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Q5(e)

Does the institution of marriage continue to be sacred in Indian society? Comments.

UPSC Civil Services Mains 2020 · Sociology GS 1 · 10 marks · Sociology

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NFHS

High proportions ever married among adult women; marriage as the default family form.

Durkheim

The sacred as set apart; the wedding still marks that split for many.

PWDVA / live-in cases

Legal recognition of some non-ritual unions, a desacralising edge.

Giddens

Confluent love as a late-modern script, thin as Indian majority practice.

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