

**Nowadays more and more people want to live by themselves. What are the reasons? Is it a positive or negative trend?**

One of the huge changes in ~~our~~ today's world is ~~the~~ attitude to living alone ~~which-whose~~ ~~rate is~~ every day ~~the rate of it is~~ increasing especially in wealthy countries. There are some hidden and obvious reasons for this human behavior and this essay ~~will~~ try to mention ~~to~~ some of them.

Primarily, economic development in the modern society helps us to live on our own. These days social security and welfare programs, usually in developed countries, lead us to feel secure and ~~at~~ peace which ~~this support~~ ~~strengthens~~ ~~strong~~ us to be brave for choosing ~~a~~ lone lifestyle. Virtually, by this social support, we will not have to stay close to our family or even formation ~~of one~~.

Secondly, some cultural changes have caused ~~us to that we~~ prefer solo living or respect ~~those~~ who want to live alone. After ~~the~~ 19<sup>th</sup> century and a lot of modifications which happened in traditional ~~believe~~ ~~beliefs~~, individualism became more and more popular and now in most countries in the world, people ~~more~~ value independence and self-reliance ~~more~~. This idea encourages us to respect a person's choices and also society ~~does~~ not anticipate ~~s~~ that people follow ancient manners like marriage.

Finally, it seems that judging whether this phenomenon is a negative or positive development is a little soon. However, we should know that living alone is totally different with feeling alone. We could live with other people and still feel loneliness and there is not ~~necessarily a strong~~ ~~any~~ correlation between these two concepts. Moreover, although today many people live by themselves, they have a great relation with other people especially in workplaces or other communities that compensate the lack of a companion ~~in-at~~ home.

In conclusion, it appears that the modern times ~~has~~ ~~have~~ brought some changes to our life that ~~has~~ ~~have~~ resulted ~~into~~ this rare behaviour and perhaps it will be a beginning to ~~the-a~~ new ~~era for~~ ~~in~~ human beings.