

National Election Study - 1976 Post -
Set of 10 "Playing Cards" - Questions
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**A. HONESTY IN
GOVERNMENT**

B. HIGH TAXES

C. INFLATION

**D. ENERGY
SHORTAGES**

E. UNEMPLOYMENT

**F. U.S. RELATIONS
WITH FOREIGN
COUNTRIES**

**G. RACIAL ISSUES,
INCLUDING BUSING**

**I. CONSUMER
PROTECTION**

**H. COMBATING CRIME
AND DRUGS**

J. POLLUTION

WHICH STATEMENT DO YOU AGREE WITH MOST?

- G14. Many qualified women can't get good jobs; men with the same skills have much less trouble. -or-
- In general, men are more qualified than women for jobs that have great responsibility.
- G15. Discrimination affects all Black people. The only way to handle it is for Blacks to organize together and demand rights for all. -or-
- Discrimination may affect all Blacks but the best way to handle it is for each individual to act like any other American -- to work hard, get a good education, and mind his own business.
- G16. Women can best overcome discrimination by pursuing their individual career goals in as feminine a way as possible. -or-
- It is not enough for a woman to be successful herself; women must work together to change laws and customs that are unfair to all women.
- G17. It's lack of skill and abilities that keep many Black people from getting a job. It's not just because they're Black. When a Black person is trained to do something, he is able to get a job. -or-
- Many qualified Black people can't get a good job. White people with the same skills wouldn't have any trouble.

- G18. Many Black people who don't do well in life do have good training, but the opportunities just always go to Whites. -or-
- Black people may not have the same opportunities as Whites, but many Blacks haven't prepared themselves enough to make use of the opportunities that come their way.
- G19. The best way for Blacks to overcome discrimination is through pressure and social action. -or-
- The best way to overcome discrimination is for each individual Black to be even better trained and more qualified than the most qualified White person.
- G20. It's more natural for men to have the top responsible jobs in a country. -or-
- Sex discrimination keeps women from the top jobs.
- G21. The best way to handle problems of discrimination is for each woman to make sure she gets the best training possible for what she wants to do. -or-
- Only if women organize and work together can anything really be done about discrimination.
- G22. By nature women are happiest when they are making a home and caring for children -or-
- Our society, not nature, teaches women to prefer homemaking to work outside the home.

G23.

- The attempt to "fit in" and do what's proper hasn't paid off for Blacks. It doesn't matter how "proper" you are, you still meet serious discrimination if you're Black. -or-
- The problem for many Blacks is that they aren't really acceptable by American standards. Any Black who is educated and does what is considered proper will be accepted and will get ahead.

G24.

- Men have more of the top jobs because they are born with more drive to be ambitious and successful than women. -or-
- Men have more of the top jobs because our society discriminates against women.

G25.

- Blacks and other minorities no longer face unfair employment conditions. In fact, they are favored in many training and job programs. -or-
- Even with the new programs, minorities still face the same old job discrimination once the program is over.