

MCA, respect is earned through character
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VOXPOP 'Ask your party leader to respect women first. BN leaders have made many sexist remarks on women. Where were you then?'

MCA pecks at Pakatan for disrespecting women

vox populi small thumbnailFade2grey: Pakatan Rakyat disrespecting women? Dr Wan Azizah Wan Ismail is the highest leader in PKR, while Nurul Izzah Anwar is among the top party leaders. The late Dr Lo'Lo' Ghazali was an important member in PAS Kuala Lumpur and exco Elizabeth Wong is doing great work in Selangor.

DAP state representative Hannah Yeoh is well-respected, along with her Batu Gajah colleague, MP Fong Poh Kuan. Meanwhile, Seputeh MP Teresa Kok is a powerhouse parliamentarian and a senior Selangor cabinet member. Kuantan MP Fuziah Salleh is at the forefront of activism.

For that, Fong Poh Kuan had sexist jokes made of her in Parliament and Bersih chairperson S Ambiga had been called a prostitute. So where lies the disrespect?

Boiling Mud: Who are you, MCA leaders, accusing Pakatan of being disrespectful of women?

Have you forgotten one of your ministers suggested to her fellow Malaysian women to don sexy dresses to keep their husband from straying? If this is not an insult to the Malaysian women, I don't know what is.

A woman in marriage is an equal partnership with the husband. She isn't a whore to dress skimpily to keep her husband happy. Get that right. So go chastise your woman minister first before you peck at others.

Cocomomo: Ask your party leader Dr Chua Soi Lek to respect women first.

Respect is earned. MCA vice-president Ng Yen Yen, in saying that fewer foreigners come here due to street demonstrations, makes her look stupid.

Indeed, your leaders always make you look stupid, so what respect do you expect? BN leaders have made many sexist remarks on women. Where were you then?

Karma: Get this right: who was the one leader of Beliawanis who had shouted at Penang CM Lim Guan Eng at a formal event recently?

MCA is full of nonsense. They just blast at any opportunity that can get them into the limelight, even if it is bad publicity.

Versey: Respect has to be earned and Wan Azizah, Ambiga and other prominent women figures have earned their respect by virtue of their character and deeds.

Wanita MCA has failed to earn their respect by supporting a dirty cum loud-mouthed president and other leaders who are corrupt.

If these are women with a good sense of justice and dignity, they would have stayed away from MCA since the old days.

What gives MCA Wanita the cheek to demand respect from the victims who have been betrayed by MCA,

a party of corrupt scoundrels?

Chin Tu Lan: Dear MCA, I am a fifth generation Chinese Malaysian born in Malaysia. Let me put it straight to you. You do not represent me, MCA. So please buzz off. I can see you barking a lot lately as I know the election is round the corner.

You have been an obedient dog to Umno for the last 50 years, so your actions lately will not win you any votes.

You have lost the respect of most Chinese in Malaysia. It's time you 'bungkus' (pack up), please stop barking because nobody is listening to you.

Free & Fair Election: Get this clear, the people at the forum jeered at you not because you are a woman, but because you are from MCA - the sunken ship you try to keep afloat.

Hindraf to submit anti-racism memo to UN sec-gen

Pemerhati: Umno has been practising apartheid-like discrimination against about 40 percent of the country's minorities in various fields such as education, public service recruitment, discriminatory taxation by giving zakat type of tax reliefs to only the majority Muslims, the awarding of contracts and the purchasing of new houses.

All the discriminatory policies were justified on the grounds that the majority community was backward in many fields.

But what is disgusting and sickening about these racist policies is that the well-off in the majority community unfairly benefited from these policies and the many equally backward and poor of the minority communities were completely ignored and sidelined.

Umno coined the word 'bumiputera' for the majority population in order to unfairly channel to them some goodies to obtain their votes to stay in power and steal billions of the people's money.

We will continue to live in an apartheid country as long as there are 'bumiputeras'.

Cocomomo: Racism must be fought together by all Malaysians. One racist group (especially one with a narrow single religion and ethnicity - Hindraf is essentially made up of Hindu Tamils, leaving aside all other communities of Indian origin in Malaysia) cannot fight against another racist group and succeed without the cooperation of other Malaysians.

We should fight racism together. All racist groups should be disbanded. What we need is a Malaysia for all Malaysians.

Solaris: P Waythamoorthy and Hindraf only address institutionalised racism in Malaysia. Government-sponsored apartheid may one day be just a memory. Societal racism however is here to stay.

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