

Paragraph on The Life of a Garment Worker

A garment worker passes a very busy day. She has no time to stand and stare. The amount of money she earns a day enables her only to keep her body and soul together. A garment worker has to get up early in the morning because she must arrive at the factory in time. After having her breakfast she sets out for the factory where she works. Often she goes to the factory on foot. Before 8 am she has to enter her workplace. She takes her lunch in the factory. The factory authority does not provide lunch to the garment workers. So she has to bring her lunch with her from outside of the house she lives in. It is very unfair that a garment worker has often no fixed hours of working. She has to work from 8 to 12 hours during her working day. It is a matter of regret that a garment worker does not get a due salary.

Her monthly income is 800-1200 taka. It is very low to lead her life. But she contributes much to our economy. The garment sector earns a lot of foreign currency. Her working place is unhealthy. In most garment factories, the working conditions, safety standards, and general treatment of workers are quite dissatisfactory. She faces physical and mental abuses at her workplace and everywhere. She is the center of vulgar jokes and slang on the streets. Her workmates are equally abusive and never produce a good word for her. A garment worker does not have an unlimited exception. She wants to maintain herself and her family, bring up her children and give some education to them. Finally, we cannot but respect a garment worker who serves her country with a low salary. Her living standard should be improved and this can be done easily with a bit of sympathy of the authority.

Or,

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Question:

- Where is the factory situated?
- How does he go to the factory?
- How long does she work?
- What are her likings and dislikes?
- What would she do in the future?

Answer: Salma is a garment worker in a factory In Dhaka. She leads a very laborious life all day long. She starts her work at 8 a.m. and ends at about 9 p.m. she starts for her working place at about 7 a.m. on foot with two of her girl colleagues. She is given a break for half an hour for lunch. She has to work in the factory for long 13 hours a day. But she is ill-paid, ill-fed, ill-clad, and ill-housed. She likes leading a very simple and honest life and dislikes shirking duties and speaking ill of others behind them. She keeps good terms with her colleagues. She has a desire to have a lift in her service by satisfying the authority through getting married. She thinks that she would marry a fellow worker after her choice and start a new life of hopes and aspirations.

Or,

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An ordinary garment worker in our country. maybe she is Shakina or Rahima, who leads a very laborious life. Her day starts very early in the morning and ends at about 10 p.m. She starts for her working place at about 7 a.m. Generally, she walks to her factory along with other girls working there. Sometimes she has to get on a crowded public bus to reach her factory. On the way to her destination, she

is infected with slang words from various corners. She becomes the object of others' pity. She has to tolerate bad comments. It is miserable for her. In the factory, she is not in a congenial atmosphere. She works in congested rooms. She has no seat to sit upon. Sometimes she works the whole day resting on her feet. She eats a poor lunch with her colleagues in the factory.

Almost every day she takes lunch from her house. She is given a break for half an hour. Within this time, she cannot take lunch properly. She works in the factory for long hours till deep at night. She has to be at the factory up to 9 or 10 p.m. Inspire of her long hours of work she is not remunerated properly. She likes working in a factory rather than in a household. But long hours of work make her sick often. She is used to overworking. So, she gets tired and bored with work. Most of her colleagues are friendly but male colleagues are not. They feel jealous of her independent work, sometimes they try to harass her. Though she works hard for long hours of the day, she has to go to an uncertain future. Now she is about 19 and is frequently haunted by the thought of an uncertain future. As tradition goes on, she will get married to a fellow worker and try to continue her poor life.