. But does it reflect that only the men are responsible? Do all these cases have valid evidence against the men? Of course, with no checks, all these tortures and issues are erroneous. But the question here occurs and the fact that made me totally shocked is the way all women in our country are reacting to these problems. It seems like they have started taking advantage of the criminal laws which were made against men's illegal actions. So, I want to elaborate on this article with one example. One fortnight, when I was at home, enjoying my free day by watching movies on Netflix, with a bunch of snacks and soft drinks, One movie that suddenly got appeared on my home screen which got my swift attention was 'Section 375', which was based on the crimes against women happening nowadays and the laws which has been regulated for the safety of women. So, in the movie the lady victim who was working as an assistant director in one of the production houses, stated that she got raped by her own boss and tried her every effort to put the offender under the bar. At the end of the movie, there was a shocking truth that came out as suspense, that it was the victim who forced her boss to marry her and after being rejected by him, she pre-planned all this drama and tried hitting herself with a rod and stairs, in order to prove the whole scene as rape. Ok, so till here it was somehow expected but the court judgment was much worse than that. The Court has sentenced the offender to imprisonment of 10 years and took no action against the woman. Isn't it surprising? That the

only place where all the citizens of our country have put their faith and consider it as a last resort of their rights is serving us under darkness and is declaring all wrong judgments instead of knowing the realities just because there is a dearth of evidence. Are they forgetting that women should be considered equally responsible and should be held equally guilty for such conspiracies? This is the only predominant reason, that women nowadays are demanding superior rights than men in everything such as demanding vast money from their husbands for divorces, or blackmailing boyfriends after a breakup (with mutual consent), and creating conspiracies to even those who reject them. Or let's consider one more example, one news which is surfacing all over the media nowadays, about the social media group " THE BOYS LOCKER'S ROOM " of Delhi, earlier it was stated that there is a group of boys who are making plans to leak the private photos and videos of their female friends. So just without proper evidence, everywhere in social media, people started trolling and accusing the boys which were obviously illogical, and just now, three days back, the suspense revealed, that it is a girl who has created that fake group to take revenge and defaming her male friends. After all this, could we say that the word "Feminism" is being properly utilized by all women? Do they even know the real meaning of this word? Are the blames that they are putting on men are true? Do they have a right to defaming men on social media? Should their statements be considered valid and truthful even without evidence? Well, In my view, this would never be going to end until and unless the meaning of the word "Feminism" should be explained properly to the women, the court should be made aware of its own laws and regulations against women crimes, and society should treat men as equally as women. And the first step should be taken from our side, let us embark on this path together and curtail the gender differences first.