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This stereotype affects the life a daughter in the following way:

- i. Many girls are not even allowed to go to school.
- ii. Those who get chance to study may not concentrate on their studies as they are being discouraged.
- iii. They are deprived of their parents' attention even when they fall sick.
- iv. Since their childhood to their marriage, they are considered as a temporary member of the family.
- v. Even after marriage they are subject to exploitation.

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