



Caste - The Unexplored Territories: Why Does It Still Exist?

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Createspace, United States, 2014. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.This book is an attempt to present caste in its entirety, especially with reference to India, in a common relationship with life as is its starting point. For the reason that caste is a part of life and if you dissect life to examine it, what you end up examining is not life. 1 THEORIES OF CASTE - A PEEP 1.1 Racial Theory: The fact that caste names Brahmana, Kshatriya, and Visya are frequently mentioned in the RigVeda along with words like dasa , varna , gives credence to the theory that caste is an invention of IndoAryans. 1.2 Political Theory: In Mahabharata (shantiparva) creation of caste as divine order. 1.3 Occupational theory: According to Theodosian code, in early Roman Empire, son was required to follow fathers profession. 1.4 Traditional theory, Guild theory and Religious theory: These theories propose divine intervention in human affairs. 1.5 Evolutionary theory: This theory states that over the years, formation of caste is influenced by all factors we have seen earlier, in one form or other. DEVELOPMENT OF CASTE - A GLIMPSE 2.1 The origin and development of caste...



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