

Summary

In my work, with the title Law and Social-Psychological Aspects and its Impact on the Relationship between Father and Daughter with the focus on the choice of partner, I introduce issues of interpersonal interaction between father and daughter from different points of view. I use mainly knowledge from the fields of the law and psychology because both fields shade into each other and complement each other. Especially social psychology is close to the law because it looks into the behaviour of people within the social system from which law, as the system of binding standards copying values of the community, originated. At the theme processing I derived knowledge from the work of well-known sociologists, social psychologists, marriage counsellors and lawyers and even from empirical knowledge gained for the purpose of my diploma work under the terms of the investigation with the help of written questionnaire of which results I state in the fourth chapter and in the appendix.

In the first chapter I deal with typical father's roles and on the base of thoughts and opinions of Czech and foreign specialists I explain the impact on forming the daughter's personality. I mention how the ideal way functions in relationship between father and daughter but mostly I focus on father who is either physically or spiritually absent, excessively authoritative or on the other hand father who is dependent, and I focus on the negative impact of these parental imperfections in the lives of girls and young women who are not able to make satisfying relationship with a man.

The second chapter is related to less frequent serious pathological and social interactions between father and daughter or man and woman. In this chapter I point out cases of sexual abuse, rape, incest, abuse and similar violent behaviour inside nuclear family or partnership. Owing to high degree of social dangerousness, those conducts are criminal acts and therefore I introduce them in the light of criminal law. I do not forget to mention their psychological aspects and I describe how destructive impacts can be left on the psyche of victim. In connection with that I dedicate some pages of the work to the research of American experimental psychologist Elizabeth Loftus who found out surprising conclusions concerning the function of human memory and its suggestibility.

In the third chapter I worked on the theme of divorce. Nowadays it is very discussed and current issue. I deal with divorce process from the point of view of Czech family law. I speak about the particularity of alternative care and common rating of underage children and also about the fulfilment of maintenance. Not paying maintenance for the period longer than four months is classified as criminal act according to the penal code and I mention that in the part 3.2.3. of my diploma work. The fact that the radical change of life's circumstances, such as the divorce of parents, greatly influences infants is undeniable. In this part I tried to point out the most important impacts on children, mostly daughters and their further mental development in incomplete family.

The fourth chapter introduces results of my research with the help of anonymous questionnaire. On the base of questionnaire I give evidence of the relationship between Czech women and their fathers and how it impacts their lives, particularly in the sphere of making relationship with men. I also compare if theoretical facts correspond with praxis.

Finally, in the fifth chapter I give information about possible ways of solving issues and those I further elaborate. Besides proved psychological and law procedures I also mention forthcoming changes of legal set of rules and recent amendment of legal regulations.

Klíčová slova

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