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"Women are lustful, wasteful, vile, degraded woe bringers"- Buddha

“The learning found among women forms the conclusion of dharma... one should learn the remaining Dharmas from women and people of all classes"-- Apastamba Dharmasutra 2.29.11 (Hindu)

> Buddha declared that women could attain nirvana. While the Hindu thinkers denied the right to education to women of all castes and classes, the Buddhist sangha gave them the freedom to read and write. #Buddhism #WomenInBuddhism #Brahmanism#Ambedkar https://t.co/s4NPNOUHBK
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> — Feminism in India (@FeminismInIndia) April 22, 2021

A Buddhist monk falls in love with a woman.

Buddha asks him-"Brother, why are you in love with a woman.

Women are lustful, wasteful, vile, degraded woe bringers".

And then he tells the story about how wicked a woman can be.

Asatamanta jataka:

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"Women are treacherous ingrates" -Buddha.

Takka Jataka

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"Wrathful are women, slanderers, ingrates,
The sowers of dissension and fell strife!
Then, Brother, tread the path of holiness,
And Bliss therein thou shalt not fail to find"- Buddha

Source: Takka Jataka

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Those who are doubting the English translation by Sanskrit professor Cowell (published by Cambridge university press) should look up the Hindi translation published by Hindi Sahitya Sammelan

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Women are impure, give a bad smell, are timid, arouse fear and pretend friendship"- Buddha

A[redacted]guttara Nik[redacted]ya

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Buddha finds all these qualities of women in snakes

"Women are hateful. They bear grudge. Women are poisonous. Women are passionate and lustful. For most of the time women slander"- Buddha

A[redacted]guttara Nik[redacted]ya

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And of course, no woman in early Pali canon was an Arahant

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> Not surprisingly, there's not a single case in the early Pali canon where women are given the title of "Arahant". pic.twitter.com/sxiP5zAttO
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> — Catwoman (@sacralwitch) April 24, 2021