

ABSTRACT

Icksan Pratama, Social and Cultural Phenomenon Marriages Not Blessed with child (Case Study in Family RT 05 RW 05, Village of Utan Kayu Selatan, Matraman Sub-district, East Jakarta). Essay. Jakarta: Social Studies Program, Department of Social Education, Faculty of Social Sciences, State University of Jakarta, in 2016.

This study aims to: First, assess the socio-cultural marriages that have not been blessed with children. Second, examine the internal factors (including: educational background) and external (including: family background, living environment, and economic) that supports the existence of the marriage. Third, describing the efforts made to have children.

This research method using a qualitative approach. The subjects were three Couple. The object of the study include: marriage undertaken by three couples who have not been blessed with children. Data were collected by interview, observation and documentation. This study was conducted from February to April, 2016.

The results of this study are: First, the rate differentials owned by married couples of contact cultures of assimilation. Second, internal factors (including: educational background) and external (including: family background, living environment, and economy) makes the existence of their marriage is maintained even if no children. Third, the work done by married couples to have children, namely: adoption and IVF.

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